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Mumbai

rain causes mayhem, as extremely heavy rainfall warning issued

MI News Service, Mumbai : All government and semi-government offices in Mumbai will remain closed on Tuesday in view of the extremely heavy rainfall warning issued by the weather office in the

It also appealed to all private establishments across Mumbai to allow their employees to work from home and avoid unnecessary

The Brihanmumbai **Municipal Corporation** (BMC), in a statement on Tuesday morning, announced the closure of all government and semi-government offices as a precautionary measure, in view of the continuous heavy rains in the city and suburbs and the 'red alert' issued by the IMD.

The statement said the decision applies to



all BMC offices and state-run establishments, excluding essential services

"Considering the red alert for very heavy rainfall in Mumbai city and suburbs, all gov-ernment, semi-government, and BMC offices, barring the essential services, will remain closed today," the BMC

In the 24-hour period ending at 8 am on Tuesday, the island city, eastern and western suburbs recorded an average excessive rainfall of 186.43 mm, 208.78 mm and 238.19 ficial said. In the forecast for Tuesday, India Meteorological Department (IMD) predicted "very heavy to extremely heavy" rainfall in the city and suburbs of Mumbai with occasional gusty winds reaching 45-55 kmph. Rainfall during the early morning hours and late evening could lead to traffic snarls as there was 3.75 metre high tide at 9.16 am and of 3.14 metres to occur at 8.53 pm. People complained of waterlogging on

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Mamata Banerjee alleges 'NRC Agenda' behind **AIIMS' mental health survey in Bengal**

MI News Service, Kolkata: West Bengal Chief Minister Mamata Banerjee has raised strong objections to a door-to-door mental health survey being conducted by AIIMS Kalyani in the state, alleging that it is a "covert attempt to collect data for the NRC (National Register of Citizens) on behalf of the Central government".

Addressing a press conference after a cabinet meeting at Nabanna, CM Banerjee cautioned people of the state not to share their personal details with anyone conducting such

Mamata Banerjee claimed, "Under the guise of mental health surveys, AIIMS is carrying out an exercise for the NRC. The institution is allegedly being used as a tool to conduct door-to-door data collection. I want to make it clear that if the state government conducts any such survey, people will be informed in advance. But working directly for a political agenda under the guise of research is unacceptable. I would



like to ask AIIMS not to play such games." The chief minister also urged the people of Bengal to remain cautious and not disclose any per-

formation should only be shared with state government representatives,'

She further highlighted that the land for AIIMS Kalyani was provided by the state government. "We have no objection if they do good work. Whenever AIIMS holds an inauguration event, we are not even informed. We are not bothered about that but now they are conducting surveys in the name of mental health, which I believe is linked to the NRC," she said, while questioning, "What does mental health have to do with asking about voter ID cards, family members, and citizenship status?" According to sources, Mamata Banerjee also discussed the matter during the cabinet meeting and expressed displeasure. Since health is a state subject, she questioned the legality of a central institute undertaking such surveys without

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EAM Jaishankar embarks on 3-day visit to Russia

MI News Service, New Delhi **Moscow**: External Affairs Minister S. Jaishankar on Tuesday embarked on a three-day visit to Russia from August 19 to 21 to further bolster the longstanding and time-tested India-Russia Special and Privileged Strategic Partnership", amid the present strained Indo-US ties following President Donald Trump's decision to double tariffs on Indian goods to 50

The Ministry of External Affairs (MEA), in a statement, said, "At the invitation of First Deputy Prime Minister of the Russian Federation Denis Manturov, the External Affairs Minister, S. Jaishankar, will undertake an official visit to Russia on 19-21 August 2025 to co-chair the 26th Session of the India-Russia Inter-Governmental Commission on Trade, Economic, Scientific, Technological and Cultural Cooperation (IRIGC-TEC) scheduled for 20 August 2025. EAM will address the India-Russia Business Forum meeting in Moscow." During the visit, Jaishankar will meet his Russian counterpart Sergey Lavrov to review the bilateral agenda and exchange perspectives on regional and global developments.

The MEA added, "During the visit, EAM will also meet Foreign Minister of the Russian Federation Sergey Lavrov and review the bilateral agenda and share perspective on regional and global issues.

The visit comes amid strains in India's ties with the US following President Donald Trump's decision to double tariffs on Indian goods to 50 per cent, including an additional 25 per cent penalty for purchasing Russian crude oil. Jaishankar and

Lavrov are also expected to discuss recent initiatives by the Trump administration to bring peace to Ukraine. Reiterating New Delhi's intent, the MEA underlined, "The visit aims to further strengthen the longstanding and time-tested India-Russia Special and Privileged Strategic Partnership." Moreover, Jaishankar's Moscow visit comes days after National Security Advisor Ajit Doval travelled to Russia and held talks with President Putin on bilateral energy and defence ties.

Further, the visits of senior Indian officials, including Doval and Jaishankar, come against the backdrop of strains in India's ties with the US following President Donald Trump doubling tariffs on Indian goods to 50 per cent that included an additional penalty of 25 per cent for purchasing Russian crude oil.

Lot of interest about Gaganyaan world over: Shubhanshu Shukla tells PM Modi

MI News Service, New Delhi : Astronaut Shubhanshu Shukla told Prime Minister Narendra Modi that a lot of interest has already been generated about India's Gaganyaan mission around the world, and many international scientists were keen to be part of it.

In an interaction with the Prime minister on Monday evening at the Prime minister's residence, Shukla also shared his experiences about his space journey to the International Space Station (ISS) as part of the Axiom-4 mission, adjusting to micro-gravity conditions, and the experiments he carried out on the orbital lab.

The video of Shukla's interaction with the Prime minister was shared on Tuesday. "People are very excited about India's Gaganyaan mission. Many of my crew mates (of the Axiom-4 mission) wanted to know about the launch," Shukla said.

'Many of my crew mates even took signed declarations from me



that they would be invited for the launch of Gaganyaan mission. They wanted to travel in our vehi-

cle," Shukla said. PM Modi said there was a need to have a pool of 40-50 astronauts ready for India's future space mis-"I had said that your mission is the first step," Modi said, referring to India's ambitions in

the space sector. PM Modi also told Shukla that his mission to the ISS will be helpful in India's space ambitions.

India plans to undertake its first human spaceflight in 2027 and build its own space station by 2035. India also has plans to land its own astronaut on the moon by 2040. After his nearly two week

long historic visit to the International Space Station (ISS) in July, Shukla returned to India on Sunday and is poised to share his experiences with friends and colleagues back home as ISRO eyes its maiden human spaceflight

Shukla, who was in the US, training for the Axiom-4 mission to ISS for the past one year, will now travel to his hometown Lucknow to meet his parents and other family members and friends there. He is expected to be back in the capital to participate in the National Space Day celebrations on August 22-23. In an emotional message on his way back home on Sunday Shukla said "As I sit on the plane to come back to India, I have a mix of emotions running through my heart. I feel sad leaving a fantastic group of people behind who were my friends and family for the past one year

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PM Modi appeals for unanimous election of Radhakrishnan as next Vice-President

MI News Service, New **Delhi** : Prime Minister Narendra Modi has appealed to all political parties, including the Opposition, for unanimous election of NDA's Vice Presidential candidate C P Radhakrishnan, as he praised his life of public service at a meeting of the ruling alliance MPs.

Radhakrishnan was felicitated at the meeting of MPs here on Tuesday by the NDA top brass, including Prime Minister Modi and several BJP allies.

Radhakrishnan is likely to file his nomination on Wednesday. Parliamentary Affairs Minister Kiren Rijiju told reporters that Modi, in his address, appealed to all political parties, especially the Opposition, to back the candidacy of Radhakrishnan to ensure that he is

elected unanimously. Modi introduced the Maharashtra Governor, who is a seasoned BJP leader from Tamil Nadu, to the NDA MPs, citing his long public life in which he served ably in different capacities. ijiju said Rad-hakrishnan (67) has led a simple life away from any controversy or taint, stressing that his election as Vice President will be a matter of delight for the entire country.

With the BJP-led NDA enjoying a comfortable majority in the electoral

MI News Service, Gaya:

from the Lok Sabha and Rajya Sabha, Radhakrishnan's win is a certainty amid indications from the opposition INDIA bloc that it will field its own candidate and force a contest.

During the meeting Prime Minister Modi introduced him to the Parliamentarians, hailed his unblemished political career and also called for his unanimous election to the post. Briefing the press about the NDA parliamentary party meet, Union Minister Kiren Rijiju said the floor leaders and the NDA MPs warmly welcomed CP Radhakrishnan and also thanked the

Prime Minister for picking

him for the position.

He said that PM Modi introduced C.P. Radhakrishnan to the lawmakers at the NDA meet and appealed to everyone to come together and unanimously vote for the candidate and elect him as the next Vice President. Heaping praise on Radhakrishnan, Rijiju said that his entire political journey remains devoid of any controversy, any stain or any corruption charge. He said that the NDA V-P nominee lived a simple yet accomplished life, working tirelessly for society and the country and hence was the right person suited for the chair. "If he is elected as the next Vice President, it joy for the country. With his decades of experience and all-encompassing approach, he will be efficient and instrumental in conducting the House proceedings," he said. Rijiju also informed that Defence Minister Rajnath Singh is holding talks across the political spectrum to seek consensus on his election and is also urging the Opposition to elect him unanimously. The BJP has already started reaching out to Opposition parties, particularly those in Southern states, to gather support for the NDA's V-P pick. It has activated its Tamil Nadu unit to rally support for his candidature, given his Tamilian roots and also his successful stint as the state unit chief. Tamil Nadu BJP has urged the DMK and other parties of the INDIA bloc to extend support to his can-

didature. Meanwhile, Makkal Katchi (PMK) president Dr Anbumani Ramadoss has extended support to NDA's V-P nominee, C.P. Radhakrishnan, describing him as the "right choice" for the country's secondhighest constitutional office. Radhakrishnan, who hails from Tamil Nadu's Kongu region, has served two terms as a Lok Sabha MP from Coimbatore and is currently serving as the Governor of Maharashtra.

PM Modi to inaugurate projects worth Rs 12,000 crore in Gaya

Continuing his resolution to take steps for the all development of Prime Minister Narendra Modi will inaugurate and lay the founda-tion stone of several projects worth more than Rs 12,000 crore in Gaya on August 22. Announcing this here on Tuesday ahead of the Prime Minister's visit, Bihar Deputy Chief Minister Samrat Chaudhary said that he had inspected the venue at the Magadh University campus and issued necessary instructions to officials regarding preparations for the Prime minister's visit. . Later, while addressing an NDA workers' meeting in Gaya, Chaudhary launched a scathing attack on the opposition, particularly the Gandhi family and RJD chief Lalu Prasad Yadav. Jananayak' to to their names, and some write 'Gandhi' after their names, but merely writing does not make anyone a leader. The Gandhi family and Lalu family looted Bihar. while Nitish Kumar has transformed the state," he said. Chaudhary questioned the Congress over

the legacy of the Emergency and said, "Does the word 'Jananayak' sound good from the mouth of a party that imposed the Emergency and jailed political workers?"

Highlighting record in employment generation, he compared the tenures of Lalu Prasad Yadav and Nitish Kumar. "Lalu Prasad could not provide even one lakh government jobs during his tenure, whereas Nitish Kumar gave 7.5 lakh jobs between 2005 and 2020. By 2020-25, 50 lakh government jobs and employment opportunities have been created, and by 2025-30, one crore youth will be given jobs and employment," Chaudhary claimed. During the review meeting with senior JDU leaders. Bihar minister Santosh Suman, and leaders of NDA allies, Chaudhary stressed that rapid development is taking place in Bihar under the guidance of PM Modi and the leadership of CM Nitish Kumar. He urged NDA workers to strengthen the organisation at the block level and spread awareness about government achievements among the people. Citing progress in

infrastructure and power supply, Chaudhary said: "In 2005, Bihar had only 17 lakh electricity connections, which have now increased to 2.14 crore. Currently, the electricity bill of 1.64 crore households is zero under the subsidy schemes. The government aims to provide free electricity to every household through 100 per installations in coordination with the Centre.

He also underlined improvements in road connectivity: "Now one can reach any part of the state from Patna in five hours, and the government's goal is to reduce this to four hours." Referring to religious tourism, Chaudhary pointed to major temple projects: "The grand temple of Ram Lalla in Ayodhya completed under PM Modi's tenure and a Rs 1,000 crore grand temple of Maa Janaki under construction at Punauradham, Sitamarhi." Incidentally during his proposed visit to Gaya and West Bengal on Friday next, the Prime minister will inaugurate a number of Metro rail and other infrastructural projects in both the states worth over Rs 20,000 crores.

Opposition parties announce former SC judge B Sudershan Reddy as VP candidate

MI News Service, New **Delhi** : Former Supreme Court judge B Sudershan Reddy was announced as the candidate of the united Opposition parties for the Vice-Presidential polls, Congress President Mallikarjun Kharge announced on Tuesday, as he called the upcoming election for the country's second-highest office an "ideological battle"

Reddy is a former judge of the Supreme Court and the first Lokayukta of Goa. He is also on the Board of Trustees of the International Arbitration and Mediation Centre Hyderabad.

Reddy would arrive in the national capital on



Tuesday evening and meet with various Opposition leaders. He will file his nomination on August 21. He will fight for the September 9 Vice-presidential elections against the National Democratic Alliance (NDA)'s candidate C P Rad-

Congress Mallikarjun terming Justice Reddy one of India's most distinguished and progressive

hakrishnan.

jurists, said the upcoming elections for the post of the Vice-President were "an ideological battle" with the Opposition standing united. "All Opposition parties have nominated B Sudershan Reddy garu as their joint candidate for the position of the Vice President of India," Kharge announced, adding that Justice Reddy had been a consistent and courageous champion of social, economic and polit-

President

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ical justice. A native



Police detain Students' Federation of India (SFI) activists took part in a protest rally against State Government Bhawan during their march to Bikash Bhawan over merit list for admission to college after higher secondary is not out yet and the results of the Joint Entrance Examination are not out issue, at Salt Lake in Kolkata on on Tuesday

First year foundation day celebration of **Subhadarshini Super Multi Specialty Hospital** Sri Sri Ravishankar have



Service, Raniganj: Postage stamp issued in the name of CEO. Raniganj. Lakshmi Turu saplings were planted on the first year foundation day of Subhadarshini Su-

located at Bansda Square, Raniganj. World spiritual guru and founder of Art of Living Sri Sri Ravishankarji is promoting this medicinal plant all over the world. This tree is native to South per Multi Specialty Hospital America. The followers of

The tree is used to prevent cancer. A cake was also cut on the occasion. Hospital Chairman Shanti Swaroop Pari, Vice President Rony Mukherjee, CEO Antara Ganguly, HR Saini Ghosh, Chartered Accountant Pradeep Sahu and many social workers were present. Hospital officials said that the process of providing better healthcare

services to patients will be further advanced and efforts are being made so that patients do not have to go to other cities for treatment and all healthcare services will be available here. On this occasion, a postage stamp was issued by the Postal Department in the name of the CEO of the hospital, Antara Ganguly, and

Inauguration of the presiding deity Shri Bhomiya Dada Darbar at Jain temple

Kolkata: Calcutta Jain Shwetambar Sthanakvasi (Gujarati) Sangh has created history under the guidance of revered Gurudev Shri Dr. Adarshchandra Swami Ji. On Sunday, the inauguration of the presiding deity Shri Bhomiya Dada Darbar was done at the Jain temple located at Navalakha Polak Street, in which members of 11 families took benefit. Along with this, 99 days 99th Bhaav Yatra and darshan of 24 Tirthankaras was also organised here. In Jainism, the 24 Tirthankaras and the 99th Bhaav Yatra have a lot of imortance. It is said that by visiting them and doing Bhaav Yatra, one attains self-knowledge and salvation.

On this day, a camp of late Gurudev Adarsh Chandra Swami ji was also organized here which was organised by Gautam Prasad, Kishor-



Foundation). In this program, Dilipbhai Aatha, Viresh Shah of Manav Jyoti, Rajesh Singh, Kamlesh Joshi of Karchi Samaj, Atulbhai Doshi of Kamani Jain Bhavan and committee members, Haresh Jain of Animsa Bnavan, Asnokonai Turakhia and other persons were also present as the chief

(Romi) Chairman of Navlakha Jain Temple, Deepak Gathani, Dinesh Patel Vice President, Dinesh Bhimabhai, Dilipbhai Atha (Atha ni Secretary, Harshad Seth,

Bharat Bhayani Joint Secretary, Bhavesh Chovatiya played an important role in making the program successful. The program was conducted by Nimesh Shah, Pankaj Desai, Mayur Sheth, vikasn Knara, Paiul Laknani, Harshad Shah, Manish Doshi, Paresh Daftari, Hemal Daftari, Rajesh Modi, Dhamesh Chandrashekhar Medhani Bhimani, Pulin Parekh, Deep Goslia, Mukesh Walani, Sanjay Shah, Miten Shah, Deepak Gathani. Chandresh Medhani expressed his gratitude to all

the guests who came.

Man arrested for molesting 4-year-old neighbour

60-year-old Belgharia: A man has been arrested in Belgharia on charges of molesting a four-year-old girl. The accused, identified as Swapan Kumar Das, was apprehended after the child's family and local residents reported the

The alleged assault took place at a residence in Prothom Alo Housing, Deshpriyo Nagar. The young victim lives with her working mother and grandmother. According to reports, the grandmother would regularly leave the child in the care of their downstairs neighbor, Das, when she departed for her afternoon job. Police allege that Das exploited this trust when he was left alone with the child. The family discovered the abuse upon returning home and immediately informed their neighbors. A group of angry residents then reportedly locked Das in his flat and called the Belgharia police station. Officers quicky arrived at the scene, took the accused into custody, and transported him to the station. This shocking incident has caused a significant stir in the community, with locals demanding strict and appropriate punishment for Das. The case is currently under investigation, and a formal complaint has been lodged against the accused. The police have not released further details to protect the identity of the victim. This event serves as a grim reminder of the need for heightened vigilance in communities. The community is united in their call for justice.

Little Thespian's 36th Rang Adda: A Celebration of Theatre Legends



MI News Service, Kolkata: On 17th August, 2025, Little Thespian, a renowned theatre group of Kolkata, celebrated its 36th Rang Adda at Sujata Devi Vidya Mandir. This Rang Adda was dedicated to four theatre stalwarts Smt. Pratibha Agarwal, Usha Ganguli, playwrights Swadesh Deepak, and Bhisham Sahni.

The Rang Adda began with a brief introduction of Smt. Pratibha Agarwal by Supriya Chaudhary of Gokhale Memorial Girls College. This was followed by an insightful article titled "Pratibha Agarwal's Contribution to Theatre" presented by Dr. Vasundhara Mishra, Professor at The Bhawanipur Education Society College, Kolkata. The article highlighted Agarwal's significant contributions to the world of the-

Sandhya Ram from Calcutta University gave a comprehensive introduction to Usha Ganguli's life and work. This was followed by an article titled "Usha Ganguli's Style of Direction and the Play Court Martial" presented by renowned theatre actor Shri Om Pareek. The article explored Ganguli's unique directing style and her iconic play Court Martial.

The Rang Adda also featured

day following the Supreme Court's ver-

dict in the SSC Teacher Recruitment

Case. The apex court has dismissed

all review petitions filed in this matter,

thereby upholding the Calcutta High

Court's decision to cancel the jobs of

26,000 teachers. This decision affects

both eligible and ineligible candidates

and has created significant uncertain-

ty in the state's education sector. The

Čalcutta High Court had ordered the

ad), theatre director Shri Dinesh Vadera, poet Shri Bhupinder Singh Bashar, writer Om Prakash Choubey, Telugu poet Aruna V, Smt Pushpa Bhanani etc. were present on this occasion.

dramatic reading of Bhisham

Sahni's story "Mata Vimata". Su-

priya Chaudhary gave a brief in-

troduction of Bhisham Sahni, high-

lighting his contributions to Indian

literature and theatre followed by

the dramatic reading of his story

by Md. Asif Ansari and students of

Khidderpore College Khalida Kha-

toon and Sweta Kumari Rajbhar.

Sandhya Ram gave a detailed

introduction to the life and work

of Swadesh Deepak. This was fol-

lowed by dramatic reading of an

excerpt from his play Court Mar-

tial by Dr. Rama Shankar Singh,

Shivam Tiwari, Pintu Pandey, and

Many students and several dis-

tinguished guests, including Smt.

Bimla Poddar (Executive Mem-

ber of Bharatiya Bhasha Parish-

Pramod Mahato.

The Rang Adda was expertly convened by Gunjan Azhar (Secretary, Little Thespian) she said that these Rang Addas are testament to the organization's commitment to promoting theatre and paying tribute to its

SC dismisses Review Petition in SSC Recruitment Case MI News Service, New Delhi: Cancancellation of nearly 26,000 teacher didates from the 2016 recruitment appointments from the 2016 SSC redrive faced a major setback on Tues-

cruitment process due to allegations of widespread corruption. The state government, the SSC, and eligible can didates challenged this verdict in the Supreme Court, but the apex court initially affirmed the High Court's order. The case was heard by a bench led by Justice Sanjay Kumar. When the petitioners' counsel, inquired about the verdict, the judge explicitly stated that he had already made his decision and dismissed all petitions.



Police detain interview neglected 2022 Primary Teacher Eligibility Test (TET) passed candidates took part in a

Bengal govt's MSME policy energizing industrial growth

MI News Service, Kolkata: The government of West Bengal has taken multiple steps to energize the MSMEs in the state which is in a way acting as positive catalyst in industrial growth of the state. With West Bengal's MSME credit set to cross ₹2 lakh crore by FY26 and recent state-level initiatives driving digitization and exports promotion for the MSMEs, M1xchange, India's leading RBI-Licensed TReDS platform for invoice discounting for MSMEs, aims to contribute to the credit growth, by bridging the working capital credit requirements of the MSME in the state. It targets to double its business with sectors such as infrastructure, auto/auto ancillaries, electricals/electronics, textiles, and agriculture, which are poised to be the key growth drivers.

Currently, West Bengal is a leading state for manufacturing, trade, and export, with over 4.6 million registered MSMEs under Udyam and nearly 1 crore MSMEs in total. The state's strong industrial base spans steel, aluminium, iron products, electricals/ electronics, trading, and chemical fertilizers sectors with high working capital requirements. The credit to MSMEs in Bengal rose 7.5% year-on-year, highlighting growing



demand for timely and cost-effective finance

. Till date, it has has facilitated INR 200,000+ crores worth of invoice discounting with more than 60,000 MSMEs, 3000+ Corporates and 69+ Banks & NBFCs on the

Aligned with West Bengal's ambition to cross ₹2 lakh crore MSME credit by FY26, it has made significant inroads into the state.

Kaustubh Srivastava, Senior Director M1xchange said, "The state government's proactive collaborations are enabling lastmile digital adoption and improving access to credit. We are also witnessing robust momentum across industries in the state, driven by a thriving MSME base and a strong entrepreneurial spirit."

Howrah District Press Club 2025 Election: Sanjay Singh becomes President

Howrah: Howrah District Press Club completed 12 years on Tuesday. Every year, elections are held here as per tra-

This year too, the election of Howrah District Press Club was held at Sharat Sadan on the pre-announced date 17/8/2025. Gifts were distributed to each member by the committee in this day-long election ceremony. After this, a moment of silence was observed as a tribute to those members of the club who are no longer in this world. After this, the annual election process started. As per the old rules of the previous committee, before the election, the old committee presented its works and financial accounts of the previous year. The election process continued till noon and the results were also declared. After the declaration of

"FIRs filed on us by ruling party members": Filmmaker



the results, today's ceremony concluded with the national antnem. All the members included in the new committee were felicitated by the old committee and its members. After this election, new committee was formed and their names and designations are as

[List of New Committee] 1) Chairman: Sanjay Singh

2) Vice Chairman: Megh Dutt

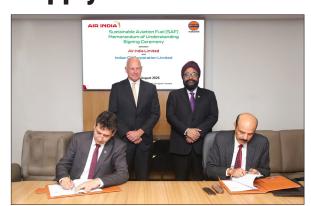
Secretary: Subhash Deb Sarkar 4) Joint Secretary: Sanjay Ra-

(Members of New Committee) And the members include: 1) Debashesh Chakraborty.

2) Nikhat Hasan.

3) Pritam Kole.

IndianOil and Air India Sign MoU for Supply of Sustainable Aviation Fuel



Service, Gurugram: The collaboration builds upon Indian Oil's recent milestone of becoming the first Indian company to receive ISCC CORSIA certification for SAF production at its Panipat Refinery

As part of its strategy to achieve the IATA Net Zero by 2050 target, Air India is actively pursuing initiatives in operational efficiency, low-carbon emissions, and

19 August Gurugram, 2025: Indian Oil Corporation Limited and Air India today

Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) for the supply of Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF), marking a major step towards a greener future for Indian aviation. This MoU outlines the shared commitment of both Parties to promote the adoption of low-carbon fuels in aviation, support global decarbonization goals, and contribute to the transition toward more sustainable air transport operations.

The MoU was signed by Shri Shailesh Dhar, Executive Director (Aviation), IndianOil, and Shri P. Balaji, Group Head Governance, Regulatory, Compliance (GRC) and Corporate Affairs, Air India, in the presence of Shri A S Sahney, Chairman, IndianOil and Shri Campbell Wilson, CEO, Air

collaboration reaffirms Indian Oil's role as a trailblazer in India's energy transition, bringing India closer to a greener, cleaner aviation future. The Corporation has become the first Indian company to receive ISCC CORSIA certification for SAF production at its Panipat Refinery. The certification granted under ICAO's Carbon Offsetting and Reduction Scheme for International Aviation (CORSIA), establishes Indian Oil's capability to produce SAF that meets the most stringent international

sustainability and lifecycle

carbon emission standards. Shri A. S. Sahney, Chairman, Indian Oil, said "The signing of this MoU with Air India represents a strategic step in India's transition to sustainable aviation. With ISCC-CORSIA-certified SAF from Panipat, IndianOil is ready to provide a sustainable fuel solution that will help decarbonize air travel. Partnering with India's flagship carrier, we are aligning national growth with global climate goals and setting a benchmark for the industry Shri Campbell Wilson, CEO & Managing Director, Air India said: "Through this MoU with Indian Oil, Air India is committed to support the Government of India's initiatives to promote sustainable development in the aviation sector and to further its own sustainability goals to achieve the IATA Net Zero by 2050

By integrating certified green fuels into commercial operations, IndianOil and Air India are together reinforcing India's position as a front-runner in sustainable aviation and energy transi-tion. Through this MOU, IOCL and Air India aim to collaborate on the supply of SAF to meet CORSIA targets and even exceeding them for international flights, ensuring a reliable, transparent, and sustainable fuel supply to support both companies' environmental goals.

MI News Service, New Delhi/Kolkata: After the trailer launch of 'The Bengal Files' was disrupted in Kolkata, filmmaker Vivek Ranjan Agnihotri targeted the state government and said that "FIRs have been

filed by ruling party members" on the makers. A ruckus erupted during the release of 'The Bengal Files' trailer in Kolkata on

August 16.

'The Bengal Files' feaactors Mithun Chakraborty, Anupam Kher, Darshan Kumar, and Pallavi Joshi. It is focused on the events of the "Direct Action Day," aiming to unveil the "most brutal chapter" of In-

Speaking to ANI, Agnihotri said, "I am discovering the political scenario. I had thought how anybody can stop the trailer, but when we went to Kolkata, the multiplex refused to show the trailer after all the permissions in writing. Then, the hotel chain stopped showing the trailer. The police came..cut the wrire then I was told that the ruling party filed many FIRs as we stand here today, the FIRs are filed on us by the ruling party members and I have been told that ruling party has major objection on portrayal untold story of Hindu genocide. They have problem with that film about demographic change.

Reportedly,

pal Mukherjee, filed an FIR against the director. Speaking about the same, he added, "I just don't want to speak as it is a legal matter, but I just want to give you a hint that a lot of people you are mentioning are trying to blackmail us for a long time. They are members of TMC, and that is why they are trying to put pressure on us, but we will take a legal course and solve it all."

On August 16, during the event at ITC Royal Bengal, the trailer was suddenstopped, the director blamed the authorities, saying, "If this is not dictatorship/fascism, then what is? Law and order in your state has failed, and this is the reason that everyone supports 'The Bengal Files'. I have just got to know that some people came here (event venue in a private hotel) and cut all the wires. I don't know on whose orders this is happening? You know who those people are behind us. After all tests and trials, this programme was being held. The hotel managers still can't tell us why we are not allowed to continue with our programme."

While speaking to the media, he highlighted the issue and shared, "Police aur party workers ne milkar unconstitutionally hamare trailer ko radd kiya bharat ke ithihas mein kayi filmein Shantanu ban huyi hai..shayad pehli

Vivek Agnihotri targets TMC amid 'The Bengal Files' row baar bharat ke itihaas mein ek state government ne ek film ke trailer ko ban kiya hai. This is very scary and worrisome. Jinhone Indian constitution ki oath li hai, hamare judges, ministers, Chief Ministers, ye log Indian constitution ki oath lete aur Indian constitution mein ye likha gaya hai ki state officials jo hai inka ye dharm hai ye duty hai ki ye common logon ke rights ko protect karenge, especially their free speech and safety. Lekin agar rakshak hi bhakshak ban jaye to koi kya lad sakta hai?" He also shared that the

film got a good response in the US, "aur hum ko waha ka Capitol Hill mein invite kiya gaya, 'The Bengal Files' ko present karne ke liye."

He said that after taking fresh permissions, the team shifted the launch to the hotel in Kolkata. "We called journalists to watch the trailer. As soon as it was played, the hotel manager suddenly came on stage and said it could not be screened," Agnihotri said, claiming that all the preparations were "done in front of the manager."

"When the media asked the manager about the issue, we got information that the police and TMC members were on their way to stop the

release," Agnihotri alleged. Pallavi Joshi elaborated on the entire incident that happened on August 16: "I was saying that day before do it'. If we had known th yesterday we were trying to launch the trailer of our film in Kolkata, and it was forcibly stopped by the state government and the police. And since then, we've been getting a lot of calls from the media, but instead of talking to each one separately and giving the same answers, we thought that as responsible producers, as responsible filmmakers, we should all come in one place and speak in one voice.

Because this is not just a film, this is, in our perception. Whatever happened the day before yesterday, we look at it as a threat to our democracy -- plain and simple."

Agnihotri earlier opened up on the cancellation of the trailer launch event of 'The Bengal Files' by a leading movie theatre chain and why he decided to unveil the

trailer on August 16. He said, "Mai America se aaya aur seedhe Kolkata pahucha kyunki trailer launch tha and movie trailers are generally launched in theatres; however, when I reached the airport, I came to know that one of the largest multiplex chains said that they can't do it because there is a lot of political pressure and if they do it, there will be a political turmoil. So we spoke to another multiplex, they also said 'sorry sir', there is a lot of

from the start, why would we have taken on so many teams and actors and spent so much money to come

The film explores the communal violence in undivided Bengal during the 1940s, including events like the 1946 Direct Action Day and the Noakhali riots of

1946, a Hindu genocide. He added, "Aur Direct Action Day, Hindu genocide, Murshidabad riots, film ka trailer kahan launch hona chahiye? Kolkata mein hi hona chahiye. Par mai bhi harne vaalon me se nahi hu, to aisa pehli baar ho raha hai mera ye andaaz hai ki film ka trailer theatre ki jagah hotel ke banquet hall mein..but mai janna chahta hu hamari awaaz dabane ki koshish kyu ho rahi hai. (And where should the trailer of the film dealing with Direct Action Day, Hindu genocide, Murshidabad riots, be launched? It should be launched in Kolkata only, but I'm not one of the losers, so this is happening for the first time. I guess the trailer of the film is being launched in the banquet hall of a hotel instead of a theatre. To hamari awaaz ko dabane ki koshish kyu ki ja rahi hai (but I want to know why efforts are being made to suppress our voice.)"

'The Bengal Files' is slated to hit theatres on Seppolitical pressure, we can't tember 5, 2025.

Mamata Banerjee alleges 'NRC...

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knowledge of the state administration. Over the last few months, the issue of NRC has repeatedly surfaced in political debates, making the statements of the Chief minister particu-

larly significant. She has reportedly instructed three senior ministers to take steps to ensure public awareness. Panchayat Minister Pradip Majumdar has been tasked with warning people in rural areas, Urban Development and Municipal Affairs Minister Firhad Hakim has been asked to alert people in urban areas, while Power Minister Aroop Biswas has been told to brief legislators to create an awareness in their respective constituencies. On the other hand, AIIMS Kalyani said it has been conducting the study in seven districts of West Bengal as part of the second phase of the National Mental Health Survey (NMHS), and under the guidance of a senior official of the state government's health and family welfare department.

Issuing a statement,

AIIMS Kalyani clarified that it was participating in the second phase of the NMHS as a partner institution of the National Institute of Mental Health and Sciences (NIMHANS), Bengaluru. 'The survey is being conducted in seven districts of West Bengal under the guidance and liaison of the Additional Director of Health Services (Mental Health), Department of Health & Family Welfare, Government of West Ben-

gal,<u>"</u> it said. The questionnaires used in this study have been duly validated by the World Health Organisation and NIMHANS, ensuring high standards of scientific and ethical rigour, the statement read.

The institution further said, "This survey is part of a nationwide initiative and is being conducted across all states and union territories of India to assess the mental health status and needs of the population."

Mumbai rain causes mayhem,...

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railway tracks in low-lying areas of Dadar, Matunga, Parel and Sion. The railway authorities, however, claimed the water was below the track level and hence train movement was unaffected though the services were delayed. Waterlogging was also reported at

Hindmata, Andheri Subway and in some parts of the Eastern Express Highway, Mumbai-Gujarat highway and the Eastern Freeway. To make the situation worse, there was an early morning technical snag in the signalling system between Ambivali and Shahad stations on the Mumbai suburban network

Acknowledging

Lot of interest about Gaganyaan...

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during this mission. I am also excited about meeting all my friends, family and everyone in the country for the first time post mission. I guess this is what life is everything all at once". The Ax-4 mission, launched under Axiom Space's commercial pro-Ax-4 gramme with international collaboration, saw Shukla engage in critical research experiments, outreach initiatives, and operational work supporting next-generation space objectives

His presence on the mission was celebrated not only as a personal achievement but also as a moment of pride for India, highlighting the country's growing role in global space exploration.

support he received, Shukla wrote, "Having re-ceived incredible love and support from everyone during and after the mission, I can't wait to come back to India to share my experiences with all of you. Goodbyes are hard but we need to keep moving in life. As my commander Peggy Whitson fondly says, 'the only constant in spaceflight is change'. I believ that applies to life as well." The heartfelt note closed with lines from a Hindi song, where Shukla likened life to a train that keeps moving forward with time as its wheels. His words resonated with followers, blending the personal and the philosophical in a way that captured the gravity of

Opposition parties announce former...

of Telangana who grew up undivided Andhra Pradesh, and went to the Bar at Hyderabad, Justice Reddy was appointed as a permanent Judge of the Andhra Pradesh High Court on May 2, 1995, served as Chief Justice of the Gauhati High Court, and at the Supreme Court between 2007 and 2011. Most recently, he was at the helm of a high-level independent committee of 11 members constituted by the Revanth Reddy government to conduct an independent verification. analysis, and comprehensive study of the caste census in Telangana. The Congress president, flanked by TMC MP Derek O'Brien and NCP chief Sharad Pawar, said that Justice Reddy reflected the values that shaped the country's freedom movement profoundly, and that Constitution and democracy have been anchored. Emphasising unity in the face of the Constitution "being in danger", and foundational values under assault, Kharge said the united Opposition was on the other end of "an ideological battle" with the rul-

"This VP contest is an ideological battle and all Opposition parties agreed on this; that is why we have decided to contest unitedly... We have unanimously chosen the candidate... It is a big achievement for democracy if all Opposition par-ties are able to come together at a point like this," Kharge said.

The Aam Aadmi Party, which was not represented at the press conference, was also on board with the candidature of Justice Reddy, O'Brien clarified.

Given both his organisational and political roots in Tamil Nadu, following the announcement of Maharashtra Governor C P Radhakrishnan as the NDA's pick for the VP polls, BJP sources had underlined a significant political aspect of his candidature.

The goodwill that Radhakrishnan has in Tamil Nadu, where he served as the chief of the BJP unit and is credited with having laid the foundations of its organisation, as well as with the DMK, was understood to have posed a dilemma for the ruling party in the southern state regarding whether or not to support him

Leptospira Outbreak: Poultry Farm Closure Sparks Tensions, Health Camps Set Up

has gripped Chekramari village under Sannyasikata Gram Panchayat in Jalpaiguri'sRajganj block after a sudden outbreak of Leptospira infection, with nearly 100 people affected.

For weeks, villagers had been complaining of fever, respiratory distress, and fatigue. Blood tests later confirmed cases of Leptospira and Hepatitis A. While health experts note that Leptospira usually spreads through rodents and livestock and Hepatitis A through contaminated water, the exact source of this outbreak remains under investigation.

Local residents, however, blame a large poultry farm in the area. Anger boiled over earlier this week when Rajganj MLA Khageswar Roy visited a hospital to meet patients. Villagers confronted him, accusing the poultry farm of spreading the disease. One woman, Seema Das Pandey, declared: "Either close the farm or step down." Following mount-

called in farm officials and examined records. Missing paperwork led to an order to shut down the farm within seven days. Adi Narayan, the farm incharge, confirmed compliance: "We are removing poultry as per

government orders. The farm, spread across 15 acres and built at a cost of nearly 40 crore, houses 1.5 lakh birds and produces over 1.5 lakh eggs daily. Around 200 workers are employed there, many of whom

have staged protests, arguing they have not been infected and urging authorities to reconsider closure. Meanwhile, the health department has set up medical camps in Chekramari village to prevent further spread and monitor residents. Over 180 blood samples have already been collected. Chief Health Officer Dr. AsimHaldar said, "We are trying to identify whether the infection is from contaminated water or animals. Patients under treathave also initiated water sample testing and a livestock health survey to trace the outbreak. While administrative action continues, local fears remain high. Villagers are demanding permanent closure of the poultry farm, while workers worry about losing their livelihood.

With tensions rising, the administration faces the twin challenges of containing the disease and balancing public health with economic fallout.

Mayor inaugurates Geetashree Sandhya Mukherjee Stand



MI News Service, Kolkata: Mayor Firhad Hakim on Tuesday inaugurated a senior citizen stand in the name of legandary singer, Geetashree Sandhya Mukherjee at a park on

ward 93. The park is adjacent to the residence of Mukherjee. The Mayor also inaugurated a walking track for senior citizens at newly decorated Bangur Park at Lake Gar-

dens. Eminent personalities like Debashish Kumar(MLA & MIC), Debabrata Majumder (MLA) and others were present at the propitious occa-

MBBS, Dental Admission Process Put on Hold in West Bengal

MI News Service, Kolkata: The admission process for first-year MBBS and dental courses in West Bengal has been suspended indefinitely, according to a notification issued by the Directorate of Medical Education under the state

The notification only stated that admissions are being put on hold, without son or the duration of the dental programs, as the maintaining the flow of suspension. As a result, process was expected to trained professionals.

health department.

thousands of aspiring medical students and their families are left uncertain about the future course of

While there is speculation that the matter may be linked to reservationrelated issues, officials have not confirmed any details. The development has caused anxiety among students preparing for ad-

move forward in the coming weeks.

Student organizations have expressed concern that a prolonged delay could affect the academic calendar and disrupt the training schedule of future doctors. Experts also note that a hold on admissions may eventually impact the state's healthcare delivery, as timely intake of new

Anandapur missing case: Youth found dead



MI News Service, Kolkata: A mysterious disappearance has shocked Anandapur after a young man and woman went missing while learning to ride a scooter late Monday night. The incident has sparked speculation, suspicion of foul play, and an intensive police search operation.

According to police sources, the missing woman has been identified as RonitaBaidya (23). On Monday evening, she left home to practice riding a scooter. Accompanying her was her friend and trainer, Rohit Agarwal. Hours passed but Ronita failed to return home, raising alarm among her family members. Repeated calls to her phone went unan-

swered, further intensifying their worry. By late night, after frantic searches by relatives and neighbors, police discovered Ronita's scooter and mobile phone abandoned near a canal in Anandapur. This development turned the case into a serious missing persons investigation. Local residents claimed that there had

been an argument between Rohit and Ronita shortly before they went missing. Some even alleged that Rohit assaulted Ronita and pushed her into the canal. Acting on these suspicions, police deployed divers to search the water body.

The search operation led to a grim discovery: the lifeless body of Rohit Agarwal was recovered from the canal. However, there has been no trace of Ronita as of yet. Police and rescue teams continue their search in and around the area.

Investigators are now working on two possible angles. The first is that the incident might have been a tragic accident, with both losing control of the scooter and falling into the canal. The second, and more alarming, possibility is that foul play was involved, particularly in light of allegations from Ronita's family that she was attacked and deliberately thrown into the

Forensic experts have been called in, and police are awaiting the postmortem report of Rohit to determine the cause of death. Meanwhile, search operations for Ronita are ongoing, with divers scouring the canal and adjoining areas.

The mysterious circumstances have left the community unsettled, with locals anxiously waiting for answers. Police have assured that all possible angles—including accident, conflict, and criminal conspiracy—are being thoroughly examined before drawing any conclusions.

Cyber Cafés Under Watch as Fake **Voter Entries Raise Alarm in Bengal** MI News Service, Kolkata: The Election

Commission has begun a probe into fraudulent voter registrations in West Bengal, with cyber cafés now coming under close surveillance. A recent survey revealed that in several constituencies, multiple online applications were being approved within hours, leading to names being added to electoral rolls without proper verification.

Officials confirmed that in many such cases, neither supporting documents were submitted nor were field checks conducted by Booth Level Officers (BLOs). The unusually fast processing of these applications has raised suspicions of "ghost voters." After identifying negligence on the part of Electoral Registration Officers (EROs), the Commission has shifted focus to tracing who is filing these suspicious applications. Investigations so far indicate that a large number of submissions originated from cyber cafés

Acting on the Commission's recommendation, the Union Home Ministry has directed central intelligence agencies to monitor cyber cafés across the state. Sources say several cafés in Kolkata as well as in districts like North 24 Parganas, South 24 Parganas, and Hooghly are already under scrutiny. Senior officials of the Chief Electoral



Officer's office have reportedly met central intelligence teams to coordinate the monitoring process. The aim is to track the origin of fraudulent applications and prevent organized misuse of the online voter registration system.

Authorities stressed that while online applications are essential for voter accessibility, safeguards must be strengthened. Plans include stricter backend checks, tighter scrutiny of documents, and mandatory BLO verification before names are added to the list.

With elections approaching, the discovery of fake entries has sparked concerns over electoral credibility. The Commission has assured corrective action to ensure that only genuine voters remain on Bengal's rolls.

Kolkata Police Foil Drug Smuggling Bid, Two Arrested

MI News Service, Kolkata: In a major breakthrough against narcotics trafficking, Kolkata Police foiled an attempt to smuggle heroin into the city and arrested two persons late Monday night. Acting on a tip-off, officers of the Narcotics Cell laid a trap in the Hastings police station area and intercepted the accused along with a consignment of drugs.

According to sources, the accused were part of a larger network operating between districts and the state capital. Investigators revealed that the smugglers had planned to transport a large quan-tity of heroin from Palashi in Nadia district to Kolkata on a motorcycle. Based on intelligence inputs, plainclothes officers took positions near the post office gate outside SSKM Hospi-

tal on AJC Bose Road, where the suspects were expected to arrive.

At the designated spot, the police team intercepted a Bullet motorcycle and apprehended two men. On searching them in the presence of witnesses and under videography, officers recovered nearly 760 grams of heroin, three mobile phones, cash, and the motorcycle used for transportation.

The arrested individuals have been identified as ShubhankarPanja (35) and Sourav Pradhan alias 'Kasai' (20), both residents of the Parnasree area in Kolkata. Police officials believe that the duo was working as carriers for a wider smuggling racket and were attempting to supply the drugs to con-

tacts in the city.
Following the seizure,

Hastings police registered a case under various sections of the Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances (NDPS) Act. The two accused will be produced before a special NDPS court on Tuesday, where the police are expected to seek custody for further interrogation.

Senior officers said that the seizure is significant, given the purity and market value of the recovare now trying to trace the source of the consignment in Nadia and identify the intended recipients in Kolkata.

Officials added that Kolkata Police has intensified its operations against drug syndicates, with increased surveillance at entry points and coordination with district units to break the supply chain.

Tata AIA introduces Momentum 50



MI News Service, Kolkata: Tata AIA Life Insurance has introduced the Mo-50 mentum Index Fund, blending equity investments in high-growth sectors with life insurance protection. The New Fund Offer (NFO) is open from August 18 to 25, 2025, at INR 10 per unit. CIO HarshadPatil said the fund ofrules-based approach to tap India's equity momentum while safeguarding families' financial security.

Nine-Year-Old Survives Deadly Krait Bite After Being Rushed Across Four Hospitals MI News Service, Kolkata:

A nine-year-old boy from Bethuadahari in Nadia district had a miraculous escape after being bitten twice by a highly venomous snake, believed to be a krait measuring three-and-a-half feet. The child, identified as Aditya (name changed), survived after being taken to four different hospitals in quick succession before finally receiving lifesaving treatment at a private hospital in South

Kolkata. The incident occurred on Thursday night when the boy stepped outside his house to relieve himself. He suddenly felt a sharp pain in his foot, followed by difficulty in breathing and drooping eyelids. Family members initially rushed him to a local quack, who failed to diagnose the problem. He was then shifted to the subdivision hospital, followed by Krishnanagar hospital, and finally to Kolkata's Nil RatanSircar (NRS) Medical College.

Doctors at NRS soon realized his lungs were losing capacity and he urgently required pediatric ventilation. However, with no ventilator available at the time, the child was moved to a private hospital where doctors managed to stabilize him.

As per reports, the boy was showing signs of respiratory paralysis. We immediately put him on ventilation and administered anti-venom serum (AVS).

The sources further explained that the child had likely received AVS earlier, but the dosage was insufficient. Doctors confirmed this after noticing four fang marks on his toe, suggesting he had been bitten twice and injected with a large amount of venom.

Snake experts noted that of over 300 species found in India, around 50 are venomous, with kraits, cobras, Russell's vipers, and saw-scaled vipers causing the highest fatalities in Bengal. Krait venom contains neurotoxins that attack the nervous system, leading to respiratory failure if untreated.

Brings Heavy Rain Forecast for Bengal

ing NDA.

Deep Depression MI News Service, Kolkata: The depression over the Bay of Bengal has intensified into a deep depression, making landfall near Gopalpur in Odisha on Tuesday morning. According to the India Meteorological Department (IMD), the system is now positioned over south Odisha and south Chhattisgarh. It is expected to gradually weaken into a well-marked low-pressure area in the next 24 hours.

Even as it loses strength inland, the system will trigger significant rainfall activity across Bengal this week. The IMD has predicted light to moderate rain with thunderstorms and gusty winds across southern districts of the state, including Kolkata, Howrah, Hooghly, Nadia, North and South 24 Parganas, East and West Midnapore, Jhargram, and Bankura on Tuesday and Wednesday. Wind speeds may reach 30 to 40 kmph in some places.

From Thursday onwards, heavy rainfall activity is likely to intensify again, particularly over the coastal and western districts. The weather office has issued alerts for North and South 24 Parganas, East and West Midnapore, Jhargram, and Bankura, where heavy to very heavy showers may disrupt normal life through the week-

Name Change

I, (Old Name) SAMAULLAH MD S/o-MD IDRISH Residing at, Vill -Hatichhapa, Post-Daulatnagar, Ps-Harishchandrapur, Dist-Malda, Pin-732125, West Bengal. Do hearby declare that I have Changed my name from SAMAULLAH MD To MD SANAULLAH (New name) and hence forth I Shall be Known as (New name) MD SANAULLAH in all purpose Vide an affidavit Sworn before the notary public at Berha mpore Murshidabad On 13 Aug 2025, MD SANAULLAH and SAMAULLAH MD both are Same and one identical person.

Name Change

, Nitesh Kumar Patel S/o Vithal Da Patel Residing at 396/1, N.S.C Bose Road, P.o - Naktala, P.s - Netaji Nagar, District - Kolkata, Pin 700047, West Bengal India shall henceforth be known as Nitesh Patel. I declare that Nitesh Kumar Patel and Nitesh Patel is same and one identical person by virtue of an affidavit sworn before the Notary Public, Kolkata on 19-08-2025.

Name Change

I, Khetani Saritaben Ratilal Wo Nitesh Patel Residing at 396/1, N.S.C Bose Road, P.o - Naktala, P.s -Netaji Nagar, District - Kolkata, Pin - 700047, West Bengal India shall henceforth be known as Sarita Patel. I declare that Khetani Sarita-ben Ratilal and Sarita Patel is same and one identical person by virtue of an affidavit sworn before the Notary Public, Kolkata on 19-08-2025.

Name Change

Papiya Biswas W/o Arabinda Kumar Biswas Residing at 22A Deshbandhu Sarani, P.o - Konnagar, P.s - Uttarpara, District - Hooghly, Pin - 712235, West Bengal India shall henceforth be known as Papia Biswas. I declare that Papiya Biswas and Papia Biswas is same and one identical person by virtue of an affidavit sworn before the Notary Public, Kolkata on 19-08-2025.

Name Change

I, Arvind Biswas S/o Debendra Nath Residing at 22A Deshbandhu Sarani, P.o - Konnagar, P.s Uttarpara, District - Hooghly, Pin 712235, West Bengal India shall henceforth be known as Arabinda Kumar Biswas. I declare that Biswas and Arabinda Kumar Biswas is same and one identical person by virtue of an affidavit sworn before the Notary Pub lic, Kolkata on 19-08-2025.

Name Change

I, Phool Bibi wife of Iqbal Ahmed residing at 376/2, Sarat Chatterjee Road, Shibpur, Howrah-711103, do hereby solemnly affirm and de-clare that my actual name is Phool Bibi and Chandni Parveen is my daughter and Phool Bibi and Fool Bibi is the same and one identical person via affidavit in the Court of Ld 1st Class Executive Magistrate at Howrah dated 7th August 2025

Name Change

I, Md Ganir Uddin Molla (Old Name) S/o Achir Uddin Molla Residing at Ghuni Mollah Para, VTC Ghuni(CT), P.o - Ghuni, District North 24 Parganas, Pin - 700157 West Bengal, India have Changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Ganiruddin Molla (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public Kolkata vide affidavit no 008/2025 Dated 19-08-2025, Md Ganir Uddin Molla (Old Name) and Ganiruddin Molla (New Name) both are same and one identical person.

Name Change

I, Mosammat Murshida Begam, Wife of No. 1475553F Rank Ex Naik(Time Scale) Name Abu Kalam Mondal res ident of Vill.-Nutanhat, P.O.- Nutanhat, Dist.-Purba Bardhaman (WB). Pin- 713147 have change my Name & Date of birth from Mosammat Murshida Begam & 25 Dec 1976 to Mosammat Murshida Begum & 21 Mar 1977 vide Affidavit dated 12.08.2025 before the Court of Sub-Div. Executive Magistrate (1st Class) Katwa, Purba Bardhaman

Name Change

Rajat Roy S/o Late Adyanath Roy B/A 25 Ramchandra Pally PO Barisha, P.S - Haridevpur, Kolkata 700008 have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Rajat Kumar Roy as declared before the Court of the Ld. 1st Class Judicial Magistrate at Alipore South 24 - Parganas (WB) vide Af fidavit No. 52202 dated 05.09.2019. Rajat Roy and Rajat Kumar Roy

both are same and identical person.

NAME CHANGE I, Asraf Ali Baidya, s/o. Md. Azade Ali Baidya (in Aadhar Card, Pan Card & Voter Card) residing at Vill.- Dakshin Shasan, P.O.- Shikharbali, P.S.-Baruipur, Dist.-24 Pgs.(S),Pin-743367 W.B. declared that vide Affidavit No.6271 dtd. 18.08.2025 in the Ld. 1st Class Judicial Magistrate at Baruipur declared that my & my father's name vrongly recorded in educational certificate as Md. Asraf Ali Baidya, s/o. Md. Ajade Ali Baidya in place of Asraf Ali Baidya, s/o. Md. Azade Ali Baidya both are the same and one identical

NAME CHANGE

Name), s/o. Md. Yasin residing at 36/E. Aga Mehdi Street, Taltala. Kol-700016, W.B. have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Md. Jawaid Iqbal (New Name) as declared before the Notary Public at Sealdah Court, dated 19.08.2025. Mohammad Jawaid Iqbal (Old Name) & Md. Jawaid Iqbal (New Name) both are the same and one identical person.

Name Change

I, Anoyara Khatun, W/o- Sekh Samsur Joha, D/o- Anowar Sekh, residing at-Vill. - Bamunpukur, PO- Uchalan, PS-Khandaghosh, Dist. - Purba Bardhaman, PIN- 713427, do hereby declare that in my Father's PAN Card BKL PB2451G his name has been recorded as Sekh Anower Ali and in my WBBSE Admit Card his name has been recorded as Sek Anoyar Ali instead of actual name Anowar Sekh. On 11.08.2025 vide an affidavit no. 11062 before the Executive Magistrate, Arambagh, I affirm that Anowar Sekh, Sekh Anower Ali and Sk Anoyar Ali is the same and one identical person.

Name Change

I, Md Firoz Alam S/O Late Fakir Mohammad, delclare that my father said name Md Sajjad (old name) son of Late Ismail, residing at Ward No.4, Panchberia, Jami-dar Mohalla, P.O.- Inda, P.S.-Kharagpur Town, Dist.- Paschim Medinipur, Pin- 721305, West Bengal, India, I have changed my father name and he shall henceforth be known as Fakir Mohammad (new name), as declared Before The Notary Public at Kharagpur, vide an affidavit N/60, dated 23/07/2025. Fakir Mohammad (new name) and Md Sajjad (old name) both are same and one identical person (myfather).

Name Change

Manoj Biyani (old name) S/O Late Kamal Kumar Biyani, residing at PA-38, Narayantala West, P.O.-Deshbandhunagar, P.S.- Baguiati, Dist.- Bidhannagar, Pin- 700059, West Bengal, India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Manoj Kumar Biyani (new name), as declared before the notary public at Kolkata, vide an affidavit dated 19/08/2025. Manoj Kumar Biyani (new name) and Manoj Biyani (old name) both are same and identical person.

Name Change

Shiv Shanker Jaiswal (Old Name) Son Of Hari Das Sha,Residing At Merlin Regent,Flat-5b, 9, Sambhubabu Lane, Po & Ps- Entally. Kolkata-700014,West Bengal, Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Shiv Shankar Jaiswal (New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Notary Public At Kolkata On 19/08/20 25.Shiv Shanker Jaiswal And Shiv Shankar Jaiswal Both Are The Same And One Identical Person.

Name Change

Nandu Kumar Pal(Old Name), So Of Late Murahu Pal,Residing At 41 Pulin Khatick Road, Po&Ps-Tangra Kolkata - 700015,West Bengal, Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Nandu Pal (New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Notary Public At Kolkata On 19/08/2025. Nandu Kumar Pal And Nandu Pal Both Are The Same And One Identical Person

Name Change

(Old Name) ISMAIL SK S/o- A RA-HAMAN SEKH Residing at, Vill Hajipara, Post- Hatinagar, Ps-Berhampore, Dist- Murshidabad, Pin- 742101, West Bengal. Do hearby declare that I have Changed my name from ISMAIL SK To IS-MAIL SEKH (New name) and hence forth I Shall be Known as (New name) ISMAIL SEKH in all purpose Vide an affidavit Sworn before the notary public at Berham re Murshidabad On 13 Aug 2025 ISMAIL SEKH and ISMAIL SK both are Same and one identical person.

Name Change

(Old Name) RUMIA BIBI W/o- MD SHARAFUL HUDA Residing at, Vill Mirzapur Hazipara, Post-Mirza-pur, Ps- Beldanga, Dist- Murshid-abad, Pin- 742190, West Bengal. Do hearby declare that I have Changed my name from RUMIA BIBI To MST RUMIA SULTANA (New name) and hence forth I Shall be Known as New name) MST RUMIA SULTANA in all purpose Vide an affidavit Sworn before the notary public at Berhampore Murshidabad On 13 Aug 2025, MST RUMIA SULTANA and RUMIA BIBI both are Same and one identical person.

Name Change

(Old Name) SK ABDUL RAFI S/o ABDUR RAKIB Residing at, Vill - Birammandir coloni, Post- Labpur, Ps-Labpur, Dist- Birbhum, Pin- 731303, West Bengal. Do hearby declare that I have Changed my name from SK ABDUL RAFI To ABDUL RAFI New name) and hence forth I Shall Known as (New name) ABDUL RAFI in all purpose Vide an affidavit Sworn before the notary public at Berhampore Murshidabad On 13 2025, ABDUL RAFI and SK ABDUL RAFI both are Same and

Name Change

(Old Name) MD RABBUL ALI S/o-SATTAR Residing at, Vill - Chandi-tala, Post- Dakshin Alinagar, Ps-Gazole, Dist- Malda, Pin- 732102, West Bengal. Do hearby declare that I have Changed my name from MD RABBUL ALI TO RABBUL MD RABBUL ALI TO RABBUL SEKH (New name) and hence forth Shall be Known as (New name) RABBUL SEKH in all purpose Vide an affidavit Sworn before the notary public at Berhampore Mur-shidabad On 13 Aug 2025, RABBUI SEKH and MD RABBUL ALI both are Same and one identical person.

Name Change

Rajdeb Paswan (old name) son of ate Ram Prasad Paswan, residing at 25/B, CHRISTOPHER ROAD, OPP EXCISE BUILDING . WEST BENGAL PIN- 700046, West Bengal, India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Raj Deb Paswan (new name), as declared Before The Notary Public at Kolkata vide an affidavit dated 19/08/2025 Raj Deb Paswan (new name) and Raideb Paswan (old name) both are same and one identical person.

Name Change

Taimira Bibi, my daughter's Birth Certificate Reg. No. BHT/DH/ 1213 Reg. Dt. 21.3.16 my name have been written Tajmira Khatun Bibi, vide affidavit I affirmed before the Judicial Magistrate Court Basirhat dt 13.8.25 that Tajmira Bibi, Tajmira Khatun Bibi same &

Name Change

MD ASLAM S/O, Late Md Jan esidence of 17/11 Topsia Road. Post Office: Tiljala, Police Station Tiljala, Kolkata - 700039, Vide an affidavit (no. 67733) before the Learned Judicial Magistrate 1st Class at Alipore on 03.10.2019 that Md aslam.Mohammed aslam and Muhammad Aslam are the same and one identical person.

Name Change

Zaheda Mahmood Shees (old ame) W/O Late Sk. Md. Shees Zakaria, residing at 7A, Circus Market Place, Flat no. 8, Kolkata-700017, West Bengal, India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Zaheda Mahmood (new name), as de-clared before the notary public at Kolkata, vide an affidavit dated 19/08/2025. Zaheda Mahmood (new name) and Zaheda Mah-mood Shees (old name) both are same and identical person.

Name Change

I, Asis Kumar Mukherjee & Ashish Mukherjee (old name) S/O Prafulla Kumar Mukherjee, residing at 7/12, Olabibitala 1st Bye Lane, P.O.-Santragachi, P.S.- Chatterjee Hat, Howrah- 711104, West Bengal, India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Asis Mukherjee (new name), as declared before the notary public at Kolkata, vide an affidavit dated 19/08/2025. Asis Mukherjee (new name) and Asis Kumar Mukherjee & Ashish Mukherjee (old name) both are same and identical person.

Name Change

Farhad Khan (Old Name),Son O Yakub Khan Residing At. I 181, Paharpur Road, Garden Reach, Kolkata- 700024,West Bengal, Have Changed My Name And Shall Hence-forth Be Known As Md Farhad Khan(New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Notary Public At Kolkata On 18/08/2025. Farhad Khan And Md Farhad Khan Both Are The Same And One Identical Person.

Name Change

Mohammed Shakir Alam & Md Shaker Alam(Old Name).Son Of Late Shamsher Alam, Residing At 97/4.Topsia Road.Tiliala, Kolkata-700039,West Bengal,Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Md Shakir Alam(New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Notary Public At Kolkata On 18/08/2025.Mohammed Shakir Alam & Md Shaker Alam And Md Shakir Alam Both Are The Same And One Identical Person.

Name Change

Shabnam Sultana D/O Late Md Nizamuddin, declare that my father said name Nizamuddin (old name) residing at Z-3 238/18 1D, Bagdi Para Road, P.S.- Nadial, Kolkata-700044, West Bengal, India, I have changed my father name and he shall henceforth be known as Md Nizamuddin (new name), as de-clared Before The Notary Public at Kolkata, vide an affidavit dated 19/08/2025. Md Nizamuddin (new name) and Nizamuddin (old name) both are same and one identical person (myfather).

Name Change

Pars Kumar Golchha (old name son of Late Kaushal Chand Golchha, residing at Rukmani Parasmani, Flat No-7PC 92/1B, Moulana Abul Kalam, Azad Sarani, Kolkata- 700054, West Bengal, India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be nown as Parash Golchha (new name), as declared Before The Notary Public at Kolkata, vide an af-fidavit dated 18/08/2025. Parash Golchha (new name) and Pars Kumar Golchha (old name) both are same and one identical person.

Name Change

I. Mohammed Gazanfar (old name) Ward No.5, Debalpur, Kalkati, P.O. & P.S.- Kharagpur Town, Dist.-Paschim Medinipur, Pin- 721301 West Bengal, India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be nown as Md Gazanfarullah (new name), as declared Before The Noary Public at Kharagpur, vide an affidavit N/23, dated 04/06/2025, Md Gazanfarullah (new name) and Monammed Gazanfar (old name) both are same and one identical person.

Name Change

l, Shaymal Kumar Brahma & Shayamal Kr Brahma (old names) Sidy Madhusudan Brahma, residing at Sreebhumi Ichapur, Nawabganj, North 24 Pgs, Pin- 743144, West Bengal, India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Shyamal Kumar Brahma new name), as declared before the notary public at Kolkata, vide an affidavit no dated 19/08/2025. Shyamal Kumar Brahma (new name) and Shavmal Kumar Brahma & Shayamal Kr Brahma (old names) all are same and identical person.

Name Change

Ankita Das (old name) wife o Sayak Das, residing at 131/1/2, Becharam Chatterjee Road, Behala, Kolkata- 700034, West Bengal, India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Ankita Bhowmick (new name), as declared Before The Notary Public at Kolkata vide an affidavit dated 18/08/2025. Ankita Bhowmick (new name) and Ankita Das (old name) both are ame and one identical person.

Name Change

Suvamaya Ghosh (old name) son of Dinabandhu Ghosh, residing at 4, Eden Park Lane, Manushpur, Hooghly- 712123, West Bengal, India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Suvamoy Ghosh (new name), as declared Before The Notary Public at Kolkata vide an affidavit dated 18/08/2025 Suvamoy Ghosh (new name) and Suvamaya Ghosh (old name) both are same and one identical person.

Name Change

JALALUDDIN (Old Name) S/O.-LATE SK DARBARI, Residing at VILL- MUKUNDAPUR, PO.- SAGAR ESWAR, PS.- RAMNAGAR, EAST MEDINIPUR, Pin- 721446, West Bengal, INDIA, have changed my name (shall henceforth be known as) SK JALALUDDIN (New Name) vide ar affidavit sworn before Notary public at Kolkata on 19/08/ 2025. SK JALALUDDIN (New Name) and JALALUDDIN (Old Name) both are same identical person.

Name Change

I, Shaikh Akram Hossain(Old Name),Son Of Jainal Abedin,Residing At Chandrapur, Saltighat, Guzarpur, Amta, Howrah-711401, West Bengal, Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Sk Akram Hossain(New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Notary Public At Kolkata On 18/08/2025.Shaikh Akram Hossain And Sk Akram Hossain Both Are The Same And One Identical Person.

Name Change

I, Umbyahoone Mondal (Ol-Name),Wife Of Hasem Mandal,Re siding At Fulbagicha, Banerjee Chak, Jaynagar South 24 Pgs-743337, West Bengal. Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Umbyahani Mandal(New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Notary Public At Kolkata On 18/08/2025. Úmbyahoone Mondal And Umbyahani Mandal Both Are The Same And One Identical Person.

Name Change

Hasem Mondal(Old Name), So Of Mannan Mondal,Residing At Fulbagicha,Banerjee Chak,Jayna-gar South 24 Pgs-743337, West Bengal, Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Hasem Mandal(New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Notary Public At Kolkata On 18/08 /2025. Hasem Mondal And Hasem Mandal Both Are The Same And One Identical Person.

Name Change

Arun Kr Sen (Old Name), Son Of I, Artin Kr Sen (Old Name), Son Ol Haripada Sen, Residing At Vill-Shyamganj Para, Po & Ps-Kalna, Purba Bardnaman, 713409, West Bengal, Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Arun Sen (New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Notary Public At Kolkata On 19/08/2025. Arun Kr Sen And Arun Sen Both Are The Same And One Identical Person.

Name Change

Suklal Roy (old name) S/O Late Ganesh Roy, residing at Vill. & P.O.-Tangra Colony, P.S.-Bongaon, Dist. North 24 Parganas, Pin- 743251, West Bengal, India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Sukhlal Roy (new name). as declared before the Ld. A C J M 1st Class Judicial Magistrate at Bongaon, vide an affidavit no 7395, dated 21/07/2025. Sukhlal Roy (new name) and Suklal Roy (old name) both are same and identical person.

Name Change

Ali Shaikh Abdur Bazzak (old name) S/O Late Abdur Rashid, residing at Ekdil Shah Road, Karigar Para, P.O.- Kazipara, Barasat-1, North 24 Pgs, Pin- 700125, West Bengal, India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Abdur Razzak (new name), as declared before the Ld. 1st Class Judicial Magistrate at Barasat, vide an affidavit no 5285, dated 31/07/2025. Abdur Razzak (new name) and Ali Shaikh Abdur Razzak (old name) both are same and identical person.

Name Change

Balai Ghosh (old name) S/O Late Aswini Ghosh, residing at Vill- Srinagar, P.O.- Bangalijhi, P.S.- Chapra, Dist.- Nadia, Pin- 741123, West Bengal, India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Balai Chand Ghosh (new name), as declared before the notary public at Kolkata, vide an affidavit dated name) and Balai Ghosh (old name) both are same and identical person.

Name Change

I, Jainal (Old Name), Son Of Sor-man Ali Khandekar ,Residing At Alasin,Po-Dabra,Ps-Pandua, Hoo thly -712152, West Bengal, Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Jaynal Abedin Khandekar(New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Notary Public At Kolkata On 19/08/ 2025. Jainal And Jaynal Abedin Khandekar Both Are The Same And One Identical Person.

Name Change

I, Jalal Uddin (Old Name), Son Of Jaynal Abedin Khandekar,Residing At Alasin, Po-Dabra, Ps-Pandua Hooghly-712152, West Bengal Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Jalal Jddin Khandekar(New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Noary Public At Kolkata On 19/08/ 2025. Jalal Uddin And Jalal Uddin Khandekar Both Are The Same And One Identical Person.

Name Change

I,Chhupiya Molla (Old Name) W/O Aptar Molla,Residing At Vill-Rajbari .Ps-Nazat, Dist-24 Parganas (North). Pin-743329, West Bengal, India. Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Chhupiya Bibi(New Name) As Declared Before The Notary Public At Kolkata Dated 12/08/2025. Chhupiya Molla(Old Name) And Chhupiya Bibi(New Name) Both Are Same And One

Name Change

Anowara Bibi Molla (Old Name W/O Liakat Ali Molla, Residing At Bownia Abad, Ps-Nazat, Dist-24 Parganas (North), Pin-743442, West Bengal, India.Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Anowara Bibi(New Name) As Declared Before The Notary Public At Kolkata Dated 12/08/ 2025. Aniwara Bibi Molla(Old Name) And Anowara Bibi(New Name) Both Are Same And One Identical Person.

Name Change

Parimal Majumdar(Old Name) on Of Late Chandramohon Majumdar, Residing At 2 No Chitnayabad (Pubalee),Po Panchasayer, Kolkata 700094, West Bengal, Have Changed Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Parimal Majumder (New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Notary Public At Kolkata On 18/08/2025. Parimal Majumdar And Parimal Majumder Both Are The Same And One Identical Person.

Mahalaya deadline for Bengali signboards

MI News Service, Siliguri: Siliguri mayor Gautam Deb set a deadline of September 21 this year for business and other establishments located across the city to put up display boards in Bengali. Mahalaya falls on September 21 this year. "People from different communities have been living in Siliguri for vears.

We respect every language, but as Bengali is the official language of our state, we want all establishments in the city to put display boards in Bengali, along with other languages by September 21," said Deb. He was speaking at a meeting held with trade bodies and associations at the Ramkinkar Hall in Dinabandhu Mancha. "I must

Name Change

Akshay Aggarwal (old name), so of Ashok Kumar Agarwal, residing at Windsor Palace, Block-D, Flat No. 304, 6A, Iron Side Road, Ballygunge, Kolkata- 700019, West Bengal India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Ak-shay Agarwal (new name), as declared Before The 1st Class Judicial Magistrate, CJMS Court at Kolkata West Bengal, vide an affidavit No 09AC 572186 dated 08/07/2025. Akshay Agarwal (new name) and Ak-shay Aggarwal (old name) both are same and one identical person.

Name Change

Madhu Aggarwal (old name), wife of Ashok Kumar Agarwal, residing at Windsor Palace, Block-D, Flat No. 304, 6A, Iron Side Road, Bally-gunge, Kolkata-700019, West Ben-gal, India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Madhu Agarwal (new name), as declared Before The 1st Class Judicial Magistrate, CJMS Court at Kolkata, West Bengal, vide an affidavit No 09AC 573978 dated 08/07/2025 Madhu Agarwal (new name) and Madhu Aggarwal (old name) both are same and one identical person.

Name Change . Md Mohim Mondal(Old Name), Son Of Badal,Residing At Vill&Po-Lauhati,Ps-Rajarhat, North 24 Parganas,700135,West Bengal, Have Changed My Name And Shall Hence-forth Be Known As Mahim Monda (New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Notary Public At Kolkata On 13/08/2025. Md Mohim Mondal And Mahim Mondal Both Are The Same And One Identical Person

Name Change

AHAMAD ALI KHAN (old name S/O IBRAHIM MONDAL, residing at HADIPUR,PS-DEGANGA, NORTH 24 PGS-743424, West Bengal, India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as AHAMAD ALI MONDAL (new name), as declared before the notary public at Kolkata, vide an affivit dated 19/08/2025. AHAMAI ALI MONDAL (new name) and AHAMAD ALI KHAN (old name) both are same and identical person.

Name Change

MOHAMMAD SAIFUL ISLAM 8 MD SAIFUL ISLAM (old name) S/O AHAMAD ALI MONDAL, residing at HADIPUR, PS-DEGANGA, NORTH 24 PGS-743424, West Bengal India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as SAI FUL ISLAM MONDAL (new name) as declared before the notary pub lic at Kolkata, vide an affidavit dated 19/08/2025. SAIFUL ISLAM MONDAL (new name) and MO HAMMAD SAIFUL ISLAM & MD SAIFUL ISLAM (old name) both are same and identical person.

Name Change

Ashok Aggarwal (old name), son of Late Sita Ram Agarwal, residing at Windsor Palace, Block-D, Flat No. 304, 6A, Iron Side Road, Ballygunge, Kolkata- 700019, West Ben gal. India, have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Ashok Kumar Agarwal (new name), as declared Before The 1st Class Judicial Magistrate, CJMS Court at Kolkata, West Bengal, vide an affidavit No. 09AC 572185 dated 08/07/2025. Ashok Kumar Agarwal (new name) and Ashok Aggarwal (old name) both are same and one identical person.

Name Change

I,Tapan Chatterjee (Old Name As Dl No Wb20 19920166551),Son Of Late B Chatterjee, Residing At 35j Cn Roy Road,Ps - Tiljala, Kolkata - 700039 West Bengal, Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Sourendra Nath Chatter-jee (New Name) Son Of Late Debendra Nath Chatterjee (New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Ld 1st Class Judicial Magistrate At Alipore On 18/08/2025.Tapan Chatterjee (Old Name As Dl No Wb20 19920166551),Son Of Late B Chaterjee And Sourendra Nath Chatter (New Name) Son Of Late Debendra Nath Chatterjee (New Name) All Are The Same And On Identical Person.

Name Change

Samina Begum (Old Name), Wife Of Sk Amin Hossain, Residing At sbagola, Purba Medinipur, 72 447, West Bengal, Have Changed My Name And Shall Henceforth Be Known As Samina Khatun Begam New Name) Vide An Affidavit Sworn Before The Ld 1st Class Judicial Magistrate At Egra On 14/08/ 2025.Samina Begum And Samina Khatun Begam Both Are The Same And One Identical Person.

different organisations who attended the meeting here, spontaneously supported the cause and stood by the civic body's appeal to them," the mayor added. The decision to put up display boards in Bengali was taken at a meeting of the members, mayor-in-council of the Siliguri Municipal Corporation (SMC) on March 29. In April, it was approved in

the monthly board of councillors' meeting of the SMC. "At the meeting, it was decided to implement the order by June this year. However, representatives of the trade bodies requested the mayor to extend the date, which made him fix the new deadline of Mahalaya," said a source. **Regulation of trains**

for Development **Work over Northeast** Frontier Railway

MI News Service, Kolkata: Due to Pre Non-Interlocking /Non- Interlocking work in connection with development work at New Jalpaiguri Station over North East Frontier Railway upto 20.08.2025, following arrangements in train running have been made as under: Cancellation:

• 15710/15709 New Jalpaiguri – Malda Town New Jalpaiguri (journey commencing on 20.08.2025) will remain cancelled.

Moreover, 12042 New Jalpaiguri – Howrah Shatabdi Express (journey commencing on 20.08.2025) will be short originated from Kishanganj.

Thrust in Mutual fund business in Kolkata

MI News Service, Kolkata:

Mutual fund gross sales in the city have jumped 39% in a year. Most of this investment has come from the retail sector. During the same period, SIP growth stood at 53%. Kolkata is 5th in the country in terms of mutual fund investments. The top three cities are Mumbai, New Delhi and Bengaluru. In the mean time, Quantum Mutual Fund has announced the opening of its new Business Centre in Kolkata. This marks a significant step in the company's expansion strategy to strengthen its distribution network and enhance its presence in Eastern India. Seemant Shukla, CEO -Ouantum Mutual Fund. said, "Kolkata is a critical market for us, offering immense growth potential." As per the Association of Mutual Funds in India (AMFI) data, gross sales have increased from 32,918 in FY 2023-24 to 45,753 in FY 2024-25 in Kolkata. Net sales saw 141% growth as it increased to 18,528 in 2024-25 from 7,686 in the previous fiscal. According to experts, Bengal emerged as a key contributor to the MF movement.

EPFO to identify **PF** defaulters

MI News Service, Darjee-

ling: The Siliguri regional office of the Employees' Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO) under the Union ministry of labour and employment will inspect the tea estates of the Terai and Darjeeling brew belts in August.The inspections aim to verify if the estate owners are regularly depositing provident funds of their employees and workers with the EPFO. "Next month, we will inspect the tea estates located in the hills and the Terai to check whether PF accounts of the workers are maintained properly, said Shailendra Nath Jha, regional provident commissioner

Siliguri.

Successful Minimally Invasive Cardiac Surgery for Complex Congenital Heart Disease at B.R. Singh Hospital



MI News Service, Kolkata: In a significant achievement. the Cardiology and Cardiothoracic Surgery team at B.R. Singh Hospital (BRSH), Eastern Railway, successfully performed a Minimally Invasive Cardiac Surgery (MICS) on a 17-year-old girl suffering from a rare congenital heart defect — Atrial Septal Defect (Sinus Venosus type) with Partial Anomalous Pulmonary Venous Connection (PAPVC). The patient had been experiencing recurrent chest discompalpitations, and breathle ssness for almost a year. Despite several consultations elsewhere, her condition remained undia gnosed until she visited the Cardiology OPD at BRSH. Routine tests appeared normal, but based on clinical suspicion, esophageal Echocardiography (TEE) was advised, which confirmed the diag-

nosis of ASD with PAPVO a condition where oxvgenated and deoxygenated blood mix abnormally inside the heart. Considering her age and gender, the surgical team led by Dr. Rashid, CTVS Surgeon, opted for a minimally invasive approach instead of conventional open-heart surgery. The procedure was carried out through a small 3-4 inch incision below the right chest, ensuring minimal scarring, quicker recovery, and better cosmetic results. The surgery was a complete success, and the patient was discharged in stable condition. Her family expressed gratitude to the medical team for their expertise and dedication. This milestone reaffirms BRSH's commitment to advanced, patientcentric cardiac care by combining clinical excellence with modern surgical techniques.

Howrah Division Launches Vigilance Awareness Campaign to Promote Transparency & Integrity



MI News Service, Howrah: Howrah Division of Eastern Railway launched a Vigilance Awareness Campaign on 18th August 2025, which will continue till 17th November 2025. The campaign aims to promote transparency, accountability, and integrity among railway officials and staff, while also sensitizing them to the importance of ethical practices in public service.

The inaugural event was marked by an inspiring address from the Divisional Railway Manager, Howrah, who motivated the gathering by emphasizing the crucial role of honesty and vigilance in strengthening the trust of the people in the railways. The DRM urged all employees to remain committed to the values of fairness, transparency, and dedication in their work. The program also featured key addresses by

senior officials, including the Additional Divisional Railway Manager (Admin), Senior Divisional Personnel Officer, Senior Divisional Mechanica Engineer (Loco), and Senior Divisional Mechanical Engineer (Freight & EnHM). Each of them highlighted different aspects of vigilance, ranging from maintaining ethical conduct in day-to-day operations to ensuring efficiency, safety, and sustainable practices in railway functioning. Through this initiative, Howrah Division reaffirms its commitment to creating a corruption-free environment while ensuring better service delivery to passengers. The campaign will include awareness programs, workshops, and interactive sessions over the coming months to spread the message of integrity and responsible governance across all levels of the division.

37th All India Railway Chess Championship kicks off at Eastern Railway Sports Complex, Majerhat



MI News Service, Kolkata: The 37th All India Chess Championship started today (19.8.2025) at Eastern Railway Sports Complex/Majerhat. This year 16 Railway Teams are participating with total of 127 players. This tournament will continue for 07 days i.e. from 19th August to 25th August 2025. The tournament is conducted both at team level and individual level and 12 Nos. of Grand Masters and 17 No. of International Masters are participating in the tournament.

Heavy rain kills 6 in Maharashtra

MI News Service, Mumbai: Six people have died and hundreds displaced in the last couple of days as heavy rains lashed several districts of Maharashtra, causing floods, landslides, and widespread damage to crops, officials said.

Chief Minister Devendra Fadnavis, after reviewing the flood situation with the disaster management department, cautioned that the next 48 hours would be critical for Mumbai, Thane, Raigad, Ratnagiri and Sindhudurg districts.

"The administration is closely monitoring the situation, ensuring evacuation of citizens from low-lying areas and coordinating rescue operations," an official from the disaster management control room said.

NDRF, and the Army have been deployed in vulnerable Marathwada and Vidarbha,

areas, and more than 290 people have been rescued from flood-hit villages in

Nanded district. According to the India Meteorological Department (IMD), torrential rains were triggered by a low-pressure area over the Bay of Bengal and the strengthening of monsoon winds.

'The system has activated a trough extending from north Konkan to Kerala. This has triggered very heavy to extremely heavy rains over Konkan, central Maharashtra and the ghats, while the rest of the state is witnessing moderate showers," said S D Sanap, senior scientist at IMD Pune.

The IMD has forecast intense rainfall over Konkan, including Mumbai, and parts of central Maharashtra for Rescue teams of the SDRF, the next two days. An orange alert has been sounded in

E-auction Notice for Minor units contracts over Kharagpur Division. E-Auction notice No : KGP/Catg-MPS /2025 Date: 18.08.2025 For and on behalf of the President, Union of India, the Senior Divisional Commercial Manager, Kharagpur Division, South Eastern Railway are as follows : ● E-auction catalogue for Provision of Catering units at Jhargram (1 No.), Shalimar (1 No.), Birshibpur (1 No.), Mourigram (1 No.), Santragachi (1 No.), Mecheda (1 No.), Soro (1 No.) and Uluberia (1 No.) Railway Station over Kharagpur division for a period of 05 (five) years vide Catalogue No: CATG-KGP-25-12, Auction Date: 01.09.2025, Auction start/close time 11:00 & 12:40 hrs. respectively. • E-auction catalogue for Provision of MPS units at Kharagpur (1 No.) and Shalimar (7 Nos.) Railway station over Kharagpur Division for a period of 05 (five) years vide Catalogue No: KGP-MPS-25-08, Auction Date: 02.09.2025, Auction start/close time 11:00 & 12:40 hrs. respectively. which are notified in the https://www.ireps.gov.in/website Agency/Catering Contractor to take note of this and go through the website as mentioned above for details and related information about the e-Auction notice. For enquiries/clarifications if any, please contact office of the undersigned.

Sr. Divisional Commercial Manager/Kharagpur South Eastern Railway
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Tender Notice No.: ENGG-06/25-26 (OPEN), Dated: 14.08.2025

e-Tenders are invited by Chief Works Manager/Eastern Railway/ Kanchrapara Workshop, Pin-743145, 24-North Parganas, West Benga through website https://gem.gov.in from reputed Contractors with sufficient experience and financial capability who have executed similar nature of work in the past preferably with Railway/CPWD/PWD/MES/ Irrigation or any other public sector undertakings for the following work: Tender No.: GeM/2025/B/6574346. Description of works: Hiring of one non-AC commercial SUV vehicle for the use of Engineering Department viz. TATA Sumo/Bolero/Scorpio or equivalent for 03 (three) years on daily hire basis, covering a distance of 1500 x 320 hr. per month through GeM open tender process. Tender Value: ₹ 14,03,634.96. Cost of tender document (non-refundable): Nil. Earnest Money/Bid Security*: ₹ 28,100. Completion period ending on from the date of issuance of PO: 36 months. Date & time of opening of tender: 25.08.2025. *The Railway Board. vide L.No.-2020/CE-1/CT/3E/GCC/POLICY, DT-30.12.2020 had instructed not to take any EMD for any works tender upto 31.12.2021. But, as there is no such further instruction till date, hence, the EMD system is returned back. The scope of work is indicative only. However, detail can be viewed at Indian Railway e-tendering site (GeM) i.e. https://gem.gov.in. Advertisement period: Time during which all information pertaining to tender shall be available but offers cannot be submitted. Tender will be closed on 25.08.2025 at 14.00 hrs. and tender will be opened on same date at any time after 14.30 hrs. as per availability of opening personnel and net accessibility. (MISC-169/2025-26)

Tender Notices are also available at website: www.er.indianrailways.gov.in/www.ireps.gov.in Follow us at: **⊠**@EasternRailway **♀**easternrailwayheadquarter

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E-Tender Notice No.: NIT/02/25/53, Dated: 18.08.2025. The Principal Chief Materials Manager, Eastern Railway, 17, Netaji Subhas Road, 2nd Floor, Fairlie Place, Kolkata -700001 invites e-tenders for supply of the following items: SI.No.: Tender No.: Description: Tender Cost: EMD & Tender Opening Date & Time are as follows: 1; 10252468; Wind Screen Wiper Assembly; ₹ 0; ₹ 2,18,910 & 11.09.2025 at 13.30 hrs. 2; 15235115E; Supply, installation and commissioning of Electrical Heat Treatment Furnace (Stress Relieving) Capacity-6 Ton; ₹ 0; ₹ 2,36,540 & 08.09.2025 at 13.30 hrs. 3; 21255013; Upgraded High Tensile Centre Buffer Coupler etc.; ₹ 0; ₹ 50,00,000 & 10.10.2025 at 13.30 hrs. 4: 11251811; Procurement of Double Acting Hydraulic Shock etc.; ₹ 0; ₹ 8,28,760 & 09.09.2025 at 13.30 hrs. 5; 11252654A; Set of Bio Tank Mounting Brackets etc.: ₹ 0: ₹ 3.43.100 & 11.09.2025 at 13.30 hrs. 6: 20252182; Levelling Valve for Air Spring Suspension of EMU coaches to RDSO Specn. C-K-407. Rev.-04 of March'2023: ₹ 0: ₹ 4.55.270 8 04.09.2025 at 13.30 hrs. 7; 20251093; Installation Lever for Air Suspension System of EMU Coaches; ₹ 0 & ₹ 2,12,140. 8; 20252119; Commutator Assembly for TM Armature Type 4601 AZ of BHEL EMU; ₹ 0; ₹ 14,30,910 & 08.09.2025 at 13.30 hrs. (for Sl.No. 7 & 8 each). 9; 20253031A; Set of Armature Power and Equalier Coils for TM type 4303 DY as per KPA Drg. No. TM.2HE.755 and TM.3HE.2444; ₹ 0; ₹ 2,18,060 & 04.09.2025 at 13.30 hrs. 10; 14251001; Procurement of Micro Controller Logic Card (MLB 1 = 50% & MLB-2 = 50%) Single Section Digital type Axle Counter SSDAC as per RDSO/SPN/177/2012 Ver.3 (latest version & amendmen up to date if any), Suitable for Central Electronics Ltd Make: SSDAC, Phase Reversal Type etc.; ₹ 0 & ₹ 1,85,100. 11; 14251036; Procurement of Relay, Plug in Type, Style "AC-LED" All Aspects, AC Lamp Proving Relay Unit with in-Built Current Transformer Type, Slow Release Neutral Line Relay, 4F, 4B, Contacts, Front and Back Contacts, Metal to Carbon shall be suitable for working in series with the 110 Volt AC, LED Signa Lamp Rated at 15 Watt Conforming to RDSO Spec. No. STS/E/Relays/AC LIT LED Signal/09-2002, Amdt1 BRS: 941A, IRS: S-34 and IRS: S-23 (as applicable). The Interlocking Code for this unit shall be ABDHK etc. ₹ 0 & ₹ 1,39,860. 12; 14251043; Procurement of Relay, non-AC immune plug-in-type, style "QN1" DC Neutral Line, 24V, 8F/8B contacts, front and back contacts metal to carbon complete with plug board, retaining clip and connectors conforming to BRS-930, IRS-S-34 & IRS-S-23 (Amdt. upto date as applicable). The interlocking code for this unit shall be ABCDF etc.; ₹ 0; ₹ 1,25,740 & 03.09.2025 at 13.30 hrs. (for Sl.No. 10 to 12 each). 13: 21251411: Lock bolt pin 7/8 (22.2 mm) dia. etc.: ₹ 0: ₹ 10.01.500 & 10.09.2025 at 13.30 hrs. 14; 08251694A; Procurement of Disconnecting & Earthing Device, 8 pole 2 way etc.; ₹ 0; ₹ 1,06,840 & 03.09.2025 at 13.30 hrs. 15: 15255079: Supply, installation and commissioning of CNC under Floor Wheel Lathe Machine (BG); ₹ 0; ₹ 16,15,960 & 08.09.2025 at 13.30 hrs. 16; 20251082; Yoke for Schaku Coupler of EMU coaches; ₹0; ₹3,55,530 & 17.09.2025 at 13.30 hrs. 17; 22251316A; Inj. Emicizumab 60 mg/vial; ₹ 0; ₹ 0 & 01.09.2025 at 13.30 hrs. Corrigendums: Please visit www.ireps.gov.in for corrigendums issued to following tenders: 21251381A due on 01.09.2025; 21251208 due on 10.09.2025. Note: All above mentioned tenders are e-tenders and all tenderers are requested to submit their bids on-line through the IREPS website at https://www.ireps.gov.in. For more details regarding the above mentioned tenders and other supply tenders please visit IREPS website.

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which is expected to ease to yellow later this week.

Deputy Chief Minister Ajit Pawar said nearly 10 lakh hectares of farmland have been submerged. "The damage assessment will commence once the rains subside," he told reporters.

In Gadchiroli, over 50 villages in Bhamragad taluka were cut off after the Perlkota River overflowed, while a 19-year-old youth from Kodpe village was swept away in a swollen stream.

In Washim district, major rivers have been in spate for four consecutive days, damaging thousands of hectares of kharif crops.

In western Maharashtra, the Radhanagari dam in Kolhapur released 11,500 cusecs into the Bhogavati River, causing the Panchganga to flow above danger levels for the fifth time this season. Landslides disrupted traffic on the Kolhapur-Ratndischarge from the Chandoli a holiday for schools and

colleges, while connectivity

was disrupted in Mahad and

Nagothane due to landslides

and road flooding.

Meanwhile, in Thane dis-

trict alone, at least 20 people

have died in rain-related in-

cidents since May, according

to Sandeep Mane, Resident

Deputy Collector and CEO

of the District Disaster Man-

বিজ্ঞপ্তি

আমার মক্কেলগন নিমাই নস্কর, ভূবন নস্কর, উভঃ পিতা-

পঞ্চানন নস্কর, ২০২৫ সালে ডোমজুড় A.D.S.R. অফিসে

রেজিস্ট্রিকৃত ২৮৮২ নং দলিল দ্বারা ঝর্না সর্দ্ধার, সুজাতা

মণ্ডল, সুলতা হালদার ইহাদের পক্ষে ২০০১ সালে ০৪নং

বহির ৪৭ নং (ডোমজুড় A.D.S.R. অফিস) আমমোক্তার

্রিসেনজিৎ সন্ধার) দলিল দ্বারা মৌজা- লক্ষণপুর,

হাল ৪২৩ নং খতিয়ান, সাবেক ও হাল- ৬৯৭ নং দাগে ১৬

শ্রুক সম্পুত্তি ক্রয় করিয়া নাম পরিকর্ণনের আবেদন করেন।

উক্ত বিষয়ে কাহারও কোন আপত্তি থাকিলে বিজ্ঞপ্তি প্রকাশের

মাসের মধ্যে ভোমজুড় B.L.&.L.R.O., অফিসে

of the meeting dated 13th August, 2025.

"These fatalities were due

agement Authority.

alerts downstream. The Koyna dam also began a controlled release of water, with towns like Karad in Satara district warned of

dam raised water levels in

the Warna River, prompting

possible flooding. In Konkan, Raigad district recorded over 160 mm rainfall in Roha taluka on Monday, with the Kundalika and Savitri Rivers flowing above danger marks.

Local officials declared

agiri highway, while heavy **Odisha experiences** mass buffalo deaths

MI News Service, Cuttack: Three farmers in Odisha's Kendrapara district were left devastated on Sunday after losing 73 buffaloes within an hour while the animals crossed the Galia river, raising suspicion of poisoning.

Carcasses were recovered and samples sent to the Regional Disease Diagnostic Laboratory, Kolkata, and the Phulnakhara facility in Cuttack. This was the first case of mass bovine deaths

"We are ruined. Till Saturday night, they were absolutely fine. They had no health problems. We had fed them on Sunday morning before they stepped into the river," said Ganesh Das, who lost about 30 buffaloes.

Pramod Biswal, another farmer, said: "Every day, I used to sell 20 litres of milk

buffalo costs around ₹80,000 to ₹90,000. They were our main source of income.

He described how the animals suddenly began to flail midstream. "We were watching when they appeared to be struggling to move forward. Then they drowned one after another. Later, we retrieved their bodies from the river."

The Galia river is a tributary of the Brahmani. Villagers suspect the deaths were caused by poison in the river, allegedly used for shrimp catching. "Shrimp catchers use a variety of poisons," said a villager.

Another villager linked the deaths to pesticide use. "We have paddy fields close to the river. Most farmers use pesticides. It is possible the buffaloes fed on stalks before jumping into the river," he

ISRO working on 40-storey rocket to lift 75K kg payload: ISRO Chairman

MI News Service, Bengaluru: ISRO Chairman V Narayanan said the space agency has been working on a rocket as high as a 40-storey building to place a 75,000 kg payload in low earth

Delivering the convocation address of Osmania University here, Narayanan said this year, the space agency has lined up with projects such as NAVIC Navigation with India Constellation system) satellite and the N1 rocket, besides placing a 6,500 kg communication satellite of the USA into orbit using Indian rockets.

He said by 2035, a 52-tonne mass space station is going to be built even as ISRO is working on

the Venus Orbiter mission. "Right now, we are working on a next generation launcher. You know, what is the capacity of the rocket? The first launcher, (Dr APJ) Abdul Kalam ji, which he built was a 17 tonne lift-off mass, capable of placing 35 kg in low earth orbit. Today, we are conceiving a rocket to place 75,000 kg in low earth orbit. The rocket is of 40-storey

building height," he said. ISRO has planned to launch Technology Demonstration Satellite (TDS) and GSAT-7R, an Indian military communication satellite, specifically designed for the Indian Navy to replace the existing GSAT-7 (Rukmini) satellite, this year among others, he further said.

Narayanan said right now,

DATE: 13.08.2025

India has 55 satellites in orbit and the number is going to be increased to three times in another three to four years.

Narrating the sequence of events prior to astronaut Subhashnu Shukla's successful journey to the International Space Station and return, he said the original project was scheduled for June 11. However, a day before a team-led by nim identified a leakage in the rocket, it was postponed to June

"And with that, if the rocket would have taken off, it would have been a catastrophic failure. Based on the insistence of Indians, the Indian education system, the training of ISRO, the rocket was corrected. Today we have accomplished a safe mission, not only Subashanhu Shukla, but along with him three more international astronauts," he said.

Explaining the domestic space journey, Narayanan said today India is in a position to rub shoulders with advanced space-faring nations.

According to him, as of now, India has the credit of launching over 4,000 rockets.

India's first satellite Aryabhatta was launched in 1975 with the support of other countries, and from then on, as many as 133 satellites of various types, including a 6,000 kg high-throughput GSAT-11 satellite, which is right now, have been launched, he said.

to tree falls, drowning, light-ning strikes, and electrocution, among other causes, Mane said. He added that 11 people had sustained injuries during the same period. Thane has so far recorded

1,842.9 mm of rainfall this monsoon, with 119.7 mm on Monday alone. "A total of 20 deaths have been recorded across the district in the past four months," he said, noting that Kalyan taluka reported the highest toll at 11, followed by Shahapur (5), Murbad (3), and Thane taluka (1).

As many as 337 houses were partially damaged, 13 cattle perished, and 20 families had to be shifted to safer shelters in Ambernath.

With rains showing no immediate signs of respite, authorities have appealed to citizens to stay indoors unless necessary. Officials have warned that water levels in

Karui Gram Panchayat Karui :: Purba Bardhaman Corrigendum

-Tender vide Memo No.: 309/eNIT CFC/UNTIED/KGP/2025 & 310/ eNIT/CFC/TIED/KGP/2025, Date 18.08.2025. Published in "Morning India" on 19.08.2025, Sd/ Prodhan will be read as **Sd/** Prodhan. Karui Gram Panchaya nstead of Sd/-, Prodhan. Kodalia-Gram Panchayat. All other rema unchanged. Sd/-, Prodhan,

Karui Gram Panchayat

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WINSOME HOLDINGS & INVESTMENTS LIMITED Regd. Off.- 28/1, Shakespeare Sarani, Kolkata – 700 017 Corporate Identification Number: L19129WB1976PLC030723

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NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the 48th Annual General Meeting of the members of Winsome Holdings & Investments Ltd. will be held on Thursday, 11th day of September, 2025 at the Registered Office of the Company at 28/1, Shakespeare Sarani, Ganga Jamuna Building, Kolkata - 700 017 at 3:00 P.M. to transact the business as set forth in the Notice

As per Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013, read with Rule 20 of The Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, as amended and Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, the Company is pleased to provide its members the facility to cast their vote by electronic means (remote e-voting) on all resolutions set forth in the Notice.

The remote e-voting period commences at 9:00 A.M. on 8th September, 2025 and ends at 5:00 P.M. on 10th September, 2025. Remote e-voting shall not be allowed beyond said date and time.

A member voting rights shall be in proportion to their share of the paidup equity share capital of the Company as on 2nd September, 2025

A Person whose name is recorded in the register of member of the Company or in the register of beneficial owner maintained by the depositories as on cut-off date only shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-voting as well as voting in AGM.

The person who have acquired shares and become members of the Company after dispatch of Notice of AGM and holding shares as on cut-off date i.e., 02.09.2024, may obtain user ID and password for remote e-voting by sending request at winsome@kredogroup.in.

The facility for voting, either by polling or ballot paper shall also be made available at the AGM and members who have not cast their votes by remote e-voting shall be able to exercise their right to vote in AGM. A member may participate in AGM even after exercising his right to vote through e-voting but shall not be allowed to vote again in AGM.

The Notice of the Annual General Meeting, along with the procedure for e-voting, is displayed on the Company's website www.winsomeholdings.co.in and on the website of the agency, www.evoting.nsdl.com.

For any queries / grievances related to e-voting, members may refer the Frequently Asked Questions ("FAQs") and e-voting manual available at www.evoting.nsdl.com or contact NSDL at the following toll-free no.: 022 - 4886 7000

You may also contact to Mr. Ramawatar Lohia, Director, Winsome Holdings & Investments Ltd., 28/1, Shakespeare Sarani, Ganga Jamuna Building, Kol-700 017, E-mail: winsome@kredogroup.in, Tel: +91 33

2287-2373. **Book Closure:** Notice in terms of Section 91 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 42 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements)

Regulations, 2015, is hereby given that the Register of Members and the Share Transfer Books of the Company shall remain closed from Wednesday, 3rd September, 2025 to Monday, 11th September, 2025 (both days inclusive) for the purpose of 48th Annual General Meeting of the Company to be held on Monday, 11th September, 2025. By order of the Board of Directors

For Winsome Holdings & Investments Limited

Place: Kolkata

Ramawatar Lohia

Office of the Municipal Counci **Serampore Municipality** 1, N. S. Avenue, Serampore, Dist.: Hooghly, Pin: 712201 Notice Inviting e-Tender e-Tender of the following works are invited by Chairman, Serampo

Municipality from experienced and resourceful, GST registered bidders for execution the works vide NIT No-WBMAD/ULB/SRMP/NIT-17/2025-26 Date-: 19/08/2025, Name of work- Renovation work of UPHC-IV at war 13 under Serampore Municipality. Bid Submission Start date (online) : 19 08/2025 at 01.00 P.M. Bid Submission Closing (online): 27/08/2025 a 01.00 P.M. Bid opening Date for Technical proposals (online): 29/08/2025 at 01.00 P.M. For details of the project go through http://wbtenders.gov.in and www.seramporemunicipality.net/tenders Sd/-Chairman

rivers across Konkan and Vidarbha could rise further amid incessant showers.

আমমোক্তার্নামা আমার মঞ্চেল অর্ণব ব্যানার্জী, পিতা:- অসিত ব্যানার্জী, সাং: ও পো:- উত্তর ঝাঁপরদহ, থানা:-ডোমজুর, জেলা:- হাওড়া, সঞ্জয় দাস নিযুক্ত আমমোক্তার অভিষেক দাস মহাশয়ের নিকট হইতে এ্যাডিঃ ডি: সাব: রেজি: ডোমজুড় অফিসে রেজিস্ট্রিকৃত ৭০৭৫/২০২১ ও ৪৬৪/ ২০১২ আমমোক্তার নামা দলিল দ্বারা থানা ডোমজুড়, মৌজা উত্তর ঝাঁপড়দহ, হাল এল: আর: খতিয়ান ১৯৪১, ২৯৪৫ নম্বর হাল দাগ ২৪৪১ নং দাগে ১২.৬৯ শতক জমি এ্যাডিঃ ডিঃ সাব-রেজিস্ট্রি ডোমজুড় অফিসে রেজিস্ট্রিকৃত ৭১৮০/২০২১ নং দলিল মূলে ক্রয় করিয়া নাম পত্তনের আবেদন করেন। উক্ত বিষয়ে কাহারও কোন আপত্তি থাকুলে বিজ্ঞপ্তি প্রকাশের ১(এক) মাসের মধ্যে সংশ্লিষ্ট B.L.&.L.R.O. DOMJUR অফিস এর নিকট আপীল করতে পারেন। অন্যথায় আইনানুগ কার্য্য হবে।

সাধারন বিজ্ঞপ্তি
এতহারা সর্বসাধারনকে জ্ঞাত করা হইতেছে যে, বী প্রবীর কুমার ঘোষ, পিতা: অজিত ঘোষ, সাং: বড় জোনপুর, থানা: বীজপুর, পিন-৭৪২০১৪, মহাশুমা বিগত ইংরাজী ১৬/০৭/২০২৫ ভারিখে নৈহাটী এ. ড়ি এস. আর অফিসে রেজিস্ট্রীকৃত ৭৩০০ নং বিক্রয় কোবালা দলিল মূলে নিম্ন বর্নিত সম্পত্তির মালিক চিহ্নিত হন, উক্ত দলিলে অন্দরে পাওয়ার মফ এ্যাটর্নির উল্লেখ আছে (যার নং ৪৪৯/২৫২৬ তাং ২১/০৬/২০২৫) এবং আমমোক্তার শ্রী অনুপম ঘোষ, পিতা শ্রী নিমাই ঘোষ। নিমের তপশীল সম্পত্তি সম্বন্ধে কাহারো কোন আপত্তি থাকিলে বিজ্ঞঞ্জি প্রকাশের ১৫ দিনের মধ্যে B.L & LR.O, BKP-L Shyamnagar অফিসে উপযুক্ত কাগজ পত্র সহ উপস্থিত হইবেন, অুন্যথায় কোন প্রকার আপুত্তি মঞ্জুর ত্রাত্ত ২০১১, বুলি বার্মির বানাত বর্মুর হইবে না।-: তপশীল বর্নিত সম্পত্তির বিবরনঃ-জেলা: উত্তর ২৪ পুরগনা, থানা: বীজপুর, এ. ডি. এস আর অফিস নৈহাটীর হাবেলি শহর পর্রগনার অর্ন্তগত গঁচরাপাড়া পৌরসভার অধীুন জোনপুর মৌুজায়, জে এল নং ০৪ এল আর জরিপে ৩৫৯ নং খতিয়ান ভুক্ত ও এল আর দাগ নং ৪৩/৩৭৮, জমির পরিমান

০৮ শতক।
Gouranga Ch. Das (Advocate) Barrackpore Court

LEGAL NOTICE
This is to notify that my clients Sri Santosh Kumar Pandey son of late Prem Narayan Pandey, Sri Avdesh Kumar Pandey son of Late Uday Narayan Pandey son of Late Ram lakshman Pandey all are carrying on business from 13, PTR Siding, Shalimar Coal Depot, Howrah 711 102 are the legal owners of property -ALL ThAT the land situated at R.S. Dag No.38, 39, 40, 41, 134, 139, 141, 142, 143 and 147, JL. No. 27, Touzi No. 35B/1 in Mouza-Argori, Andul Howrah and are in

Argori, Andul Howrah and are in cossession of the Title Deeds. My clients preferred T.S.A. No. 4 of 2025 relating to the said property before Debts Recovery Tribunal - II, Kolkata which is pending. Any transfer and/or assign and/ r sell of the above mentioned property illegal and are subject to the pending dispute of T.S.A. No. 4 of 2025 pending before Debts Recovery Tribunal - II, Kolkata. Any person/persons having any queries please contact Mobile No 9830263466.

Khejuri-I Panchayat Samity

CORRIGENDUM NOTICE

E-NIT-WB/EO/KH-1/09/2025-26 & Memo No. 590/Tender/KH-1 PS/2025, Dated: 18.08.2025 for no scheme under Khejuri-Panchayat Samity. Document download/sell end date (Online) for Bid submission upto 26.08.2025 at 3:00 PM for details information please contact with Khejuri-I PS office notice board Engineering Section and go through e-Tender site www.wbtenders.gov.in

> Sd/-Executive Officer Khejuri-I Panchayat Samity

Office of the Concillors of Haringhata Municipality Subarnapur, Haringhata, Nadia

Notice Inviting e-Tender

Chairman, Haringhata Municipality invites e-Tender No.-WBMAD/ULB/HM/NIT-7e/2025-26, Memo. No-1569/HM/2025, Dated: 19/08/2025. Tender Id: 2025 MAD 892519 1, Date of Publishing-19/08/2025. Bid Submission Closing Date- $17/09/2025, For details please \ visit-\underline{\textbf{www.wbtenders.gov.in}}$

CHAIRMAN HARINGHATA MUNICIPALITY

TARAKESWAR MUNICIPALITY

e-Tender Notice

The Chairman, Tarakeswar Municipality invites of e-tender for following 01 nos Development workwithinTarakeswar Municipality under Green City Mission:

SI. No.	lender for	e-Bid submission start date	submission	
1.	2025_MAD_892423_1	20.08.2025	17.09.2025	19.09.2025

Details information will be available from the websitehttp://wbetenders.gov.in

Sd/- Chairman, **Tarakeswar Municipality**

TEMPORARY STOPPAGE OF EMU LOCAL TRAINS AT ISLAMPARA HALT STATION

For the convenience of comuters following 22 EMU Local trains will stop at Islampara Halt station over Howrah Division on emporary basis for the period of Three (03) months from 23.08.2025 (Saturday) to 22.11.2025 (Saturday) as per timings mention below: Stopping Time at

S. N.	Train No. & Name	Islampara Halt (Arr./Dep.)
1.	. 37921 Howrah - Katwa EMU Local Stop/18.	
2.	37743 Bandel - Katwa EMU Local	Stop/04.40
3.	37749 Bandel - Katwa EMU Local	Stop/12.25
4.	37751 Bandel - Katwa EMU Local	Stop/14.45
5.	37753 Bandel - Katwa EMU Local	Stop/16.45
6.	37927 Howrah - Katwa EMU Local	Stop/21.47
7.	37757 Bandel - Katwa EMU Local	Stop/23.35
8.	37912 Katwa - Howrah EMU Local	Stop/05.30
9.	37914 Katwa - Howrah EMU Local	Stop/07.26
10.	31112 Katwa - Sealdah EMU Local	Stop/17.43
11.	37742 Katwa - Bandel EMU Local	Stop/06.11
12.	37744 Katwa - Bandel EMU Local	Stop/10.38
13.	37748 Katwa - Bandel EMU Local	Stop/14.48
14.	37928 Katwa - Howrah EMU Local	Stop/21.10
15.	37750 Katwa - Bandel EMU Local	Stop/19.23
16.	37745 Bandel - Katwa EMU Local	Stop/05.50
17.	31111 Sealdah - Katwa EMU Local	Stop/09.42
18.	37915 Howrah - Katwa EMU Local	Stop/11.10
19.	37925 Howrah - Katwa EMU Local	Stop/20.27
20.	37920 Katwa - Howrah EMU Local	Stop/09.32
21.	37746 Katwa - Bandel EMU Local	Stop/13.12
22.	37924 Katwa - Howrah EMU Local	Stop/16.33

Repercussion: The arrival timings of the following trains will be revised as under: 1. 37757 Bandel - Katwa EMU Local will arrive Katwa at 01.35 hrs. instead of 01.30 hrs. 2. 37925 Howrah - Katwa EMU Local will arrive Katwa at 22.25 hrs. instead of 22 20 hrs **Chief Passenger Transportation Manager**

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TAKE OVER OF POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas the Authorised Officer of HDFC Bank Limited (hereinafter referred as "HDFC") under the provisions of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (said Act) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(2) of the said Act read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (said Rules) issued Demand Notices to the Borrower/Guarantors details of which are mentioned in the table below. Whereas, as the respective Borrower/Guarantors having failed to repay the outstanding amount, the Authorised Officer of HDFC took Symbolic possession of the underlying secured asset (described hereinbelow) on 1.12.2015 in exercise of the powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with the said Rules.

Whereas subsequently, HDFC has vide Assignment Agreement dated 27.03.2025 assigned all its rights, title, interest and benefits in respect of the

debts due and payable by Borrower/Guarantors arising out of the facilities advanced by HDFC to Borrower along with the underlying securities to Phoenix ARC Private Limited, acting in capacity as Trustee of Phoenix Trust FY25-2 (Phoenix) for the benefit of the holders of Security Receipts. Therefore, in view of the said assignment, Phoenix now stands subrogated in the place of HDFC and Phoenix shall be entitled to institute/continue all and any proceedings against the Borrower/Guarantors and to enforce the rights and benefits under the financial documents including the enforcement of guarantee and security interest executed and created by the Borrower/Guarantors for the financial facilities availed by them. In view of the said Assignment, the Authorised Officer of Phoenix has taken over the symbolic possession of the underlying secured assets (described

Borrower Name and Guarantors	Demand Notice	Taking over possession date
Borrower: 1. Tewari Partha Pratim 2. Leena Tewari	Rs. 1,17,83,298/- (Rupees One Crore Seventeen Lakhs Eighty-Three Thousand Two Hundred Ninety Eight Only) as on date as mentioned in the notice along with costs and default interest @ rates mentioned in the notice. Notice dated: 17.12.2014	

four Wheeler (Light Motor Vehicle) parking on the space No. 34C (Maple) in the Ground floor and Basement Level of the Residential Comple Segment with Utility Room No. 'A', on the 34th floor, of Tower – 3 (Maple), admeasuring 50 Sq. ft. (built up area) approx. and Another Flat No. 'C' on the 35th Floor of Tower – 3 (Maple), containing an area of 856 Sq FL approx with attached Terrace admeasuring 150 Sq. Ft. approx., all are being part of a multiple housing complex called "South City", constructed upon the land admeasuring 20.97 Acres approx., situated at Premises No. 375 (Formerly Premises No. 375 & 357/1) Prince Anwar Shah Road, Ward No. 93, P.S. Jadhavpur, Kolkata 700068, alongwith the undivided, indivisible and proportionate share and/or inte est in the common portions of the residential complex segment and land and cor

struction thereon present and in future. The Borrower/ Guarantors' attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the said Act, in respect of time available, to edeem the mortgaged property/secured asset. **AUTHORISED OFFICER** PLACE: KOLKATA

FOR PHOENIX ARC PRIVATE LIMITED, (TRUSTEE OF PHOENIX TRUST FY 25-2

PICICI Bank

SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE | Branch Office: ICICI Bank Ltd., BP-4, Technopolis Building, 4th Floor, Sector V, Salt Lake City, Kolkata West Bengal - 700091 | CIN No: L65190GJ1994PLC021012, www.icicibank.com

The Authorised ICICI Bank Officer under the Securitisation. Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued Demand Notices to the borrower(s) mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said Notice

Having failed to repay the amount, the Notice is issued to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken symbolic possession of the property described below, by exercising powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below $mentioned \ dates. The \ borrower in particular \ and \ the \ public in \ general \ are \ hereby \ cautioned \ not \ to \ deal \ with \ the \ property. Any \ dealings \ with \ the \ property \ will \ be \ subject \ to \ charges \ of \ ICICI \ Bank \ Limited.$

Sr. No	Name of the Borrower(s)/ Loan Account Number	Description of Property/ Date of Symbolic Possession	Date of Demand Notice/ Amount in Demand Notice (Rs)	Name of Branch
1.	Borrower Lokenath Construction & (Guarantor) Shipra Rakshit & (Mortgagor) Nilkrishna Rakshit/ Represented By Proprietor Nilkrishna Rakshit 448, New Shibtala Road 2/10 Bansdroni, Vivekananda Park West Bengal Kolkata-700070/ 106405001069	Flat, 3rd Floor, Front Portion, R.S. Dag No. 746, R.S. Khatian No. 667, R.S. No. 381, Touzi No. 151, Mouza Bansdroni, Pargana Magura, J.L. No. 45, Ward No. 113, Premises No. 257, New Shibtala Road, Assessee No. 311131502570, Kolkata Municipal Corporation, P.S. Regent Park, District South 24 Parganas, Kolkata-700070 (Admeasuring an area of Super Built Up Area 900 Sq Ft More or Less, Land Measuring 5 Cottahs More or Less Together With Car Parking Space On Ground Floor Measuring 200 Sq Ft More or Less & Proportionate Undivided Indivisible Share of Land Bounded By: On The North By: Land of R.S. Dag No. 746 On The South By: Land of R.S. Dag No. 746 On The East By:	24,94,238.58/-	Kolkata

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/quarantors(s) is/are hereby issued a 30 day Notice to repay the amount else the mortgaged properties will be sold after 30 days from the date of publi provisions under Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002. Date: August 20, 2025

Dag No. 752/ Date of Symbolic: 14/08/2025

Sincerely Authorised Officer For ICICI Bank Ltd

KOLKATA, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 20 , 2025

Odoo Community Days India 2025 Brings 25000 People Together to Learn, Connect and Build the Future of Business

Gandhinagar: The Mahatma Mandir Convention Centre came alive as over 25000 attendees gathered for Odoo Community Days India 2025, a two-day celebration of technology, entrepreneurship and community growth.

The event began with Smart Classes on 11

and 12 August, followed by the Odoo Hackathon 2025, which achieved recognition in the India Book of Records and Asia Book of Records for maximum participation in a 24-hour offline recruitment hackathon. More than 18000 registered, with 8800 joining virtual rounds and 1000 invited to the offline finale. A Business Challenge gave MBA students the opportunity to learn practical industry insights using Odoo.

On 13 and 14 August, the main event took off with keynotes by Fabien Pinckaers, CEO of Odoo, and Mantavya Gajjar, MD of Odoo India. Fabien highlighted India's importance as one of Odoo's fastest-growing markets, while Mantavya shared the future roadmap and partner ecosystem. A special lunch with the CEO gave attendees the chance to discuss scaling, AI, and entrepreneurship directly with Fabien **Pinckaers**

The event delivered more than just sessions. Visitors explored live demos, hands-on workshops and a vibrant exhibition floor where businesses could see Odoo solutions in action and connect directly with experts.

Fabien Pinckaers, Founder and CEO of Odoo, shared how India has become one of the fastest growing Odoo markets in the world. He highlighted success stories from Indian companies and explained how flexibility, local adapta-



tion and community innovation are driving growth. Mantavya Gajjar, Managing Director of Odoo India, outlined the roadmap for Odoo's expansion in India, product enhancements and how local partners are building industry-specific solutions.

One of the most memorable moments was the lunch with Fabien Pinckaers. Attendees discussed scaling small businesses without losing efficiency, the future of Odoo's AI capabilities, challenges faced by Indian entrepreneurs and opportunities for local developers to contribute to the global Odoo ecosystem. Many left inspired by the openness and accessibility of Odoo's leadership. The speaker line-up featured Aman Gupta on building global brands from India, RanveerAllahbadia on creating one of India's largest digital communities, Shivanshu Agrawal on making high-impact content, Abhi and Niyu on storytelling for social change and brand growth, Pinky Shah on scaling IT services globally, Karthik on manufacturing excellence, Anupama Bhandari on leadership in emerging industries, Akash Patel on sustainable growth, and other notable entrepreneurs and creators who shared real-world strategies for success.

Attendees valued live product demonstrations, practical masterclasses, direct networking with Odoo partners and developers, and the chance to connect with peers from across India and abroad. Odoo Community Days 2025 proved to be a marketplace of ideas, knowledge and opportunities. Participants left with new skills, strong connections and actionable strategies to grow their businesses.

Artist Tarika Ram's art exhibition to focus on 'Happiness'

Chennai: Artist Tarika Ram is set to showcase about 30 of her works at a weeklong exhibition in the city later this month.

The exhibition will feature a multi-disciplinary approach to the theme of happiness, an emotion she has researched across different fields. a press release said on Tuesday.

Tarika Ram will convey her understanding and takeaways through different artforms, including tapestries and sculpture.

On the expo scheduled to be held from August 30, she said, "I chose happiness because everyone wants to be happy and it is a universal emotion. Yet some people struggle to achieve an optimal state of

Tarika is the daughter of Srivats Ram, the managing director of citybased Wheels India Ltd.

Tarika's mentor Diana Shatish said they decided to decode this complex topic through positive psychology.

Tarika has weaved, painted, coloured, used collage and dyed one's own cloth using natural dyes, fostering emotional depth in tapes-The teenager had showcased her art talent through three solo exhibitions in Chennai and had also participated in group exhibitions in Coimbatore, Hyderabad, Mumbai and New York.

Preparations in full swing for **National Lok Adalat 13**

Ranchi: The National Lok Adalat has been decided to be held on 13th September. The pre-agreement meeting for the successful organization of the National Lok Adalat has started from 14th July, which will con-

tinue till 12th September. In view of this, the District Legal Services Authority, Ranchi has also started preparations. The work of sending notices to the litigants from all the courts has also been started.

Hon'ble Judicial Commissioner, Shri Anil Kumar Mishra-1 has also given many guidelines for the success of the upcoming National Lok Adalat

cers. He said that by establishing coordination with the police administration through his court, maximum notices should be served, so that maximum pending cases can be settled in the upcoming National Lok

Secretary Ravi Kumar Bhaskar has asked all the PLVs working in District Legal Services Authority, Ranchi to do vigorous publicity for the success of the upcoming National Lok Adalat in their respective areas. He said that after organizing the awareness program, give proper information about the upcoming National Lok Adalat

so that people become aware, litigants can take advantage of the National Lok Adalat and get their cases settled free of cost.

It is known that in the National Lok Adalat to be organized on September 13, criminal reconcilable cases, civil cases, labor related cases, matrimonial cases, family cases, product related cases, check bounce cases, forest department cases, electricity related cases, traffic challan related cases as well as land acquisition, motor vehicle, measurement related cases and matrimonial related cases will be settled through mediators

IndiGo and IDFC FIRST Bank Launch Co-Branded Credit Card

Kolkata, August 2025:IndiGo, India's most preferred airline, and IDFC FIRST Bank today announced the launch of the IndiGo IDFC FIRST Credit Card, a one-of-a-kind offering that combines the benefits of both Mastercard and RuPay networks through a single application, ensuring wider acceptance and maximum payment flexibility.

This partnership reflects a shared commitment to delivering value, convenience, and everyday benefits to customers. The card enhances travel experiences with lifestyle privileges, low forex markup, attractive trip cancellation cover, and accelerated rewards on IndiGo flight bookings, milestone spends, and everyday purchases. With this ens the IndiGo BluChip loyalty program portfolio, offering customers more ways to earn IndiGo BluChips through everyday spends - making every transaction count towards their next This launch underscores IDFC

FIRST Bank's vision of building a world-class bank, driven by a Customer First philosophy and powered by a modern digital and technology stack. The IndiGo IDFC FIRST Credit Card has been designed to offer unmatched accessibility, with an FD-backed option that makes this premium dual-network product practically assured to everyone, while maintaining responsible credit risk

Policy support on \bigoplus

cotton imports a

boost for textile

sector:

Confederation Of

Indian Textile

Govt allows duty free import of cotton till Sept 30



New Delhi: The government has allowed duty-free import of raw cotton till September 30 to improve the availability of the key raw material for the textile sector, a move which is expected to help the US Cotton was so far subject to an 11 per cent import duty along with

the Agriculture Infrastructure and Development Cess (AIDČ).

According to a finance ministry notification dated August 18, the duty exemption will take effect from August 19 and shall remain in force till September 30.

The scrapping of the import duty is expected to ensure raw material availability at globally competitive rates for the textile sector. Domestically, the sector also faces duty inversion under the GST regime. The import duty relief by India comes at a time when Indian

exporters, including the textile sector, face a steep 50 per cent duty in

The US tariff comprises an existing 25 per cent levy and an additional 25 per cent, which will take effect from August 27, imposed as a penalty for India's purchases of Russian oil. Commenting on the decision, think tank GTRI said India has sus-

pended import tariffs on raw cotton for 40 days to tackle tight supplies and stabilize prices ahead of the harvest season. Cotton imports have surged 107.4 per cent, rising from USD 579.2 million in FY2024 to USD 1.20 billion in FY2025.

Major suppliers last year included Australia (USD 258.2 million), the United States (USD 234.1 million), Brazil (USD 180.8 million), and Egypt (USD 116.3 million).

Since February 2021, imports were subject to an 11 per cent duty including 5 per cent Basic Customs Duty and 5 per cent AIDC.

The waiver is expected to help mills facing high input costs and support yarn and fabric exporters struggling with competitiveness, particularly ahead of India's festival season," GTRI Founder Ajay Srivastava said.

He added that the government limited the relief to 40 days to avoid sustained downward pressure on domestic cotton prices, which could

The measure is a time-bound stopgap to stabilize markets before the new crop arrives," he said adding almost all (99 per cent) of the USD 1.20 billion cotton imported in FY2025 was of fibre staple length of 28

Under India-Australia trade pact, India already allows duty free import of 51,000 tonne cotton of fibre staple length of 28 mm or above.

"This means, the largest beneficiary of the duty-free import will

be the US, the second largest supplier to India," Srivastava said.

by talking to all the judicial offito the villagers and the needy, Ram temple construction captured on time-lapse cameras

which began on August 5, 2020, after Prime Minister Narendra Modi laid the foundation stone, has been recorded by five timelapse cameras installed at the site, officials said on Tuesday.

The Ram Temple Trust, which had set up these cameras to capture the entire construction journey until completion, has declared the recordings as

Ayodhya (UP): The entire process "Intellectual Property Rights", soil testing to proposals and the temple's lower plinth, 85 have Bam temple construction, they said. These rights will be phased construction, he added, already been completed and handed over to the Central Building Research Institute (CBRI), Roorkee, under an agreement so that the material can be used for education, training, and for creating a documentary on the construction of the temple, Nripendra Mishra, Chairman of the temple's construction committee, said. "This will document everything from excavation and

Mishra further said that during the review, detailed consideration was given to the design of the temporary temple monument and the granite pillar. "Given the pace of construction work, it is estimated that most of the work will be completed by the end of October," he informed. Providing updates on artwork, Mishra said that out of the 90 murals to be installed in

received, while there has been a delay of 15 to 30 days in the 3D sculptures. "This was reviewed in detail during the meeting," he said. Time-lapse cameras are devices that capture images at specific intervals, which are later compiled into a video. Each frame is displayed for a fraction of a second, creating the illusion of

Industry New Delhi: The latest policy support on cotton imports has come as a boost for the textile sector says Industry body the Confederation Of Indian Textile

Industry (CITI).
Chandrima Chatterjee,
Secretary General , CITI said,
"It's a great move for the Indian industry, and if that also gives any positive signal to the negotiations, then I think it's a win-win for both sides. But I think the primary trigger has been the repeated concern being raised by the industry bodies and the associa-

She also believes that, over the last 2 years, this intervention has been working towards helping bring some more price competitiveness in this sector and stabilising the cotton prices, which have seen a lot of fluctuations lately. The Indian textile industry has welcomed the government's decision to waive customs duty and Agriculture Infrastructure and Development Cess (AIDC) on the import of cotton till September 30, calling it a timely relief for the sector battling volatile prices and supply pressures. Reacting to the announcement, Confederation of Indian Textile Industry (CITI) Chairman, Rakesh Mehra, said, "The removal of the import duty on cotton, though only for a brief period, signals the government's strong commitment to help India's textile sector become stronger and more globally competitive." He noted that the demand for such a measure had been pending for a long time within the industry. "CITI would like to thank the Hon'ble Prime Minister, all other concerned authorities and Ministries, especially the Finance Ågriculture Commerce Ministries, for appreciating the concerns of the Indian

textile sector and providing us the

necessary support through this

very progressive measure, Mehra added.

US tariff to have economic consequences monitoring situation: Ingka Group CEO

under the Trump administration will have economic consequences, however, there is still a lot of uncertainty over its impact, said Ingka Group CEO Jesper Brodin.

Ingka Group, which operates IKEA stores in 31 countries, is monitoring the situation as it sources goods from several countries, including China and India, among others, for its global retail operations.

Besides, Brodin expects India to be among its top ten markets for the Swedish furniture retailer in the coming years, where it looks to add around 6 touch points every year as part of its expansion plans in the second phase of growth. The retailer, which already has completed Rs 10,500 crore FDI, granted under single-brand retail policy, is now gearing for fresh round of investments in the country to expedite its growth journey.

When asked about the impact of the tariff imposed by the Trump administration on several markets, including India, Brodin said: "It's still a lot of uncertainty on where it's going

So we continue to monitor it. But since we actually have very little opportunity to influence it, we need more (time) to get ready to adapt to it.

However, he also added that now IKEA's supply chain is "more regionalised". However, there are certain categories which are still import dependent.

"But I think the impact of any trade additional value add will of course, lead to economic consequences and then we will have to see in IKEA if we can absorb or what we need to do with it in the future," he said adding "It is going to continue for a couple of weeks and months and then "we will have to see what happens for the future.

Over the negotiations going on between

Sweden: The new tariff regime by the US the European Union and the Indian government for a Free Trade Agreement, Brodin said he is a "big believer" in these pacts, which are a "win-win" for both sides. " We do welcome and encourage these negotiations and think they will be able to the benefit both India and Europe. What we have seen over the years in IKEA is that when countries collaborate, it opens up for win-win across borders," he said.



Europe is the largest market of IKEA, where it operates 250 stores, while India is among the top ten countries from where it sources for its global retail operations.

"At the same time, I think the long-term strategy for IKEA in India is still to increase the share of local sourcing. So it is a game, you can say, where the most important factor for us is to build volumes locally," said Brodin, who is handing over the baton to Juvencio Maezto, who was first IKEA India head for 5-6 years. Brodin will remain with Ingka Group till February and then act as a senior advisor for Ikea Foundation, the group's philanthropy arm. IKEA has been sourcing from India for the last five decades, though it started its retail operation in India in 2018 by opening its first store at Hyderabad, followed by Navi Mumbai and Bengaluru and several others such as Delhi NCR, are in the execution

Over expansion of retail network in India, Brodin said: "I think to a certain extent, we have been delayed a little bit due to the pandemic in particular. So that had an impact on our expansion plans. But right now, I think we are showing with our investments that we are serious.

IKEA's current sourcing basket includes textiles, plastics, and metals, among others, and the company plans to add more items. Presently, Europe is IKEA's biggest supplier, followed by America and Asia, in which China

"I think the long-term strategy for IKEA in India is to increase the share of local sourcing. The most important factor for us is to build volumes locally," he said. According to Brodin, in the coming 12 to 24 months, IKEA will double its store capacity in India.

"We are heading there. So we're building up volumes. And I would say, regardless of great trade relations, IKEA's direction will continue to be to increase the share of local sourcing in India," he said. When asked about the non-tariff barriers such as QCO (Quality Control Order) over imports of goods in India, Brodin said:" I have a slightly different view on the Indian policy."

" I think some people call it protectionism, but I think the Indian government is trying to stimulate domestic growth, and is very successful in that. So of course, there is a dialogue with different parts of the government to see, how can we be part of that," he said. For IKEA, it is not a political question or a matter of trade relations but a game of volumes

OUR III VOICES

PM's Metro Gift, Connecting Kolkata from Heart to Heart

A Bond That Began in 1984

Kolkata and the Metro share a bond that began decades ago. In 1984, when India's first Metro ran in this very city, it was not just a transport system, it was a moment of pride. Generations grew up with that pride, watching the Metro become part of their everyday stories. But as the city expanded, the dream of a wider, faster network often felt incomplete. Roads got busier, traffic grew worse, and especially during Durga Puja, one phrase was on everyone's lips: ʻuff... jam!'

• A Festive Gift for Kolkata

This Pujo, that story will change before Maa Durga arrives, Prime Minister Narendra Modi will give Kolkata a festive gift of 13.62 km of new Metro connectivity, including three important stretches:

• Green Line (Esplanade–Sealdah) Yellow Line (Noapara-Jai Hind Bimanbandar) • Orange Line (Hemanta Mukhopadhyay-Beleghata) For the City of Joy, this will not only be about trains and tracks, it will be about people and emotions. Families will reunite sooner, friends will meet more often and pandal-hopping will become easy and stress-free. Devotion will flow freely without being trapped in

Making Lives Easy

Taiwan to launch regular

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MI News Service, Taipei: Regular inspections are set

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by Taipei Times citing the

Governing Relations Be-

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The Green Line (Esplanade-Sealdah) will bring Bengal's two lifelines closer than ever. What once took up to an hour by road will

now take just 11 minutes. For over six lakh daily passengers, this will set a new rhythm to life.

The Yellow Line (Noapara–Jai Hind Bimanbandar) will fulfill a long-cherished dream Kolkatans—a direct Metro to the airport. The journey from Esplanade to Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose International Airport, which earlier took an hour by road, will now take only 30 minutes. Families will welcome loved ones on time, travellers will find Kolkata warmer and closer and thousands of airport workers will travel with ease and dignity.

The Orange Line (Hemanta Mukhopadhyay–Beleghata) will connect areas like Science City major hospitals near Beleghata. Patients will find relief, families will find comfort, and students will find new opportunities. Soon, the IT hub at Salt Lake Sector V will also be linked, giving young professionals faster and more reliable journeys.

Enhanced Connectivity

The expanded network of Kolkata Metro is knitting the city together like never before. By linking peripheral areas like Noapara in the north and Beleghata in the east to central hubs like Esplanade, Park Street and Sealdah, the Metro has allowed lakhs of residents to access different regions more conveniently. It is turning long commutes into easy rides, creating new possibilities for work, study, and leisure.

• Reduced Traffic Congestion

Kolkata has long battled serious road congestion due to limited urban infrastructure, heavy rainfall, and a rising number of vehicles. With the Metro providing a fast and reliable alternative, the city's dependence on road travel is reducing. This is not just easing traffic jams in areas like Sealdah Flyover, EM Bypass, and Airport Road, but also cutting pollution and stress for everyday com-

Boosting Economic Growth*

The Metro has become a driver of Kolkata's economy. It has created jobs, encouraged local businesses around stations like Dum Dum, Gariahat, Park Street, and Esplanade, and attracted industries to well-connected areas. With more passengers, more shops, and more opportunities, the Metro is stimulating the local economy and fueling the city's growth story.

 Time Efficiency In today's fast-paced life, time is everything. The Metro is helping Kolkatans save precious hours every day. For instance, the journey between Esplanade and Howrah Maidan, which takes around 20 minutes by road, will now be covered in just 5 minutes by Metro. Faster travel means

more time for families, studies, work, and celebrations. Seamless Integration with Other

The Kolkata Metro is not just a

standalone system, it is a lifeline that connects with others. At key interchange stations like Dum Dum, Sealdah, and Howrah, it links seamlessly with Kolkata Suburban Railways and other transport systems. This multi-layered connectivity is ensuring smooth travel across the city and beyond.

• A Decade of Unmatched

Kolkata was India's first Metro city. Yet from 1984 to 2014, only

27.99 km of Metro was built in three decades. In the last 10 years under Prime Minister Modi, 45 km has been added-more than the previous 30 years combined. From being the first Metro city to now becoming the fastest expanding network, Kolkata's Metro will once again be a matter of pride. For Kolkatans, this will not just be progress, it will be personal. It will make journeys smoother, celebrations easier, and hearts closer. As Maa Durga arrives, Pujo will finally be celebrated without the shadow of traffic. The Metro will carry people to pandal-hopping in North and South Kolkata, to prayers at Kalighat and Dakshineswar, and to their loved ones

with ease and with joy. • Kolkata's Moment

This is Kolkata's moment. A city that gave India its first Metro will now celebrate the fastest progress in its history. A journey of pride, a journey of progress, and above all, a journey of connecting hearts.

ECoR Gm Conducts Inspection Of Rajdhani Express And Bhadrak Railway Station



MI News Service, Kolkata: Passenger amenities, safety measures, and cleanliness reviewed on the Bhubaneswar-

New Delhi Rajdhani Express Station facilities, crew lobby, and yard at Bhadrak Railway Station inspected with a focus on operational efficiency

Shri Parmeshwar Funkwal, General Manager of East Coast Railway, conducted an on-board inspection today of Train No. 22823, the Bhubaneswar-New Delhi Rajdhani Express. His inspection focused on passenger amenities, cleanliness, safety measures, and service quality, aiming to ensure a comfortable and seamless travel expe-

rience for all passengers. Subsequently, the General Manager visited Bhadrak Railway Station, where he re-viewed the passenger facilities, crew lobby, and station yard. He stressed the importance of upholding high standards of cleanliness, enforcing safety protocols, and enhancing the overall efficiency of station operations. His visits served to uplift the morale of the staff and supervisors. Shri Funkwal encouraged officials to stay dedicated to delivering safe, clean, and passenger-friendly

services throughout the zone.

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Notice for Sale of the Mortgaged Property U/R 8(6) of Security Interest (Enforcement)
Rules 2002 R/W Section 13(8) of SARFAESI Act 2002 1.Mr. Arindam Dey (Borrower)

At- Ganti Sarada Pally, Rajghat, Gopalpur(M), North 24 Parganas, Urban Kolkata, West Bengal, India - 700 132. 2.Mrs. Pampa Dutta (Co-Borrower)

At- Ganti Sarada Pally, Rajghat, Gopalpur(M), North 24 Parganas, Urban Kolkata, West Bengal, India - 700 132.

Sub: Notice for Sale of the Mortgaged Property U/R 8(6) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 R/W

Section 13(8) of SARFAESI Act 2002.
Ref: Contract No. WB/KLK/KLKT/A00000092, WB/KLK/KLKT/A000000399

This is in reference to our Demand Notice dated 26/06/2023 issued by Authorized Officer MRINAL DAS, (hereinafter referred to as 'The FI') under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as "SARFAESI Act"), Wherein The FI had called upon

Serial No	Demand Notice Date and Serial No	Loan Account No	Amount due as on 26.06.2023 with further interest and charges
1.	26.06.2023	WB/KLK/KLKT/A000000092 & WB/KLK/KLKT/A000000399	69,37,995/- (Rupees Sixty Nine Lakhs Thirty Seven Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety Five Only)

failed to deposit the complete outstanding amount as demanded. amount and as such, the Authorized officer of The FI has taken physical possession of the property/properties or 14.06.2025 described herein below (and referred hereinafter as "Secured Assets") in exercise of the powers conferred on him under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 & 9 of the said act. If you fail to repay the outstanding dues mentioned in below table with further interest and charges up to the date of payment, within a period of 30 days from the date of service of this notice, The FI will publish auction of the secured asset and the same will be brought to sale by

inviting sealed tenders / bid, E-auction or by any other mode prescribed under the provisions of Rule 8 (5) & 9(1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

3. As per section 13(8) of SARFAESI ACT 2002, your right of redemption will be extinguished after publication of sale notice Under Rule 9(1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 for public auction or inviting quotations or tender from public or private treaty for transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale of secured assets. The secured asset will be sold through public E-auction or by any other mode prescribed under the provisions of Rule 8 (5) & 9(1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 after a period of 30 days from the date of service of this notice in the manner

described below 'as is where is basis & As is what is basis & Whatever there is basis', unless we receive the entire outstanding amount mentioned in below table with further interest and charges up to the date of payment as mentioned above within 30 days from the date of service of this notice. 4. As mentioned above the bank has given you 30 days' time for redemption of the secured assets if you fail to make payment as stated above the bank will proceed for publication of the auction after the expiry of 30 days from the service of this notice. If outstanding amount as per table below is not received with further charges and interest, *Hinduja Housing Finance Limited* will publish auction to sale the secured asset as mentioned below herein by public auction

through E-Auction or by any other mode prescribed under the provisions of Rule 8 (5) & 9(1) of Security Interes (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 "as is where is basis & As is what is basis & Whatever there is basis":-Serial Loan Account No WB/KLK/KLKT/A000000092 & 84,00,000/- (Rupees Eighty-Four Lakhs Only)

	. The bank has decided to publish the public notice for sale of the below mentioned secured assets in the newspapers IORNING INDIA (English) & EKDIN (Bengali) on 20-08-2025.			
S. NO.	PARTICULARS	DETAILS		
1.	Secured Debt	Rs. 84,00,000/- (Rupees Eighty-Four Lakhs Only on 01.07.2025) + Further Interest + Statutory Expenditure + Legal Expenses + Incidental Charges till the date of payment.		
2.	Date of Opening the Tender	19.09.2025		
^	Date of Inspection	4 [™] and 5 th of August		

M/s. Hinduja Housing Finance Limited, Lord's Building, Ground Place for Title Verification / Opening of Tender 02:00 PM to 04:00 PM Time of Opening the Tender (with unlimited extension of five minutes) 840000/-Last Date of Deposit of EMD and Documents 18th September 2025 Mode of Auction Tender 9. Reserved Price fixed for the Property 84,00,000/ **Description of Property** ALL THAT piece and parcel of land measuring about 6 Decimal be the same a little more or less comprised in lying and

situated at Mouza: Ganti, J.L No: 01, appertaining to R.S Khatian Nos: 61 & 281, L.R Khatian No: 2074 under R.S and L.R Dag No. 20 being Plot No. "D" under P.S: Airport within the local limits of Bidhannagar Municipal Corporation in the District: North 24 Parganas which is butted and bounded as:- On The North: By Property of Sri Har Pal and Sri Bishnu Deg;On The South: By 6 Feet Wide Common Passage and Property of Sri Adhir Deg;On The East: By Property of Sr Somnath Srimani;On The West: By Property of Dag No. 21 Sri Samaresh Deg and Common Passage. **AND** ALL THAT piece and parcel of land measuring about 1 Cottah 6 Chittacks be the same a little more or less comprised in lying and situated at Mouza: Ganti, J.L No: 01, R.S No: 118, Touzi No: 10 appertaining to L.R Khatian No: 1761 under R.S and L.F. Dag No. 20 being Plot No. "C" under P.S: Airport within the local limits of Bidhannagar Municipal Corporation in the District: North 24 Parganas which is butted and bounded as:-On The North: By By Property of Dag No. 20 SCHEME Plo No. "D"; On The South: By 6 Feet Wide Common Passage thereafter Property of Smt. Sipra Dey; On The East : By Property of Sri Somnath Srimani; On The West: By Property of Sri Samaresh Dey.

7. Borrower/Co-borrower/Guarantor/Mortgagor, has 30 days to avail redemption rights, starting from date of service this notice, after the expiry of 30 days bank will proceed with auction. Therefore, if you pay the amount due to the FI along with further interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by the FI within the period of 30 days from the date of service this notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of property, and you can redeem your property as stipulated in section

Please treat this notice as Notice under Rule 8 Clause (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 providing you a notice of 30 (Thirty) days for sale of the secured asset

Notes

Hinduja Housing Finance Limited

Borrower(s)/ Co-Borrower(s)/Guarantor(s)/ & Mortgagor(s) are requested are requested to kindly remove their movable assets (If any) from the property which is in the FI's Possession.

 Auction details will be published in two leading newspapers.
 The RTGS/NEFT of reserve price will be made in Favour of Payable at Hinduja housing finance limited Account No HHFLTDWBKLKKLKTA092 IFSC CODE - HDFC0004989, Or DD Payable at Hinduja housing finance limited,

. For further details and queries, contact Authorised Officer, Hinduja Housing Finance Limited: MS.Mrinaldas Mo.No. 7477858185,EMAIL- mrinaldas.m@hindujahousingfinance.com

The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the bid amount (including EMD) on the same day of the sale, being knocked down in his favor and balance 75% of bid amount within 15 days from the date of sale by DD/Pay order/NEFT/RTGS/Chq favoring **Hinduja Housing Finance LTD**.

In case of default in payment of above stipulated amounts by the successful bidder auction purchaser within the

stipulated time, the sale will be cancelled and the amount already paid (including EMD) will be forfeited and the property will be again put to sale.

At the request of the successful bidder, the Authorised Officer in his absolute discretion may grant further time in

writing, for depositing the balance of the bid amount.

10. The Successful Bidder shall pay 1% of Sale price towards TDS (out of Sale proceeds) and submit TDS certificate to

the Authorised officer and the deposit the entire amount of sale price (after deduction of 1% towards TDS), adjusting the EMD within 15 working days of the acceptance of the offer by the authorized officer, or within such other extended time as deemed fit by the Authorised Officer, falling which the earnest deposit will be forfeited . Municipal / Panchayat Taxes, Electricity dues (if any) and any other authorities dues (if any) has to be paid by the

successful bidder before issuance of the sale certificate. Bids shall be made taking into consideration of all the statutory dues pertaining to the property.

12. Sale Certificate will be issued by the Authorised Officer in favor of the successful bidder only upon deposit of entire

purchase price / bid amount and furnishing the necessary proof in respect of payment of all taxes / charges.

13. Applicable legal charges for conveyance, stamp duty, registration charges and other incidental charges shall be borne by the auction purchaser. 4.The Authorized officer may postpone / cancel the E-Auction Sale proceedings without assigning any reason

whatsoever. In case the E-Auction Sale scheduled is postponed to a later date before 15days from the scheduled date of sale, it will be displayed on the website of the service provider.

The decision of the Authorised Officer is final, binding and unquestionable All bidders who submitted the bids, shall be deemed to have read and understood the **Authorised Office**

Distance of hours now in minutes: New extension of Kolkata Metro

MI News Service, Kolkata: dress the issue of military Prime Minister Narendra and public-school educators Modi is soon going to give a possessing Chinese citizennew impetus to metro connectivity in Kolkata. Where tion, according to a report the journey once took hours, now with the new Mainland Affairs Council (MAC). Article 9-1 of the Act metro lines, the distance will be reduced to minutes. These new services connecting the city and surrounding areas will infuse a new energy in the life of Kolkata. First of all, Green Line – Esplanade to Sealdah nese household registration or a Chinese passport will lose their Taiwanese citi-(2.45 km). This small section will prove to be the zenship and be barred from biggest relief for the city. working in the military, Currently, it takes 40–45 minutes by road to reach ucation, as reported. In between two major railway order to identify and preterminals like Howrah and vent the unauthorised em-Sealdah. Now this journey ployment of individuals will be completed in just 11 minutes by metro. This holding Chinese ID cards or time saving will be no less residential permits, systemthan a boon for lakhs of plemented starting on passengers daily. The sec-January 1 of next year, the ond big achievement is Yelcouncil indicated, as noted low Line - Noapara to Jai Hind Bimanbandar (6.77 by Taipei Times. Recruits or km). Now there will be no need to travel long by road lic-school instructors will to reach the airport. Doneed to comply with these mestic and international inspections: failure to do so passengers, airline staff could lead to a suspension of and airport employees will all experience fast, safe and comfortable travel. With the interchange facility

planade to Airport will be covered in just 30 minutes.

The third link is Orange Line - Hemant Mukhopadhyay to Beleghata (4.4 km). This extension will connect Science City, big hospitals, schools and business centers. The number of passengers is expected to double here. The special thing is that the journey from Beleghata to Kavi Subhash can now be completed in just 32 minutes. This will make the journey between South Kolkata and East Kolkata very easy. With the addition of these new lines, not only Kolkata but also the passengers of North 24 Parganas and South 24 Parganas will get a big benefit. The time which used to take hours to reach different parts of the city, now the same journey will be possible in a few minutes. This new chapter of Kolkata Metro is not just a metro running on tracks, but a step to increase the speed of the city and make the life of the residents of Kolkata easier.

from Dumdum Cantt, direct connection to the entire city and major railway stations will also become easy. Now this distance from Es-

Phoenix ARC Private Limited

Regd. Office: Wallace Towers, 139/140/B/1, 3rd Floor, Crossing of Sahar Road and Western Express Highway, Vile Parle East, Mumbai, Maharashtra - 400057, India, Tel: 022-68492450, Fax: 022-6741 2313 CIN: U67190MH2007PTC168303 Email: info@phoe

TAKE OVER OF POSSESSION NOTICE

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Whereas the Authorised Officer of HDFC Bank Limited (hereinafter referred as "HDFC") under the provisions of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (said Act) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(2) of the said Act read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (said Rules) issued Demand Notices to the Borrower/Guarantors details of which are mentioned in the table below. Whereas, as the respective Borrower/Guarantors having failed to repay the outstanding amount, the Authorised Officer of HDFC took Symbolic possession of the underlying secured asset (described hereinbelow) on 14.08.2023 in exercise of the powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with the said Rules.

Whereas subsequently, HDFC has vide Assignment Agreement dated 27.03.2025 assigned all its rights, title, interest and benefits in respect of the debts due and payable by Borrower/Guarantors arising out of the facilities advanced by HDFC to Borrower along with the underlying securities to Phoenix ARC Private Limited, acting in capacity as Trustee of Phoenix Trust FY25-2 (Phoenix) for the benefit of the holders of Security Receipts.

Therefore, in view of the said assignment, Phoenix now stands subrogated in the place of HDFC and Phoenix shall be entitled to institute/continue all and any proceedings against the Borrower/Guarantors and to enforce the rights and benefits under the financial documents including the enforcement of guarantee and security interest executed and created by the Borrower/Guarantors for the financial facilities availed by them. In view enforcement of guarantee and security interest executed and created by the Borrower/Guarantors for the financial facilities availed by them. In view of the said Assignment, the Authorised Officer of Phoenix has taken over the symbolic possession of the underlying secured assets (described herein below) from the Officer of HDFC on "AS IS WHERE IS & WHATEVER THERE IS BASIS".

Borrower Name and Guarantors	Demand Notice	Taking over possession date
	Rs. 1,99,93,278/- (Rupees One Crore Ninety-Nine Lakhs Ninety-Three Thousand Two Hundred Seventy Eight Only) as on date as mentioned in the notice along with costs and default interest @ rates mentioned in the notice. Notice dated: 16.10.2019 Rs. 51,23,742/- (Rupees Fifty-One Lakhs Twenty Three Thousand Seven Hundred Forty-Two Only) as on date as mentioned in the notice along with costs and default interest @ rates mentioned in the notice. Notice dated: 16.10.2019 Rs. 40,21,707/- (Rupees Forty Lakhs Twenty One Thousand Seven Hundred Seven Only) as on date as mentioned in the notice along with costs and default interest @ rates mentioned in the notice. Notice dated: 08.01.2020	

Description of Property:- 1. The property being a Flat No.: A-1, admeasuring 1600 sq. ft. approx., East North facing on the First Floor together with one Garage space being No.: 8, admeasuring 125 sq. ft. approx., in the building constructed upon land admeasuring 12 cottahs 14 chittaks 42 sq. ft more or less, situated at Mouza: Ibrahimpur, Dag No.: 100, 18/429, Khatlan No.; 7, 91, 83, within the limits of Kokata Municipal Corporation Ward No.: 93, Premises No.: 3, Jadavpur, North Road, P.S.: Jadavpur, Kolkata-700032, alongwith the undivided proportionate share

of the land and the construction there present and in future.

2. The properties being the entire first and second floors admeasuring 2900 sq. ft. (269.51 sq. mtrs.) approx... in total (super built area) in the building constructed upon land admeasuring 02 cottahs 12 chittaks more or less situated at Mouza: Baderiapur, JL No.: 34, EP No.: 825, SP No.: 713, CS Plot No. 586 (P), Premises No.: 688/345, Raja Subodh Chandra Malick Road (mailing address B/7, Baghatian Colony), Jadavppur, P.S.:

LS Piot No. 5to (P), Premises No.: 686/345, Raja Suboan Chandra Malick Road (maling address Br/), Bagnatan Colony), Jacavppur, P.S.:
Jadavpur, Kolkata-70092, Dist.: South 24 Parganas, alongwith the undivided proportionale share of the land and the construction thereon present and in future. The said property is butted and bounded as follows: On the North: By Piot No.: EP 817, On the South: By Colony Land, On the East: By Tank and Colony Boundary, On the West: By EP No. 284.

3. The Property being flat no.: 1 admeasuring 1270 sq. ft. (118.03 sq. mtr.) approx., on the First floor together with one car parking space admeasuring 120 sq. ft. approx. on the Ground Floor of the G-4 storied building known as "Kalpana Apartment" contructed upon land admeasuring 03 cottahs 09 chittaks 23 sq. ft more or less, situated at Mouja: Rajapur, JL No.: 23, Scheme Plot No.: 13/1, within the limits of Kolkata Municipal Corporation Ward No.: 102, Corporation premises No.: 178, Central Park, P.S. Jadavpur, Kolkata – 700032, alongwith the undivided proportionate share of the land and the construction the pre-present and in future. share of the land and the construction there present and in future.

The Borrower/ Guarantors' attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the said Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the mortgaged property/secured asset.

PLACE: KOLKATA DATE: 13.08.2025 AUTHORISED OFFICER FOR PHOENIX ARC PRIVATE LIMITED, (TRUSTEE OF PHOENIX TRUST FY 25-2)

Additional 70,100 berths to be Generated by running of four Puja Specials

MI News Service, Kolkata: Running of special trains ensuing Puja holds significant benefits. The special trains catter to increased travel demand, offering more conand efficient venient transportation options for people wanting to celebrate. Additionally, these initiatives promote tourism, boost local economy and contribute to a sense of national unity and celebration during occasion like Puja and Diwali. Keeping in the view to clear extra rush of passengers, Eastern Railway has decided to run four special trains between Howrah & Raxaul, Sealdah & Gorakhpur, Asansol & Patna and Asansol & Gorakhpur. Additional 70,100 berths will be generated by running this

special trains. 03043 Howrah - Raxaul Puja Special will leave Howrah at 23:00 hrs. on every Saturday between $27.09.2025 \& 15.11.2025 \, (08$ trips) to reach Raxaul at 16:15 hrs. on the next day and 03044 Raxaul – Howrah Puja Special will leave Raxaul at 17:45 hrs. on every Sunday between 28.09.2025 & 16.11.2025 (08 trips) to reach Howrah at 10:50 hrs on the next day. The special train will stop at Bandel, Barddhaman, Durgapur, Asansol, Chittaranjan, Madhupur and Jasidih stations over Eastern Railway jurisdiction in both directions enroute. The train will have General Second Class.

Sleeper Class & Air-conditioned accommodations. 03131 Sealdah – Gorakhpur Puja Special will leave Sealdah at 18:15 hrs. on every Tuesday & Thursday between 30.09.2025 & 18.11.2025 (15 trips) to reach Gorakhpur at 10:30 hrs. on the next day and 03132 Gorakhpur – Sealdah Puja Special will leave Gorakhpur at 13:00 hrs. on every Wednesday & Friday between 01.10.2025 & 19.11.2025 (15 trips) to reach Sealdah at 07:30 hrs. on the next day. The train will stop at Barddhaman, Durgapur, Asansol, Chittaranjan, Madhupur & Jasidih stations over Eastern Railway jurisdiction in both directions enroute. The train will have General Second Class, Sleeper Class & Airconditioned accommoda-03527 Asansol

Gorakhpur Puja Special will leave Asansol at 13:20 hrs. on every Friday between 26.09.2025 & 07.11.2025 (07 trips) to reach Gorakhpur at 03:30 hrs. on the next day and 03528 Gorakhpur -Asansol Puja Special will leave Gorakhpur at 06:30 hrs. on every Saturday be-27.09.2025

08.11.2025 (07 trips) to reach Asansol at 20:45 hrs. on the same day. The train will stop at Chittaranjan, Jamtara, Madhupur & Jasidih stations over Eastern Railway jurisdiction in both directions enroute. The train will have General Second Class, Sleeper Class & Air-conditioned accommodations. The booking of 03043 Howrah -Raxaul Puja Special, 03131 Sealdah - Gorakhpur Puja Special and 03527 Asansol -Gorakhpur Puja Special is available through PRS & in-

03511 Asansol - Patna Puja special will leave Asansol at 13:20 hrs. on every Sunday between 19.10.2025 & 09.11.2025 (04 trips) to reach Patna at 20:15 hrs. on the same day and 03512 Patna – Asansol Puja special will leave Patna at 21:55 hrs. on every Sunday between 19.10.2025 & 09.11.2025 (04 trips) to reach Asansol at 04:50 hrs. on the next day. The train will stop at Chittaranjan, Jamtara, Madhupur and Jasidih stations over Eastern Railway jurisdiction in both directions enroute. The train will have General Second Class. Sleeper Class & Air-conditioned accommodations. The date of booking of 03511 Asansol - Patna Puja special will be available from 20.08.2025 through PRS &

Eastern Railway to Run Sahibganj -Bhagalpur - Sahibganj Memu Special

MI News Service, Kolkata: To clear the rush of passengers, Eastern Railway has decided to run Sahibganj -Bhagalpur - Sahibganj MEMU special on temporary basis from 21.08.2025.

Sahibganj - Bhagalpur MEMU special will leave Sahibganj at 11:00 hrs. to reach Bhagalpur at 13:00 hrs. and Bhagalpur - Sahibganj MEMU special will leave Bhagalpur at 13:45 hrs. to reach Sahibganj at 15:45 hrs. The above special train will stop at all stations enroute between Sahibganj & Bhagalpur.

SPORTS &

GAMES

Gill to serve as Suryakumar's deputy as Asia Cup squad unveiled; Bumrah returns to T20I set-up

Team India for the Asia Cup 2025 was unveiled on Tuesday, with skipper Suryakumar Yadav leading the squad and Shubman Gill as his deputy with several major

names missing out. The squad was announced during a press conference attended by T20I skipper Suryakumar and chief selector Ajit Agarkar, which was held after a selection meeting which also featured the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI) secretary Devajit

India will kick off their campaign against the UAE on September 10, while the high-voltage game against Pakistan is scheduled for the September 14, with both fixtures set to be played in Dubai. India will play their final group stage fixture against Oman on September 19 in Abu Dhabi.

After the group stage, the tournament will proceed to the Super 4, where the top two teams from each group will qualify. If India finishes at the top of Group A, then all of their Super 4 matches will be held in Dubai. If India finishes second, then one of their Super 4 clashes will be held in Abu Dhabi and the remaining two in Dubai. The Super 4 stage will run from September 20 to 26. Dubai will host the final, which is scheduled for September 28

Suryakumar is the captain of a

been in stunning form since their ICC T20 World Cup win last year, having won 10 out of 13 matches since the marquee tournament and losing just two.

Gill, who was the captain for the T20I tour to Zimbabwe just after the T20 WC, was leading a side which featured mostly newer players, will now play his first T20I competition since July 2024 as a vice-captain. In 21 T20Is, Gill has made 578 runs in 21 innings at an average of 30.42, with a strike rate of 139.27. He has scored a century and three fifties, with the best score of 126*. He was also Surya's deputy during the T20I series against Sri Lanka away from home last year. After this series, he was omitted from T20Is to focus mainly on a heavy Test season with tours to Australia and England and the ICC

Champions Trophy.
In the Indian Premier League (IPL) 2025, Gill scored 650 runs in 15 innings at an average of 50.00, with a strike rate of 155.87, with six fifties and a best score of 93*, ending as the fourth-highest run-

getter in the tournament. During the tour of England consisting of five Tests, Gill displayed exemplary leadership qualities as a captain, leading a new-look team without legends like Rohit Sharma, Virat Kohli and Ravichandran Ashwin to a wellfought 2-2 draw. He also scored a

including four tons and a best score of 269.

Axar Patel, who was elevated to the vice-captaincy following the Sri Lanka white-ball tour, has now been removed from the position of

Jitesh Sharma, has been chosen as a back-up wicketkeeper-batter for Sanju Samson, who found a new lease of life as a T20I opener for Team India with three centuries in a quick succession. He played T20Is last time for India in January last year and scored 100 runs in nine matches across seven innings at an average of

However, he shined for the Royal Challengers Bengaluru (RCB) in their Indian Premier League (IPL) win for the first time this year, scoring 261 runs in 11 innings at an average of 37.28 and a strike rate of 176.35, with a crucial 85* against Lucknow Super Giants (LSG) and a quickfire 24 in 10 balls during the final against Punjab Kings (PBKS).

Some big misses in the top order in the main squad include Yashasvi Jaiswal and Shreyas Iyer, who had incredible IPL seasons this year for the Rajasthan Royals (RR) and Punjab Kings (PBKS). Jaiswal is not in the main squad, but rather in the reserves group alongside all-rounder Washington Sundar, all-rounder Riyan Parag, pacer Prasidh Krishna and wicketkeeper-batter Dhruv Jurel.

Cap holder for most wickets in IPL 2025, with 25 wickets in 15 matches at an average of 19.52.

Openers Abhishek Sharma, Sanju Samson, Tilak Varma, Suryakumar and Gill form a fiery top order in the main squad, with Varma having nailed the number three spot to the perfection. In 13 T20Is as India's designated number three, Tilak has managed 443 runs at an average of 55.37, with a strike rate of almost 170, with two centuries and two fifties.

Jaiswal was the back-up opener ahead of Gill for the T20 World Cup last year. He was the backup as India wanted to open with Rohit Sharma and Virat Kohli. Having made 723 runs in 23 T20Is

strike rate of over 164 throughout his career, Jaiswal's 559-run IPL 2025 season (in 14 matches with six fifties at SR of almost 160), brought back the leftie into T20I

Iyer ended up as the sixth-highest run-getter in IPL 2025 and had his best season, scoring 604 runs in 17 matches and innings at an average of 50.33, strike rate of 175.07 and six fifties. His best score was 97*. He played a massive role in taking PBKS to their first IPL final since 2014, but the team fell short by six runs to Royal Challengers Bengaluru (RCB).

India has a solid list of all-rounders, with Abhishek, Axar being capable spinners as well. Also in pace-bowling all-rounder department, the hard-hitting pair of Hardik Pandya and Shivam Dube is present. In Rinku Singh, they have a reliable finisher. This is of course, without considering

the reserves players list.

The pace department looks solid, with return of pace spearhead Jasprit Bumrah to T20Is as a big bonus. His last T20I was the T20 WC final against South Africa, where he took two crucial wickets and unleashed a pace choke in the death overs to power India to a

He ended as the 'Player of the Tournament' with 15 wickets in eight innings at an average of

Bumrah recently took 14 wick-

ing two five-wicket hauls during the tour of England in Test cricket and has been a vital part of India's Test set-up. His workload has been heavily managed, and it would be interesting what would be done to take care of him in the Asia Cup. Alongside him in the pace department are Arshdeep Singh, Harshit Rana as frontline

Kuldeep Yadav, who did not feature in the Test series against England, is a part of the team, with his last T20I being the T20 WC final as well last year.

His partner-in-spin would be Varun Chakravarthy, who has been on a rampage since his return to white-ball cricket last year. In 18 T20Is, he has picked 33 wickets at an average of 14.57 with two five-wicket hauls to his

He was also a part of India's ICC Champions Trophy-winning

Team India squad for Asia Cup: Surya Kumar Yadav (C), Shubman Gill (VC), Abhishek Sharma, Tilak Varma, Hardik Pandya, Shivam Dube, Axar Patel, Jitesh Sharma (WK), Jasprit Bumrah, Arshdeep Singh, Varun Chakaravarthy, Kuldeep Yadav, Sanju Samson (WK), Harshit Rana, Rinku Singh

Reserve players: Prasidh Krishna, Washington Sundar, Riyan Parag, Dhruv Jurel, Yashasvi Jaiswal. (ANI)

India wins silver in men's 10m Air Pistol team at Asian Shooting Championship

pair of Anmol Jain, Saurabh Chaudhary and Aditya Malra opened the country's medal tally at the ongoing Asian Shooting Championship 2025 as they won a silver medal in the men's 10m air pistol team event on Monday.

Competing at the Shymkent Shooting Plaza in Kazakhstan, the Indian trio tallied 1735-52x to finish behind the People's Republic of China's Hu Kai, Changiie You and Yifan Zhang, who took the gold with 1744-51x, as per Olympics.com.

The Islamic Republic of Iran

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SWIATEK DOWNS PAOLINI

 ${\bf CINCINNATI~[US]: Iga~Swiatek~outclassed~Jasmine}$

Paolini to secure her first-ever Cincinnati Open

utes, Swiatek emerged victorious by 7-5, 6-4, becoming the first-ever Poland player to secure a

many meetings and dropped just one set against

This marks Swiatek's 24th tour-level title and 11th on the WTA 1000 level. The six-time Grand Slam winner, who won Wimbledon this year, has

been on a rampage, not dropping a single set dur-

ing this whole championship campaign in

This win also marks Swiatek's second title of the season, helping her head to the US Open as a number two seed in the singles competition. She will also play Casper Ruud in the mixed doubles

Speaking after her win, as quoted by the WTA's official website, Swiatek said, "I do not know why I

win the tournaments that we are like the last ones in terms of what I thought they were going to be.

So, thank you to my team for forcing me to become

a better player and learn how to play on all these

and to my family back home," she added.

I am kind of shocked and super happy, so thank you for the awesome support, to the team

Swiatek did not drop even a single set to the title, and her run includes wins over top 10 talent like Paolini and against Elena Rybakina in the

semifinal. Since 1990, her winning percentage against WTA Top 10 players trails only Steffi Graf and Serena Williams. While Paolini continued her poor run against Swiatek and sustained her second

loss in the finals, her performance was an encour-

aging one, as heading into the tournament, Paolini

had won just three matches in her past four tour-

naments. Now, in this tournament, heading into

the finals, she defeated Grand Slam champions

Barbora Krejcikova and Gauff towards the final

and has lifted her world ranking to number eight.

In the title clash lasting one hour and 49 min-

She has secured six victories over Paolini in as

bagged the bronze medal with

In the individual competition, Anmol Jain was the lone Indian shooter to make the cut for the final round after finishing ninth with 580-17x. India's Amit Sharma (588-24x) topped the qualifying rounds, while Varun Tomar (584-24x) was fourth, but both were shooting for Ranking Points Only (RPO).

Aditya Malra was 13th in qualifying with 579-20x, while Saurabh Chaudhary, Olympian and Asian Games gold medal winner, was 21st with 576-

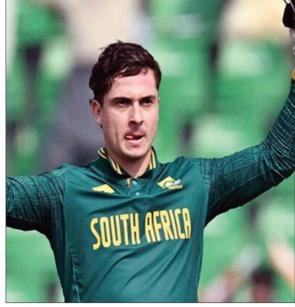
In the final. Anmol finished sixth with a score of 155.1. Hu Kai won gold, with the Republic of Korea's Suhyeon Hong and Iran's Amir Joharikhou completing the podium.

The Indian senior shooting squad for the Asian competition comprises 35 members competing for medals in 15 events. Twotime Olympic medallist Manu Bhaker is also in the mix.

A total of 129 Indian shooters will also compete in the junior events at the Shymkent meet, as



SA's Breetzke becomes fourth batter to achieve unique ODI feat



CAIRNS [AUSTRALIA]: South African batter Matthew Breetzke became the fourth batter in the history of ODIs to secure 50-plus scores in his first three innings.

Breetzke accomplished this feat during South Africa's first ODI against Australia at Cairns, scoring 57 in 56 balls, with seven fours and a six, at a strike rate of over 101.

Now in three ODIs, Breetzke has scored 290 runs in three matches at an average of 96.66, with a strike rate of over 100, with a century and two fifties. His best score is 150, which he scored against New Zealand on his debut for the Proteas. This is the highest score by a South African on his

He has joined India's Navjot Singh Sidhu and Netherlands players Max O'Dowd and Tom Cooper as the fourth player to

Coming to the first ODI, South Africa got off to a fine start after opting to bowl first, with Aiden Markram and Ryan Rickelton (33 in 43 balls, with three fours) putting on a 92run stand for the first wicket. Markram scored 82 in 81 balls, with nine fours, before being the second wicket to fall.

Later, skipper Temba Bavuma (65 in 74 balls, with five fours) and Breetzke put on a 92-run stand for the fourth wicket. Travis Head (4/57) and Ben Dwarshuis (2/53) made a fine comeback for Aussies, restricting the Proteas to 296/8 in 50 overs. It is the highest total against Australia in Australia

It is also the second-highest total by the Proteas against Australia in the Aussie land, after 320/5 against them at Hobart in 2018.

SA needs to defend 297 runs to secure a 1-0 lead in the series, having lost the T20I series by 2-1 earlier. They would be aiming to make amends by winning the ODI series.

PCB announces central contracts; Babar, Rizwan downgraded to Category B

ISLAMABAD [PAKISTAN]: Star Pakistan players Babar Azam and Mohammad Rizwan have been demoted to Category B from A as the Pakistan Cricket Board announced the men's central contract list for 2025/26 on Tuesday.

Players such as Abrar Ahmed, Haris Rauf, Saim Ayub, Salman Ali Agha and Shadab Khan have been rewarded for their performances across the last 12 months by earning an upgrade on the side's central contract list for 2025/26.

The quintet all performed admirably over the past year and earned a promotion to Category B on the latest contract list that Pakistan unveiled on Tuesday.

In total, 30 players have secured central contracts for the year starting July 1, 2025, with 10 players listed in Category B. That list is headed by former skipper Babar Azam, star opener

Fakhar Zaman and pace spearhead Shaheen Afridi, with Abrar, Rauf, Ayub, Ali Agha and Shadab joining the group until at least

A further 10 players are listed in both Category C and Category D, with Pakistan choosing against having any of their stars in Category A for the next period. Only Babar and Mohammad Rizwan were in Category A for

2024/25, with the pair dropping back to Category B for the new period. Both players were also recently left out of Pakistan's squad for next month's Asia Cup.

There is a total of 12 new additions to the contract list, highlighting the emergence of promising new talent and the board's strategic focus on squad depth and future development. List of this year's centrally contacted players:

Category B (10 players): Abrar Ahmed, Babar Azam, Fakhar Zaman, Haris Rauf, Hasan Ali, Mohammad Rizwan, Saim Ayub, Salman Ali Agha, Shadab Khan, Shaheen Afridi Category C (10 players): Abdullah Shafique, Faheem Ashraf,

Hasan Nawaz, Mohammad Haris, Mohammad Nawaz, Naseem Shah, Noman Ali, Sahibzada Farhan, Sajid Khan, Saud Shakeel

Category D (10 players): Ahmed Daniyal, Hussain Talat, Khurram Shahzad, Khushdil Shah, Mohammad Abbas, Mohammad Abbas Afridi, Mohammad Wasim Jnr, Salman Mirza, Shan Masood, Sufyan



PLAYING IN IPL IS MY PRIORITY, NO FAVORITE FRANCHISE, SAYS ANUJ RAWAT

Rider skipper Anuj Rawat expressed his desire to play in the Indian Premier League (IPL) as his top priority, and he sees the Gujarat Titans (GT) as a great opportunity.

However, Rawat also believes options for different teams are always open, without any favourite franchise.

"The most important thing for me is to play. I think GT is a very good thing for me, but options are always open. There is no such favourite. But definitely, wherever I go, I want to play," Anuj Rawat told ANI.

Rawat didn't play any fixture in the IPL 2025 for GT; however, he has been part of 24 matches in the rich league. He has made 318 out of those 24 fixtures at an average of

19.88 and a strike rate of 119.10. Under Rawat's captaincy, East



Delhi Riders, in the ongoing Delhi Premier League (DPL) season 2, with five victories out of their seven fixtures, are placed second in the DPL points table. Rawat with the bat has been in fine touch. He has slammed 232 in seven

matches at an average of 46.40 and a strike rate of 184.13, with three fifties under his belt. Rawat also felt that his good performances in DPL would be reflected in the upcoming Indian domestic season, and Rawat believes he is 100 per cent ready to play in IPL.

"Whatever I am doing, whatever you can see in DPL, I think that will be seen in domestic too. But I always feel that I am 100 per cent ready to play in IPL," he added.

Rawat emphasised the learning he gained from practising with his GT teammate Jos Buttler and assisIndian Premier League (IPL) 2025.

"There are a lot of talks. Jos Butler and Parthiv Patel are also there. So when you practice with them, you get to learn small things. Things that you can't do yourself, you get to learn from them as a batter. I talk to Jos a lot on the field and off the field. And I think I have worked a lot with Parthiv Patel, and I think that thing is helping me this season too," Rawat said.

> HOWEVER, RAWAT ALSO BELIEVES OPTIONS FOR DIFFERENT TEAMS ARE ALWAYS OPEN, WITHOUT ANY FAVOURITE FRANCHISE.



