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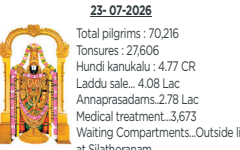
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Markets extend losing streak to 5th day; Sensex sheds 332 points, Nifty slips below 23,800

Mumbai (TSIT): Indian equity benchmarks extended their losing streak to a fifth consecutive session on Friday, marking their longest stretch of declines since the first week of January, as investors remained cautious amid concerns over the inflation and growth outlook in the backdrop of elevated crude oil prices. The Sensex declined 332 points, or 0.43 per cent, to close at 76,059.77, while the Nifty fell 102.15 points, or 0.43 per cent, to settle at 23,767.45. Commenting on Nifty technical outlook, experts said that the 23,800-24,000 region now stands as the immediate resistance band.

11 registration officials suspended in 2 months in TVK govt's mission to curb corruption

CHENNAI: The TVK-led coalition government has intensified its crackdown on alleged irregularities in the Registration Department, suspending 11 officials over the past two months based on public complaints.

The action is part of a series of reforms introduced to improve transparency, accountability and service delivery in the department, which handles property registrations and related public services across the State. According to senior officials, four district registrars, two sub-registrars and five assistants were suspended from service after departmental inquiries found merit in complaints alleging misconduct and violations of service rules. "The Registration Department has implemented several reforms over the past two



months. Based on complaints received from the public, four district registrars, two sub-registrars and five assistants have been suspended from service," officials said.

The disciplinary action is being seen as one of the strongest measures taken by the department in recent months to curb malpractice and reinforce administrative account-

ability. Officials said the government would continue to act firmly against erring personnel and ensure that public grievances are addressed promptly. They maintained that the ongoing reforms are aimed at making the Registration Department more transparent, efficient and citizen-centric while restoring public confidence in its functioning.

NEET paper leak: NTA terminates 47 officials, to initiate legal action

NEW DELHI: In a major crackdown in the NEET paper leak controversy, the National Testing Agency terminated 47 officials and is set to pursue legal and criminal action against some, officials said on Friday. The move comes a day after Higher Education Secretary Vineet Joshi was shunted out to the Panchayati

rajs and the CBSE digital evaluation glitches has triggered a series of shunting of top officials. Students' anger has spilled out in the form of a huge protest that is taking place at Jantar Mantar.

The protesters and the opposition parties have been demanding Education Minister Dharmendra Pradhan's resig-



Raj Ministry.

"The NTA is set to undergo an overhaul and more reformative actions will follow. At least 47 officials have been terminated, and legal and criminal action will be initiated against some of them," a senior official said.

Outrage surrounding paper

nation over the issue. The NTA has issued advertisements for a set of professional appointments at the level of General Manager and has separately opened the engagement of sixteen Young Professionals through the Pratibha Setu portal of the Union Public Service Commission.

Resignation of Dharmendra Pradhan non-negotiable: CJP to union ministers

New Delhi (TSIT):

Union Ministers J.P. Nadda and Dr Jitendra Singh held discussions with the Cockroach Janata Party (CJP) spokespersons, Saurav Das and Ashutosh Ranka. The talks took place at the Constitution Club of India.

Speaking to the media after the meeting, Union Minister Nadda said, "The meeting went on for almost two hours. They had three main demands and five reform suggestions. We have told them that we will meet them again tomorrow."

J.P. Nadda and Dr Jitendra Singh represented the government while the CJP was represented by two of its spokespersons, Saurav Das and Ashutosh Ranka. The talks took place at the Constitution Club of India.

"Talks happened in a cordial atmosphere. We heard their grievances in detail."



SC to closely monitor Centre's road map for NEET reforms; seeks detailed affidavit

New Delhi (TSIT):

The Supreme Court on Friday said it would "very closely monitor" the Centre's road map for institutional reforms in the National Testing Agency (NTA) and measures to prevent future paper leaks, while directing the Union government to file a comprehensive affidavit detailing its proposals, including the feasibility of shifting NEET to a computer-based testing (CBT) mode, cybersecurity safeguards and examination security protocols.



A Bench of Justices P.S. Narasimha and Alok Aradhe, hearing a batch of petitions seeking structural reforms in the conduct of the NEET-UG examination following the alleged 2026 paper leak contro-

versy, posted the matter for further hearing on July 27 after Solicitor General Tushar Mehta sought a few days' time to present a "holistic view" of the reforms being undertaken.

Appearing for the Centre, SG Mehta submitted that there had been "some development" and requested that the matter be taken up after a few days so that the government could place a comprehensive picture before the top court. However, the Justice Narasimha-led Bench said the proposed affidavit must

specifically address the institutional reforms required to strengthen the examination system. Referring to the recommendations of the high-powered committee headed by former ISRO Chairman K. Radhakrishnan, the Supreme Court said the government should indicate the proposed structure of the NTA's governing board, how transparency and stakeholder participation would be ensured, and the manner in which domain experts, including institutions such as the IITs,



Rahul accuses Centre of 'lying' on pellet use during CJP

New Delhi (TSIT):

Scaling up his attack on the students' stir, Leader of the Opposition (LoP) in Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi on Friday accused the Centre of "speaking lies" over the alleged use of pellet guns on students protesting under the banner of the Cockroach Janta Party (CJP) at Jantar Mantar.

Rahul, with pellet gun victim Sahil by his side, claimed that the latter suffered grievous injuries in the police crackdown during the CJP's 'Chalo Sansad' march on July 20, asserting that pellet guns were used to crush peaceful dissent.

Showing his injuries to the press, Rahul said this was "visual proof" of a bra-

zen crackdown on students and demanded that the Centre, rather than deflecting, come clean on the issue. "The government has been denying that pellets were fired. But here is the proof," said the Congress MP while lifting the victim's T-shirt to show alleged pellet wounds on his face, right arm and upper body.

Pellets allegedly hit the 19-year-old Sahil during Monday's protest march and subsequently treated in hospital, having suffered injuries to his eye.

Rahul, intensifying his tirade against the Centre, claimed that pellets were fired at Sahil when he was waving the Tricolour and demanding his rights as a student.

Impact of NEET stir: Centre to likely announce 'major overhaul' of National Testing Agency

New Delhi, July 24 : Coming on the heels of the Centre's announcement of a proposed Bill to deal with exam malpractices, the Union Ministry of Education is likely to soon make a major announcement regarding significant reforms in the National Testing Agency (NTA).

Sources privy to the matter said that around 47 officials associated with the NTA are expected to be removed and action may also be initiated against some of them, as part of a complete structural overhaul of the testing agency.

The NTA revamp is part of a wider review of processes to contain paper leaks, especially after the massive students' agitation led by the Cockroach Janta Party (CJP).

According to sources, the announcement is expected to focus on measures to



improve the functioning of the NTA. The agency has been under intense scrutiny following allegations of the NEET paper leak and growing demands for examination reforms. One of the key changes expected to be introduced include tweaking of the NTA's outsourcing methods in order to ensure a leak-proof system, sources said a day after Prime Minister Narendra Modi announced major steps such as fast-track courts to ensure speedy justice in paper leak

cases. A committee of experts will suggest the changes to refresh the NTA as a more efficient organisation, sources said. The NTA conducts at least 20 national-level examinations, including JEE, NEET and CUET.

Sources also said that the restructuring of the NTA is expected to be completed within the next month. Earlier on Friday, the Union Cabinet approved a Bill and related provisions aimed at setting up fast-track courts

and giving harsher punishment in cases of paper leaks and exam malpractices, official sources said.

The proposed legislation is expected to be introduced in Parliament next week, sources added.

The development comes close to Prime Minister Modi's announcement on Thursday that a Bill containing provisions for strong action will be introduced in Parliament.

As suggested in the Bill, the proposed fast-track courts will be mandated to complete trials and deliver judgments within three months, sources said. Earlier in a video message, the Prime Minister said that the Central government has prepared a comprehensive draft Bill to introduce stricter provisions and stringent punishments in paper leak cases.

Prez Murmu, Romanian PM discuss strengthening cooperation across key sectors

Bucharest (TSIT): President Droupadi Murmu and Romanian Prime Minister Ilie Bolojan held a meeting at Victoria Palace in Bucharest on Friday, during which they discussed strengthening of bilateral ties across several key sectors. The two leaders discussed boosting cooperation in trade, investment, clean energy, connectivity and emerging technologies, a statement released by the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) mentioned.

Secretary (West) at the MEA, Sibi George, and other officials were also present during the meeting. "President Droupadi Murmu held wide ranging discussions on India-



Romania bilateral relations with H.E. Mr. Ilie Bolojan, Prime Minister of Romania at Victoria Palace in Bucharest," the President's Secretariat posted on X.

Earlier in the day, President Murmu addressed the India-Romania Business Forum in Bucharest.

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Bangladesh President Mohammed Shahabuddin resigns

Dhaka, July 24 : Bangladesh President Mohammed Shahabuddin stepped down from office on Friday with the Speaker of the national Parliament formally accepting his resignation letter, the local media reported. Shahabuddin, who assumed office in April



2023, was the only top constitutional office holder to hold the post since the July 2024 demonstrations. Although his tenure was due to end in April 2028, he resigned almost two years before its conclusion. Speaking to Bangladesh's leading newspaper,

EDITORIAL

NTA Sacks 47 Staffers as Protests Draw Large Numbers Across States

The march to the parliament on July 20, brutally cracked down upon by police, has snowballed into a larger show of anger and protest against the system. After holding talks with the Union government, the Cockroach Janta Party (CJP) said on Friday (July 24) that it will give another national call for protest if Union education minister Dharmendra Pradhan doesn't go in the next 1-2 days. "We have told them we can't wait a lot more time on this. If Pradhan does not leave his seat within the next 1-2 days, then one more national call for protest will be given. This one will be much bigger than July 20, and it will be national. We have explained all this, and we think they have understood it, that everyone in the country only wants Dharmendra Pradhan's resignation. Nothing less will work for us," said CJP spokesperson Ashutosh Ranka at Jantar Mantar after the talks with the government. "Who is accountable for the kids who lost their lives due to NEET paper leak? We know the answer. Dharmendra Pradhan's resignation, or his removal from office, is a non-negotiable. Without that, this protest and its nationwide counterparts will continue. We told them that while people may have different views on education reform, everyone across the country believes that Pradhan must resign," Ranka added. He said that the government has again called the CJP at 3:30 pm on Saturday (July 25). "We told them very clearly, and in writing, our three main demands: 1. 'Dharmendra Pradhan istifa do' - this is non-negotiable. He must resign, or he must be removed from the cabinet. 2. Compensation for those who lost their lives do to NEET paper leaks. 3. Withdraw all FIRs, and guarantee that no FIRs are filed in the future. In addition, we have a five-point agenda and we want the government to consider it and talk bout it but after our three main demands are met. Government said they in principle agree to demands 2 and 3," said CJP chief spokesperson Saurav Das. As protesters throng New Delhi's Jantar Mantar where the CJP's members are sitting in while pressing for their demands, including that of the resignation of education minister Pradhan, the authorities have shut down central Delhi Metro stations, the internet in key areas and also access points. This has not kept people from turning up in large numbers - not just in Delhi but in solidarity protests in cities across the country. Lok Sabha leader of opposition Rahul Gandhi has slammed the Delhi university for appealing to students to stay away from the movement demanding accountability from the government over question paper leaks and saying that their participation may invite "legal action." After meeting the CJP delegation on Friday, Union minister J.P. Nadda said that the govt listened to their concerns, and the issues were discussed from various perspectives. "We heard their demands and conveyed that we would get back to them," said Nadda. Environmentalist Sonam Wangchuk has ended his hunger strike after 26 days. The CJP delegation had earlier left Jantar Mantar to hold talks with the Union government. Leader of opposition Rahul Gandhi has said that the opposition will not agree for any discussion in the Parliament till Pradhan is sacked.

Big Problems That Have Turned NEET Into A Trauma Machine For 22 Lakh Students

Every public conversation about NEET focuses on the same question: how do we prevent the next leak? That is the right question about the wrong problem. The examination's integrity crisis is real and urgent. But it sits atop seven deeper systemic failures that will continue to damage students, families, and India's healthcare future regardless of how tamper-proof the examination becomes. A foolproof examination delivers a perfectly fair result on an imperfectly designed game. The seven angles explored here go further than the examination - into the coaching ecosystem that has colonised the preparation process, the curriculum that misaligns with the profession it gates, the equity chasm between the student who has a physics teacher and the student who does not, the psychology of the drop year, the absence of career counselling, the question of what NEET actually selects for, and the vast healthcare workforce India needs that MBBS alone cannot produce. Fixing the exam without addressing these is the administrative equivalent of repainting a structurally compromised building. The Coaching Industrial Complex: A ₹58,000 Crore Shadow System India has built, entirely outside any policy framework, a parallel education system that has effectively privatised the gateway to public medical education. The NEET coaching industry - centred in Kota, Hyderabad, Patna, and Chennai, but now franchise-spread across every tier-two city - is estimated to be ₹58,000-crore big. It serves one function: to prepare students for a single examination designed by a government body using a public school curriculum. The paradox is stark. NEET is based on the NCERT syllabus - free, public, and universally available. In theory,



a student who has studied their Class 11 and 12 NCERT textbooks with a competent teacher should be able to compete. In practice, a student without coaching is statistically non-competitive. The average NEET qualifier from the general category has received between ₹8 lakh and ₹25 lakh worth of coaching. The examination has not measured ability against curriculum; it has measured ability against coaching exposure. The meritocracy it claims to enforce is, in practice, a proxy measurement of parental income. The Kota model - residential coaching factories where students live in dormitories, study 14 hours a day, and are ranked weekly against their cohort - has produced a documented mental health crisis alongside its toppers. Kota's student suicide rate has been reported to be among the highest of any educational cluster in India. The city's coaching institutes generate ₹2,000+ crore in annual revenue and a generation of psychologically depleted young adults. What Reform Looks Like: A National Preparatory

Resource Programme delivering free, structured, AI-personalised NEET preparation to every student with a smartphone - NCERT-anchored, teacher-supported, and available in 22 scheduled languages. DIKSHA and SWAYAM already provide partial infrastructure; a NEET-specific free preparation pathway, formally endorsed and resourced, would reduce the coaching premium over three examination cycles. Simultaneously, coaching institutes must be brought under a regulatory framework - mandated counselling infrastructure, student-to-counsellor ratios, and mental health disclosure requirements - as a condition of operating.

■ THE EXAMINATION-PROFESSION MISMATCH There is a question that Indian medical education has never seriously asked: does a high NEET score guarantee a good doctor? Evidence from comparable international systems suggests the answer is: not reliably, and not sufficiently. NEET in its current form is a

test of high-speed recall and pattern recognition across a fixed, memorisation-heavy syllabus. It measures a student's capacity to retrieve information under time pressure and to identify the correct answer from four options. Medicine requires a substantially different cognitive profile: clinical reasoning under uncertainty, communication with distressed human beings, ethical judgment in ambiguous situations, empathy that does not deplete under sustained exposure to suffering, and the intellectual humility to say "I do not know." Not one of these competencies is assessed by NEET. Not one appears in the preparation process that generates a NEET rank. The United Kingdom's UCAT (University Clinical Aptitude Test) evaluates verbal reasoning, decision-making, quantitative reasoning, abstract reasoning, and situational judgment - the last being a structured assessment of how a candidate responds to ethically complex clinical scenarios. Australia uses a similar instrument. The MCAT in

the United States tests biological sciences, chemistry, physics, and critically, a dedicated section on Psychological, Social, and Biological Foundations of Behaviour. All of these systems have recognised, through decades of research, that the attributes that make a person a good doctor are not coterminous with the attributes that make them a fast and accurate memoriser. What Reform Looks Like: A two-stage NEET. Stage One: the current knowledge assessment, streamlined to 120 questions with an emphasis on application over recall. Stage Two (for the top 15 lakh qualifying Stage One): a Situational Judgment Test assessing ethical reasoning and clinical scenario response, adapted from the UCAT SJT model and developed in Indian linguistic and cultural contexts. Stage Two scores carry 30% weightage in the final merit list. This does not make NEET softer. It makes it more accurate - a better predictor of who will actually serve patients well.

■ NEET AS A GEOGRAPHY AND

LANGUAGE EXAMINATION When a student from a rural district of Bihar - whose Class 12 school has three teachers for eight subjects, no functional laboratory, and physics taught by a commerce graduate - appears on the same merit list as a student from a Kota institute with subject-specialist coaching eight hours a day, the merit list does not measure merit. It measures access. NEET, in its current form, is as much a test of geography and family income as it is of intellectual ability. The language dimension compounds this. NEET is available in thirteen languages, but its question papers in regional languages have historically been translated with inconsistent quality, producing ambiguities and errors that penalise candidates who take the examination in their mother tongue. A student answering in Tamil or Bengali is not competing on equivalent terms with a student answering in English, because the English paper has been the design document and all translations have been derivative. This is not a minor administrative inconvenience. It is a structural disadvantage embedded in the examination architecture that systematically filters out students whose intellectual capabilities are expressed in languages other than English or Hindi. Tamil Nadu's decade-long resistance to NEET - backed by successive state governments of different political persuasions - is frequently misread as political obstructionism. It is better understood as a rational response to empirical evidence: the state's own data showed that NEET systematically reduced the representation of rural, government-school, and first-generation-learner students in medical college admissions compared to the previous Class 12 board-based selection method.

11 Years Later, Houthis Have Returned To Finish Unfinished Business With Pakistan

Pakistan may soon find out that its mediation efforts in the Iran-US war have hidden costs attached to it and that its worst nightmare yet may be unfolding. As the Houthis finally join the war, Pakistan may face the spectre of having to step in militarily - a possibility it had tried to escape till now, successfully. To put things in perspective, we need to go back in time to March-April 2015. Intense discussions were on in the Pakistani Parliament on whether to join the war in Yemen against the Ansarallah Houthi militias. The Saudis had put together an Arab coalition to wage war against the Houthis as they overran the capital Sanaa, threatening the internationally recognised government of President Abdur Hadi Mansour. In what was a rare occasion, the Saudis, feeling directly threatened by the Houthis, who were backed, armed, and funded by Iran, began bombing the rebels. However, they also demanded that their client state, Pakistan, join the war. A Decades-Old Relationship This, of course, was not unusual. The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and Pakistan's long defence and economic ties are well-known. Their military cooperation, which began way back in the 1960s, has seen them operate in the same theatre of war earlier - in 1969, when in a joint air operation they had repelled a South Yemeni incursion into Saudi Arabia's southern border. In the 1970s and the 1980s, up to 15,000 Pakistani troops were stationed in the kingdom. During the 1990-1991 Persian Gulf War, Pakistan sent troops to pro-



tect the Kingdom. It is widely believed that the two countries also have a nuclear understanding whereby Pakistan provides a nuclear cover for the Kingdom. Initially, Pakistan was ambivalent. But soon, the Nawaz Sharif government announced its decision to join the war, albeit with widespread opposition. While Nawaz Sharif was beholden to the Saudi royal family - when his second term as Prime Minister ended after a military coup in 1999, he went into exile in Saudi Arabia - many Pakistanis protested against the decision. The main opposition party then, of former cricketer Imran Khan, had already warned the government against joining the Saudi coalition, as did Pakistani editorials and civil society. For one, many Pakistanis had by then become fed up with the Saudi role in the Wahhabisation of Pakistani society, which had led to a lot of sectarian blood-letting between the Shias and Sunnis. Secondly, Iran was a

neighbour, and what was happening in Yemen was - as it is now - a proxy war between Tehran and the Saudis, and there was no appetite to alienate Iran. Finally, Pakistan itself was reeling from terror attacks and Baloch insurgency, and joining the Yemen war, it was felt, would strain the army. So, though the government had agreed otherwise, on April 10, 2015, Pakistan's Parliament passed a resolution for strict neutrality in the Yemen war, refusing an active combat role - as the Saudis had wanted - while calling for a diplomatic and peaceful resolution. However, the Pakistani Parliament did pledge to stand "shoulder to shoulder" with Saudi Arabia if its territorial integrity or holy sites were directly threatened. A Rock And A Hard Place This did little to assuage the Saudis or their Arab coalition. Grants were cut, jobs grew sparse, many Pakistani workers began to be repatriated back home, and the

Saudis and Emiratis, who had also actively intervened in Yemen, began pivoting towards India. Clearly, refusal to join the war had cost Pakistan dear, but, on the other hand, it helped improve its relations with Iran. Nevertheless, Pakistan stood its ground, pivoting towards China to fill in the gap created by the lack of Arab largesse. When discord broke out again between Qatar on one hand and Saudi Arabia, the UAE, and Bahrain on the other, Pakistan, expectedly, desisted from taking sides, walking a diplomatic tightrope. Matters got worse when Imran Khan assumed power. He turned towards Turkey, with which the Saudis and Emiratis had strained relations due to its support for the Muslim Brotherhood. But Khan, together with Turkish President Erdogan and the then Malaysian Prime Minister, Mahathir Mohammed, mulled floating a Muslim platform parallel to the Saudi-led Organization of Islamic Cooperation.

THE GREAT PICKAXE CHALLENGE:

Can Trump Really Destroy Iran's Most Guarded Nuclear Fortress?

The war in Iran is at a critical crossroads. Ever since the fragile ceasefire broke when the US struck 80 targets in Iran on July 8, the scale and scope of the conflict have escalated rapidly. With the war not giving the US a decisive victory, President Donald Trump is now contemplating two options. Option 1 is to insert ground forces along the Southern Coast of Iran, possibly on Kharg Island and areas that dominate the two shoulders of the narrow Strait of Hormuz. However, most analysts opine that it would be a suicide mission, with landed troops being vulnerable to strong Iranian retaliation due to close proximity to Iran's mainland and the open and flat terrain that offers hardly any cover. The second option being considered is the destruction of a newly constructed nuclear facility buried deep in the Pickaxe Mountain, in close proximity to the Natanz Nuclear Plant. As per American intelligence estimates, this may be the place where Iran has kept 450 kilograms of highly enriched (60%) Uranium, which has been one of the points of contention in the current war. In fact, President Trump has expressed publicly more than once his desire to take out this facility. Speaking on a TV show on July 13, he said, "We have eyes on it, and Pickaxe Mountain is a possible target for a nice big fat shot right in the front door." He repeated it again on July 22, saying, "We'll be hitting the area pretty soon, and very heavily." The option to



strike the Pickaxe nuclear facility is not only tricky but also poses difficult questions. Can the US military destroy the Pickaxe nuclear facility? If yes, can this be the decisive blow that the US could consider a victory to walk away from the war? What are the precedents of such operations, and did they succeed at delivering a decisive blow? To answer some of these questions, it is important to explore the Pickaxe Mountain facility and the military options available to the US to 'obliterate' it completely. An Underground Fortress Pickaxe Mountain, also known in Iran as Kuh-e Kolang Gaz La, is a mid-size mountain around 1,680 metres above sea level and is a part of the Zagros Mountain Range. The nuclear site is a fortified underground facility, located around 220 km south of Tehran and about 2 km from Natanz, Iran's primary

nuclear enrichment facility. The entire complex is spread around one square kilometre of mountainside, constructed in a manner that gives very few options for a direct strike via air. To provide physical security, there is an extensive security fence around the mountain. Additional defences also include a hardened tunnel layered with reinforced concrete. The alignment of tunnels is designed in a manner such that they run horizontally and vertically at different angles, making it impossible for a direct strike to destroy the facility. A direct strike may thus seal off the entrance or bury part of the tunnel, but not more. Compared to other nuclear sites in Iran, Pickaxe is considerably newer as its construction started only after July 2020, after a sabotage operation destroyed an advanced centrifuge production plant at Natanz. Ali

Akbar Salehi, the then head of Iran's Atomic Energy Organization, had informed the Iranian Parliament's National Security Committee that Iran would build a new centrifuge assembly hall "in the heart of the mountain", which would be more secure than ever. Most of the assessments based on satellite imagery place the nuclear facility buried at least 100 metres underground, with some estimates putting it at even 145 metres, that too under concrete cover. This means that the minimum depth at which the plant could be located is at a depth of 300 feet. As per assessment based on high-resolution satellite imagery done by the Institute for Science and International Security in February 2026, there was an extensive effort to harden and defensively strengthen two of the tunnel entrances into the facility.

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Description of the Property: In Thiruvannamalai District, Cheyay Registration District, Vembakkam Sub-Registration Office, Vembakkam Taluk, Sunnaipatti 14 Village, Natham Patta No. 45, Old, S.No.312 New S.No.314/9 Of House And Site Property Measuring East To West 37 Feet And North To South 58 Feet; I.E., 2174 Sq.Feet North: Murgesan House; South: Mutha Koli Street; East: Sekar House; West: Durvan House.			Description of the Property: Virudhunagar Registration District, Kariyapatti Sub-Registration District, In Thoppor Village Habitation, Recorded Under Survey No. 191, Old Natham Survey No. 188/2, As Per The Current Sub-Division New Survey No. 68/8T, A House Plot Measuring 100.100, 1.E. 100 Sq.Metres, Four Boundaries: North - Suppammal's House And A 10-Feet-Wide Path; East - Pe. Manakki's House; South - Irulayi's House And Common Lane; West - Sangili's House And Common Lane. Bounded As Above. Market Value Rs. 29, 500/-. North: Suppammal Veedu 10 Adi Agala Paatha; South: Irulayi Veedu Pothuchandham; East: Pe. Manakki Veedu; West: Sangili Veedum Pothuchandham Itharkulaanathu.		
LAN: 106012672004 Original Lender: Northern ARC Capital Ltd. Date of Demand Notice: 05/06/2026 Trust Name: Arcil-Trust-2026-032	Chinnakannathal Annamalai / Banu Annamalai	Rs. 35,051.17/- as on 08.05.2026	LAN: 10600429486 Original Lender: Northern ARC Capital Ltd. Date of Demand Notice: 05/06/2026 Trust Name: Arcil-Trust-2026-032	Kumaraguru G / Kavitha / Veeralakshmi M	Rs. 7,05,512.88/- as on 08.05.2026
Description of the Property: A Vacant House Plot Measuring 506 Sq Ft. Herein, There Is No Building On It. Four Boundaries: North - Sivan Temple Plot; South - Chinnakuchandai Reddy's Plot; East - Ponnappa Reddy And Family's Plot; West - Thyaganava Mudali And Family's Plot. In The Middle, Four Boundary Dimensions: East-West 23 Feet, North-South 22 Feet, Total 506 Sq.Ft. (47 Sq.Metres), The Vacant House Plot Sold. North: Sivan Kovil Manai; South: Chinnakuchandai Reddy Manai; East: Ponnappa Reddy Vagaiyara Manai; West: Thyaganava Mudali Vagaiyara Manai.			Description of the Property: West Ramanaothapuram Registration District, Aruppukkottai Sub-Registration District, Ramanaothapuram District, In Kulasekharanallu Village Habitation, Boundaries: West - Dhanushkodi Thevar's House And Common Lane; East - Paramadhothavar's House And Mu. Kumarandi Thevar's House And Common Lane; North - Pooanatha Thevar's House And Common Lane; South - Within This Boundary, Measuring East-West 6 Stakes And North-South 5 Stakes, The Vacant House-Site Plot, Total 360 Sq.Ft, Land Standing In The 2Nd Year. The Said Land's Grama Natham 29/1 (Ground Rent), Survey No. 2. No. Tax Is Levied On The Said Land In The Panchayat Board. The Land Falls Within Thiruchuzhi Panchayat Union Limits. North: Mu. Kumarandhi Thevar Tukkkum Podhuchandhukkam; South: Pooanath Thevar Veetukkkum Podhuchandhukkam; East: Paramadhothavar Vee; West: Dhanushkodi Thevar Veetukkkum Podhuchandhukkam.		
LAN: 1801267493 Original Lender: Northern ARC Capital Ltd. Date of Demand Notice: 05/06/2026 Trust Name: Arcil-Trust-2026-032	Gopi Eswan / Gopi Deepashree	Rs. 6,78,196.31/- as on 08.05.2026	LAN: 106020262724 Original Lender: Northern ARC Capital Ltd. Date of Demand Notice: 05/06/2026 Trust Name: Arcil-Trust-2026-032	Ravichanderan G / Prabavathi G / Mariyasandhamary R	Rs. 8,16,700.89/- as on 08.05.2026
Description of the Property: The Property Being Settled Is Located In Vellore District, Arakkonam Taluk, Arakkonam Registration District, Within The Jurisdiction Of Arakkonam Sub-Registrar Office, No. 97, Parithiputhi Village, Survey No. 327/15, Plot No. 15, Measuring 858 Sq. Ft. This Includes A Tiled House And An Asbestos Sheet House. The Plot Measures 8 Meters (26 Feet) East-West On Both Sides And 10 Meters (33 Feet) North-South On Both Sides, Including 858 Sq. Ft. (79.71 Sq. Meters) Of Land. It Includes A Normal Tiled House, Approximately 25 Years Old, Measuring 10 Feet East-West And 29.5 Feet North-South, Totaling 295 Sq. Ft. (27.41 Sq. Meters). Additionally, There Is An A.C. Sheet House Measuring 6.5 Feet East-West And 29.5 Feet North-South, Totaling 191.75 Sq. Ft. (17.82 Sq. Meters). This Includes The Door, Door Frame, Windows, And All Fixtures, Electricity Connection No. 433 With Its Deposit, Panchayat Water Tap, And Bathroom. Possession Has Been Handled Over To The Recipient Today. The Door Number Is 144. The Said Property Is Within Parithiputhi Village Panchayat Limits And Nemili Panchayat Union Limits. North: Sabapathi Vacant Land; South: Street; East: Ranganathan Vacant Land; West: Govindaraj Vacant Land.			Description of the Property: West Ramnad Registration District, Sivakasi Sub-Registration District, Anupplakam Village, A.Pu. Survey No. 548, Wet Land (Neer), Out Of 4 Acres 16 Cents Subdivided Into Plots; I Hereby Convey To You Plot Nos. 28 And 29. Boundaries: East - 15-Feet-Wide North-South Public Road; West - Wet-Land Plot Nos. 38 And 39; South - Wet-Land Plot No. 27; North - Plot No. 30. Within This, East-West Width 45 Feet, North-South Width 48 Feet, A House-Site Plot Of 2160 Sq.Ft. Together With Common Access Pathway Rights. The Wet Land Falls Within Anupplakam Panchayat, Sivakasi Panchayat Union, In Doctor Ambekar Nagar. This Property Is Vacant Land; There Are No Buildings Or Structures. North: 30 Neer Plot; South: 27 Neer Plot; East: 15 Adi Akala Thenvadai Poadu Road; West: 38 Matrum 39 Neer Plots.		
LAN: 15002192935 Original Lender: Northern ARC Capital Ltd. Date of Demand Notice: 05/06/2026 Trust Name: Arcil-Trust-2026-032	Ponnusamy G / Selvi Ponnusamy	Rs. 5,76,206.61/- as on 08.05.2026	LAN: 15002230590 Original Lender: Northern ARC Capital Ltd. Date of Demand Notice: 05/06/2026 Trust Name: Arcil-Trust-2026-032	Seenivasan Vellaiyan / Kaliyammal Seenivasan	Rs. 16,72,280.63/- as on 08.05.2026
Description of the Property: All The Piece And Parcel Of Land Along With Building Bearing As Per Natham Maniavari Patta No.168, Comprised In The Old Natham S.No18 New Natham S.No.256/28, With Anexent 217.89 Sq.Ft, 20.25 Sq.Mtr, Situated At Kellaipunkundu, O.Kadamankulam Virudhunagar District With In The Kariapatti Registration Village, Virudhunagareregistration District North: Lane & Karupandeavar Vacant Land; South: East West Street; East: Periyasamy Land; West: Ayyanar Land.			Description of the Property: All The Piece And Parcel Of The Land Measuring 10 Cents, Together With A Residential Building To Be Constructed Thereon, Situate Within Thandyandennai Panchayat & Kariyapatti Panchayat Union Limits, Comprised In New Survey No.57/11A (Old Survey No.57/11) Of Vadakkupaliyampatti Village, Kariyapatti Taluk, Virudhunagar District North: (Vadakku) Petha Paathakkam; South: Thangapalu Thaanpuanjaka Saikkum; East: (Kizhaku) Mayaanar; West: Thangapalu Thaanpuanjaka Saikkum.		
LAN: 18004710359 Original Lender: Northern ARC Capital Ltd. Date of Demand Notice: 05/06/2026 Trust Name: Arcil-Trust-2026-032	Aa. Karuppusamy / Muthu Rakku	Rs. 8,10,154.70/- as on 08.05.2026	LAN: 18004710359 Original Lender: Northern ARC Capital Ltd. Date of Demand Notice: 05/06/2026 Trust Name: Arcil-Trust-2026-032	Muthulakshmi Murugan / Murugan	Rs. 9,02,886.71/- as on 08.05.2026
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Discussion on Mekedatu issue: CM Vijay received official invite from Karnataka, says minister

THANJAVUR: Tamil Nadu Agriculture Minister R Vinoth confirmed on Friday that Chief Minister C Joseph Vijay has received an official invitation from Karnataka and is likely to travel to the neighbouring state to protect Tamil Nadu's interests.

"Karnataka extended an official invitation to the Chief Minister (Vijay) to visit Karnataka," Vinoth told reporters here. It has been reported in a section of the media that CM Vijay is likely to visit Bengaluru on August 3. Vinoth clarified that the invite was extended exclusively to the chief minister.

When asked about the Bengaluru visit's agenda, he stated the objective is to "secure what is good for the people, what is good for Tamil Nadu."Addressing the



contentious Mekedatu dam project, Vinoth reiterated the state's uncompromising stance. "We have always stated this until now... we will never allow it to be constructed," he asserted.

The official invitation follows recent diplomatic overtures from Karnataka's leadership. On June 18, Karnataka Chief Minister D K Shivakumar publicly

expressed his readiness to hold discussions with CM Vijay on the Mekedatu issue at any time, urging both states to set politics aside. Subsequently, on June 20, Karnataka Major Irrigation Minister Ramalinga Reddy reiterated this stance, confirming Karnataka was open to bilateral dialogue if Tamil Nadu was willing to come to the table.

MADURAI: The Madurai Bench of the Madras High Court has directed the Tamil Nadu government to constitute a committee of senior officials to conduct a comprehensive inquiry into the manner in which candidates were sponsored by the District Employment Exchange for appointments under the priority category. While dismissing a batch of writ petitions filed by employees who were terminated after they were found to have secured appointments in various Town Panchayats and Municipalities in the erstwhile Tirunelveli district by allegedly using bogus disability certificates, Justice B Pugalendhi observed that, "These circumstances disclose either



a complete failure in the process of verification or a deeper systemic irregularity in the functioning of the Employment Exchange. In either event, the matter raises serious concerns touching upon the integrity and transparency of public recruitment."

"The Employment Exchanges are entrusted with the registration of job

seekers, sponsorship of eligible candidates against notified vacancies and maintenance of employment records. Thousands of aspiring candidates depend upon the fairness and impartiality of this mechanism for access to public employment. Any manipulation or batch failure in this process not only prejudices deserving candidates but also erodes

public confidence in the fairness of recruitment to public service," observed the Judge.

This Court takes note of the categorical statement made by the CB-CID in its status report that the investigation has revealed similar appointments in various other Municipalities based on disability certificates and that further investigation in respect thereof is presently in progress. The systemic deficiencies noticed in the present batch of cases, therefore, cannot be viewed as confined to the petitioners before this Court but appear to have wider ramifications affecting public recruitment through the Employment Exchanges, said the Judge.

According to the case, a

complaint lodged in 2015 alleged that several persons had obtained appointments as sanitary workers, overhead tank operators and junior assistants between 2005 and 2015 by producing fake disability certificates. The investigation was later transferred to the CB-CID. The investigation revealed that 103 persons had been appointed under the priority quota meant for persons with disabilities. A subsequent medical verification found that only 25 of them were genuinely persons with disabilities. The investigation also found that 13 government doctors had allegedly facilitated the issuance of National Disability Identity Cards on the basis of bogus medical certificates.

No sign of patch-up as CVe Shanmugam skips EPS meet

CHENNAI: Senior AIADMK leader and former minister CVe Shanmugam on Friday skipped the party's review meeting convened by general secretary Edappadi K Palaniswami, making clear his opposition to the party leadership. Palaniswami chaired a meeting with Villupuram district functionaries to review the party's performance in the recent Assembly elections and discuss organisational measures to strengthen the AIADMK. Shanmugam's absence has triggered fresh speculation about internal discord. His absence comes a day after former minister

SP Velumani stayed away from a similar review meeting. Party sources said Velumani is unhappy over Palaniswami's decision not to restore him as Coimbatore district secretary, a post he had earlier held. Despite Velumani's absence, several MLAs considered close to him—including Tiruttani MLA Ko Hari, Panruti MLA Mohan, Erode MLA Hari Bhaskar and Pappireddipatti MLA Maragatham Vettrivel—attended meetings chaired by Palaniswami, indicating changing political equations within the party.

Thiruma to lead July 27 stir for nationwide NEET scrapping, says Pradhan's days numbered

CHENNAI: VCK president Thirumavalavan on Friday (July 24) announced that the party would stage protests in all 234 Assembly constituencies across the State on July 27, demanding the resignation of Union Education Minister Dharmendra Pradhan and the abolition of NEET nationwide. Speaking to reporters at Chennai airport after returning from New Delhi, Thirumavalavan said Parliament had remained paralysed for the past five days over the alleged NEET question paper leak, which had affected lakhs of students, saying that



Pradhan's sacking was a matter of time. He alleged that Delhi Police

used excessive force against students, youth and civil society members protesting in the

national capital for over a month, seeking Pradhan's resignation. While the Centre had held talks with the protesters on Friday and sought two more days to respond, it had agreed to withdraw cases registered against them, he claimed. Reiterating that the VCK opposed NEET across India and not just in Tamil Nadu, Thirumavalavan urged the protesters to expand their demand beyond Pradhan's resignation and press for the complete abolition of the examination. Expressing confidence that the agitation would succeed, he said he believed the Narendra Modi-led Union government would remove Pradhan from office.

Senior DMK leader Senthilbalaji granted bail in TVK MLA horse-trading case

CHENNAI: Former DMK Minister V Senthilbalaji surrendered before the Principal Sessions Court in Chennai on Friday (July 24) and executed the bail bond as directed by the Madras High Court in the alleged cash-for-vote case. Senthilbalaji and his brother, RV Ashok Kumar, secured anticipatory bail from the HC in a case of MLA poaching filed against them. As per the High Court's order, they were directed to surrender before the Principal Sessions Court, Chennai, within 15 days of receiving a copy of the order and execute a personal bond for Rs 25,000 each, with two sureties for a like sum. They were also directed to appear before the Triplicane Police twice a day, at 10.30 am and 5.30

pm, and sign the register until further orders. Complying with the conditions, Senthilbalaji surrendered before Principal Sessions Judge S Karthikeyan, who accepted the bail bond and directed him to appear before the Triplicane Police at 10.30 am and 5.30 pm on Saturday (July 25, 2026). The case arose from a complaint lodged by TVK MLA N Elaiyaraja, alleging that one Thirunavukkarasu offered him Rs 35 crore to vote against the Speaker in the proposed non-confidence motion in the Assembly. Elaiyaraja claimed that after he rejected the offer, Thirunavukkarasu called him again and threatened him and his family with dire consequences if he disclosed the conversation.

LPL 2026: JAFFNA KINGS FRANCHISE AGREEMENT TERMINATED; SLC, IPG ASSUME DIRECT CONTROL OF TEAM

Organisers of the Lanka Premier League (LPL) have terminated the franchise agreement with the owners of Jaffna Kings, with Sri Lanka Cricket (SLC) and tournament rights holder IPG taking full financial and operational charge of the franchise to keep the tournament running as scheduled. The decision comes days after Jaffna Kings co-owner and former India Under-19 batter Manjot Kalra was arrested by Sri Lanka Police's Special Investigations Unit (SIU) for the Prevention of Offences Relating to Sports on suspicion of match-fixing on the day LPL 2026 commenced. Kalra was signed as a co-owner of the Jaffna Kings franchise along with entrepreneur Mayank Goel. IPG said the termination occurred due to the franchisee's inability to fulfill its financial obligations. Subsequently, all rights to the Jaffna Kings



franchise reverted to IPG, which has taken over full operational control of the team alongside SLC. The organisers confirmed that the ongoing sixth edition of the LPL will proceed as scheduled, with Jaffna Kings continuing under the same name and without any changes to the squad, format, or fixtures. "The termination follows the franchisee's inability to fulfil its financial obligations under the terms of the franchise agreement. As a result, all rights relating to the Jaffna Kings franchise

have reverted to IPG, which, together with Sri Lanka Cricket, has assumed full operational control of the team. "To ensure the uninterrupted operation of the franchise, IPG and Sri Lanka Cricket have taken complete responsibility for all player, coaching staff, and support staff contracts. The organisers also confirm that all logistical arrangements for the team have been secured, ensuring the squad remains intact for the tournament," said IPG in an official statement.

Commonwealth Games 2026: Indian Boxing Builds On Bright Start As 3 IIS Pugilists Enter Ring



Indian boxing has made an encouraging start to its Commonwealth Games campaign, with Lovlina Borgohain already assured of a medal after progressing directly to the women's 75kg semi-finals. Attention now turns to the next set of Indian contenders, with IIS-supported boxers Sachin Siwach, Preeti Pawar and Kapil Pokhariya. Sachin Siwach will be the first of the IIS trio to step into the ring, opening his men's 60kg campaign on 25 July, according to a press release. One of India's most accomplished amateur boxers, the 26-year-

old enters Glasgow in exceptional form after creating history as the first Indian male boxer to win gold at the 2025 World Boxing Cup Finals. He has continued that momentum this year with gold medals at the Grand Prix Usti nad Labem in the Czech Republic and the BOXAM Elite International Tournament in Spain, before claiming silver at the 2026 Asian Boxing Championships. Known for his technical precision and ring control, Siwach will be among India's strongest medal contenders in Glasgow.

PETITION TO REPLAY FIFA WORLD CUP FINAL STORMS INTERNET, SPAIN STAR REACTS



The FIFA World Cup 2026 final concluded with Spain securing a 1-0 victory against Argentina to win the title for the second time in their history. While the match ended with Spain clearly being the dominant side, the sending-off of Argentina midfielder Enzo Fernandez enabled La Roja to shift the momentum in their favour. Disheartened Argentina fans, however, have started an online petition demanding the final be replayed. The petition has reportedly garnered over 80,000 signatures. Now, this development has even reached Spain defender Pedro Porro. Speaking to Sport, Porro was asked what he thought about the online petition demanding a replay. He insisted he had not read anything about the matter, dismissing it as "just things said from the outside". The Tottenham Hotspur player further stated that these matters do not concern him personally. According to reports in Argentina, their fans believe several decisions went against the team in the final, and they want any replay handled by a different referee. Spain secured the 1-0 win after extra time, with Barcelona forward Ferran Torres scoring the decisive goal. The petition states that FIFA should review what

happened in the final to guarantee transparency and sporting fairness. However, there is no precedent for a World Cup final ever being replayed. Speaking on his personal ambitions, Porro said he still has a lot left to achieve. "There is still a lot for me to achieve," he said. "I am a player with great ambition, and I always seek to learn more. Everyone who knows me knows that I aspire to more." After an intense two-month period, Porro returned home from the World Cup, stating: "I was really looking forward to coming back." "Seeing all these people with me is the greatest gift, even winning the World Cup for them and for all the people who support me every day," he added. As FIFA investigates Argentina's conduct after the World Cup final, Spain coach Luis de la Fuente has described the incidents as "intolerable and unacceptable." FIFA asked one of its disciplinary prosecutors Monday to report back on testy on-field confrontations after Spain's 1-0 win in extra time Sunday to dethrone the defending champion. Argentina midfielder Leandro Paredes physically tangled with Spain players Eric Garcia and Gavi, and Spain captain Rodri was hit in the stomach as he ran past Argentina defender Nahuel

Molina. "It cannot be allowed," De la Fuente told Spanish public broadcaster TVE on Thursday, adding he did not see the incidents at the time while "celebrating with other people." "In any case, I find it intolerable and unacceptable from players of that caliber, whom I had been praising in the days before and who have a magnificent coach," the Spain coach said. FIFA has given no details of the remit for its investigator, or if witness statements could be sought from Spain players and staff. Argentina assistant coach Roberto Ayala apologized Wednesday for his confrontation with Dani Olmo, which he described as a shove and not a punch. De la Fuente praised his players in the TVE interview for how they handled the situation at MetLife Stadium. "I want to highlight our behavior in the face of that kind of aggression and provocation," the coach said. "Our players always kept their composure and behaved like true professionals." The Spain squad stood in a guard of honor for Argentina players walking to the podium to get their medals from U.S. President Donald Trump. Minutes later, when Rodri lifted the trophy, most of the Argentina squad turned their backs on the ceremonial moment.

Jaspreet Kaur: From an overweight software engineer to breaking powerlifting record at Khelo India Para Games 2025

A thunderous ovation reverberated across the JLN Stadium weightlifting auditorium as Punjab's Jaspreet Kaur set a new national record in powerlifting at the Khelo India Para Games 2025. Competing in the 45kg category, the 30-year-old from Punjab lifted an incredible 101kg on Sunday, surpassing her own previous best of 100kg recorded just a week earlier at the nationals. Jaspreet's journey to the top is nothing short of inspirational. Once an overweight software engineer who graduated from NIT Kozhikode, her mental resilience got her to lose 40kgs as she forayed into the sporting arena. "Doctors told me that my lower spine was getting pressed and that I needed to lose weight," Jaspreet told SAI Media. "That was a wake-up call. I



was weighing 80kg at the time during 2020 and my job as an engineer wanted me to sit for several hours. I was scared if it would lead me to be wheelchair-bound." For Jaspreet, powerlifting is more than a sport - it's a lifeline. "The game has chosen me, rather than me choosing the game. My weight loss

gave me powerlifting, and powerlifting gave me confidence. Now, I want to win a medal for India in the LA 2028 Paralympics and make headlines, just like my coach Rajinder sir did back at the Athens 2004 Paralympics where he won the bronze in para powerlifting," she said. Jaspreet explained she has a

tilted spine and being overweight causes the spinal points in the lumbar region to get pressed. As a result, she started getting misbalanced in the leg which was not impacted by polio. Struck by polio at the age of three, Jaspreet Kaur, who walks with the help of callipers now, returned to Punjab after quitting her job in 2020 and started her weight loss journey. Studies were also a key priority. "I started preparing for UPSC once I returned home and in seven months, cleared the pre-exams," she added. Her transformative fitness journey, over the course of one and a half years, relied solely on a disciplined diet. "I was my own nutritionist and I did all the studies and research on nutrition. My only goal was to lose weight and fix my hip issues. I cut

down fast food and sugar, drank warm water twice a day and ensured proper nutrition with desi ghee and four meals daily. Staying hungry weakens the liver, so I was careful," she elaborated. It wasn't until the end of 2022 that she stumbled upon Paralympics in general while reading newspapers. With a hunger to participate in the Games, Jaspreet called up fellow Punjab-based para-powerlifters and Paralympians Rajinder Singh Rahelu and Paramjeet Kumar. Inspired by their achievements, she decided to give the sport a shot. In her first nationals that same year, she lifted 70kg and clinched gold, earning a spot at the prestigious Sports Authority of India National Centre of Excellence in Gandhinagar.

India Star's Honest Confession On Vaibhav Sooryavanshi: "Smacked Us Like Anything In IPL"

The monkey was finally off Vaibhav Sooryavanshi's back as the youngster smashed a terrific fifty, his first in international cricket, against Zimbabwe in the first T20I in Harare on Thursday. The southpaw came out all guns blazing and smashed a historic half-century in just 18 balls. Though he fell on the very next delivery, he had virtually sealed the game for India by then in the paltry chase of 126 runs. The teenager smashed four fours and several sixes as the visitors took a 1-0 lead in the three-match series. The game also saw the return of pacer Mayank Yadav, who was named the Player of the Match for his bowling figures of 2 for 18 in four overs. After the contest, Mayank lavished praise on Sooryavanshi, recalling the 15-year-old batter's sensational hitting against his IPL franchise,



Lucknow Super Giants, earlier this year. "His batting is unbelievable. When I bowled to him, he played some shots that you can't expect from such a young player with so little experience. He always gives you a new experience and it's great to watch him," said Mayank. "I think he can go very far because the talent he has at this age is fabulous. I never imagined a 15-year-old guy would come and smash everyone like that. It's a great feeling to be in his

team now because in the IPL, when we were playing against him, he smacked us like anything," he added. Talking about Sooryavanshi's maiden international fifty, the fast bowler said, "I think it will be a very special moment for him. He didn't have very good matches in the last couple of series and now he has got his first half-century for the country. That's always a very special moment for any player, and especially for a 15-year-old kid.

West Indies Star Declines Selection, Refuses To Play Against Pakistan



West Indies head coach Darren Sammy has claimed that pacer Alzarri Joseph declined selection for the two Test home series against Pakistan beginning in Tarouba on Saturday. While announcing the squad for the series, Cricket West Indies said Joseph was unavailable due to personal reasons, Sammy divulged

more details on the subject. "Yeah, it is a big loss. Mr Joseph has declined selection. That's the reality of the situation," Sammy said at a press interaction ahead of the series opener. "He was selected. I mean, he's now coming back from injury. And for reasons since, he has declined the selection. That is a decision that is

way over my head. I leave that with the directors to come up with whatever solutions where contracted players get to decline selection," said the coach. Joseph has played 42 Tests for the West Indies, picking 130 wickets. He has played across formats for the regional team. Despite Joseph's absence, Sammy remains confident of his side's bowling abilities. The attack includes Shamar Joseph, Kemar Roach, Jayden Seales and allrounders Justin Greaves and Keemo Paul. Spin options include Jomel Warrican, rookie Joshua Bishop and captain Roston Chase. "What I could tell you (is that) we have a bowling line-up that we've seen that could take 20 wickets.

Estoril Open: Andrey Rublev Surges To Dominant Win; Jaime Faria Reaches Quarterfinals



Andrey Rublev lost just two games to earn his most comfortable win of the season on Thursday, beating lucky loser Timofey Skatov 6-1, 6-1 for a dominant and emphatic victory in the Estoril Open in Portugal. Top seed Rublev started his campaign at the ATP 250 event high in confidence, having captured his first title of the year and 18th overall on the clay in Bastad. Under the Portuguese sun, the 28-year-old hit through the World No. 163 Skatov and sealed victory in just 59 minutes when he struck his 26th winner off a Skatov second serve. The No. 14 player in the ATP Rankings, Rublev, has now won his past five matches and is into his seventh tour-level quarterfinal of the season, according to the ATP Win/Loss Index. "I am happy to be here. It is my first time," Rublev said. "The conditions are not

easy to play in, but I feel great that I was able to win in straight sets, to be able to spend the least time on court and be as fresh as possible for tomorrow." Rublev will next meet Frenchman Luca Van Assche, who overcame eighth seed Pablo Carreno Busta 6-3, 4-6, 6-2. Carreno Busta was trying to advance to his first ATP Tour quarterfinal since Winston-Salem in 2024, but it was Van Assche who had the answers down the home straight. The 22-year-old Van Assche holds a 0-3 record in the last eight at tour-level events but will hope to change that and reach his first semi-final when he plays Rublev. Earlier this season, Van Assche lifted an ATP Challenger trophy on clay in Parma. In other action, Portugal's Jaime Faria delighted home fans with a 6-2, 6-4 victory against Peruvian qualifier Gonzalo Bueno.



India's F1 Push: Sports Ministry Grants NSF Status To Motor-Sport Body FMSCI

The Sports Ministry has provisionally granted the status of National Sports Federation (NSF) to the Federation of Motor Sports Clubs of India (FMSCI), a significant upgrade for the body that is coordinating with the government to bring Formula 1 back to the country. The FMSCI had applied for recognition on June 11 this year and the approval of its request means that it would now be eligible for financial grants from the ministry. "...the request of Federation of Motor Sports Clubs of India (FMSCI) for provisional recognition as National Sports Federation (NSF) has been considered and it has been decided to grant provisional recognition to FMSCI as an NSF with effect from

the date of issue of this letter," the Ministry order dated July 23 stated. The Ministry has asked FMSCI, which is based in Chennai and headed by Arindam Ghosh, to amend its constitution/Memorandum of Association (MoA) to conform with the provisions of the National Sports Governance Act and the rules framed in it within stipulated time-limits. FMSCI has been in regular talks with the ministry on not just the issue of recognition but to also chart the way forward for F1's India comeback. To grant recognition to the body which came into existence in 1971, the government has relaxed some norms related to the minimum state units affiliation required for NSF status. The

Ministry also stated that it will revoke the recognition if the body fails to comply with its guidelines on financial probity, anti-doping measures, governance structure or if it indulges in misrepresentation of facts. Last month, Sports Minister Manuskh Mandaviya had announced that a Task Force would be instituted "as soon as possible" to assess the challenges and benefits of hosting major motorsport events here. The Task Force will evaluate the economic, tourism, and investment benefits arising from hosting major motorsport events in India and also identify key priorities, infrastructure requirements, and operational needs for the sustainable development of the sector.

COOL BIRTHDAY POSTER FROM VIJAY ANTONY’S NANNA KUTTI

Versatile Star Vijay Antony, who is known for selecting meaningful and content-oriented films, is all set to entertain audiences with another emotional story. Following the positive response to his socially relevant film Vanda Devullu, he is now coming up with Nanna Kutti, an action-family drama directed by Mu. Maran. The film is produced by Meera Vijay Antony under the Vijay Antony Film Corporation banner, with Ramanjaneyulu Javvaji of Sarvanth Ram Creations serving as co-producer. The shoot has been completed

successfully. On the occasion of Vijay Antony's birthday, the makers released a new poster that highlights the heart-warming bond between a father and his daughter. The poster features Vijay Antony in a simple and relatable avatar, carrying his daughter's school bag and lunch box while sharing a cheerful smile with her. It perfectly

reflects the film's emotional core and family-friendly theme. The earlier promotional material had already created good interest, and this birthday special poster has further increased the excitement surrounding the film. Nanna Kutti features Preethi Asrani, Lithanya, Bhagavathi Perumal, Haripriya Isai, Aruvi Madhan, Chithra Lakshmanan, Sreeja Ravi,

Vettai Muthukumar, Jensen Divakar, Muruganandam, Munnar Ramesh, Lissy Antony, Kumar Natarajan, Vijayan, Praveena, Haritha, and several others in key roles. The film's cinematography is handled by Rajeev Rajendran, while Vijay Antony has composed the music and taken care of the editing. A. Raja is the production designer. Packed with action, family emotions, touching drama, soulful music, and an engaging narrative, Nanna Kutti promises to deliver a heartwarming and memorable experience on the big screen.



NARA ROHITH NEW FILM



Rohith Nara is currently starring in a psychological horror thriller set against a police backdrop, with Raam Ganni directing the project. The film is produced by Kalyana Chakravarthy Manthina and Bhanu Kiran Pratapa under the Saptas Aswa Media Works banner, with Vijay Krishna Lingamaneni presenting it. Hansika Motwani plays the female lead. Marking Rohith Nara's birthday, the makers unveiled the film's title along with its striking first-look poster. The film has been powerfully titled Kapaali, which means the one who wears a skull. Interestingly, the first-look poster is designed to perfectly reflect the essence of the title. Rohith Nara sports an intense and determined expression as he gazes

upward, suggesting that his character is confronting an unseen force. His thick beard and haunting eyes immediately command attention. Adding to the eerie atmosphere, twisted tree branches rise like a crown from his head, symbolizing a mystical connection. Behind him, mysterious ancient symbols form a circular pattern, reinforcing the film's occult and mythological undertones. The tagline, "A Journey Into The Unknown," perfectly complements the unsettling visual. In the foreground stands a terrifying female figure with glowing red eyes, hinting at a powerful supernatural presence. Beside her are police officers, including one carrying a rifle, while a police transport vehicle is positioned atop a glowing ritual circle.

FARIA ABDULLAH TURNS HEADS IN CUSTOM DENIM SAREE



Faria Abdullah is making a bold style statement, and this look proves it. The actress was recently spotted for Dance Ikon Season 2, dressed in a custom-made denim saree paired with a statement belt, layered bracelets, and chunky boots. The edgy, high-fashion twist on a tradi-

tional saree gave the outfit a striking, modern look, and fans could not stop admiring her confidence. On the work front, Faria was last seen in the film Gaayapadda Simham. She is now gearing up for her next project, a Tamil film titled Sigma, keeping fans excited for what's coming next.

VICTORY VENKATESH, NANDAMURI KALYAN RAM, ANIL RAVIPUDI#VENKYANIL5 (#NKRAR2)-FIRST SCHEDULE SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED

Victory Venkatesh, Nandamuri Kalyan Ram and blockbuster director Anil Ravipudi have teamed up for the much-awaited #VenkyAnil5 (#NKRAR2). Produced by Sahu Garapati on a grand scale under the banner 'Shine Screens', this ambitious film is presented by Suresh Productions, Smt. Archana and Zee Studios. The first schedule of this film has been successfully completed. A special set was built in Hyderabad for this schedule. Venkatesh, Nandamuri Kalyan Ram, Keerthy Suresh and Kriti Shetty participated in the shooting. In this schedule, a crucial talkie part and a wonderful song were shot. Many important scenes



were shot. These episodes will be the highlights of the film. The already released Kalyan Ram poster has received a wonderful response. Anil Ravipudi's creative promotions have already raised expectations. Keerthy Suresh is playing

the female lead opposite Venkatesh in this film, while Kriti Shetty is acting opposite Kalyan Ram. A strong technical team is working on this film. G.V. Prakash Kumar is composing the music, Sameer Reddy is handling the cinematography, Tammiraju is editing, and A.S.

Prakash is the production designer. S. Krishna is the executive producer. #VenkyAnil5 / #NKRAR2 Anil Ravipudi is a trademark entertainer of mark entertainment, family emotions, festival. This The film is set to have a grand release for Sankranthi 2027.

'KARMAKHYA' TRAILER IS AMAZING. LADY SUPERSTAR VIJAYASHANTI



Karmakhya' is a thriller directed by Abhinaya Krishna starring Samaira, Samuthirakani and Abhirami in the lead roles. Vaddepalli Sri Vaninath and Yashwanth Raj are producing this film under the banner of My Film Productions PVT LTD. The first look, teaser and songs that have already been released have received a wonderful response. The

film will be released grandly on July 31. The makers have recently launched the trailer. Lady Superstar Vijayashanti was the chief guest at this event. Speaking at the trailer launch event, Lady Superstar Vijayashanti said... Hello everyone. I really liked the title of this film. When I first heard the title 'Karmakhya', it seemed very powerful. Kamakhya

is powerful. I thought it would definitely be a success. But for some reason, they have now named it 'Karmakhya'. The name of the Ammavaru is also in it. Abhi doesn't need to shave his head. The film will definitely be a hit. Recently, people are coming into the industry with good subjects. In fact, there is courage and subject in small films.

A Mother's Happiness Should Never Need Permission: On the Eve of Vijay Antony's Birthday, Telugu ZEE5 Announces Vanda Devullu's OTT Premiere

On the eve of Vijay Antony's birthday, Telugu ZEE5 has announced the OTT premiere of Vanda Devullu, an emotionally moving family drama inspired by true events. Following an appreciated theatrical run, the film is now set to make its digital premiere on Telugu ZEE5 this August. The official streaming date will be announced soon. The announcement comes at an exciting time for Telugu ZEE5, as Parimala & Co. has emerged as a favourite among family audiences after its recent premiere on the platform. Starring Jayaram and Urvashi, the entertainer exceeded expectations with its quirky humour and relatable characters, striking a chord with both family viewers and comedy lovers alike. Its success further reinforces Telugu



ZEE5's commitment to bringing rooted, relatable and wholesome family entertainment to audiences. Now, Telugu ZEE5 looks to carry that momentum forward with Vanda Devullu—another film that brings families together, but with a completely different emotional core. Inspired by true events, Vanda Devullu revolves

around a widowed mother who has spent years putting her son and family ahead of herself. In her mid-forties, when she finally considers getting married again and finding companionship, her decision faces resistance from relatives, villagers and a society that believes a mother's life should always revolve around her family.

Pranitha Subhash Serves Glamour In Elegant White Look

Pranitha Subhash is turning heads once again with her latest photo, and this time she looks absolutely stunning in a white outfit paired with statement jewellery. The actress-turned-model has been giving back-to-back glamour doses lately, proving that her style game is stronger than ever. Interestingly, Pranitha has stayed away from films for nearly two years now. But that hasn't stopped her from staying in the spotlight.

RAKUL PREET SINGH DITCHES VINTAGE FOR CLASSY LOOK

Rakul Preet Singh is all set to amaze fans in her upcoming role as Surpanakha in the much-awaited epic Ramayana, directed by Nitesh Tiwari, starring Ranbir Kapoor as Lord Rama, Sai Pallavi as Sita, and Yash as Ravana. Rakul joins a stellar ensemble cast, and her casting as Surpanakha has already got fans curious about her look and screen presence in the mythological drama. Meanwhile, for a recent photoshoot, Rakul skipped the usual vintage, traditional vibe and went for something bold and classy instead. She rocked a ruched, high-neck teal bodycon dress with a sleek

high ponytail and statement earrings, giving off a modern, chic energy rather than the expected old-world glam. In other news, the Ramayana trailer, expected to premiere on July 24, has now been postponed. Producer Namit Malhotra announced the decision just hours before the makers were set to take the stage at the Ramayana panel at San Diego Comic-Con 2026, revealing that the trailer will now launch globally at a later date following the team's partnership with Sony Pictures Entertainment. Rakul Preet Singh and Jacky Bhagnani may come from the same film industry, but

the actor says marriage has not turned them into creative advisers for each other. Instead, the couple has found common ground away from cinema, building businesses rooted in fitness, nutrition and preventive wellness. Speaking at the News18 Rising Bharat Summit, Bengaluru Edition, Rakul opened up about her marriage, her entrepreneurial partnership with Jacky and the health-focused ventures she has developed over the past decade. Reflecting on nearly two-and-a-half years of marriage, Rakul said the transition into this new phase of their relationship had felt surprisingly natural.

