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Repeated Pregnancy Losses Overcome with Laparoscopic Surgery, Healthy Baby Born After Third Pregnancy



HYDERABAD, August 21, 2026:

- Woman with previous failed McDonald cerclage undergoes laparoscopic trans-abdominal cerclage at 14 weeks;

KIMS Cuddles Secunderabad doctors successfully carry pregnancy to term

Doctors at KIMS Cuddles, Secunderabad, have successfully managed a high-risk pregnancy in a woman with a history of two consecutive second-trimester pregnancy losses, enabling her to carry her third pregnancy to term and deliver a healthy baby boy. The patient, who had previously undergone a conventional vaginal McDonald cerclage that failed to prevent pregnancy loss, underwent a laparoscopic trans-abdominal cerclage (TAC) at 14 weeks of gestation. The procedure was performed by Dr N. Bindu Priya, Senior Consultant and Lead Urogynaecologist, along with Dr Sindhura and Dr Sai Snehitha. The woman had lost her first pregnancy at 16 weeks and her second at 18 weeks. During her second pregnancy, a McDonald cerclage had been placed through the vaginal route to reinforce the cervix. However, despite the intervention, the pregnancy could not be sustained. Explaining the condition, Dr Bindu Priya said some women have a weakened cervix that is unable to remain closed as the pregnancy progresses. This condition, known as cervical insufficiency, can cause the cervix to open prematurely without significant pain or contractions, potentially resulting in a miscarriage or extremely preterm delivery during the second trimester. “Given the history of recurrent second-trimester pregnancy losses and failure of a previous vaginal cerclage, we opted for a laparoscopic trans-abdominal cerclage

at 14 weeks in this pregnancy. The stitch was placed at the junction of the uterus and cervix to provide stronger support and prevent premature opening of the cervix,” she said. Unlike conventional open surgery, the laparoscopic approach involves making small incisions through which specialised instruments are inserted. The suture placed around the cervico-uterine junction acts as a strong supportive band, helping the cervix remain closed throughout the pregnancy. Following the procedure, the patient was closely monitored throughout the pregnancy. She subsequently completed the full term of pregnancy and delivered a healthy baby boy. Dr Bindu Priya said that trans-abdominal cerclage can be considered in carefully selected patients, particularly those with a history of second-trimester losses and failure of a previous vaginal cerclage. “Women who have experienced recurrent pregnancy losses in the second trimester should undergo evaluation and receive specialised care in subsequent pregnancies. In appropriately selected cases where a conventional cerclage has failed, trans-abdominal cerclage may offer an opportunity to improve the chances of sustaining,” she said. The doctors emphasised that the choice of cerclage and the timing of intervention should be individualised based on the woman's previous pregnancy history, cervical condition and overall clinical assessment. The medical team advised women with a history of repeated pregnancy losses, particularly those occurring around the third or fourth month of pregnancy and beyond, to seek specialist consultation early in their next pregnancy for appropriate evaluation and monitoring.

Football Tournament Final Match Inaugurated at Chardang Ground in Udhwa



Udhwa: The final match of a football tournament organized at Chardang Ground under Atapur Panchayat in Udhwa block was inaugurated by MLA representative Mohammad Maruf, popularly known as Guddu. During the inauguration, Maruf interacted with the players, encouraged them and wished both teams success while urging them to display their best performance in the true spirit of sportsmanship. The final match generated considerable excitement among players and football enthusiasts. A large number of local residents gathered at the ground to watch the contest. During the inaugural ceremony, the guests encouraged local youth to pursue sports and develop their talent through regular participation and hard work.

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NOTICE TO THE BORROWER INFORMING ABOUT SALE (30 DAYS' NOTICE) 8 (6) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002

To:

S.No **Particulars of Borrowers /Guarantors**

- Krupakar Ganduri S/O.Satyanarayana**, Aged About: 49 Years, Occ: Business-G Shopping Mall, R/O.H.No:1-6-141/5, Ward No.2, Suryapet Town And District. Pincode: 508213. Cell No: 9642731733. **(Borrower)**
- Ganduri Pavani W/O. Krupakar Ganduri**, Aged About: 38 Years, Occ: House Wife, R/O.H.No:1-6-141/5, Ward No.2, Vidya Nagar, Suryapet Town And District. Pincode: 508213. Cell No: 9133414326. **(Guarantor)**
- Ganduri Sudheer S/O.Ganduri Satyanarayana**, Aged About: 37 Years, Occ: Business- R/O.H.No:1-6-141/5/2/2, Ward No.2, Vidya Nagar, Suryapet Town And District. Pincode: 508213. Cell No: 929999460. **(Guarantor)**

Sub: Sale of property belonging to **KRUPAKAR GANDURI (BORROWER)** in the account of **SRYPYTF1203170002** for realization of amount due to Shiriram Finance Limited under The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. Shiriram Finance Limited, Suryapet- Branch, the secured creditor caused a demand notice dated **17.09.2024** under section 13(2) of The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, calling upon you to pay **Rs.25,37,435/- (Rupees Twenty Five Lakhs Thirty Seven Thousand Four Hundred Thirty Five Only)** within the time stipulated period therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the stipulated period, the Authorized Officer, has taken symbolic procession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **23.07.2026**. Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to Shiriram Finance Limited. As such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days from the date of receipt to this notice through online mode. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately. Therefore, if you pay the amount due to Shiriram Finance Limited along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by Shiriram Finance Limited before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated in sec.13(8) of the Act.

Schedule of Property: (Property holder Name is **Krupakar Ganduri** Mortgage deed dated 18.03.2021 Registered as Document No.5248/2021 on the file of the office of Sub-Registrar at (Suryapet))
GANDURI KRUPAKAR S/O.GANDURI SATYANARAYANA, RESIDENTIAL HOUSE BEARING DOOR NO.3-7-143 [PRESENTLY HOUSE IS DISMANTLED] To An Extent Of 510 Square Yards Or 426.42 Sq.Mtrs Situated At Rajeev Nagar, Within The Limits Of Suryapet Municipality, Suryapet District, Under So.Suryapet. Document No.5248 Of 2021. **Bounded On** The: North: 19 Feet Road, South: 19 Feet Road, East: House Of Tangella Laxman Raju [Presently Property Of P Babu], West: Houses Of Velguri Somulu And B.Peda Gyanamma. [Presently Property Of V Sowjanya].

Date: 17.08.2026, Place: Miryalaguda **Sd/- Authorised Officer, Shiriram Finance Limited**

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Website: <http://www.shriramfinance.in/auction>
Branch Office Address: Shiriram Finance Ltd.,H.No.17-271, Cloth Merchants Ass. Building, Near M.M. Court, Devarakonda Nalgonda Dist., 508 248.

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To:

S.No **Particulars of Borrowers /Guarantors**

- Rajupurohit Vinod Singh, S/O.Rp Arjun Singh**, Aged About:32 Years, Occ:Business-Vinod Mobile Shop, R/O.H.No: 20-40/1, Gandhi Nagar, Devarakonda Town And Mandal, Nalgonda District. Pincode:508248. Cell No:900996534. **(Borrower)**
- Rajupurohit Krishna, W/O. Rajupurohit Vinod Singh**, Aged About:31 Years, Occ:Business, R/O.H.No: 20-40/1, Gandhi Nagar, Devarakonda Town And Mandal, Nalgonda District. Pincode:508248. Cell No:9133118143. **(Co Borrower /Guarantor)**
- Prashanth Eslavathi, S/O.Eslavathi Hanumanthu**, Aged About:24 Years, Occ:Business, R/O.H.No: 8-3-107/A4-14/2esa, Kharamangla, Indrasena Reddy, Saroor Nagar, Rangareddy District. Pincode:500079. Cell No:7005403238. **(Guarantor)**

Sub: Sale of property belonging to **RAJUPUROHIT VINOD SINGH (BORROWER)** in the account of **DEVKOTTF2303180003** for realization of amount due to Shiriram Finance Limited under The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, calling upon you to pay **Rs.2152490-00, (Rupees TwentyOne Lakh FiftyTwo Thousand Four Hundred Ninety Only)** within the time stipulated period therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the stipulated period, the Authorized Officer, has taken symbolic procession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **17/07/2026**. Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to Shiriram Finance Limited. As such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days from the date of receipt to this notice through online mode. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately. Therefore, if you pay the amount due to Shiriram Finance Limited along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by Shiriram Finance Limited before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated in sec.13(8) of the Act.

Schedule of Property: (Property holder Name is **RAJUPUROHIT VINOD SINGH** Mortgage deed dated 18.03.2023 Registered as Document No.2269 Of 2023 on the file of the office of Sub-Registrar at (DEVARAKONDA)
All That The Mungli In Plot No.8, Within Syno:216/C/2 (Part) Measuring 122.22 Sq.Yards=102.2 Sq.Yards=102.2 Sq.Yards Situated At Konda Bhemmanapally Village Of Devarakonda Mandal, Nalgonda District. - North: Open Place Of Chedella, Venkateswarlu And Konda Laxmaiah. **South:** Devarakonda-Mahabubnagar Pwd Road, **East:** Plot No.9, **West:** Plot No.7

Date: 17.08.2026, Place: Nalgonda **Sd/- Authorised Officer, Shiriram Finance Limited**

Sd/-
(Authorized Officer) (Sharvanu Dutta)
Utkarsh Small Finance Bank Ltd.

NIWAS HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED

(Formerly, Niwas Housing Finance Private Limited)

Regd. Office:- A-1, 6th Floor, Trade Star, Andheri Kurla Road, J B Nagar, Andheri (E), Mumbai - 400059.

POSSESSION NOTICE [Rule 8 (1) and (2)]

Whereas, The Authorized Officer of the Secured Creditor mentioned herein, under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest (Act), 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with (Rule 3) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice calling upon the borrower(s) to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from-the-date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower(s) having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower(s) and the public in general that the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of NHFL has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under sub-section (4) of section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on the date mentioned against each property.

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

The borrower(s) in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the NHFL for the amount mentioned below and interest and other charges thereon.

Loan Account Number	Borrower(s) & Property Details	Amount & Date of Demand Notice	Date of Possession	Possession Status
LNKUR0HL-08240046210	1.MAHESH . (BORROWER) 2.RAMALAXMI B(CO-BORROWER)	Rs. 7,32,986/- (Rupees Seven Lakh ThirtyTwo Thousand Nine Hundred EightySix Only) DATE: 18-May-2026	19-Aug-2026	SYMBOLIC POSSESSION

PROPERTY BEARING :- ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL OF THE PROPERTY BEARING H.NO.5-30, MADDELABANDA VILLAGE MALDAKAL MANDAL, JOGULAMBA GADWAL DISTRICT, MAHABUBNAGAR, TELANGANA-509132. ADMEASURING 74.6 SQ.YARDS OR 62.42 SFT, BUILD AREA 368 SFT THE FOLLOWING BOUNDARIES ARE EAST : RASTHA AND SITE OF PARAMAESH, WEST : HOUSE OF MANYAMBAI SAVARANNA, NORTH : HOUSE OF YELKANNA, SOUTH : ROAD AND HOUSE OF SMT SUJATHA

Date: 22-08-2026
Place: Telangana

Sd/- Authorized Officer
NIWAS HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED

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To:

S.No **Particulars of Borrowers /Guarantors**

- Ravulakollu Rajitha, W/O Dayakar**, Age:33 Years Occ: Business R/O H.No: 2-140/A Bc Colony Kudakuda Chivvemla Mdl Suryapet Dist-508213 Cell: 9848518748. **(Borrower)**
- Ravulakollu Dayakar, S/O Narasimham**, Age: 38years Occ: Business R/O H.No: 2-140/A Kuda Kuda Chivvemla Bc Colony Suryapet -508213 Cell: 9849518748. **(Guarantor)**
- Donvan Hari Krishna, S/O Thara Singh**, Age: 39years, Occ: Business, R/O H.No: 1-6-141/48/C7/1, Sri Ram Nagar, Near Vidyarthi Bandhuvu School , Ward No-7, Suryapet-508213 Cell: 9010690003. **(Guarantor)**

Sub: Sale of property belonging to **RAVULAKOLLU RAJITHA (BORROWER)** in the account of **SRYPYTF1903200003** for realization of amount due to Shiriram Finance Limited under The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. Shiriram Finance Limited, Suryapet- Branch, the secured creditor caused a demand notice dated **13.01.2026** under section 13(2) of The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, calling upon you to pay **Rs.2595851/- (Rupees TwentyNine Lakh FiftyNine Thousand Eight Hundred FiftyOne Only)** within the time stipulated period therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the stipulated period, the Authorized Officer, has taken symbolic procession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **23.07.2026**. Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to Shiriram Finance Limited. As such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days from the date of receipt to this notice through online mode. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately. Therefore, if you pay the amount due to Shiriram Finance Limited along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by Shiriram Finance Limited before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated in sec.13(8) of the Act.

Schedule of Property: (Property holder Name is **Ravulakollu Rajitha** Mortgage deed dated 27.03.2019 Registered as Document No.826/2019 on the file of the office of Sub-Registrar at (Chivvemla))
All That The Open House Plot Within Sy.No. 243/2 And 243/Ee Measuring 816.75 Sq.Yards =682.90 Sq.Mtrs Situated At Kudukuda Revenue Village Of Chivvemla Mandal Suryapet District: North: Open Place Of Venkanna And Canal. South: Open Place Of Maridai Angalalu, East: Canal Road, West: Open Place Of Maridai Venkanna.

Date: 17.08.2026, Place: Miryalaguda **Sd/- Authorised Officer, Shiriram Finance Limited**

IKF Home Finance Limited
Equinox by Phoenix-Tower 3, 10th Floor, Diamond Hills, Lumbini Avenue, Rai Durg, Gachibowli, Hyderabad Telangana - 500081

POSSESSION NOTICE FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY [(Appendix IV) Rule8(1)]

WHEREAS the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **IKF Home Finance Ltd.** (hereinafter referred to as "IKF") under Secutisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 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 Notice dated mentioned below under Section 13(2) of the said Act calling upon you being the borrowers (names mentioned below) to repay the amount mentioned in the said notice and interest thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrowers mentioned herein below having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers mentioned herein below and to the public in general that the undersigned has taken Possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on me under sub-section (4) of Section 13 of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. The borrowers mentioned herein are above in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with said property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of "IKF" for an amount as mentioned herein under and interest thereon.

Sl. No	Name of the Borrower(s) / Guarantor(S) LAN	Description of the Property / Secured Asset	Demand Notice Date & Amount	Date of Possession
1	1. Mr./Mrs. Karthik Kondroju 2. Mr./Mrs. Sunitha Kondroju Add: H.No. 1- 75/1 Mahammadapur 1 Duggondi Mandal Warangal, Telangana, India- 506331	All that theRCC House with open place bearing H.No.1-75/1, in Ward No.1, admeasuring to an extent of 436.75 Sq. Yards or 365.16 Sq. Meters, includingplinth area 313.74 Sq. Feet, situated at Mahammadapur Revenue Village and Gramapanchayat, Duggondi Mandal, Warangal District, Telangana, India-506331	20-01-2026 Rs. 4,32,882/- (Rupees Four lakh Thirty Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty Two Only)	18-08-2026
1	1. Mr./Mrs. Karthik Kondroju 2. Mr./Mrs. Sunitha Kondroju Add: H.No.3-59/1,mahammadapur, Warangal, Telangana, India Also at: H.No: 1-75/1, Ward No: 1, Mahammadapur Village, Duggondi Mandal -506331	All that piece and parcel of the Land and Building bearing H.No. 1-75/1, Ward No.1, Situated at Mahammadapur Grama panchayath and village, Duggondi Mandal, Warangal District, Telangana. Comprised in Land Measuring an extent of 436.75 Sq.yards, 365.16 Sq.mtrs, R.C.C Plinth Area of 313.74 and "Bounded on The North by: Way to A. Bikhshapathi house, South by: Open Place Of K. Satyanarayana, East by: Road G.P Road, West by: Open Place of A. Bikhshapathi	18-12-2025 Rs. 6,18,115/- (Rupees Six lakh Eighteen Thousand One Hundred Fifteen Only),	18-08-2026

Place: Telangana
Date : 28-07-2026

UNITY SMALL FINANCE BANK LIMITED
5th Floor, Tower 1, Seawoods Grand Central, Sec-40, Seawoods, above Seawoods Darave Railway Station, Navi Mumbai - 400 706

POSSESSION NOTICE

(Under Rule 8 (1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002)

Whereas the undersigned being the authorized officer of **Unity Small Finance Bank Limited** (hereinafter referred to as "USFBL"), Having its registered office at 5th Floor, Tower 1, Seawoods Grand Central, Sec-40, Seawoods, above Seawoods Darave Railway Station, Navi Mumbai - 400 706 under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002), and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notice dated mentioned below under Section 13(2) of the said Act calling upon you being the borrowers (names and addresses mentioned below) to repay the amount mentioned in the said notice and interest thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrower mentioned herein below having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers mentioned herein below and to the public in general that undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on me under sub section (4) of section 13 of the Act read with the Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. The borrowers mentioned here in above in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the said property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the Charge of **Unity Small Finance Bank Limited** for an amount as mentioned herein under and interest thereon. The Borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower(s)/ Co-Borrower (s)	Description of Immovable Properties is as Under	Demand Notice Date & Amount	Date of Possession
1	Loan A/C. No(S) : USFBHYDL0AN000005015290, USFBHYDMSME000002834 & USFBHYDGCTL000008307 1. Swarna Agro (Borrower) Represented Through By Swarna Devi Kosaraju 2. Nishank Kosaraju (Co-Borrower & Mortgage) 3. Swarna Devi Kosaraju (Co-Borrower) 4. Kosaraju Venkateswararao (Co-Borrower) Add For Sr. No. 1 : H No 7- 129/4, Marribandam, Nuzvid, Eluru District Krishna, Andhra Pradesh 521111 Also, At: Flat No. 401, Entire Fourth Floor Of Swarna Kuter, Plot No. P- 66, In Survey No. 254 & 256, Situated At Manchirevula Village Under Narsingi Municipality, Gandipet Mandal, Rangda Reddy District, T.S., And Bounded By: Boundaries (As Per Mortgage/Sale Document); East : Open To Sky, West : Open To Sky And Staircase, North : Open To Sky, South : Open To Sky Property 2 :- All That Piece And Parcel Of Immovable Property Entire Finished Flat Bearing H.No. 601 Entire Sixth Floor Of "Swarnakuter", With A Super Built Up Area Of 1998 Square Feet, Including Common Areas And One Car Parking Spaces, Along With Proportionate Undivided Share Of Land Admeasuring 41.00 Square Yards, Out Of Total Admeasuring 238 Square Yards Or Equivalent To 198.96 Square Meters, Plot No. P-66, In Survey No. 254 & 256 Situated At Manchirevula Village, Under Narsingi Municipality, Gandipet Mandal, Rangda Reddy District, T.S., And Bounded By: Boundaries (As Per Mortgage/Sale Document); East : Open To Sky, West : Open To Sky And Staircase, North : Corridor And Open Sky, South : Open To Sky. Property 3 :- All That Piece And Parcel Of Immovable Property Finished Flat Bearing No. 501 Entire Fifth Floor Of "Swarnakuter", With A Super Built Up Area Of 2892 Square Feet, Including Common Areas And Two Car Parking Spaces, Along With Proportionate Undivided Share Of Land Admeasuring 41.00 Square Yards, Plot No. P-66, In Survey No. 254 & 256 Situated At Manchirevula Village, Under Narsingi Municipality, Gandipet Mandal, Rangda Reddy District, T.S., And Bounded By: Boundaries (As Per Mortgage/Sale Document); East : Open To Sky, West : Corridor & Staircase, North : Open To Sky, South : Open To Sky.	08.04.2026 Rs. 3,93,48,986.00 (Rupees Three Crore Ninety-Three Lakh Forty-Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-Six Only) AS ON 07/04/2026	19.08.2026	

Place : Telangana
Date : 22-08-2026

Sd/-
Authorized Officer
Unity Small Finance Bank Limited

SHRIRAM FINANCE LIMITED
Head Office: Level-3, Workhardt Towers, East Wing C-2 Block, BandraKurla Complex, (Bandra East), Mumbai 400 051; Tel: 022 4241 0400, 022 4060 3100; Website: http://www.shriramfinance.in/auktion

Branch Office Address: Shriram Finance Ltd., Door No. 1-4-249/1, KJR Complex, KK Road, Suryapet Town and District-508213

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To: S.No Particulars of Borrowers /Guarantors

1. **Lingampalli Pavan Kalyan, S/O Ramulu**, Aged About 34 Years, Occ: Business, R/O: Hno: 1-46, Gandhi Nagar, Suryapet Town And District. Pincode: 508213. Cell No: 9884439459 (**Borrower**)
2. **Lingampalli Vijaya Laxmi, W/O. Lingampalli Ramulu**, Aged About 54 Years, Occ: Business, R/O: Hno: 1-46, Gandhi Nagar, Suryapet Town And District. Pincode: 508213. Cell No: 9848398554 (**Guarantor**)
3. **Lingampalli Ramulu, S/O. Lingampalli Narsaiah**, Aged About 58 Years, Occ: Business, R/O: Hno: 1-46, Gandhi Nagar, Suryapet Town And District. Pincode: 508213. Cell No: 7702385459 (**Guarantor**)

Sub: Sale of property belonging to **LINGAMPALLI VIJAYA LAXMI (GUARANTOR)** in the account of **SRYPPTF2103240004** for realization of amount due to Shriram Finance Limited under The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. **Shriram Finance Limited, Suryapet- Branch**, the secured creditor caused a demand notice dated **03.02.2026** under section 13(2) of The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, calling upon you to pay **Rs.3293471/- (Rupees ThirtyTwo Lakh NinetyThree Thousand Four Hundred SeventyOne Only)** within the time stipulated period therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the stipulated period, the Authorized Officer, has taken symbolic procession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **23.07.2026**. Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited. As such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days from the date of receipt to this notice through online mode. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately. Therefore, if you pay the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by Shriram Finance Limited before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated in sec.13(8) of the Act.

Schedule of Property: (Property holder Name is Lingampalli Vijaya Laxmi Mortgage deed dated 25.03.2021 Registered as Document No.5871/2021 on the file of the office of Sub-Registrar at (Suryapet))
Open Plot No. 30 To An Extent Of 273 Sq.Yards, In Sy.No.419 And 422 Of Suryapet Revenue Village Situated At Surya Enclave Area, With In The Limits of Suryapet Municipality Suryapet District. Vide Doc No.6064 Of 2021: **North:** Place Of Chilikula Anasuya. **South:** Plot No.29, **East:** 25 Feet Road, **West:** Place Of Chilikula Anasuya.

Date: 17.08.2026, Place: Miryalaguda Sd/- Authorised Officer, Shriram Finance Limited

SHRIRAM FINANCE LIMITED
Registered Office: Sri Towers, Plot No.14A, South Phase, Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai-600032
Authorized Officer Address: H.No:19-440, First Floor, Satyakamala Complex, Opp: DBS Bank Ltd, Sagar Road, Miryalaguda-508207

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To: S.No Particulars of Borrowers /Guarantors

1. **Ananthula Vijaykumar S/O.Salaiah**, Aged About: 49years Occ: Business R/O:H.no:3-10 Aregudem Village Choutuppal Mandal Nalgonda District. Pincode: 508252. Cell No: 99850229370616.
2. **Ananthula Santoshi W/O.Vijaykumar**, Aged About: 36years Occ: House Wife R/O:H.no:3-10 Aregudem Village Choutuppal Mandal Nalgonda District. Pincode: 508252. Cell No: 9398272649.
3. **Anathula Mahender S/O. Salaiah**, Aged About: 51years Occ: Business R/O:H.no: 6-8-119/1 Vivekanda Nagar Nalgonda District. Pincode: 508001. Cell No: 9912089448.

Sir/Madam,
SUB- Intending Sale Notice About Sale Of Properties Belonging To Ananthula Vijaykumar(Borrower) For Realization Of Amount Due To The Secured Creditor Under The Securitization And Reconstruction Of Financialassets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 Read With Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Ref : Loan Agreement No.NLGD2TF2303300005

1. This is to inform you that , We M/s. Shriram Finance Limited (Formerly known as Shriram City Union Finance Limited) having our Registered Office situated at Sri Towers, Plot No.14A, South Phase, Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai- 600032, having one of its Zonal/Branch Office situated at D.No.4-11430/1B, 1ST Floor, Near National Function Hall, DVK Road, Nalgonda-508001. issue the following notice as under.

2. The secured creditor- Shriram Finance Limited, caused a demand notice dated 10.07.2024 and it was posted on 11.07.2024 under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, calling upon you to pay the dues of **Rs.62,11,114/- (Rupees Sixty Two Lakhs Eighteen Thousand Nine Hundred Fourteen Only)** as on **10.07.2024** along with subsequent interest / expenses within the time stipulated therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the period stipulated, the Authorized Officer, Shriram Finance Limited has taken Symbolic possession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **21.10.2024**, and also after that the authorized officer filed Petition under Section 14(1) before the hon'ble CJM Nalgonda with Cr. Mp.No: 189/2024, for taking Physical possession and taken physical possession of the properties on 24.01.2026 with executive assistance under section 14 of Act.

3. Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited as such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days, from the date of receipt of this notice/publication of this notice, through a separate e-auction sale notice. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately.

4. Therefore, we hereby request you to pay the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by Shriram Finance Limited before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated under sec. 13 (8) of the Act. Please take notice that if you fail or neglect to pay the total outstanding dues within aforesaid statutory period of 30 (Thirty) days from the date of notice hereof, the undersigned will have no alternative except to proceed to sell the aforesaid secured property for realizing the outstanding dues of M/s. Shriram Finance Ltd. payable in respect of aforesaid loan facility. This INTENDING SALE notice is being issued in compliance of Rule 8(6) of SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT RULES), 2002. This notice is issued to you without prejudice to other rights and remedies available to our financial institution.

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY: Ananthula Vijaya Kumar S/O.Salaiah Ananthula, Open House Plot No.13, Within Sy.No.467, Inside Residential Zone, Measuring 360.00 Sq.Yards =301.00 Sq.Mtrs, Situated At Newly Development Area, Cherlapally Village, Mandal And District, Now With In The Municipal Limits Of Nalgonda Town And District. Document No.5147 Of 2023. Under Sro Nalgonda. **Bounded On:** The North: 30.0' Wide Road., South: Plot Nos A, B, C&D, East: 30.0' Wide Road., West: Plot No.12.

Date: 17.08.2026, Place: MIRYALAGUDA Sd/- Authorised Officer, Shriram Finance Limited

SHRIRAM FINANCE LIMITED
Registered Office: Sri Towers, Plot No.14A, South Phase, Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai-600032
Authorized Officer Address: H.No:19-440, First Floor, Satyakamala Complex, Opp: DBS Bank Ltd, Sagar Road, Miryalaguda-508207

INTENDINGSALENOTICETOTHEBORROWERINFORMINGABOUTSALEAFTER 30 DAYS UNDER RULE 8(6) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002.

To: S.No Particulars of Borrowers /Guarantors

1. **Bimanooni Saidulu, S/O: Beeraiah**, Age:55 Years Occ: Business R/O: H.No:6-2-96/22es.Lensawmy Colony Nalgonda-508001. Cell:9705623611.
2. **Bheemanaboina Satya, W/O: Bheemanaboina Saidulu**, Age: 35 Years Occ: House Wife: R/O: H.No:6-2-496/22 Suryanagar, Meer Bagh Colony, Hyderabad Road, Nalgonda-508011.
3. **Gurram Chandu, S/O: Gurram Shankaralah**, Age: 42 Years Occ: Business R/O: C/122, SLBC Colony, Sagar Road, Gandhamvari Gudem, Nalgonda-508001 Cell:6301395169.

Sir/Madam,
SUB- Intending Sale Notice About Sale Of Properties Belonging To Bimanooni Saidulu(Borrower) For Realization Of Amount Due To The Secured Creditor Under The Securitization And Reconstruction Of Financialassets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 Read With Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Ref : Loan Agreement No.NLGNDFTF2406290020

1. This is to inform you that , We M/s. Shriram Finance Limited (Formerly known as Shriram City Union Finance Limited) having our Registered Office situated at Sri Towers, Plot No.14A, South Phase, Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai- 600032, having one of its Zonal/Branch Office situated at Door No. 5-4-85, 2nd Floor, B.S. Reddy complex, Beside Harideep Silks, Prakasham Bazar, Nalgonda-508001. issue the following notice as under.

2. The secured creditor- Shriram Finance Limited, caused a demand notice dated 20.05.2025 and it was posted on 26.05.2025 under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, calling upon you to pay the dues of **Rs.46,73,655/- (Rupees Forty Six Lakhs Seventy Nine thousand Six hundred and Fifty Five Only)** as on **20.05.2025** along with subsequent interest / expenses within the time stipulated therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the period stipulated, the Authorized Officer, Shriram Finance Limited has taken Symbolic possession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **10.09.2025**, and also after that the authorized officer filed Petition under Section 14(1) before the hon'ble CJM Nalgonda with Cr. Mp.No: 8 of 2026, for taking Physical possession and taken physical possession of the properties on 08.05.2026 with executive assistance under section 14 of Act.

3. Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited as such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days, from the date of receipt of this notice/publication of this notice, through a separate e-auction sale notice. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately.

4. Therefore, we hereby request you to pay the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by Shriram Finance Limited before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated under sec. 13 (8) of the Act. Please take notice that if you fail or neglect to pay the total outstanding dues within aforesaid statutory period of 30 (Thirty) days from the date of notice hereof, the undersigned will have no alternative except to proceed to sell the aforesaid secured property for realizing the outstanding dues of M/s. Shriram Finance Ltd. payable in respect of aforesaid loan facility. This INTENDING SALE notice is being issued in compliance of Rule 8(6) of SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT RULES), 2002. This notice is issued to you without prejudice to other rights and remedies available to our financial institution.

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY: Bimanooni Saidulu, S/O: Beeraiah, All That House Gram Panchayath Door No:3-1/4, Constructed An Rcc Ground Floor With G+1 Commercial Building With In Survey No:198/C(Part), Block No.01 Measuring 67.22 Sq Yards =56.206 Sq Meters Plinth Area 605.05 Sq.Feets Situated At Kondamallepally Village And Mandal Nalgonda District., Document No. 5404 Of 2024., Dated 29.06.2024 And **Bounded As Follows:-** East: Plot No:139 West: Plot No:137, North: 24 Feet Wide Internal Road, South: 150 Feet Wide Bypass Lane Road.

Date: 17.08.2026, Place: MIRYALAGUDA Sd/- Authorised Officer, Shriram Finance Limited

SHRIRAM FINANCE LIMITED
(Formerly Known as Shriram Transport Finance Company Limited)
Registered Office: Sri Towers, Plot No.14A, South Phase, Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai-600032
Branch Office: #1-8-588, 3rd, Nakkalagutta, Hanamkonda, Warangal - 506001

RULE-8(3) POSSESSION NOTICE

Note: "It is informed that "SHRIRAM CITY UNION FINANCE LIMITED" has been amalgamated with "SHRIRAM TRANSPORT FINANCE LIMITED" as per order of NCLT, Chennai. Subsequently the name of "SHRIRAM TRANSPORT FINANCE LIMITED" was changed as "SHRIRAM FINANCE LIMITED" with effect from 30.11.2022 vide Certificate of Incorporation pursuant to change of name dated 30-11-2022. Whereas, the undersigned being the authorized officer of Shriram Finance Limited (SFL) 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(12) of the said Act read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (said Rules) issued demand notices to the Borrowers details of which are mentioned in the table below to repay the amount mentioned in the said demand notices. The Borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower and the public in general that the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of SFL has been handed over the physical possession of the mortgaged Properties described herein below in pursuance of the order passed by the Hon'ble Chief Judicial Magistrate, at Warangal, in Cr.I.M.P. No.66/2026, under Section 14 of the said Act and Rules, on this **Day of 21st AUGUST 2026.**

Borrower Name and Address	Amount due as per Demand Notice
1) Sathish Bethi S/O.Veera Swamy , Age : 46 Years, Occ: Sai Chandan Cut Pices & Sareses, R/O.H.No.11-19-74/1, Kashibugga, Warangal Dist - 506 002. Cell : 9959886999. And Also At Sathish Bethi S/O.Veera Swamy , # House With Open Place Municipal No.11-18-945/1, 86.75 Sq.Yards, 72.52 Sq.Feet, 360.00 Sq.Feet, Kashibugga, Warangal City And Urban District. 2) Srilaitha Bethi, W/O.Sathish Bethi , Age : 41 Years, R/O.H.No.11-19-74/1, Kashibugga, Warangal Dist - 506 002. Cell : 9959886999. 3) Vinay Kumar Bathula, S/O.Raja Komuriah Bathula , Age: 42 Years, R/O.H.No.16-4-617/1, Shivanagar, Warangal Dist - 506 002. Cell: 9686019606.	Rs 22,76,031/- (Rupees Twenty Two Lakhs Seventy Six Thousand and Thirty One Only)

Property holder Name is SATHISH BETHI Mortgage deed dated 25.08.2021 Registered as Document No.22141/2021 on the file of the office of Sub-Registrar at WARANGAL (R.O):House with open place bearing Municipal No.11-18-945/1 to an extent of 86.75 Sq.Yards or 72.52 Sq.Mtrs covered with plinth area of 360.00 Sq.Feet of MT Road, situated at Kashibugga, Warangal city and Urban District, within the limits of GWMC, Warangal and Sub Registrar, Warangal Rural is bounded by :- East : House of M.Sarojana & House of S.Rajamouli, West : Moglicherna Road, North: House of Bethi Ravi. South : House of Ch.Laxmaiah.

This notice is also hereby to caution the general public at large that the authorized officer of SFL is in the lawful Symbolic Possession of the immovable property mentioned herein above and the Borrowers or any person shall not after receipt of this notice transfer by way of sale, lease or otherwise deal with/ alienate any of the above mentioned secured assets referred to in this notice, without prior written consent of SFL.

Place: Warangal
Date: 21.08.2026

Sd/-Authorised officer, Shriram Finance Ltd.

SHRIRAM FINANCE LIMITED
Head Office: Level-3, Workhardt Towers, East Wing C-2 Block, BandraKurla Complex, (Bandra East), Mumbai 400 051; Tel: 022 4241 0400, 022 4060 3100; Website: http://www.shriramfinance.in/auktion

Branch Office Address: Shriram Finance Ltd., Door No. 1-4-249/1, KJR Complex, KK Road, Suryapet Town and District-508213

NOTICE TO THE BORROWER INFORMING ABOUT SALE (30 DAYS' NOTICE) 8 (6) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002

To: S.No Particulars of Borrowers /Guarantors

1. **Mohammed Azeemuddin, S/O. Naseeruddin**, Aged About 38years Occ: Business R/O:H.no: 5-35, Bodri Bazar, Nakirekal Town, Nalgonda District. Pincode: 508211. Cell No: 8177225448 (**Borrower**)
2. **Mohammed Amreen Begum, W/O Azeemuddin**, Aged About 29years Occ: Business R/O:H.no: 5-35 Bodri Bazar, Nakirekal Town, Nalgonda District. Pincode: 508211. Cell No: 9542075865 (**Guarantor**)
3. **Syed Khaleemulla, S/O. Syed Masoor**, Aged About 28years Occ: Business R/O:H.no:15-110 Rahamat Nagar, Near High School, Nakirekal Town, Nalgonda District. Pincode: 508211. Cell No: 9866140420 (**Guarantor**)

Sub: Sale of property belonging to **MOHAMMED AZEEMUDDIN (BORROWER)** in the account of **SRYPPTF2209170006** for realization of amount due to Shriram Finance Limited under The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. **Shriram Finance Limited, Suryapet- Branch**, the secured creditor caused a demand notice dated **03.02.2026** under section 13(2) of The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, calling upon you to pay **Rs.2162690/- (Rupees TwentyOne Lakh SixtyTwo Thousand Six Hundred Ninety Only)** within the time stipulated period therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the stipulated period, the Authorized Officer, has taken symbolic procession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **10.07.2026**. Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited. As such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days from the date of receipt to this notice through online mode. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately. Therefore, if you pay the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by Shriram Finance Limited before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated in sec.13(8) of the Act.

Schedule of Property: (Property holder Name is Mohammed Azeemuddin Mortgage deed dated 13.09.2022 Registered as Document No.14854/2022 on the file of the office of Sub-Registrar at (Nalgonda))
All That Survey No.1340, Plot No.69 Admeasuring 266sq.Yards = To 222-41sq.Mtrs., Situated At Ward No.07 Block No.09 Inside Residential Zone Near Sreeram Nagar Within Nalgonda Municipality Revenue Mandal Nalgonda District.**North:** Part No.72. **South:** 25feet Wide Road. **East:** Plot No.68. **West:** Plot No.70.

Date: 17.08.2026, Place: Miryalaguda Sd/- Authorised Officer, Shriram Finance Limited

SHRIRAM FINANCE LIMITED
Head Office: Level-3, Workhardt Towers, East Wing C-2 Block, BandraKurla Complex, (Bandra East), Mumbai 400 051; Tel: 022 4241 0400, 022 4060 3100; Website: http://www.shriramfinance.in/auktion

Branch Office Address: Shriram Finance Ltd., D.NO.12-1077, BLOCK-12, ANU TOWERS, SURYAPET ROAD,KODAD,SURYAPET Dt.

NOTICE TO THE BORROWER INFORMING ABOUT SALE (30 DAYS' NOTICE) 8 (6) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002

To: S.No Particulars of Borrowers /Guarantors

1. **Polampalli Venkanna, S/O Malliah**, Age: 46years, Occ: Sindhu Jewellery Works, H.No: 1-60, Thirupuram (Vi), Nadigudem (Md), Suryapet Dist -508206 Cell: 9948751464 (**Borrower**)
2. **Polampalli Sindhu, D/O Venkateshwarlu**, Age: 25years H.No: 1-60, Thirupuram (Vi), Nadigudem (Md), Suryapet District -508206 Cell: 9553790495 (**Guarantor**)
3. **Polampalli Narsimha Rao, S/O Venkateshwarlu**, Age: 22years, H.No: 1-60, Thirupuram (Vi), Nadigudem (Md), Suryapet District-508206 (**Guarantor**)

Sub: Sale of property belonging to **POLAMPALLI SINDHU(GUARANTOR)** in the account of **KODADTF1611250007** for realization of amount due to Shriram Finance Limited under The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. **Shriram Finance Limited, Kodad Branch**, the secured creditor caused a demand notice dated **13.01.2026** under section 13(2) of The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, calling upon you to pay **Rs.2672118/- (Rupees TwentySix Lakh SeventyTwo Thousand One Hundred Eighteen Only)** within the time stipulated period therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the stipulated period, the Authorized Officer, has taken symbolic procession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **06.07.2026**. Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited. As such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days from the date of receipt to this notice through online mode. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately. Therefore, if you pay the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by Shriram Finance Limited before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated in sec.13(8) of the Act.

Schedule of Property: (Property holder Name is Polampalli Sindhu Mortgage deed dated 29.11.2016 Registered as Document No.7067/2016 on the file of the office of Sub-Registrar at (Kodad))
Nalgonda Regn. Dist(Present Suryapet District) Kodad Sub District Kodad Municipality Kodad Revenue Limits S.No.107/Aa/106/5 107/Aad 106/8 106/4 106/7 106/Aa/4 106/9 107/A1 107/Aa/1 107/Aa/3 In This Block No.1 Sri Chaitanya Nagar Plot No.141 Measuring 266.66 Sq.Yards Or 222.92 Sq.Meters In Ramnirredypalem Road Facing Area.: **North:** Plot No.240 Site 60ft, **South:** Plot No.242 Site, **East:** Plot No.250 Site 40 Ft, **West:** 33 Ft Municipality Road 40 Ft.

Date: 17.08.2026, Place: Miryalaguda Sd/- Authorised Officer, Shriram Finance Limited

SHRIRAM FINANCE LIMITED
Registered Office: Sri Towers, Plot No.14A, South Phase, Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai-600032
Authorized Officer Address: H.No:19-440, First Floor, Satyakamala Complex, Opp: DBS Bank Ltd, Sagar Road, Miryalaguda-508207

INTENDINGSALENOTICETOTHEBORROWERINFORMINGABOUTSALEAFTER 30 DAYS UNDER RULE 8(6) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002.

To: S.No Particulars of Borrowers /Guarantors

1. **Saidulu Reka S/O.Guravaiah**, Aged About 46 Years, Occ: Business (Deepthi Nursing School), R/O:H.no: Plot No.10, Om Sai Colony, Near Balind School, Gollaguda, Nalgonda Town And District. Pincode: 508001. Cell No: 9848163660.
2. **Rekha Chaitanya Jyothi W/O. Reka Saidulu**, Aged About 41 Years, Occ: House Wife, R/O:H.no: Plot No.10, Om Sai Colony, Near Balind School, Gollaguda, Nalgonda Town And District. Pincode: 508001. Cell No: 6281679429.
3. **Ch. Janiaiah S/O. Chinnalla Malliah**, Aged About 43 Years, Occ: Business, R/O:H.no:1-29, Gandhamvarigudem, Nalgonda District. Pincode: 508001. Cell No: 9848595067.

Sir/Madam,
SUB- Intending Sale Notice About Sale Of Properties Belonging To Saidulu Reka(Borrower) For Realization Of Amount Due To The Secured Creditor Under The Securitization And Reconstruction Of Financialassets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 Read With Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.

Ref : Loan Agreement No.MRLGDTF1902270006

1. This is to inform you that , We M/s. Shriram Finance Limited (Formerly known as Shriram City Union Finance Limited) having our Registered Office situated at Sri Towers, Plot No.14A, South Phase, Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai- 600032, having one of its Zonal/Branch Office situated at D.No.19-440 1st Floor Sathyakamala Complex Sagar Road Miryalaguda Nalgonda District-508207. issue the following notice as under.

2. The secured creditor- Shriram Finance Limited, caused a demand notice dated **10.07.2024** and it was posted on **11.07.2024** under Section 13(2) of the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, calling upon you to pay the dues of **Rs.85,82,921/- (Rupees Eighty Five Lakhs Eighty Two Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty One Only)** as on **10.07.2024** along with subsequent interest / expenses within the time stipulated therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the period stipulated, the Authorized Officer, Shriram Finance Limited has taken Symbolic possession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **09.12.2023**, and also after that the authorized officer filed Petition under Section 14(1) before the hon'ble CJM Nalgonda with Cr. Mp.No: 49 of 2024, for taking Physical possession and taken physical possession of the properties on **24.02.2026** with executive assistance under section 14 of Act.

3. Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited as such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days, from the date of receipt of this notice/publication of this notice, through a separate e-auction sale notice. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately.

4. Therefore, we hereby request you to pay the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by Shriram Finance Limited before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated under sec. 13 (8) of the Act. Please take notice that if you fail or neglect to pay the total outstanding dues within aforesaid statutory period of 30 (Thirty) days from the date of notice hereof, the undersigned will have no alternative except to proceed to sell the aforesaid secured property for realizing the outstanding dues of M/s. Shriram Finance Ltd. payable in respect of aforesaid loan facility. This INTENDING SALE notice is being issued in compliance of Rule 8(6) of SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT RULES), 2002. This notice is issued to you without prejudice to other rights and remedies available to our financial institution.

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY : Saidulu Reka S/O.Guravaiah, Nalgonda District. All That The House Bearing Door No. 8-3-1/10/A, With Assessment No.1042033862. On Plot No.10 In S.Nos. 195,196,206 & 208/Ab, Admeasuring 252 Sq.Yards, Equivalent 210.69 Sq.Mtrs, Situated At Inside Residential Zone, Newly Developed Area, Gollaguda Revenue Village, With In The Kesharajupally Grampanchayath, Nalgonda Revenue Mandal, Nalgonda District. Vide Document No.4633 Of 2019. And **Boundeds As Follows:** North: 40 Feet Wide Road, South: Plot No.11, East: 40 Feet Wide Road, West: Plot No.30.

Date: 17.08.2026, Place: MIRYALAGUDA Sd/- Authorised Officer, Shriram Finance Limited

SHRIRAM FINANCE LIMITED
Head Office: Level-3, Workhardt Towers, East Wing C-2 Block, BandraKurla Complex, (Bandra East), Mumbai 400 051; Tel: 022 4241 0400, 022 4060 3100; Website: http://www.shriramfinance.in/auktion

Branch Office Address: # 12-267, 1st, Karimnagar To Waragal Main Road, Huzurabad, Karimnagar- 505468
Authorized Officer Address: Shriram Finance Ltd, Zonal Office, # 1-8-588, 3rd, Nakkalagutta, Hanamkonda, Warangal - 506001

NOTICE TO THE BORROWER INFORMING ABOUT SALE (30 DAYS' NOTICE) 8 (6) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002

To: Particulars of Borrowers /Guarantors:1.**Jahangeer Mohammad S/O Mohammad Yousof**, Age : 39 Years, Occ: Mskgn Winding Works And Generators Sales, R/O.H.No 5-8, Keshavapatham (V), Shankarapatham (M), Karimnagar Dist - 505490. Cell : 9989763474. **And Also At Jahangeer Mohammad S/O Mohammad Yousof**, Age : 39 Years, Occ: Business, # Open Plot (Present House : No-1-9-6A137/13) Sy.No:713/C Molangur Village Gp, Shankarapatham Mandal, Karimnagar District.....**Borrower**

2.**Asiya Sulthana W/O Md Jahangeer**, Age: 38 Years, R/O.H.No 5-8, Keshavapatham (V), Shankarapatham (M), Karimnagar Dist - 505490. Cell : 7842310498 **Co-Borrower /Guarantor**

3.**Mogili Sadananda S/O Narsaiah**, Age: 40 Years, R/O.H.No.106/F1, Keshavapatham, Shankarapatham, Karim Nagar Dist - 505 490. Cell: 8523877761. **Guarantor.**

Sub: Sale of property belonging to **Mohammad Jahangeer (Borrower/Guarantor)** in the account of **HUZDRFT2301190003** for realization of amount due to Shriram Finance Limited under The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. **Shriram Finance Limited, Huzurabad- Branch**, the secured creditor caused a demand notice dated **18.07.2024** under section 13(2) of The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, calling upon you to pay **Rs.77,16,899/- (Rupees Seventy Seven Lakhs Sixteen Thousand Eight Hundred And Ninety Nine Only)** within the time stipulated period therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the stipulated period, the Authorized Officer, has taken symbolic procession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **24.10.2024**. And After the Authorized Officer of **Shriram Finance Limited** received physical possession of the property on **06.08.2026**. Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited. As such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days from the date of receipt to this notice through online mode. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately. Therefore, if you pay the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by Shriram Finance Limited before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated in sec.13(8) of the Act.

Schedule of Property: Open Plot (Present House : No-1-9-6A137/13) to an extent of 1156.52 Sq.Yards or 966.85 Sq.Mtrs in Sy.No.713/C situated at Molangur Village Gp, Shankarapatham Mandal of Karimnagar District within the limits of SRO Huzurabad is bounded by: EAST: 18 Ft Width Road WEST: Land belongs to Vavilala Sirrangam, NORTH: Land belongs to Musham Srinivas, S/o.Chandramouli, SOUTH: 18 Ft Width Road

Note "It is informed that "SHRIRAM CITY UNION FINANCE LIMITED" has been amalgamated with "SHRIRAM TRANSPORT FINANCE LIMITED" as per order of NCLT, Chennai. Subsequently the name of "SHRIRAM TRANSPORT FINANCE LIMITED" was changed as "SHRIRAM FINANCE LIMITED" with effect from 30.11.2022 vide Certificate of Incorporation pursuant to change of name dated 30-11-2022."

Date:21.08.2026, Place:Huzurabad. Sd/- Authorized Officer.

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B.Ed. Admission Notification for B-Category Seats

Intake: **100** 'B' Category: **25** **SC** **ST** **BC**

The last date for submission of filled-in application is Date: **31-08-2026**. The eligibility norms & admission procedure will be strictly as per Telangana Govt. order & TSCHE.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Under instructions of my client **SBI RASMECC, KMM**, Sappidi Anthi, D/o Pullaiah, R/O: H.No: 3-43, Buddidampadu village, Raghunadhapalem (M), KMM Dist., has entered into an agreement to purchase the below schedule building property from Gorantla Narayana, S/o. Venkaiah,

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Place : Mancherial

Sd/-
BRANCH MANAGER

Samastipur: A live broadcast of a programme organised under the Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana-Gramin (PMAY-G) was held at the Collectorate Auditorium in Samastipur on Thursday. The programme was conducted through video con-

ferencing by Union Rural Development Minister Shivraj Singh Chouhan and the Chief Minister of Bihar. During the programme, information and guidance were provided on efforts to provide permanent houses to eligible and needy fami-

lies in rural areas under PMAY-G, along with various aspects related to the implementation of the scheme. Special emphasis was placed on house construction, approval of beneficiaries, release of instalments and effective imple-

mentation of the scheme. The programme also highlighted the importance of ensuring that eligible families receive the benefits of the housing scheme in a timely manner. At the live broadcast programme in Samastipur, Legislative

Council Member Tarun Kumar, Samastipur MLA Ashwamedh Devi, District Magistrate Roshan Kushwaha, Deputy Development Commissioner Surya Pratap Singh, DRDA Director Ashutosh Anand,

other concerned district officials and beneficiaries of PMAY-G were present. On the occasion, keys to newly constructed houses were symbolically handed over to several beneficiaries who had completed construction under the scheme.

Public Participation and Active Media Role Essential to Achieve TB-Free Bihar Goal: Dr Anupama Singh

Patna: With the objective of achieving the goal of a TB-free Bihar, the Health Department and State Health Society, Bihar, in collaboration with Global Health Strategies, organised a state-level media workshop in Patna on Thursday. The workshop aimed to brief the media about the efforts, achievements, new initiatives and future strategy being implemented in Bihar under

the TB-Free India campaign, while further strengthening public awareness about TB elimination. Dr Anupama Singh, Additional Executive Director of the State Health Society, Bihar, said political and administrative commitment towards achieving TB-free panchayats and TB-free wards was being strengthened with the cooperation and guidance of the Governor. She said the Chief

Minister also reviews the progress, while the Chief Secretary reviews the programme every week and issues necessary directions. Under a special campaign launched on July 2, 2026, under the guidance of the Chief Secretary and Health Secretary, more than 2.36 crore people were screened for TB against the target of one crore. During screening and testing, more than

87,623 TB patients were identified, including 21,550 people who did not have any apparent symptoms of the disease. Dr Singh said the state health system was continuously being strengthened for the detection and diagnosis of TB. Bihar currently has 491 digital X-ray machines, while 140 AI-powered ultra-portable handheld X-ray machines are helping in the early detec-

tion of TB. Since March 24, 2026, more than 5.4 lakh screening camps have been organised. Around 298 lakh people have been registered on the Nikshay portal, including approximately 169 lakh people belonging to key population groups. More than 17.48 lakh chest X-rays have been conducted, while over 3.52 lakh sputum samples have undergone NAAT testing.



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NOTICE TO THE BORROWER INFORMING ABOUT SALE (30 DAYS' NOTICE) 8 (6) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002

To:

S.No **Particulars of Borrowers /Guarantors**

- 1. Mamillapalli Upendra Chary, S/O: Mamillapalli Appaiah,** Age: 40 Years Occ: Business R/O: H.No: 1-1-548/1/A, Anjanpuri Colony Suryapet Town Suryapet District -508213 Cell: 9247168920. (**Borrower**)
- 2. Mamillapalli Achyuth Kumar, S/O: Upendra Chary,** Age: 30 Years Occ:Business R/O: H.No:1-1-548/1/A, Anjanapuri Colony, Suryapet Town, Suryapet District -508213 Cell: 9666073128 (**Guarantor**)
- 3. Palvai Chinna Bhiksham, S/O: Venkulu,** Age: 32 Years Occ: Business R/O: H.No: 1-8-73/9/11/C, Bhaghat Singh Nagar, Suryapet Town, Suryapet District -508213 Cell: 9966512989 (**Guarantor**)

Sub: Sale of property belonging to **MAMILLAPALLI UPENDRA CHARY (BORROWER)** in the account of **SRYPPT-TP231021007** for realization of amount due to Shriram Finance Limited under The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. **Shriram Finance Limited, Suryapet- Branch,** the secured creditor caused a demand notice dated **15.12.2025** under section 13(2) of The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, calling upon you to pay **Rs.3423668/- (Thirty four lakh twenty three thousand six hundred sixty eight rupees only only)** within the time stipulated period therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the stipulated period, the Authorized Officer, has taken symbolic procession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **26.03.2026**. Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited. As such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days from the date of receipt to this notice through online mode. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately.

Therefore, if you pay the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by Shriram Finance Limited before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated in sec.13(8) of the Act.

Schedule of Property: (Property holder Name is Mamillapalli Upendra Chary Mortgage deed dated 21.10.2023 Registered as Document No.14483/2023 on the file of the office of Sub-Registrar at (Suryapet))
Suryapet District Suryapet Municipality Suryapet Village Accounts Survey No: 791 Ward No: 01 Block No: 01 In Between Krishna Colony Road To Jangann Colony Behind National Highway No. 65 Site An Extent Of 250 Sq.Yards Or 209.3 Sq.Meters: **North:** Plot Of Male Srinivasa Reddy. **South:** Varada Kalva. **East:** 200 Feet Wide National Highway No.65. **West:** Plot Of Mamillapalli Nirmala.

Date: 17.08.2026, Place: Miryalaguda Sd/- Authorised Officer, Shriram Finance Limited



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To:

S.No **Particulars of Borrowers /Guarantors**

- 1. Vankayalapati Kiran Kumar, S/O: S.V.Satyanarayana,** Age 52 Years, Occ: Business R/O: D.No.7-3-307/1, Dwaraka Nagar, Opp.Rta Office, Khanapuram Haveli (Rural), Khammam Dist - 507 002. Ph.9676570412. (**Borrower**)
- 2. Konisi Nagamani, W/O. Tulasi Rao,** Aged About 42 Years R/O: D.No.5-1-21/B, SP Office Road, Sugglavari Thota, Khammam (Urban), Khammam Dist - 507 001. Ph.9848791304 (**Guarantor**)
- 3. Gudipati Suresh, S/O: Nageswar Rao,** Age: 48 Years Occ:Business R/O: H.No: 6-3-369, Bank Colony, Khanapuram Haveli Khammam-507002 Cell: 9989023614 (**Guarantor**)

Sub: Sale of property belonging to **VANKAYALAPATI KIRAN KUMAR (BARROWER)** in the account of **KODADTP190130004** for realization of amount due to Shriram Finance Limited under The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. **Shriram Finance Limited, Kodad Branch,** the secured creditor caused a demand notice dated **29.12.2025** under section 13(2) of The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, calling upon you to pay **Rs.4679511/- (Forty Six Lakh Seventy Nine Thousand Fifty Hundred and Eleven only only)** within the time stipulated period therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the stipulated period, the Authorized Officer, has taken symbolic procession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **06.07.2026**. Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited. As such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days from the date of receipt to this notice through online mode. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately.

Therefore, if you pay the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by Shriram Finance Limited before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated in sec.13(8) of the Act.

Schedule of Property: (Property holder Name is V Kiran Kumar Mortgage deed dated 01.02.2019 Registered as Document No.1283/2019 on the file of the office of Sub-Registrar at (Khammam))
All That SNo. 228 Ad Measuring 500 Sq.Yards 417.05 Sq.Meters Situated At Khammam Municipal Corporation Khammam Urban Revenue Mandal Khammam District And Bounded Under As By: North: Vendors Remaining Land. South: 30 Feet Wide Road, East: Vendors Remaining Land, West: Vendors Remaining Land.

Date: 17.08.2026, Place: Miryalaguda Sd/- Authorised Officer, Shriram Finance Limited



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To:

S.No **Particulars of Borrowers /Guarantors**

- 1. Nagaraju Thaduru, S/O Saidulu,** Age: 37 years Occ: Business R/O H.No: 1-9-61/70/E2 Shanthi Nagar Dasagudem Suryapet-508213 E2/O' Sri Pallavi Jewellery Works At Suryapet' Cell: 9000127413. (**Borrower**)
- 2. Thaduru Uma, W/O Nagaraju,** Age: 35 years Occ: Business R/O H.No: 1-9-61/70/E2 Shanthi Nagar Dasagudem Suryapet Dist-508213 Cell: 9100320896. (**Guarantor**)
- 3. Narsing Venkanna, S/O Ramulu,** Age: 49 years Occ: Kiranram Shop, R/O H.No: 5-268 Ratna Nagar Main Road, Choutuppal, Nalgonda Dist-508252, Cell: 9100498741. (**Guarantor**)

Sub: Sale of property belonging to **THADURU UMA (GUARANTOR)** in the account of **SRYPPTF1902280019** for realization of amount due to Shriram Finance Limited under The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. **Shriram Finance Limited, Suryapet- Branch,** the secured creditor caused a demand notice dated **06.02.2026** under section 13(2) of The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, calling upon you to pay **Rs.4235384/- (Rupees FortyTwo Lakh ThirtyFive Thousand Three Hundred EightyFour Only)** within the time stipulated period therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the stipulated period, the Authorized Officer, has taken symbolic procession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on **23.07.2026**. Even after taking possession of the secured asset, you have not paid the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited. As such, it has become necessary to sell the below mentioned property by holding public e-auction after 30 days from the date of receipt to this notice through online mode. The date and time of e-auction along with the Reserve Price of the property and the details of the service provider, in which the e-auction to be conducted, shall be informed to you separately.

Therefore, if you pay the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by Shriram Finance Limited before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated in sec.13(8) of the Act.

Schedule of Property: (Property holder Name is Thaduru Uma Mortgage deed dated 05.03.2019 Registered as Document No.3151/2019 on the file of the office of Sub-Registrar at (Suryapet))
Vacant House Site To An Extent Of 181 Sq.Yards In Sy.No.19 Of Suryapet At Ward No.3 Block No.6 Kothagudem Area Within The Limits Of Suryapet Municipality Suryapet District: **North:** 30 Feet Road. **South:** Place Of Darunl Ramaiah & Veeraiah, **East:** Place Of Dhanthala Ramalingam, **West:** Place Of Dantthala Narsimha & Ramulu.

Date: 17.08.2026, Place: Miryalaguda Sd/- Authorised Officer, Shriram Finance Limited



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(TO WHOM SO EVER)
Jadala Sunitha, W/o. Shreeniwas, D/o. Mandala Rajamouli, R/o: H. No. 33-5/305/A/7, Sri Vinayaka Colony, Road No. 1, Near Naidu Petrol Pump, Thimmapur Haveli, Warangal was acquired the Agriculture land, to an extent of Ac. 1-08 guntas, in Sy. No. 597, situated at Rampur Revenue Village, Dharmasagar Mandal, (Presently Kazipet Mandal), Warangal District. (Presently Hanumakonda District), having below mentioned boundaries of the property from her mother: **Mandala Sakubai, W/o. Mandala Rajamouli** through the Regd. Gift Settlement Deed, vide Doc. No. 1565/2007, dt: 17-08-2007 and since then she has been enjoying the same with all tenable rights. Whereas the original link Regd. Sale Deed, vide Doc. No. 635/1993, dt: 27-12-1993, executed by **Thakkallapally Satyana rayana Rao, S/o. Rajiah and Thakkallapally Rajeshwar Rao, S/o. Venkateshwar Rao in favour of Mandala Sakubai, W/o. Mandala Rajamouli** was misplaced somewhere and so far not traced out. Hence I call upon everyone to make any objections, on that property within a week from the date of this publication and submit the written objections along with original document to my office or hand over the original document to my office, if such objections will not be received within a stipulated period, my client will confirm that original document will not be traced out and she will get the Certified Copy of the said document from concern authorities and get mortgage loan on that property from the banks or Financial Institutions. Hence this publication.**Boundaries of Schedule of the Property : East :** Agriculture land of Lakireddy Raghava Reddy, **West :** Agriculture land of Manthena Shobha Rani, **North:** Agriculture land of Gadda Narsaiah, **South :** Agriculture land of Malileela Neeraja.

DUSSA JANARDHAN Advocate
#1-7-1246, Advocates Colony, Hanamkonda Cell : 9849494941



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POSSESSION NOTICE FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY [(Appendix IV) Rule8(1)]

WHEREAS the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of **IKF Home Finance Ltd.** (hereinafter referred to as "IKF") under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Asssets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002), and in exercise of the powers conferred by Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notice dated mentioned below under Section 13(2) of the said Act calling upon by the borrowers (names mentioned below) to repay the amount mentioned in the said notice and interest thereon within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrowers mentioned herein below having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrowers mentioned herein below and to the public in general that the undersigned has Taken Possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on me under sub-section (4) of Section 13 of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. The borrowers mentioned here in above in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with said property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of "IKF" for an amount as mentioned herein under and interest thereon.

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrower(s) / Guarantor(S) LAN	Description of the Property / Secured Asset	Demand Notice Date & Amount	Date of Possession
1	1. Mr./Mrs. Kartiik Kondroju 2. Mr./Mrs. Sunitha Kondroju Add: H.No. 1-75/1, Mahammadapur, Duggondi Mandal Warangal, Warangal, Telangana, India-506331 Also at : Warangal, Telangana, H.No. 1-75/1, Mahammadapur Duggondi Mandal-506331.	All that theRCC House with open place bearing H.No.1-75/1, in Ward No.1, admeasuring to an extent of 436.75 Sq.Yards or 365.16 Sq. Meters, includingplinth area 318.74 Sq. Feet, Situated at Mahmadapuram Revenue Village and Grama panchayath, Duggondi Mandal, Warangal Districtand Sub Registrar, Narsampet is bounded by:- EAST: G.P Road, WEST: Open Place of Adepu Bikshapathi, NORTH: Way to Adepu Bikshapathi House, SOUTH: Open Place of Kondroju Satyanarayana.	20-01-2026 Rs. 432882/- (Rupees Four lakh Thirty Two Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty Two Only)	18-08-2026
2	1. Mr./Mrs. Kartiik Kondroju MR/Mrs. Sunitha Kondroju Add: H.No.3-59/1, Mahammadapur,, Warangal, Telangana, India Also at : 1-75/1, Ward No. 1, Mahammadapur Village, Duggondi Mandal- 506331	All that piece and parcel of the Land and Building bearing H.No. 1-75/1, Ward No. 1. Situated at Mahammadapur Grama panchayath and village, Duggondi Mandal, Warangali District, Telangana. Comprised in Land Measuring an extent of 436.75 Sq.yards, 365.16 Sq.mtrs R.C.C Plinth Area of 313.74 and " Bounded on the" : North by: Way to A. Bikshapathi house, South by: Open Place Of K. Satyanarayana, East by: Road G.P Road, West by: Open Place Of A. Bikshapathi	18-12-2025 Rs. 618115/- (Rupees Six lakh Eighteen Thousand One Hundred Fifteen Only),	18-08-2026
3	1. Mr./Mrs. Katike Srinivas Ji 2. Mr./Mrs. Katika Jyothi Add: H.No.2-6A/77, New H.no-6-77, Chowdapur Village, Vikarabad, Mahbnugar, Hyderabad, Telangana, India-509340	All That The Place And Parcel Of H.no. 6-77 (2-6A/77) Admeasuring North 96'-0 X East West 240" Total Extent 96'-0 X 240" = 954-0 Sq Feets, Or 256. Sq. Yards or 214.04 Sq. Mtrs, Chowdapur Village & Mandal, Vikarabad Mandal, Vikarabad Dist, 509240, T.S., Under The Jurisdiction On Registration Dist. Vikarabad-Sub-dist, Parigi, Boundaries : North - House Of Bukka Samad, South - House Of Gajula Abed, East - Seri Sandu, West - G.P.C.C. Road.	18-04-2026 Rs.16,76,090.12/- Rupees Sixteen Lakh Seventy Six Thousand Ninety and Twelve Paise Only)	18-08-2026
4	1. Mr./Mrs. Gunguna Bitla, 2. Mr./Mrs. Ramesh Bitla 3. Mr./Mrs. Shiva Kumar Bitla, 4. Mr./Mrs. Pojoa Gorantala 5. Mr./Mrs. Sri Durga Restaurant And Bar, 6. Mr./Mrs. Raju Bitla Add: H.No.11-20-570/3, Kashibugga, Padmanagar, Warangal, Telangana, India-506002. Also at : House No. 11-20- 570/ 2/ 1, Padmanagar, Kashibugga, Warangal- 506002. Also at : Plot No.33, Raja Rajeswari Colony, Hayathnagar, Hyderabad, Telangana, India-501505 Also at : H.No.11-20-567, Kashibugga, Padmanagar, Warangal, Telangana, India-506002. Also at : Plot No.6, Sy.No. 293, Main Road, Opp. Bus Depot, Hayathnagar, Hyderabad, Telangana, India-501505 Also at : H.No. 11-18-38/1, Kashibugga, Padmanagar, Warangal, Telangana, India-506002.	All that the house with open place bearing H.No.11-20-570/3,admeasuring to an extent of 78.75 sq.yards or 65.83 sq.meters, situated at padmanagar, kashibugga, warangal city and district and sub - Registrar, Warangal fort is bounded by:- BOUNDARIES : East - 15-0 road, West - House of V.Srinivas #11-20-598, North - Plot of others, South-Remaining part house of vendor #11-20-570/2 (part).	15-05-2026 Rs.16,33,239.42/- (Rupees Sixteen Lakhs Thirty Three Thousand Two Hundred and Thirty Nine and Forty Two Paise Only).	17-08-2026
5	1. Mr./Mrs. Mahesh Reddaveni 2. Mr./Mrs. Reddaveni Bhumnakka 3. Mr./Mrs. Lavanya Reddaveni 4. Mr./Mrs. Shankaraiah Reddaveni Add: H.No. 18-146/1, Medarivada, Mancherial, Near Bypass Road Adilabad, Telangana, India-504208	All that the house no.18-78/4 (old), 18-146/1 (new) with RCC Plinth Area 642.05 sft admeasuring land to an extent to 181.68 square yards situated in survey no.442 of Mancherial village, within the limits of Mancherial Municipality, Mandal Mancherial, District Mancherial and bounded by :- North - House of pentavenkanna, South - 9 feet galli, East - House of Seetharamiah, West - House of Bogishankaraiah.	15-05-2026 Rs. 13,17,442.62/- Rupees Thirteen Lakh Seventeen Thousand Four Hundred Forty Two and Sixty Two Paise Only)	20-08-2026
6	1. Mr./Mrs. Bheema Chakravarthi Kumar (Chakravarthi Kumar Bheema) 2. Mr./Mrs. Bheema Saritha (Saritha Bheema) Add: H.No. 7-2-222 Mallepalli Rajam Nagar, Janagama, GodavariKhanh, Peddapalli, Karimnagar, Telangana, India. GodavariKhanh Peddapalli, H.No- 7-2-222 Mallepalli Rajam Nagar Janagama -505209	Open Land Pertaining To Dismantle House No. 7-2-222 Admeasuring Land To An Extent To 242.00 Square Yards Situated In Janagama Shivar, Within The Limits Of Ramagundam Municipal Corporation, Mandal Ramagundam, District Peddapalli And Bounded By:- North - House No.7-2-222 Of Donor, South - East - Road, West - House No. 7-2-221/3 of B. Shankaraiah.	15-05-2026 Rs. 11,65,176/- . (Rupees Eleven Lakhs Sixty Five Thousand One Hundred and Seventy Six Only)	17-08-2026
7	1. Mr./Mrs. Daiva Dinam Sriram, 2. Mr./Mrs. Sriram Naga Laxmi, 3. Mr./Mrs. Ravi Sriram, 4. Mr./Mrs. Sriram Bharaadwaj H.No: 2-14, Mallupalli, Mirdoddi Mandalam, Siddipet, Near Shivalayam, Medak, Telangana, India-502102.	All that the property of house bearing H.No.2-14 in area measuring 160 sq.yds RCC Plinth area 567 sq.feet/s situated at Mallupalivilli mandal Mirdoddi, dist Bounded by :- East-House of Natti Yesshoda, West-House of Sriram Vaidyanath, North - Road, South - House of Kummari Nagabushanam.	15-05-2026 Rs. 12,62,033.92/- (Rupees Twelve Lakh Sixty Two Thousand Thirty Three and Ninety Two Paise)	20-08-2026
8	1. Mr./Mrs. Asifkhan Mohammed, 2. Mr./Mrs. Bilaqueethjaha Begum, 3. Mr./Mrs. Afroz Jaha Begum 4. Mr./Mrs. Shaibaz Khan Mohammad 5. Mr./Mrs. Gouse Khan MD Add: H.No. 21-228, Mazeedwada, Mancherial, Near Mazeed Adilabad, Telangana, India-504208 Also At : Sy. No. 610, Code No. 83, Garmilla Shivar, Mancherial Municipality, Mancherial Dist.,-504208	All that the house no. 21-228 with plinth area 242 sft admeasuring land to an extent to 180 square yards situated in survey no.601 of Garmilla village, within the limits of Mancherial municipality and mandal, district Mancherial and bounded by : North- 12-00 Road, South - open land of P.Shankaraiah, East- house of Amena Begum, West - house of Khaledoddin.	15-05-2026 Rs. 8,87,194.92/- Rupees Eight Lakh Eighty Seven Thousand One Hundred Ninety Four and Ninety Two Paise)	17-08-2026

Place: Telangana
Date : 17-08-2026

Sd/-Authorized Officer
For IKF Home Finance Limited





BHADRADRI

CO-OPERATIVE URBAN BANK LTD.,
Regd.No.1108/T.E.



Head Office : #3-1-17&18, Sunder Talkies Road, Gandhi Chowk, KHAMMAM-507003, Telangana

TENDER / AUCTION SALE NOTICE UNDER SARFAESI ACT, 2002

(1) Whereas Bhadradi Cooperative Urban Bank Ltd., Warangal Bypass Area Branch, Khammam through its Authorized Officer has issued Demand Notice on 09-07-2025 under Section 13(2) and Possession Notice on 18-09-2025 under Section 13(4) of the SARFAESI Act for recovery of Rs.3,95,472.42 (Rupees three lakhs ninety five thousand four hundred seventy two and forty two paise only) due to us on 09.07.2025 with interest, charges and costs thereon to the following borrowers and guarantors and they have failed to pay the amount. Now, the Authorized Officer of Bhadradi Cooperative Urban Bank Ltd. propose to sell the following mortgaged property by Public-auction under Sub Section (4) and (12) of Section 13 of SARFAESI Act and Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE ACCOUNT / BORROWER / GUARANTOR / MORTGAGOR

Borrower/s: 1) Sri Azmeera Biksham, S/o.Vasya, R/o.H.No.6-10, Sai Prabath Nagar, Pedda Thanda, Khammam (Rural), Khammam (District)-507003. 2) Smt. Azmeera Vajja, W/o Biksham, R/o.H.No.6-10, Sai Prabath Nagar, Pedda Thanda, Khammam (Rural), Khammam (District)-507003.

PARTICULARS OF THE MORTGAGED PROPERTY TO BE SOLD

The vacant land consists of 108.33 Sq. Yds equivalent to 90.57 Sq. mtrs in plot No.6 out of Sy.No.176 revised Sy.No.176B Near H.No.6-411/A, Sai Prabath Nagar Area, Eastlapuram Revenue Village, Peddathanda Gramapanchayat, Khammam Rural Mandal, Khammam District, standing in the name of the 2nd applicant Smt. Azmeera Vajja W/o Biksham and bounded by: East: 15'-00" feet wide Proposed Road, West: Others Land, North: Plot No.7, South: Plot No.9.

Property Item No.	Reserve Price	EMD	Last date for submission of EMD and documents	Bid incremental amount	Date of inspection of properties
1	Rs. 15,84,000/-	Rs. 1,58,400/-	05-10-2026 before 04:00 PM	Rs.15,000/-	25-09-2026 & 03-10-2026 between 03.00 PM and 05.00 PM

Date & Time of Auction On 10-10-2025 From 03:00 PM to 04:00 PM. The end time of auction will be extended by 5 minutes each time if bid is made within the last five minutes before closure of auction.

Mode of Payment By Demand Draft / Pay Order in favour of "Bhadradi Cooperative Urban Bank Ltd., (SARFAESI EMD & Auction Proceeds)" payable at Khammam.

Auction Place: Bhadradi Cooperative Urban Bank Ltd., Head Office: #3-1-17&18, Sunder Talkies Road, Gandhi Chowk, KHAMMAM-507003

(2) Whereas Bhadradi Cooperative Urban Bank Ltd., Gandhi Chowk Branch, Khammam through its Authorized Officer has issued Demand Notice on 15.07.2025 under Section 13(2) and Possession Notice on 10-10-2025 under Section 13(4) of the SARFAESI Act for recovery of Rs.25,34,818.68 (Rupees twenty five lakhs thirty four thousand eight hundred eighteen and sixty eight paise only) due to us on 15.07.2025 with interest, charges and costs thereon to the following borrowers and guarantors and they have failed to pay the amount. Now, the Authorized Officer of Bhadradi Cooperative Urban Bank Ltd. propose to sell the following mortgaged property by Public-auction under Sub Section (4) and (12) of Section 13 of SARFAESI Act and Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE ACCOUNT / BORROWER / GUARANTOR / MORTGAGOR

Borrowers: Sri Jana Satyanarayana Murthy, S/o.Chithanandaiah, R/o. Flat No.205, H-Block, Green Space Signature, Narsingi, Puppallaguda, Rangareddy District-500089. **Guarantor/s:** Sri Mukkama Venkata Kameswar Rao, S/o.Venkata Subba Rao, R/o. Flat No. 301, Thirumala Pride, Road No-1, Geetha Nagar, Neredmet, Medchal Malkajgiri District-500059.

PARTICULARS OF THE MORTGAGED PROPERTY TO BE SOLD

Residential Open site Plot No.26, Sy.No.411, 427.431 and 432 admeasuring 223.33 Sq. Yds = 186.73 Sq. mtrs situated at Srinivasa Nagar, Khammam Municipal Corporation limits and Khammam District, standing in the name of the Sri Jana Satyanarayana Murthy, S/o.Chithanandaiah and bounded by: East: Plot No. 27, West: 40'-00" feet wide Road, North: 40'-00" feet wide Road, South: Plot No. 25.

Property Item No.	Reserve Price	EMD	Last date for submission of EMD and documents	Bid incremental amount	Date of inspection of properties
1	Rs. 27,13,500/-	Rs. 2,71,300/-	05-10-2026 before 04:00 PM	Rs.28,000/-	25-09-2026 & 03-10-2026 between 03.00 PM and 05.00 PM

Date & Time of Auction On 10-10-2026 From 04:00 PM to 05:00 PM. The end time of auction will be extended by 5 minutes each time if bid is made within the last five minutes before closure of auction.

Mode of Payment By Demand Draft / Pay Order in favour of "Bhadradi Cooperative Urban Bank Ltd., (SARFAESI EMD & Auction Proceeds)" payable at Khammam.

Auction Place: Bhadradi Cooperative Urban Bank Ltd., Head Office: #3-1-17&18, Sunder Talkies Road, Gandhi Chowk, KHAMMAM-507003

(3) Whereas Bhadradi Cooperative Urban Bank Ltd., Gandhi Chowk Branch, Khammam through its Authorized Officer has issued Demand Notice on 17.07.2025 under Section 13(2) and Possession Notice on 30-10-2025 under Section 13(4) of the SARFAESI Act for recovery of Rs.9,97,427.54 (Rupees nine lakhs ninety seven thousand four hundred twenty seven and fifty four paise only) due to us on 17.07.2025 with interest, charges and costs thereon to the following borrowers and guarantors and they have failed to pay the amount. Now, the Authorized Officer of Bhadradi Cooperative Urban Bank Ltd. propose to sell the following mortgaged property by Public-auction under Sub Section (4) and (12) of Section 13 of SARFAESI Act and Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE ACCOUNT / BORROWER / GUARANTOR / MORTGAGOR

Borrower: Sri Pastam Hanamanthu, S/o.Venkateswarlu, R/o. H.No.5-6-170/8, Parsibandam, Pakabanda Bazar, Khammam, Khammam District- 507 002. **Guarantor/s:** 1) Sri S. Kanniah, S/o.Pakeeru, Occ: Business, R/o. H. No. 5-6-170/6/d-1, Pakabanda Bazar, Khammam, Khammam District - 507 002. 2) Sri P. Kanniah, S/o.Venkateswarlu, Occ: Business, R/o. H.No. 5-6-160/1, Pakabanda Bazar, Khammam, Khammam District- 507 002.

PARTICULARS OF THE MORTGAGED PROPERTY TO BE SOLD

All that site measuring 96.61 Sq. Yds or 80.78 Sq. mts. built up area 518.62 Sq. Ft. RCC Roof ground floor, 338.37 Sq. Ft. A.C Sheet Roof First Floor, (Electricity Service No.0211774563, 0211732160), situated at H.No.5-6-170/8, Pakabanda Bazar, Parsibandam, Out of Sy.No.21 & 22 of Pakabanda Bazar village, under Khammam Municipal Corporation limits, Khammam City, standing in the name of the Sri Pastam Hanamanthu S/o Venkateswarlu and bounded by: East: House of Shaik Yakub Pasha H.No.5-6-170/10; West: Open site of Malsoor Saheb; North: 13'-00" wide Municipal Corporation Road; South: open site of Ranga Rao.

Property Item No.	Reserve Price	EMD	Last date for submission of EMD and documents	Bid incremental amount	Date of inspection of properties
1	Rs. 23,00,000/-	Rs. 2,30,000/-	05-10-2026 before 04:00 PM	Rs.23,000/-	25-09-2026 & 03-10-2026 between 03.00 PM and 05.00 PM

Date & Time of Auction On 10-10-2026 From 05:00 PM to 06:00 PM. The end time of auction will be extended by 5 minutes each time if bid is made within the last five minutes before closure of auction.

Mode of Payment By Demand Draft / Pay Order in favour of "Bhadradi Cooperative Urban Bank Ltd., (SARFAESI EMD & Auction Proceeds)" payable at Khammam.

Auction Place: Bhadradi Cooperative Urban Bank Ltd., Head Office: #3-1-17&18, Sunder Talkies Road, Gandhi Chowk, KHAMMAM-507003

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE: 01) Auction / bidding shall only be through public auction. 02) The bidders may participate in public auction for bidding from the Khammam Head Office. 03) Bidders are advised to go Khammam Head Office, 4th Floor, Recovery Management Department, Gandhi Chowk, Khammam for detailed terms and conditions of auction sale & auction application form before submitting their Bids for taking part in the public auction sale proceedings. 04) For participating in public auction sale the intending bidders should register their details with the Khammam Head Office, 4th Floor, Recovery Management Department, Gandhi Chowk, Khammam by paying EMD well in advance. 05) For participating in public auction, intending bidders have to deposit a refundable EMD as mentioned above in the prescribed mode of payment. The intending bidders should submit / send their PUBLIC-AUCTION EMD FORM along with the demand draft towards EMD, copy of the ID proof and PAN card to the Authorized Officer. The envelope containing the document should be superscribed with "public auction sale". The EMD will not carry any interest. 06) The property "SHALL NOT BE SOLD" below the Reserve Price. 07) The Authorized Officer is not bound to accept the highest bid or any or all bids and reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the bids or cancel, postpone the public auction without assigning any reason thereof. 08) The successful bidder should deposit 25% of the bid amount (including EMD) immediately on the same day declaring him as successful bidder and the balance 75% of the bid amount within 15 days from the date of confirmation of sale by the secured creditor. All deposit and payment shall be in the prescribed mode of payment. 09) In case of default in payment at any stage by the successful bidder / auction purchaser within the stipulated time, the sale will be cancelled and the amount already paid will be forfeited and the property will be again put to sale. 10) The property is being sold on "As is where basis is". 11) The Encumbrances on the properties known to the Bank is NIL. 12) The purchaser has to bear all taxes, sales tax (if applicable) and any other statutory

EDITORIAL

ON CONGRESS' PROBLEM WITH VANDE MATARAM

Congress's latest CWC resolution to restrict Vande Mataram to its first two stanzas is not merely a dispute about a song. It raises a larger question: can a political compromise adopted by the Congress in the intensely communal circumstances of 1937 now be placed above the constitutional and statutory framework of the Republic of India? The answer has to be no. And Congress should perhaps revisit what one of its own tallest leaders, C. Rajagopalachari, wrote in 1939, before repeating the very mistake he had warned against. In January 1939, Rajaji wrote to Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel about the concessions being made over Vande Mataram: "These concessions will not save the situation... If we set them forth as concessions they will only become points for further agitations and will make no gain for peace. On the other hand, the concessions may give rise to a weakening of Hindu psychology and produce depression all around." The passage is reproduced in Sabyasachi Bhattacharya's Vande Mataram: The Biography of a Song (2013) and in the Selected Works of C. Rajagopalachari. Rajaji was not writing with hindsight. He was watching the communal politics of the time unfold. His warning was simple: concessions made under communal pressure would not necessarily produce peace; they could become the starting point for further demands. The chronology matters. In 1937, Muhammad Ali Jinnah and the Muslim League made Vande Mataram a political issue. Congress leaders were themselves divided over how to respond. Jawaharlal Nehru, writing to Subhas Chandra Bose that October, acknowledged that the Anandamath background of the song "may provoke Muslims". There were also genuine concerns among some Congress leaders about the religious imagery in the later verses, and Tagore and Gandhi had reservations about their use in mixed political gatherings. Congress consequently decided in 1937 that only the first two stanzas would be sung at its national gatherings. But that was a political accommodation in a particular historical circumstance. It was not a constitutional amendment. It was not an Act of Parliament. And it certainly was not a permanent veto over how independent India would honour its National Song. Indeed, Rajaji's 1939 warning demonstrates that even within Congress there was a serious understanding of the danger of allowing such concessions to become precedents. The broader history is equally instructive. The Muslim League's objections did not end with Vande Mataram. The song became part of a larger catalogue of allegations against Congress governments - over the Congress flag, language, education and other matters. Congress disputed these charges, and Rajendra Prasad even challenged Jinnah to have them independently examined by a judicial committee headed by Sir Maurice Gwyer, Chief Justice of the Federal Court. The lesson is not that every Muslim objection should have been ignored. The lesson is that communal veto cannot become the organising principle of national life. Independent India subsequently made its own decision. On 24 January 1950, Dr Rajendra Prasad, presiding over the Constituent Assembly, declared that Jana Gana Mana would be the National Anthem and that Vande Mataram, "which has played a historic part in the struggle for Indian freedom, shall be honoured equally with Jana Gana Mana and shall have equal status with it." The Assembly responded with applause.

Kolkata: By the time the saffron flag-bearing men climbed Gate 4 of Jadavpur University in Kolkata and used its lotus-ringed emblem as a foothold, any pretence that Thursday's (August 20) mobilisation was a peaceful student protest had collapsed. The emblem, designed by Nandalal Bose, shows three flames surrounded by a blooming lotus. It had stood above the gate for more than two decades as a symbol of the university. Supporters of Akhil Bharatiya Vidyarthi Parishad (ABVP), a student outfit affiliated with the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh (RSS), marching under saffron flags climbed the gate, planted their feet on Bose's work to haul themselves up, broke part of it and then trampled on it. The three flames stand for all-round development, emotion and imagination, and spiritual life. The lotus petals represent the arts. Bose was a leading figure of the Bengal School of Art movement and a former principal of Kala Bhavana at Santiniketan. At its golden jubilee, the university adopted the motto "Development Through Knowing". His design was made to carry it. Men who spent their evenings calling other people anti-national broke it with their shoes. There was a grim irony in the spectacle. Even a lotus was not safe from the foot soldiers of lotus politics. The vandalism happened in broad daylight, with the police present, after a full night of arson, assault and intimidation that neither the university administration and nor the police have yet fully accounted for. Twelve hours of 'tandav' as police watch over Trouble was expected on Thursday morning and a large police force had been deployed. However, what the force largely did was just watch. Around 2.30 pm, an ABVP mob marching from the



Golpark area broke through one barricade after another and ultimately reached Gate 4 of the university. Half a kilometre away, at the 8B bus station crossing, a considerably larger gathering of Students' Federation of India (SFI) and Democratic Youth Federation of India (DYFI) supporters was blocked by police barricades. SFI leader Dipsita Dhar alleged, "There are no female police officers present here, yet I am being physically handled." The ABVP march was briefly stopped near Jadavpur police station. But they removed the guardrails and barricades themselves and continued towards Gate 4. They tried every possible way to get past the gate, including attempts to climb it and topple it - that was when the emblem was broken. Students inside the campus said stones, eggs, bricks, shoes and filthy water bottles were thrown over the wall as the police simply watched. The force stood aside while the ruling Bharatiya Janata Party's (BJP) ideological supporters staged a show of strength

against a university still considered a Left bastion. Left supporters, after learning that the ABVP was advancing towards the campus, blamed the police for letting it happen. They then broke through the barricades, too, and headed towards Gate 4. Tempers rose quickly between SFI and ABVP supporters. The ABVP was unhappy with the police too - and that revealed something about the expectations behind their protest. A woman from the mob shouted, "Ekhan amader sarkar cholchhe, aar amaderi atke dichche police. Eta kii kore hoy?" (Now our party is running the government here in the state, yet the police are stopping us! How is this possible?) BJP MLA's announcement the night before None of this arrived without warning. On Wednesday night, Jadavpur's BJP MLA Sarbori Mukherjee stood outside the university with right-wing supporters and threatened Left leaders, including Sujian Chakraborty and Srijan Bhattacharya, with conse-

quences. She announced, "Aaj sara rat tandav cholbe (There will be a massive scene all night)." Within hours, men described by students and university staff as 'outsiders' were inside the campus. The Wire tried to contact Mukherjee through WhatsApp on Thursday. She had not responded by late evening. The article will be updated if she does. Neither the ruling party or the university administration had publicly demanded an explanation from her at the time of this article's publication. A student dispute becomes the pretext Faculty of Engineering and Technology Students Union (FETSU), an active student body at Jadavpur, had called a general body meeting on Wednesday evening at Aurobindo Bhavan, the administrative block near Gates 1 and 2 of the university. Supporters of the Democratic Students' Federation (DSF), another left-wing student body, and the ABVP also attended. The immediate dispute was small and procedural. It concerned

who would control the union's official email address, social media handles and bank account. ABVP supporters allegedly began chanting slogans describing DSF supporters as "Naxalites" and "anti-nationals". One ABVP supporter allegedly attacked Left-wing students with a bamboo stick. Students also alleged that a large number of people associated with the BJP and other right-wing groups gathered outside and assaulted Left supporters. Several students from both sides were injured and taken to government and private hospitals. Most were discharged after basic treatment. On Wednesday night, the ABVP demonstrated outside Jadavpur police station. An engineering student from the saffron camp filed a complaint against at least 11 students from the opposing side under provisions of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita and the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes Act. Students who opposed the ABVP said some of their members had also been injured. They claimed they

could not reach the police station to file a counter-complaint. After Mukherjee's warning that the "tandav" would continue all night, a large group of BJP supporters and other outsiders allegedly broke open a university gate and entered the campus. Students who spoke to The Wire alleged that fires were started on the campus around 1.15 am on Thursday. Within half an hour, they said, the CCTV control room was attacked and the footage was destroyed. Indranuj Ray, a leader of the left-wing student organisation Revolutionary Students' Front (RSF), posted on Facebook that "mobs of 400 in and around Gate 4, and a mob of around 800 are blocking all exits across 8B Bus Terminus." Several videos have circulated on social media, showing some men, who appeared considerably older than university students, pulling down Left-wing flags, tearing posters and setting fire to banners and flexes, though The Wire could not independently verify them. Outside Aurobindo Bhavan, men could be heard saying "Happy Diwali" as material was set alight. Students trapped inside could be heard shouting. The violence later reached the Jadavpur University Main Hostel, situated closer to the Jadavpur police station. A video showed right-wing goons trying to force open the hostel's main gate as frightened students pleaded for help. Security personnel were present on the other side but did not intervene. Left to defend themselves, the students eventually managed to stop the mob from entering the hostel. A student who was at the campus at the time told The Wire, "Outsiders backed by the ruling party attacked us and vandalised our campus. Sixty bike-borne goons entered and tried to set the whole campus on fire.

Faith is respected, but it is important to question wrong things

-Dr. Satyavan Saurabh

Religion is not merely a matter of worship or rituals in human life. It is deeply rooted in one's faith, culture, morality, tradition, and outlook on life. For thousands of years, religious texts have imparted to society the message of moral values, duty, compassion, restraint, truth, and philanthropy. This is why millions of people read religious texts with reverence and draw inspiration from them in their lives. But faith cannot mean accepting everything written in a book without questioning it, without understanding its context, and without testing it with logic. The most pressing question today is whether everything written in religious texts should be accepted as literal truth. If a statement bears the imprint of historical circumstances, if it reflects a particular social system, if its meaning has changed in today's context, or if its interpretation promotes discrimination between humans, is it anti-religion to question it? Certainly not. Questioning is the first step to knowledge and the hallmark of a healthy society. It is a grave mistake to consider religion and critical thinking as incompatible. Faith may be a personal belief, but when the interpretation of a religious idea begins to influence public life, law, education, social relations, or civil rights, public debate on that idea becomes natural and necessary. In a democracy, an idea cannot be exempt from criticism simply because it originates from a religious context. An impor-

tant distinction must be made here—criticism of religion and insulting a religious figure are two different things. Questioning a statement in a religious text, its interpretation, or its social impact should not be done with the intention of insulting the dignity of any religious person. Criticism should be directed at an idea, not at a person. Argument should be answered with logic, not emotional outrage. In our society, we often see a tendency that when a question is raised about something in a religious text, the focus of the discussion shifts from answering the question to the questioner's intentions. They are labeled anti-religion, anti-tradition, or anti-social. This shuts down dialogue and fosters fanaticism. If an answer to a question is available, it should be presented peacefully. If there are different interpretations of a statement, they should be discussed. And if something existed in a historical context, its context should be explained. Reading religious texts out of context and context can also create problems. Society thousands of years ago was unlike today's society. The social structure, governance system, education, science, family system, and economic conditions of that time were different. Therefore, to understand the meaning of an ancient statement, it is essential to understand its original context, language, symbols, and the social conditions of that time. A literal interpretation of the same statement in modern times can often lead to assumptions that are completely different from the

original context. Therefore, religious texts should be studied not only with devotion, but also with a view of knowledge, history, language, and philosophy. Devotion inspires humanity, while reason helps us understand the true meaning. A balance of both contributes to a more mature society. The most sensitive issue arises when an interpretation of a religious statement attempts to justify gender inequality, caste discrimination, untouchability, violence, social exclusion, or hatred against a particular community. Modern democratic society is founded on equality, freedom, dignity, and justice. Therefore, any interpretation that diminishes human dignity is bound to raise questions. The Constitution also plays a crucial role here. In a diverse country like India, different religions, sects, languages, and traditions coexist. Our social life is governed not by any single religious text, but by the civil rights and duties established by the Constitution. Every citizen has the right to their own religious beliefs, but they must also respect the freedom and equality of others. Therefore, it is essential to strike a balance between religious freedom and critical thinking. No one should be prevented from expressing their faith, and no one should be allowed to violate the rights of others in the name of their faith. Another challenge is the arbitrary interpretation of religious texts. Sometimes, the interpreters of religious texts have more influence than the original text itself. Different scholars interpret the same

statement differently. Some consider it symbolic, some historical, some spiritual, and some literal. Therefore, to claim that only one interpretation is the ultimate truth is not intellectually sound. The goal of religious education in society should not only be to teach people what to believe, but also to explain why. Asking questions will not diminish their faith; rather, it will likely deepen their understanding. A faith that fears questions can weaken; but a faith that can face questions becomes more mature and stronger. Today, in the digital age, this topic has become even more important. In the name of religious texts, incomplete quotes, mistranslations, and statements taken out of context spread rapidly on social media. People often believe a viral post to be true without even consulting the original text. This leads to religious controversies and increased social tension. Therefore, before objecting to a statement, it is essential to verify whether it actually appears in the original text, its correct translation, and its accompanying context. The critic also has a responsibility. If they are questioning a statement in a religious text, they should support their arguments with evidence, context, and logic. Deliberately misquoting, insulting followers of a religion, or inciting religious sentiments is not critical thinking. It is merely creating controversy. Similarly, religious scholars have a responsibility not to mistake criticism for hostility. Society changes, language changes, and questions change.

THE HUMAN COST OF INDIA'S MICROFINANCE BOOM

Delhi/Nadia (West Bengal): On a late February evening this year, in a small village in West Bengal state, two loan collectors parked their motorcycle outside 36-year-old Sunita Das's house and refused to leave until she paid an overdue weekly instalment Rs 2750 (\$28). The problem was, she didn't have the money to pay it. The men were physically imposing. They shouted loudly enough for neighbours to hear and stayed for hours. Months later, the sound of a motorcycle still fills Das with fear. "[For a long time] they refused to leave without the money," Das says from her home in the village of Jamladanga Dighirpar, Nadia district. "When I could pay the instalments, there was no problem. But when I cannot, they speak to me very badly. They insult my children. They have no respect for a woman." In the end, they left and she paid the instalment a few weeks later. Das earns a living finishing handwoven sarees, unstable work that depends heavily on dry weather as rain prevents the dyed and starched fabric from drying properly. Hoping to supplement the family's income, she and her husband borrowed Rs 300,000 (\$3,150) from Bandhan Bank, a financial services company that provides microfinance and claims to empower women through small loans, to open a bicycle repair shop in 2024. When the business failed due to low earnings, she borrowed Rs 215,000 (\$2,230) a few months later in 2024 from Axis Bank's microfinancing unit, to keep up with repayments. She now owes both lenders close to Rs 245,000

(\$2,545). "You can't do any work when someone is sitting outside your door like that. I'm afraid when they come late at night. We worry that something bad might happen," says Das, whose hands are stained yellow with the starch used to craft sarees. Why microfinance targets women Her story is similar to that of thousands of women across India who take on multiple microfinance loans to support their families and livelihoods but struggle to keep up with weekly or monthly repayments when their incomes fall short. When they default, many women report facing intimidation, harassment and pressure from loan recovery agents. It has been nearly 50 years since Bangladeshi economist Muhammad Yunus pioneered modern microfinance with the promise of helping poor women escape poverty through small, collateral-free loans. For decades, microfinance was celebrated by economists and institutions as an anti-poverty tool. The model spread rapidly across South Asia. Governments embraced it. International development organisations championed it. India's microfinance sector now serves about 55 million unique borrowers through 76 million active loans, with borrowers collectively owing lenders Rs 2.77 trillion (\$29 billion) - 95% of them are women. As of 2025, women in India hold \$800 billion in credit, nearly five times the amount recorded in 2017. According to experts who spoke to Fuller, women like Das are deliberately targeted as borrowers, seen as more

reliable, but also easier to pressure and intimidate. Limited access to formal banking, land and independent income makes them vulnerable, while social norms around shame and honour intensify the cost of default. West Bengal has emerged as one of the largest markets for microfinance. There isn't a clear socioeconomic reason for this, but at least 26 major lenders compete for low-income borrowers, and among the 25 districts in India where private microfinance is most common, six are in West Bengal. Women's organisations and labour activists Fuller spoke to say that competition has fuelled mounting debt and increasingly aggressive recovery practices. Bandhan, one of the country's largest and oldest microfinance lenders, was founded in the state in 2001 and continues to have a significant share of its microfinance portfolio concentrated there. All six women interviewed by Fuller had borrowed from Bandhan. Monalisa Sinha, West Bengal state secretary of the All India Democratic Women's Association (AIDWA), one of India's largest grassroots women's organisations, says cases like Das's are no longer isolated. "Particularly in rural parts of West Bengal and in low-income areas, you will see thousands of women are in debt and facing intimidation," Sinha says. Catastrophic consequences Interviews with borrowers, women's organisations and labour activists suggest that the transformation of microfinance from a development initiative into a competitive commercial industry has left many low-income women

trapped between mounting debt and aggressive recovery practices, such as repeated visits to borrowers' homes, public shaming, verbal abuse and intimidation. Madhujha Sen Roy, a politician with the Communist Party of India (Marxist) who works with indebted women in West Bengal, says reports of women fleeing villages, facing harassment and threats, or dying by or attempting to kill themselves over debt have become "very common". Moumita Chakrabarty, West Bengal Co-ordinator of the Self-Employed Women's Association (SEWA), says lenders cultivate relationships in villages long before repayments begin. "The agents come to villages, build relationships with people and tell them they will receive many benefits if they take a loan," she says. "Rural families have very little cash, and the companies take advantage of that." In an economy of low wages and high inflation, Sinha says that "hyper-competition" has produced "catastrophic" consequences for women. In 2025, a survey of more than 6,000 women across India by AIDWA found loan collectors barging into bedrooms, locking women inside their homes, seizing essential items, and in some cases physically and sexually assaulting borrowers. Six women interviewed in West Bengal by Fuller described recovery agents waiting outside homes for hours, repeatedly telephoning borrowers and their relatives, demanding repayments late into the evening, and returning week after week until instalments were paid.

RSB Global Organises Mega Blood Donation Camp at Gamharia Unit 4 to Mark Chairman Dr R.K. Behera's Birthday

AGENCY
Seraikela/ Gamharia: RSB Group organised its annual blood donation camp at RSB Unit 4 in Gamharia as part of the birthday celebrations of Group Chairman Dr R.K. Behera. The initiative reflected the group's core philosophy of placing humanity and social responsibility alongside industrial excellence. Around 340 units of blood were collected during the camp. Members of the Behera family, including Sangeeta Behera and Nalini Behera, were present on the occasion and encouraged employees and volunteers

who came forward to donate blood. The initiative also reflects the vision of RSB Group Vice Chairman and Managing Director S.K. Behera, who has consistently emphasised social responsibility, public welfare and continued support for communities alongside industrial growth. Speaking on the occasion, Sangeeta Behera said a birthday celebration becomes truly meaningful when it is connected with serving humanity. She appreciated the employees and team members who voluntarily came forward to donate blood and said their participation



reflected the spirit of service associated with the RSB family. Nalini Behera said every unit of blood donated could provide a new hope for someone in need. She appreciated the enthusiasm among employees across workshops and offices, saying the initiative had trans-

formed the occasion into an opportunity to help save lives. Jaya Singh, Lead HR, RSB Global, highlighted the organisation's values and the dedication of its workforce. She said that under the guidance of Dr R.K. Behera and the leadership of S.K. Behera, RSB Group has con-

tinued to view social welfare as an important foundation of its progress. The Gamharia Unit 4 blood donation camp witnessed active participation from employees and volunteers, resulting in the collection of approximately 340 units of blood. RSB Group conducts blood donation camps and various other social welfare initiatives throughout the year across its units in India and abroad. The group collectively contributes around 4,000 units of blood annually through its various facilities worldwide. The Gamharia units alone contribute approximately 1,800

units of blood every year, making a significant contribution to local healthcare services and emergency blood requirements. Founded in Jamshedpur in 1975 by Chairman Dr R.K. Behera and Vice Chairman and Managing Director S.K. Behera, RSB is a global engineering and manufacturing group headquartered in Pune. The group operates advanced manufacturing facilities across major industrial centres in India, including Jamshedpur, Pune, Dharwad, Chennai, Sri City, Pantnagar, Cuttack and Lucknow, as well as in the United States and Mexico.

Youth's Body Found Hanging from Tree in Kotalpokhar, Police Begin Investigation



AGENCY
Kotalpokhar: The body of a 30-year-old man was found hanging from a tree near a pond at Kodhatola Math in Bhadaitand under Mayurkola Panchayat on Thursday, creating panic in the area. The deceased was identified as Rajesh Marandi, son of late Shyam Marandi and a resident of Piprajodi. As news of the incident spread, a large number of villagers gathered at the spot. Local residents informed Kotalpokhar police, following which Sub-Inspector Bishwanath Rajak reached the scene along with police personnel. The deceased's elder and younger brothers also arrived at the location and identified the body as that of Rajesh Marandi. According to the family, Rajesh lived with his mother and two brothers. The family said that an argument had taken place at home on Wednesday following which Rajesh left the house at around 4 pm carrying a bag. When he did not return home, his family members began searching for him. After an extensive search, his body was found hanging from a tree near the pond at Bhadaitand. The family was devastated following the incident. Police took the body into custody and initiated the process of sending it for post-mortem examination. Police have begun an investigation to determine the circumstances surrounding the death and establish the cause of the incident.

Tragic Accident in Chandil: School Bus Helper Dies, Police Begin Investigation

AGENCY
Chandil: A tragic accident near the New Bridge at Chandil Golchakkar on Thursday morning claimed the life of a school bus helper associated with Dayamati Modi Public School (DMPS), Humid. The deceased was identified as Prahlad Mahto, a resident of Rugri under Chowka police station. According to preliminary information, the accident occurred at around 8 am when Prahlad Mahto reportedly fell from the school bus while on duty. He was seriously injured after one of the bus wheels ran over his leg. Following the incident, local residents and school management personnel rushed him to the Chandil Community Health Centre. However, doctors examined him and declared him dead. News of the accident prompted family members and vil-



lagers to reach the hospital. The incident has left the local community in mourning. BJP youth leader Akash Mahto and JLMK leader Gopesh Mahto also reached the Chandil Community Health Centre after learning about the incident. They met the bereaved family and expressed their condolences. Akash Mahto demanded a fair investigation into the accident and sought appropriate compensation and all possible assistance for the deceased's

family. Police reached the spot after receiving information about the incident and began an investigation. The body was taken into custody and sent to Seraikela Sadar Hospital for post-mortem examination. Police said the exact circumstances and cause of the accident would become clear only after the investigation is completed. Prahlad Mahto was reportedly a key earning member of his family. His sudden death has left his family devastated.

Income Tax Employees Stage Protest in Ranchi, Demand Restoration of Old Pension Scheme

AGENCY
Ranchi: The Ranchi unit of the Income Tax Employees Federation (ITEF) organized a demonstration and meeting during the lunch break at the Central Revenue Building in Ranchi, demanding the restoration of the Old Pension Scheme (OPS). Around 150 income tax employees participated in the programme and strongly raised their demand for a secure and dignified life after retirement. Addressing the gathering, ITEF Ranchi unit secretary Abhash Nath said employees who dedicate their most productive years to government service deserve financial security, dignity and certainty after retirement. He said the employees would not accept any arrangement in place of the Old Pension Scheme. ITEF Ranchi unit president Manoj Kumar Shukla said the organization's campaign



for OPS would continue. He described the demand as an issue of employees' dignity, social security and financial protection after retirement, rather than merely a matter concerning pension. Rupak Prasad called upon employees across the country to remain united in support of the Old Pension Scheme. He said employee unity was their greatest strength and urged government employees to collectively raise their voice for the right to a secure and dignified retirement. The Ranchi unit of ITEF clarified

that its demand for the restoration of OPS was aimed at ensuring retirement security, social protection and a dignified post-retirement life for employees who have devoted decades to government service. The participation of around 150 employees reflected the unity and commitment among the workforce regarding the demand. The employees maintained that while retirement marks the end of government service, it should not become the beginning of financial insecurity.

NITI Aayog Adviser Reviews Ground-Level Progress of Aspirational Block and District Programme in Mandro



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Mandro: NITI Aayog Adviser Anurag Singh visited the area on Thursday to assess the ground-level progress of development initiatives being implemented under the Aspirational Block and Aspirational District Programme. He reviewed progress across key performance indicators (KPIs), particularly in education, healthcare and nutrition, and interacted with officials and field-level staff. During the visit, Singh first inspected UMS Purbatola in Mandro. He subsequently visited the Anganwadi Centre at Mathadih and the Primary Health Centre at Tetaria to assess the facilities and implementation of various government programmes. The NITI Aayog adviser reviewed the progress achieved against the prescribed indicators and issued necessary directions to officials to ensure effective implementation of schemes and the achievement of targeted outcomes. During the school inspection, Singh reviewed the academic arrangements and facilities being provided to students. At the Anganwadi centre, he assessed the services available to children and beneficiaries. He also reviewed the healthcare and medical facilities at the Primary Health Centre. Singh emphasised the need to ensure that the benefits of government welfare schemes reach people at the grassroots level, particularly those at the most disadvantaged sections of society. He also stressed maintaining quality, transparency and continuity in development works. District Planning Officer Anup Kumar, Aspirational Block Fellow Manish Kumar and other concerned officials and employees were present during the inspection.

Ranchi to Hold Special Camps at All Polling Booths on August 22-23, Final Opportunity to Submit Forms 6 and 8

AGENCY
Ranchi: A second and final special camp under the Special Intensive Revision (SIR) 2026 will be held at all polling stations across Ranchi district on August 22 and 23, 2026, to facilitate the addition of names to the electoral roll and the transfer of family members' names to the same polling station. The camps will be conducted from 10 am to 4 pm on both days. District Election Officer-cum-Deputy Commissioner, Ranchi, Manjunath Bhajantari, has appealed to all eligible citizens to visit their respective polling stations on the scheduled dates, complete the required forms and ensure that all necessary procedures related to their names in the electoral roll are completed. Form 6 for Addition of Names to Electoral Roll Form 6 can be submitted by eligible Indian citizens who are Indian nationals, have attained the age of 18 years or will attain 18 years



by October 1, 2026, and are ordinarily residing within the area of a polling station in Jharkhand. Eligible citizens can submit Form 6 along with the required declaration to have their names included in the electoral roll. Form 8 for Bringing Family Members to the Same Polling Station Form 8 can be submitted when family members are registered at different polling

booths or polling stations but are currently residing at the same address. The form can be used to request the transfer of their names to the same polling station. The district administration has urged all eligible citizens to make use of the second and final special camp and complete the necessary electoral roll-related procedures within the stipulated period.

PEHOWA MUNICIPAL COUNCIL SECRETARY SUSPENDED ON COMPLAINT OF PROPERTY ID

AGENCY
Chandigarh , August 20 - Chief Minister Mr. Nayab Singh Saini has suspended the Pehowa Municipal Council Secretary on a complaint related to property ID. On Wednesday itself, he had given clear instructions to the officials across the state that no person should need to come to him with the problem of property ID and the resolution of complaints should be ensured at the local level itself. The very next day after the Chief Minister's directives, the government took immediate action after a com-

plaint regarding property IDs surfaced in Pehowa. The state's Urban Local Bodies Department suspended Ashok Kumar, Secretary of the Pehowa Municipality, with immediate effect. During the suspension period, his headquarters has been designated as the Directorate of Urban Local Bodies Department, Haryana, Panchkula. This action, taken following the Chief Minister's directive, sends a clear message that negligence in resolving public complaints will not be tolerated at any level.

Two Arrested in Bike Theft Case from Seraikela Sadar Hospital, Two Splendor Motorcycles Recovered

AGENCY
Seraikela: Police have solved a motorcycle theft case reported from the premises of Seraikela Sadar Hospital and arrested two accused persons. Two Splendor motorcycles, including the one allegedly stolen from the hospital premises, were recovered from their possession. According to police, on July 27, 2026, the complainant had arrived at Seraikela Sadar Hospital with his wife for medical treatment on motorcycle number JH05CZ-2871. He parked the motorcycle inside the hospital premises. After completing the treatment, he found that the motorcycle was missing. Following a written complaint regarding the



theft, Seraikela Police Station registered Case No. 63/26 on August 1, 2026, under Section 303(2) of the

Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita (BNS). On the instructions of the Superintendent of Police, a raiding team was

formed under the leadership of Seraikela Circle Police Inspector Rajesh Tudu to investigate the case. Acting on technical and manual inputs, the team arrested two persons allegedly involved in the theft. The arrested accused have been identified as Suraj Nath, 24, son of Siddheshwar Yogi and a resident of Ladaipur under Rajnagar police station, and Abhishek Mahto, 26, son of Haripad Mahto, a resident of Dugni, Joradiha, near the old FCI godown under Seraikela police station. Both are residents of Seraikela-Kharsawan district. Based on information provided by the accused, police recovered two black Splendor motorcycles.

Huge Crowds Gather in Atadgram for Maa Mansa Puja, Cultural Programmes Draw Enthusiastic Audience

AGENCY
Ichagarh: A three-day fair is being organized in Atadgram of Ichagarh block on the occasion of Maa Mansa Puja, drawing large crowds of devotees and visitors. The entire village has been decorated with attractive electrical illumination and colourful lights for the festivities, while more than a dozen grand idols of Maa Mansa have been installed at different locations. The fair began on Wednesday and has been witnessing a steady flow of devotees. Cultural programmes organized every evening have emerged as a major attraction for visitors. A Baul music programme was held on Wednesday night, with artists entertaining devotees through traditional folk



songs. On Thursday night, a Boogie-Woogie dance programme was organized, attracting a large number of people from neighbouring villages. The audience enthusiastically enjoyed the performances and continued dancing and cheering late into the night. According to local residents, Maa Mansa Puja has been celebrated in Atadgram for many years with great devo-

tion and traditional fervour. Special rituals are performed at various Mansa temples during the festival. On Wednesday night, the traditional practice of sacrificing goats and ducks was also observed at several temples. Rituals Begin with Kalash Installation The tradition of inviting and installing the sacred kalash holds special significance during Maa Mansa Puja. Devotees bring

a kalash from a sacred river, pond or other water body and install it at the temple following prescribed rituals. At several locations, rituals are followed by the traditional sacrifice of goats, ducks and chickens. Traditional events such as Jant and Jhapan have also remained important attractions of Mansa Puja celebrations. According to popular belief, Maa Mansa is regarded as the mind-born daughter of Lord Shiva and the goddess of snakes. She is also worshipped by devotees as Bishahari, Nagmata and Nagabhagini. Local residents believe that worshipping Maa Mansa protects families from snakebites and other misfortunes. Mansa Puja continues to preserve the traditions.

Farmers Can Apply Online Free of Cost for Kharif 2026 Crop Assistance Scheme Until October 31

AGENCY

Patna: The state government on Thursday approved the implementation of the Bihar State Crop Assistance Scheme for the Kharif 2026 season. All procedures under the scheme will continue to be conducted online, and farmers can submit their applications free of cost until October 31. The scheme is being funded entirely by the state government. During the Kharif season, the scheme will cover Aghani paddy, Bhadai maize, soybean, Aghani potato, Aghani brinjal, Aghani tomato, Aghani cauliflower and makhana. The primary objective is to



provide financial assistance to farmers in case of crop losses caused by adverse weather conditions or other factors. No premium is payable by farmers under the scheme. For Kharif 2026, Aghani paddy has

been notified as a panchayat-level crop in all 38 districts of Bihar, while Bhadai maize has been notified in 25 identified districts. Soybean has been notified as a district-level crop in three districts, Aghani pota-

to in 14 districts, Aghani brinjal in 15 districts, Aghani tomato in 12 districts, Aghani cauliflower in 14 districts and makhana in 10 districts. Farmers registered on the Bihar Agriculture Department's DBT portal under the tenant farmer, non-tenant farmer, or partially tenant and non-tenant categories can apply for the scheme. Nagar Panchayats and Nagar Parishads located within the concerned districts have also been notified for the respective crops. The list of districts notified for each crop can be viewed on the department's website. Under the scheme, farmers

will receive assistance of Rs 7,500 per hectare if the actual crop yield is up to 20 per cent below the threshold yield. In cases where the crop loss exceeds 20 per cent, assistance will be provided at the rate of Rs 10,000 per hectare. The assistance will be limited to a maximum area of two hectares and will be transferred through DBT to the farmers' Aadhaar-linked bank accounts. Farmers will not have to pay any application fee. At the time of application, farmers from all categories must upload a prescribed self-declaration form containing details of the crop and the area sown.

ED RAIDS REAL ESTATE BUSINESSMEN'S PREMISES IN DURG

AGENCY

Durg: The Enforcement Directorate (ED) conducted raids at the premises of real estate businessmen in Chhattisgarh's Durg district on Thursday. The ED team began searches at the residences and shops of real estate businessmen Sajil Jain and Vishwas Gupta. According to information available, the ED team arrived at a residence in Jain Gali in around three vehicles. More than 12 officials are reportedly part of the team. CRPF personnel have also been deployed for security during the operation. The ED action is reportedly linked to documents and inputs gathered during an investi-



gation involving Congress treasurer Ramgopal Agrawal. The agency is examining documents and other records at the premises of the real estate businessmen. Searches at Premises Linked to Ramgopal Agrawal The ED also conducted searches on Thursday at four locations linked to Congress treasurer

Ramgopal Agrawal, including his premises and the residence and office of Anoop Agrawal, who is associated with GD Logistics and is the brother of doctor Kamleshwar Agrawal. In addition, the agency is conducting a search at the Dhamtari residence of Prateek Agrawal, the nephew of Ramgopal Agrawal.

FLOOD MOCK DRILL CONDUCTED IN BAMHNI TO STRENGTHEN DISASTER PREPAREDNESS

AGENCY

Kondagaon : A district-level flood mock exercise was conducted in Bamhni village to strengthen preparedness and response mechanisms for natural disasters such as floods. The exercise was organized jointly by the National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA), Government of India, the Chhattisgarh State Disaster Management Authority and the District Disaster Management Authority. The mock drill was conducted under the leadership of Collector Nupur Rashi Panna. Incident Commander and Additional Collector Chitrakant Chali Thakur, A d d i t i o n a l Superintendent of Police Kapil Chandra, CRPF



188 Battalion Deputy Commandant Mukesh, Nodal Officer and Deputy Collector Kishore Sharma, Deputy Collectors Lakheshwar Yadav and Rajendra Kaushik, Tehsildar Manoj Rawat and Naib Tehsildar Narendra Singh, along with other officials, participated in the exercise. Teams from the police

department, district fire and emergency services, health department, District Disaster Response Force and Red Cross Society were also involved. The exercise focused on preparing an emergency response plan and ensuring swift rescue, relief and medical assistance during a flood or similar disaster. A res-

cue operation was carried out at Jawai Munda Pond in Bamhni as part of the drill. The rescued person was immediately taken to the Bamhni Primary Health Centre for medical assistance. The Health Department team also provided CPR training to school students as part of the disaster-awareness initiative. Municipal Council Chairman Narpati Patel, Janpad Panchayat Vice-President Tomendra Thakur, the village sarpanch and a large number of villagers observed the mock exercise. The administration emphasized the importance of public awareness, coordinated response and timely rescue operations in minimizing loss of life during natural disasters.

UNIQUE VETIVER GRASS RAKHIS TO RELEASE FRAGRANCE WHEN TOUCHED BY WATER

AGENCY

Raipur: This Raksha Bandhan, traditional sibling affection is getting an innovative, eco-friendly touch in Chhattisgarh with unique rakhis made from vetiver roots. The handmade, biodegradable rakhis release a natural, earthy fragrance when exposed to a drop of water or moisture, offering an unusual sensory experience while remaining skin-friendly and environmentally sustainable. The initiative promotes local skills and traditional knowledge associated with medicinal and aromatic plants in Chhattisgarh. The vetiver rakhis have been designed to combine the traditional symbolism of Raksha Bandhan with the state's natural resources and local craftsmanship. Initiative Aims to Promote Livelihoods Through Forest Resources The initiative has been undertaken in line with Forest Minister Kedar Kashyap's vision of creating new employment and livelihood opportunities through forest produce and traditional medicinal plants. The Chhattisgarh Tribal, Local Health Traditions and Medicinal Plants Board is promoting innovative products using aromatic plants such as vetiver. Under



the guidance of Board Chairman Vikas Markam and Vice-Chairman Anjay Shukla, 10 women from Annapurna Women's Self-Help Group, Nari district of Dhamtari, have prepared 1,000 such rakhis. Fragrance Emerges With Moisture The key feature of the vetiver rakhis is their natural fragrance. Unlike conventional rakhis, these rakhis emit a pleasant aroma when they come into contact with moisture. A few drops of water while washing hands or exposure to rain can activate the fragrance, creating a distinctive experience for the

wearer. Traditional Knowledge Meets Innovation The initiative is not limited to making Raksha Bandhan celebrations distinctive. It is also aimed at connecting forest-based products with markets, preserving traditional knowledge and creating livelihood opportunities for local communities. Forest Minister Kedar Kashyap described the initiative as a blend of tradition, nature and innovation, saying that the rakhi would symbolize not only a sister's affection but also the fragrance of Chhattisgarh's natural heritage.

Maheshpatti Witnesses Another Example of Humanity as Social Worker Raju Sahni Donates Furniture Set for Daughter's Wedding



AGENCY

Samastipur: A heartwarming example of compassion and social responsibility has emerged from Ujiarpur block of Samastipur district, where social worker Raju Sahni stepped forward to support a financially struggling family preparing for their daughter's wedding Rito Sahni and Sunita Devi, residents of Ward No. 12 of Lakhneepur Maheshpatti Panchayat, were looking forward to the marriage of their daughter Manisha Kumari, scheduled for August 17, 2026. However, the family's financial condition made it difficult for them to meet all the expenses associated with the wedding. While the family was preparing for the celebrations, financial difficulties remained a major concern. Understanding their situation, social worker Raju Sahni, a resident of Bhagwanpur Kamla Panchayat, came forward

to extend his support. Sahni provided a furniture set for Manisha's wedding, helping the family overcome one of the financial burdens associated with their daughter's marriage. His gesture has been widely appreciated as an example of social sensitivity and community support. For the family, the assistance was more than simply a furniture set. It provided emotional and financial support at an important moment and allowed the parents to focus more on their daughter's wedding celebrations without the added burden of arranging essential household items. Raju Sahni is reportedly known for supporting the weddings of daughters from poor and needy families. His continued social initiatives have earned him appreciation in the area, with local residents referring to him as a supporter and benefactor of underprivileged families.

District Magistrate Reviews Revenue Department Work, Issues Directions to Officials

AGENCY

Samastipur: A detailed review meeting on the functioning of the Revenue Department was held at the Collectorate Auditorium in Samastipur under the chairmanship of District Magistrate Roshan Kushwaha. During the meeting, the progress of various revenue-related activities in the district was reviewed, and officials were directed to speed up the work and ensure that cases are disposed of within the stipulated time frame. The meeting was attended by the Additional Collector, all Deputy Collectors of Land Reforms (DCLRs), all Circle Officers (COs) and other officials associated with the Revenue



Department. During the review, the District Magistrate sought updates on pending cases in revenue courts, mutation, land record correction, land disputes, encroachment, protection of government land, maintenance and updating of land records, revenue collection and other revenue-related matters. The District Magistrate directed officials to ensure that cases

related to mutation and land record correction are disposed of within the prescribed time limit. He said there should be no unnecessary delay in resolving revenue matters and instructed officials and staff to work with sensitivity so that members of the public do not have to make unnecessary visits to government offices. All Circle Officers were directed to regularly monitor govern-

ment land in their respective areas and take prompt action against encroachment in accordance with the law. Officials were also instructed to coordinate with all concerned parties in land dispute cases and ensure effective action in accordance with legal provisions. The District Magistrate directed all DCLRs and COs to regularly review pending cases in revenue courts, with special attention to the speedy disposal of older cases. He said revenue-related matters have a direct impact on the daily lives and land rights of citizens. Therefore, transparency, accountability and timely disposal must be ensured at every level.

Major Police Action in Samastipur, Woman Accused in Attempted Murder Case Arrested

AGENCY

Samastipur: Shivajinagar police in Bihar's Samastipur district have arrested a woman who had been absconding in connection with an attempted murder case. According to information from the police headquarters, a special team from Shivajinagar police station conducted a raid in Gangarahi village based on a tip-off. During the operation, police arrested Ruaban Devi, a named accused in the attempted murder case registered as Shivajinagar Police Station Case No. 65/26. The arrested woman has been identified as the wife of local resident Rambahadur



Yadav of Gangarahi village. Police had been searching for her for some time in connection with the case. Following her arrest, police are proceeding with the necessary legal formalities.

HIGH COURT VERDICT RAISES HOPE OF FAIR COMPENSATION FOR 32 LANDOWNERS IN BIKRAM'S KHORAITHA

AGENCY

Bikram: Farmers who had been waiting for justice over compensation for land acquired in Khoraita village for the widening of NH-98 have received significant relief from the Patna High Court. In its judgment in Geeta Devi and Others vs Union of India and Others, the Patna High Court set aside the compensation determination order issued on November 17, 2016, in favour of 32 landowners. The court of Justice Khatim Reza held that before determining compensation, it was mandatory under Section 3G(3) to publish a public notice in two local newspapers

inviting claims and objections from the concerned landowners. However, during the hearing, no evidence was found on record showing that such a notice had been published. The court considered this a failure to comply with the mandatory procedure. The High Court has allowed the 32 landowners to submit their objections and claims regarding compensation before the competent authority. The authority has also been directed to provide the landowners with a proper opportunity of hearing and pass a fresh award in accordance with the law. The court has directed that the entire



process should preferably be completed within three months. Discontent Over Compensation Based on Agricultural Land Classification The landowners said that

during the earlier land acquisition process, the land in Khoraita was treated as agricultural land in a rural area and compensation was determined accordingly. According to the applica-

ble provisions, they were expected to receive compensation equivalent to four times the government land rate. However, the farmers alleged that they did not receive the compensation they were entitled to and claimed that even the expected double compensation was not provided. They also maintained that the land acquired for the national highway falls within an urban area. Despite this, the land acquisition authorities allegedly determined the compensation rate arbitrarily, leading to prolonged dissatisfaction among the landowners. After repeated representa-

tions to officials failed to resolve the matter, the farmers approached the court seeking relief. Advocate Mrityunjay Kumar, a resident of Mahajpura, represented the landowners before the High Court. Following the court's decision, 32 landowners, including Geeta Devi, Manoj Tiwari, Shripati Devi, Sunil Singh and Shivchandra Singh, will now have an opportunity to submit their objections and compensation claims afresh. The verdict has renewed hope among the affected landowners that they will finally receive compensation determined through due legal procedure.

PRICE RESET HITS AI+ SMARTPHONE LINEUP

August 2026: Ai+ Smartphone today announced a price revision of Approx 22,000 across select devices in its smartphone portfolio, effective immediately. The adjustment comes in response to sustained increases in component and input costs impacting the broader smartphone industry. The smartphone industry continues to navigate a challenging cost environment, with rising costs across key components, particularly memory, alongside manufacturing, logistics and other critical inputs. These pressures have increasingly impacted device economics across price segments, requiring brands to reassess pricing while continuing to balance affordability with product experience. Ai+ Smartphone has absorbed a significant portion of these incremental costs to maintain accessible pricing for consumers. However, with cost pressures continuing, the company has imple-



mented a measured price revision across select devices effective today. Commenting on the development, Madhav Sheth, CEO, Ai+ Smartphone and Founder, NxtQuantum Shift Technologies, said: Our Mission is to deliver exceptional technology and real value to Indian consumers while building a strong, sustainable business. The industry is under pressure with rising component costs, and while we've absorbed much of it, a strategic price adjustment is necessary. One thing remains clear: we will keep technology accessible, and Ai+ will continue to

provide unparalleled value across our offerings." The company emphasised that the revision reflects the broader change in industry cost structures and is aimed at maintaining a sustainable balance between affordability, product experience and long-term value. Despite the adjustment, Ai+ Smartphone will continue to focus on delivering a strong price-to-experience proposition across its portfolio, while closely evaluating market and supply-chain dynamics to ensure its devices remain competitively positioned for Indian consumers.

GANDHI'S HANDWRITTEN NOTES ON LIFE SOLD FOR \$1.69M AT INDIAN AUCTION

A rare collection of handwritten notes by Indian independence leader Mahatma Gandhi has been sold for \$1.69m (£1.24m) at an auction in Mumbai city. The notes, owned and preserved by the family of close associate and freedom fighter Anand T Hingorani, include 688 of Gandhi's handwritten messages on truth, non-violence and self-restraint written between 1944 and 1946. Auction house Saffronart said the sale set a record for the highest price paid for an Indian historical document at an auction. Gandhi led India's non-violent struggle against British rule and is fondly known as the father of the nation. But the notes offer a more personal glimpse of the man behind the political leader. Gandhi wrote to Hingorani for around two years after the death of his wife, Vidya, offering him guidance, consolation and encourage-



ment. The messages were later compiled in a book called, A Thought for the Day. Dinesh Vazirani, co-

founder of Saffronart, said the collection allowed people to see Gandhi "through the lens of a close, personal

relationship". The notes were the highlight of Saffronart's "86-lot" auction, titled Gandhi: From

the Collection of Anand T Hingorani. The lot also included letters, manuscripts, photographs and personal objects preserved by the Hingorani family over generations. The collection spans more than two decades, documenting key moments in India's independence struggle as well as Gandhi's friendship with Hingorani.

"These reflections offer a rare insight into how Gandhi lived the principles he advocated publicly, making this an especially valuable record of his thought and practice," Vazirani said in a statement. Other items in the auction were Gandhi's notes on God and the Hindu holy book Bhagavad Gita, his portable spinning wheel and two letters about the spiritual discipline of spinning. Saffronart has not disclosed the buyer's identity but said the notes would remain in India.

RAIDURG PLOT FETCHES RS 264 CR PER ACRE, HIGHEST YET IN HYDERABAD



Hyderabad: The Telangana Industrial Infrastructure Corporation (TGIC) has achieved remarkable results through its e-auction of Plot No. P1 in Raidurg, generating Rs 1,386 crore from 5.25 acres of prime multi-use land. Plot No. P1 was auctioned against a reserve price of Rs 175 crore per acre and achieved a final realisation of Rs 264 crore per acre, marking a 50.9 per cent premium over the reserve price, according to a release on Friday, August 21. This outcome reflects the intensifying competition among premier developers and the market's increasingly bullish outlook on Hyderabad's strategic corridors, the release said. TGIC's earlier auction fetched Rs 237 crore per acre in May 2026. The auction was conducted through the MSTC e-Auction platform

with JLL (Jones Lang LaSalle Incorporated) serving as exclusive transaction advisor, ensuring transparency, and enabling competitive participation from leading national developers. Speaking on the occasion, Vice Chairman and Managing Director of TGIC, K. Shashanka, said, "The successful outcome of the Plot P1 auction speaks volumes about the confidence and conviction that the developer community places in Telangana's future. What we're witnessing is not just strong pricing but a clear endorsement of the state's development philosophy—one rooted in transparency, infrastructure excellence, and creating genuine value for all stakeholders." It is alleged that the land is a disputed Jamia Nizamia Waqf property.

CARE Hospitals Performs Complex ABO-Incompatible Kidney Transplant on 60-Year-Old Teacher

Hyderabad, 21st August 2026: Doctors at CARE Hospitals, Hitech City successfully performed a complex ABO-incompatible kidney transplant on a 60-year-old teacher with high antibody levels and multiple underlying health conditions, giving him a new lease of life after two years of dialysis. His wife stepped forward as the donor despite their incompatible blood groups. The patient had been suffering from Chronic Kidney Disease (CKD) for three years and undergoing dialysis three times a week for the past two years, leading to frequent hospitalisations and significantly affecting his quality of life. Despite these challenges, he continued working as a teacher. Finding a suitable donor was difficult due to his age, high antibody titres, hypertension and diabetes. When his wife volunteered to donate her kidney, their blood-group incompatibility presented an additional challenge. The multidisciplinary transplant team at CARE Hospitals planned an ABO-incompatible kidney transplant using a specialised desensitisation protocol. The patient underwent multiple sessions of plasmapheresis to reduce antibodies, along with immunosuppressive therapy to prevent rejection. The key clinical challenge was balancing the higher immunosuppression required to pre-



vent rejection with the increased risk of infections, particularly given his age, diabetes and history of recurrent infections. Following successful preparation, the patient underwent the living-donor kidney transplant and was closely monitored during recovery. Dr. B.R.G. Aravinda Reddy, Consultant – Nephrology, CARE Hospitals, said, "Blood-group incompatibility does not always rule out kidney transplantation. In appropriately selected patients, specialised desensitisation can help overcome this barrier. In this case, high antibody levels, age, diabetes and hypertension made the transplant particularly challenging, requiring careful preparation and close monitoring." Dr. Sushanth Kulkarni, Sr. Consultant – Renal Transplant & Urology, CARE

Hospitals, Hitech City, said, "This was a challenging transplant due to the blood-group mismatch, high antibody levels and the patient's other health conditions. With careful preparation and close coordination between the nephrology and transplant teams, we were able to successfully perform the transplant." Dr. J. Al Ranganath, Consultant – Nephrology, CARE Hospitals, said, "After two years of dialysis three times a week, this transplant gives the patient an opportunity to return to a more independent and active life. The challenge was to prevent rejection while carefully managing the increased risk of infection." Dr. Pramod Gupta, HCOO, CARE Hospitals, Hitech City said, "This case combines advanced medical expertise

with an extraordinary act of family support. His wife came forward to donate despite the blood-group mismatch, and our multidisciplinary team worked together to make the transplant possible. It reflects our commitment to providing advanced treatment options even in complex cases." ABO-incompatible kidney transplantation can be considered for selected patients with end-stage kidney disease who have a willing living donor but face a blood-group mismatch. It requires specialised desensitisation, immunosuppression and close monitoring to minimise rejection and infection risks. The case highlights an important message for patients and families: a blood-group mismatch does not always mean that living kidney donation is impossible.

A PROGRESSIVE NEW CHAPTER FOR TELUGU CINEMA..



The Government's new Government Order (GO) marks a major step forward in supporting and growing the Telugu film industry. Today, Telugu cinema reaches global audiences. High-budget films using advanced exhibition technologies like IMAX, Dolby Cinema, and HDR demand significant investments. The new policy recognizes this reality and offers a clear, regulated framework for eligible films to apply for enhanced ticket prices.

KEY DETAILS OF THE NEW POLICY:

Regulated Price Increases: Enhanced ticket prices are not automatic. Eligible high-budget films must apply, and government authorities will review each request to ensure benefits are granted responsibly. Fair Seating Reservation: Regardless of theater type

(AC, Non-AC, Special, or Multiplex) or location, all theaters must reserve 25% of their total seating capacity for a non-premium category. This ensures movies stay accessible to everyone. Five Shows a Day: Allowing 5 shows per day helps big releases meet peak demand quickly. This frees up screens faster for small and mid-budget films, creating more variety for moviegoers. Worker Welfare Fund: the policy supports a dedicated welfare fund for cine workers, recognizing their vital contribution to the industry. This policy goes beyond ticket pricing. It builds a stronger, more sustainable film ecosystem that encourages investment, adopts modern tech, boosts smaller films, and protects workers. When Telugu cinema grows, the creative economy grows, creating new opportunities and a brighter future for all.

Akshay Urja Diwas: Vedanta Power Puts Energy Efficiency at the Heart of a Cleaner Energy Transition

August 20, 2026: As India accelerates renewable energy adoption, company focuses on making the wider power generation ecosystem more resource-efficient and environmentally responsible. India's renewable energy transition is gathering momentum. But as the country adds clean energy at scale, the next opportunity is to ensure that every part of the energy ecosystem becomes more efficient and less resource-intensive. On Akshay Urja Diwas, Vedanta Power Limited highlighted its efforts in this direction, focusing on energy and resource efficiency across its power operations as an important complement to India's growing renewable energy base. India's ambition of achieving 500 GW of non-fossil fuel-based power capacity by 2030 represents a fundamental transformation of its energy mix. Delivering the full benefits of this transition, requires more than adding renewable generation but it also requires an enabling power ecosystem to continuously improve how it uses fuel, water and other resources. This is

where energy efficiency becomes an important enabler of the clean energy transition. By improving the efficiency of existing infrastructure and introducing cleaner and more resource-efficient practices, the power sector can reduce its overall resource intensity while supporting the expansion of renewable energy. Vedanta Power is advancing this approach through a combination of alternative fuel use, resource efficiency, water optimisation and circularity across its operations. Vedanta Power's renewable-energy integration efforts include the adoption of solar power for captive needs, alongside electrification of its fleet through electric vehicles (EVs), further reducing its dependence on conventional energy sources and supporting a lower-carbon operations. At Talwandi Sabo Thermal Plant in Punjab, approximately 3.61 lakh metric tonnes of biomass were utilised during FY2025-26, accounting for around 5.21% of total fuel consumption. The initiative provides an alternative use for agricultural residue

while enabling existing power infrastructure to incorporate a supplementary, non-conventional fuel source. Water efficiency is another key area where the company is working to reduce resource intensity across its operations. At Vedanta Power's Meenakshi Energy Limited in Andhra Pradesh, saline water is used for operational requirements, enabling the facility to achieve zero freshwater consumption. The company has also planted 8.75 lakh trees cumulatively across its operational locations as part of its efforts to enhance green cover and support biodiversity. Commenting on the occasion, Rajinder Singh Ahuja, Whole-Time Director and CEO, Vedanta Power Limited, said, "Akshay Urja Diwas is a celebration of India's journey towards a cleaner energy future. As renewable energy expands, the opportunity is to make the entire energy ecosystem more efficient and resource-conscious. At Vedanta Power, we are working to reduce the resource intensity of our operations through alternative fuels, greater

water efficiency and circularity, while continuing to deliver reliable power. We believe that improving efficiency across the wider power ecosystem is an important complement to the growth of renewable energy and to India's long-term energy transition goal." These initiatives are part of the Vedanta Group's broader decarbonisation journey, under which the Group invested more than \$1 billion in FY2025-26 towards emissions reduction, resource efficiency and sustainable operating models. On Akshay Urja Diwas, Vedanta Power's approach reinforces a broader principle for India's energy transition: clean energy is not only about producing more renewable power; it is also about using energy and resources more efficiently across the system that enables it. By progressively reducing resource intensity and adopting alternative and circular pathways, Vedanta Power is working to build a cleaner and more efficient supporting ecosystem in the overall future energy mix

Gold rates hit three-month high

Hyderabad: The gold rates in Hyderabad and other cities in India hit a three-month high on Friday, August 21. In Hyderabad, the prices of 24-carat and 22-carat yellow metal reached Rs 1,60,480 and Rs 1,47,100 per 10 grams, respectively. Why are gold rates surging in Hyderabad? The gold rates in Hyderabad and other cities are increasing due to global reasons, as India is an importer of the yellow metal. Globally, gold rates are going up mainly because investors are buying gold as a safe asset during economic uncertainty. Another reason is changes in US interest rates, bond yields, and the dollar. Currently, the gold rates in Hyderabad have crossed the three-month high. On May 25 this year, 10 grams of 24-carat gold cost Rs 1,59,380, and 10 grams of 22-carat yellow metal cost Rs 1,46,100. Earlier, the rates declined to as low as Rs 1,40,780 and Rs 1,29,050 per 10 grams of 24-carat and 22-carat yellow metal on July 1, 2026. Futures trade The gold prices on Friday rose by Rs 1,432 to Rs 1.60 lakh per 10 grams in futures trade as speculators created fresh



positions on firm spot demand. On the Multi Commodity Exchange, the yellow metal contract for October delivery traded higher by Rs 1,432, or 0.9 per cent, at Rs 1,60,857 per 10 grams in a business turnover of 2,542 lots. Fresh positions by market participants led to a rise in the precious metal's prices, analysts said. Gold futures rose 0.98 per cent to USD 4,561.01 per ounce in New York. The future trend of gold rates in Hyderabad and other districts depends on global uncertainties and economic data. Globally, gold rates are going up mainly because investors are buying gold as a safe asset during economic uncertainty. Prices have gained about 5% so far this

week, including the biggest one-day rise since early February on Wednesday. The metal is also trading above all key moving averages, having broken above the 200-day moving average of around \$4,513, a move technical analysts typically view as bullish. Silver mirrored the rally, soaring to a seven-week high of Rs 2,45,000 per kilogram (inclusive of all taxes) from Rs 2,35,000 per kg. The white metal had traded near these levels on July 3, when it was quoted at Rs 2,45,000 per kg. "Gold hovered near its highest level in more than two months on Thursday, supported by a sharp decline in the US dollar and Treasury yields," Saumil Gandhi, Senior

Analyst - Commodities at HDFC Securities, said. The dollar index slid to a three-month low, while lower Treasury bond yields improved the appeal of assets such as gold, he added. The rally in spot bullion prices came despite a retreat in the overseas markets. Gold dipped USD 66.31, or 1.47 per cent, to USD 4,456.72 per ounce, and silver dropped nearly 2 per cent to USD 65.82 per ounce. Spot gold was trading lower at USD 4,450 per ounce as crude oil prices surged over 2 per cent after the US President Donald Trump announced new economic sanctions on Iran, Praveen Singh, Head of Commodities at Mirae Asset ShareKhan, said. Gaurav Garg, Head of Research at Lemonn Markets Desk, said gold remained near its highest level since early June, supported by lower US Treasury yields and a weaker dollar after the US Treasury increased long-dated bond buybacks. The US Treasury Department said it will at least double the buyback quantum of off-the-run securities from USD 2 billion to USD 4 billion in the current August quarter.

Hong Kong's Tiananmen activists convicted in national security trial



Two Hong Kong activists who organised annual vigils to commemorate the 1989 Tiananmen Square crackdown have been found guilty of inciting others to subvert state power under the city's controversial national security law. Lee Cheuk-yan, 69, and Chow Hang-tung, 41, face a maximum penalty of 10 years in prison after being convicted under the China-introduced law. Sentencing is expected at a later date. A third defendant, Albert Ho, 74, pleaded guilty in January. Lee and Chow "incited other persons to organise, plan, commit or participate in acts by unlawful means with a view to subverting the state power", according to a summary on Friday. Chow told the court in May the law itself was on trial. Hong Kong used to be one of the only places in Chinese territory where people could gather to mark the deadly 1989 crackdown against pro-democracy protesters. Authorities banned these gatherings in 2020, citing Covid-19 policies, but they have never resumed. This was also the year the

national security law, which makes illegal a wider range of dissenting acts, officially came into force. In mainland China, authorities have banned even oblique references to the 1989 crackdown. In the courtroom, Chow smiled as the verdict was read out, while Lee showed little emotion as he made a heart gesture and folded his hands to show his gratitude to those in the gallery. Lee, a lawmaker, and Chow, a lawyer, were also leaders of the now-defunct Hong Kong Alliance (HKA), which has been described as a "toxic tumour" by Chinese authorities. The HKA was founded in May 1989 to support students holding pro-democracy rallies. Weeks later, the Communist Party crushed pro-democracy protests in Beijing's Tiananmen Square with troops and tanks. Estimates of the death toll range from a few hundred to many thousands. Over the next three decades, HKA called on authorities to accept responsibility for the crackdown, free dissidents and introduce democratic reform.



■ Israel re-establishes closed West Bank settlement, defying growing international protests

Rosenberg: Shortage of petrol but not patriotism as Russians feel growing impact of war

At a petrol station in the south-east of Moscow, Svyatoslav has been queuing in his car for two hours. The sign board up ahead has just been changed to show there's no fuel. "They say there will be petrol here," Svyatoslav tells me optimistically. "They just don't know when. Maybe today, maybe tomorrow." I ask him why he doesn't drive off and look for another place to fill up. "I haven't got enough in the tank to do that," Svyatoslav replies. Even if he had, there'd be no quick fuel fix for Svyatoslav. This week across Moscow, and in other parts of Russia, there have been long queues for petrol. "Unscheduled repairs at oil refineries," explain Russian officials. Those repairs have been triggered by Ukrainian drone strikes on Russian oil facilities.



ties. Such long-range attacks sparked major fuel shortages earlier this summer. The targeting of oil refineries has continued apace. This time the queues in Moscow are even longer than before. The authorities appear to be struggling to resolve problems with refining capacity and logistics. "The second wave of the fuel crisis is building," declared broadsheet Nezavisimaya Gazeta

this week. Driving around Moscow this week two things catch the eye: patriotic announcements on giant billboards about Russian Flag Day...and giant petrol queues. Outside one Moscow petrol station I count 80 vehicles waiting in line. The search for fuel is now a constant struggle. "Last night I went to get petrol at 11pm," says Elizaveta who's queuing again for fuel. "By midnight

I'd reached the front of the queue. Then they shut the petrol station until 2am." "I drove into Moscow yesterday from the provinces," says Lyubov. "It was empty petrol stations all the way." To stay calm in the queue Lyubov is stroking her pet dog Agatha. How does Lyubov view the fuel crisis? "Everyone says there is a difficult situation in the country," Lyubov tells me. "Everyone connects this to that situation." Before Russia's full-scale invasion of Ukraine in 2022 there were no drone attacks on Russian oil refineries - or on any facilities inside Russia. These strikes haven't forced the Kremlin to U-turn. It's continuing what it still calls the "special military operation", Russia's war on Ukraine. To ease the crisis, Russia has begun importing petrol.

PAKISTAN EX-PM IMRAN KHAN BACK IN JAIL AFTER HOSPITAL EXAMINATION



Pakistan's former Prime Minister Imran Khan was moved back to prison early on Friday after being examined by doctors at a hospital in Islamabad, who deemed him "medically fit". Khan was seen by "a team of qualified doctors" including an ophthalmologist, a cardiologist and a physician, Pakistan's Information Minister Attaullah Tarar said. The Supreme Court had on Tuesday ordered the cricketer-turned-politician be taken to a specific private hospital within 48 hours to be examined by physicians, following complaints about his health. He was ultimately taken to a different government-run hospital. The intervention was the most significant relief Khan has received from the courts since he was imprisoned in 2023 on corruption charges, which he says were politically motivated. As well as being transferred to hospital, the court order also specified Khan should be allowed to see his family, which he has not been able to do in months. On Tuesday night, his sister Noreen Khan visited him in prison. His other sister Dr. Uzma Khan accompanied him during the hospital visit last night. She was present throughout all stages of the medical examination overnight on Thursday, Tarar said. Khan was meant to be sent to the private Shifa International Hospital in Islamabad, according to the Supreme Court order. The area around it was sealed off with barriers, with officers and police vans in place. Outside,

the BBC saw cars being moved with a truck to clear the street while police cars and armoured vehicles patrolled. Some PTI activists had gathered along the route and near the hospital, despite warnings from the court and party leaders not to. But Tarar later confirmed Khan had not been taken there and was instead driven to the government-run Pakistan Institute of Medical Sciences (PIMS) hospital. A senior police official told the BBC the security presence outside Shifa was a decoy. Tarar said the change had been made due to the "security situation created by PTI workers". The PTI's Information Secretary Sheikh Waqas Akram asked: "Was the court order implemented in its true spirit, or was it merely a superficial exercise for propaganda?" Khan's lawyers have said he is suffering from various health conditions, including poor eyesight, and has been unable to access specialist medical care. In February, the 73-year-old's lawyer said his client had 15% vision left in his right eye after prison authorities failed to take action - an allegation the government disputed. In Tuesday's court order, the panel wrote: "We are mindful of the constitutional and legal obligation... to safeguard the life, health, dignity and security of the prisoner." Judges said an eye specialist would be involved in Khan's hospital treatment. Khan, who previously captained the Pakistan national cricket team, served as the country's prime minister from 2018 to 2022.

Eight killed in plane crash at remote Alaskan military site, air force says

A plane crash at a remote US Air Force site in Alaska has killed all eight people on board, the US military has said. The civilian-contracted aircraft crashed shortly after midday local time (20:00 GMT) on Thursday near Cape Newenham, which hosts the airport of a long-range radar site. It is unclear who the passengers were or why they were there, but the US Air Force Alaskan Command chief said they had been "dedicated professionals carrying out a vital mission in a demanding environment". "This is a devastating loss for our military family and the communities we serve," Lt Gen Robert Davis added. "Our absolute priority right now is providing unwavering support to their families, friends and teammates during this devastating time," he said in a statement. "We are profoundly grateful for the swift and tireless response of our search and recovery professionals." The plane originally took off from Anchorage International Airport and



was bound for Cape Newenham - 450 miles (725 km) to the west by air - the US Air Force Alaskan Command said. Rescuers who landed near the crash site "confirmed there were no survivors", it added. An investigation is under way and the deceased will be named once their next of kin had been informed. Clint Johnson, the chief for the National Transportation Safety Board's Alaska region, said there had been two pilots and six passengers on board, CBS News, the BBC's US partner, reported. The Cape Newenham site on

Alaska's south-west coast is part of the Alaska Radar System, a network of remote sites that monitor aircraft approaching or operating in Alaskan airspace. The plane, a Cessna 441, had taken off from the Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport and was headed to Cape Newenham, the Federal Aviation Administration said in a statement. Cape Newenham Long Range Radar Site is part of a network of remote radar sites that track aircraft operating in Alaska's airspace and along its borders. It is managed by the Pacific

Air Forces Regional Support Center, the statement from Alaskan Command said. Two pilots and six passengers had been on board, according to Clint Johnson, the National Transportation Safety Board's Alaska region chief. The military statement said that following the crash, search and rescue teams landed near the site and ultimately confirmed there were no survivors. The names of those on board will be released 24 hours after their next of kin are notified, the military said. Alaska Sen. Lisa Murkowski said in a Thursday social media post that the flight was operated by Security Aviation, an Anchorage-based charter company. "I join Alaskans in offering condolences as we learn of the plane crash in Cape Newenham," Murkowski said. "I've traveled extensively with Security Aviation throughout Alaska, and have met many of their experienced pilots. I appreciate the U.S. Coast Guard, NTSB, Alaska State Troopers.

Five missing after fire in Swiss Alpine town



Five people are missing and eight others injured after a restaurant with apartments was "completely destroyed" by fire in the Swiss town of Thusis, police have said. Initial investigations indicate the blaze broke out on the second floor and the cause was still being investigated, according to the Graubünden cantonal police. The force said it was called just after midnight local time (22:00 GMT on Thursday) and that nearly 100 firefighters responded. The roof had to be opened using a crane after the stairwell

collapsed. The Alpine Graubünden region, also known as Grisons, is a popular holiday destination for both winter sports and summer nature activities in eastern Switzerland. Fourteen people escaped the building, police said, of whom two were seriously injured, two suffered moderate injuries and four suffered minor injuries. People were taken to hospitals in neighbouring Chur, Thusis, Ilanz and Zurich, it added. Police and the public prosecutor's office are investigating the cause of the fire.



Bodies of two hikers missing for decades found after Swiss glacier melts

BALI JAILS SWISS TOURIST FOR INSULTING SACRED DAY OF SILENCE

A Swiss tourist has been sentenced to one year in prison for insulting a sacred religious event on Indonesia's holiday island of Bali. In a now-removed video, Luzian Andrin Zraggen, 26, had filmed himself walking to an empty beach during the Hindu holiday of Nyepi, describing the scene as "crazy". He was arrested in March after the video sparked widespread anger among Balinese on social media. Nyepi, also known as the Day of Silence, is an annual holiday during which the usually bustling tourist island goes quiet, as people stay home and refrain from making loud noises. The restrictions apply to everyone on the island regardless of religion, including tourists. On



Nyepi, the island's airport shuts down and internet access is cut. Entertainment events are restricted and even the use of electricity is discouraged. Residents typically stock up on groceries ahead of Nyepi so they can stay at home during the holiday. On Nyepi, which fell on 19 March this year, Zraggen filmed himself breaking the ban on going

out, in an Instagram post captioned with expletives, local media reported. "What the defendant did offended the Balinese people, hurt their faith and provoked public outrage," the presiding judge said, according to the Associated Press. Zraggen said during his trial that he did not understand the extent of Nyepi restrictions and did not

mean to insult the Balinese. "I deeply regret what I did. I apologise to the Balinese people," the Associated Press reported him as saying in court. Tourists have previously been detained or deported for violating Nyepi restrictions. Bali has seen tourist numbers recover past its pandemic lull. Last year it welcomed a record seven million international visitors. But along with the surge in tourism comes misbehaviour that has vexed locals and Balinese authorities. Foreigners have been penalised for offensive acts at religious sites, forming exclusive tourist enclaves and flouting traffic laws. Authorities have vowed to tighten scrutiny of the island's tourists and crack down on unruly foreigners.

NO BANGLADESH PREMIER LEAGUE THIS YEAR? TAMIM IQBAL REVEALS RS 31 CRORE LOSS IN BIG VERDICT

Bangladesh Cricket Board President Tamim Iqbal has said that the dates of a much-awaited home series against India could "move around" as the BCB reworks its calendar which may not feature its flagship T20 showpiece Bangladesh Premier league this year due to heavy financial losses. Speaking to reporters here, Tamim said the BCB will conduct a Game Development tournament at the Sher-e-Bangla National Cricket Stadium from August 28 to September 9 featuring players from Under-17, Under-19 and Under-23 categories. "There are discussions regarding the India series, the dates may move around," said Tamim. "And this tournament is taking place in Mirpur, but if necessary, it can also move to the Bashundhara ground (Dhaka). Once the India series is fixed, we will schedule it accordingly," he was



quoted as saying by 'Cricbuzz'. India have already scheduled a three-match T20 International series against Afghanistan in New Delhi from September 13 to 17. This has all but ruled out an India-Bangladesh series in the September window. The series was postponed last year due to unrest in Bangladesh. Speaking about the Bangladesh Premier League (BPL), which has been mired in several controversies including corruption by players and franchisees, Tamim said the Board

needs to improve its financial health. He said the BPL has caused losses adding up to 40 crore Bangladeshi Taka (Rs 31 crore) in the past two seasons. "I don't think BPL will be held this year...I don't want to organise the BPL this way...for the last two years, BCB has incurred losses of around 40 Crore Taka," Tamim said. "Until and unless we fix the issues, it is not absolutely important for us to host this event every year...Do we have the intention to do it? Hundred percent. Do I want to rush it? Absolutely not," he added.

JOSHUA FIGHT DOESN'T LOOK LIKE IT WILL HAPPEN - FURY

Tyson Fury says his fight with Anthony Joshua "doesn't look like it's going to happen" in a verbal tirade against his British rival and promoter Eddie Hearn posted on social media. The pair had been expected to meet in November in one of the biggest fights in British boxing history, but uncertainty over where the bout will take place has cast fresh doubt over the deal. Joshua and his promoter Hearn have signed a contract for it to be staged in the United Kingdom, while Saudi organisers are pushing for a move to the United States. "Doesn't look like they're going to sign the fight and it doesn't look like it's going to happen all because Eddie Hearn and that want more money," Fury said in a series of Instagram stories. Joshua and Fury have separate contracts with Saudi Arabian-owned Sela. New



York's Madison Square Garden is understood to be Sela's preference so that the fight - which will broadcast on Netflix - can cater for American audiences. On Thursday, Hearn told IFL TV that a list of changes required for the fight to take place in

America had been sent to Sela. Hearn says the main change concerns compensation for Joshua because of the different tax implications of fighting in America. "In layman's terms, by staging the fight in America, Anthony Joshua receives less money

than he would do if the fight was in the UK where he was contractually agreed," he said. Fury responded by calling Joshua and Hearn "disgusting" and "money-thirsty". "It is what it is. Same old cliché a decade later. Keep running you little cowards,"

he added. In further posts containing expletives, Fury called Hearn a "bag carrier" and criticised Joshua's mindset. "I'll move on and fight somebody else but just know you never had the guts to fight Tyson Fury, ever, you little coward," Fury added. In a post on Instagram, Fury, 38, said: "Doesn't look like they're going to sign the fight, doesn't look like it's going to happen. All because Eddie Hearn and that want more money. 'They have already had that much money off Turki (Alalshikh) over the last few years Eddie and AJ. They have had boxing deals, they have had darts deals, they have had snooker deals, they have had everything. 'And yet, they have got the audacity and cheek of flea-bitten rats to ask for more money from old Turki that you have had combined over the last couple of years.'"

'Pass On The Weed': South Africa Great Mocked For Stunning Sachin Tendulkar-Virat Kohli Comparison

Former Indian cricket team fast bowler Dadda Ganesh mocked South Africa great AB de Villiers for his recent comments on Virat Kohli and Sachin Tendulkar. De Villiers said that in his opinion, Kohli was better than Tendulkar when it came to seam-friendly overseas conditions. The former South Africa batter went on to suggest that Tendulkar was a pioneer for subcontinent batters but Kohli surpassed him. "I think of someone like Sachin Tendulkar way back, who started that trend for India. Yet, he wasn't as strong as someone like Virat Kohli, who was even better. But Sachin was the first guy to show that as a subcontinent batter, you can do well in bouncy and seam-



ing conditions. Virat took that forward and raised the bar," he said. Ganesh did not agree with the comment from De Villiers and came up with a cheeky comment on social media. "Pass on the weed, brother," he wrote on X (formerly Twitter). Earlier, De Villiers pointed out that Kohli and Tendulkar's success away from home has inspired the current crop of Indian players, including KL Rahul and Devdutt

Padikkal, to raise their game on overseas tours. "Because of that, there are quite a few players now like [KL] Rahul and [Devdutt] Padikkal, who have started to up that trend and follow in the foot-

steps of a Virat and a Sachin," he added. De Villiers also suggested that Rahul still has room for improvement in terms of his returns away from home, despite showcasing the technique required to succeed in challenging conditions. "KL is a guy with a sound technique and is a big asset in that Indian lineup. But he averages only 34 away from home. So you'll expect more and that is one area where he has to work on.

He has to get bigger scores once he gets in and not just get a 100 but make it a 180 because that first-ball duck and getting out to the newish ball is always around the corner. So for him, the name of the game will be to make the big scores even bigger," said .

"THERE'S NO TRUST": R Ashwin Hits Bullseye Over India Star's Situation In Test Team

Former India all-rounder Ravichandran Ashwin extended his support to spinner Kuldeep Yadav after the star failed to make an impact in the recently concluded first Test against Sri Lanka in Galle. Kuldeep returned figures of 25-0-103-1 on a pitch that offered plenty of assistance to the spinners. However, Ashwin sympathised with Kuldeep and criticised the team management, especially captain Shubman Gill, over the spinner's limited involvement in the match. Speaking on his YouTube channel, Ashwin suggested that Kuldeep was the third-choice spinner when he was part of the team and insisted that the situation has not changed one bit. "People will question



because Jadeja took the wicket from one end Suthar took wickets on the other end. Kuldeep is the third spinner. When me and Jaddu were playing. He was the third spinner. He is still the third spinner. It is not easy to play as a 3rd or 4th spinner in an 11. If a partnership is going on and you are bringing a bowler to break it, it is very difficult.

It is not easy to bowl to a bowler. And this Kookaburra ball - it is not easy to bowl to a Sri Lankan bowler after 30 overs. It slows down. What kind of a spinner is Kuldeep Yadav? He is not a fast spinner into the wicket. If you have seen Indian Test cricket historically in the last 10-15 years, the ball is old, and Jadeja bowls more," said Ashwin.

Carlos Alcaraz Set To Return From Wrist Injury And Defend US Open Title

Carlos Alcaraz is ready to return from injury to defend his U.S. Open title. "Here we go," Alcaraz posted on his social media pages Thursday, with one picture showing him in front of the U.S. Open logo. The seven-time Grand Slam champion has been sidelined since April because of a right wrist injury, forcing him to miss both the French Open and Wimbledon. Alcaraz won his second U.S. Open title last year, beating Jannik Sinner in the final. He then won the Australian Open and his next tournament, part of his 223 start to this season. But after winning his first match in the Barcelona Open, Alcaraz withdrew from the tournament because of the injury.



Bangladesh Captain Najmul Hossain Shanto Not Thinking About History Ahead Of Mackay Test

History books will look to add another chapter of glory when Bangladesh take on Australia in the second Test of the series on Saturday, as the Asian team can complete their first Test series win Down Under. However, amid talk of creating history, Bangladesh captain Najmul Hossain Shanto is focusing only on playing good Test cricket and not on the result. Bangladesh need only a draw at the Great Barrier Reef Arena to secure their first-ever Test series victory against Australia, while another win would give them a stunning 2-0 sweep after their historic nine-wicket victory in the opening Test in Darwin. However, Shanto does not want his players to get carried away by the possibility of creating history and has urged the team to concentrate on the process and take the game session by session.



"No, I don't want to think that far ahead. I have been saying this from the beginning that we want to play good cricket," Shanto said at the pre-match press conference on Friday. "The important thing is how well we are playing each day, each session."

So that will be the target. I think if we follow the process properly, we can play good cricket session by session. The result will come automatically," he added. Bangladesh's historic win in Darwin gave them a huge boost, but Shanto believes the team must now put that result behind them and adapt to the new conditions in Mackay. "Before we came here, we always talked about it being a very challenging series for us. We have to enjoy this opportunity and this challenge. After the first Test, there is a lot of emotion going on, but as professional cricketers, we have to come again and again to face new conditions and new challenges," Shanto said.

Rising Stars Like India's Atiqa Mir Redefining Future Of Motorsport: World Body FIA



World motorsport body FIA has given a strong endorsement for Indian racer Atiqa Mir's special talent, saying rising stars like the 11-year-old are redefining the future of the sport. Atiqa, the first Indian to be backed by the F1 Academy, is currently giving the more experienced drivers a run for their money in the age 12-14 category across karting series in Europe. Her ultimate goal

is to reach F1, where no female has raced since 1992. "Rising stars such as Atiqa Mir are redefining the future of motor sport and her recent success shows how bright the future is for our sport," FIA, the world body for four-wheel motorsports, said in a post on social media on Thursday. "With incredible support from her FIA Member Club, the Western India Automobile Association, Atiqa has already represented her country at the MENA Karting Championship Nations Cup and has now started competing in international FIA Karting competitions on her journey to professional racing. Well done Atiqa and we look forward to following your continued success," the FIA added.

BADMINTON, PRESSURE AND VIP BRAGGING RIGHTS: THURSDAY WAS THE DAY TO BE AT IG STADIUM

Thursday was the best day to watch badminton...it featured Sindhu, Ayush, Satwik/ Chirag, Tressa/ Gayatri, Dhruv/Tanisha. It also featured 28-year-old fierce competitor Pornpawee Chochuwong. While the Indians dug deep for some good results and some upsetting ones, the Thai pulled off a stunner against World No. 4 Chen Yufei...14-year-old Rishika Santra, a badminton trainee at a city nursery, sat with her mother in anticipation of a thriller. "I had an idea that this would be one of

the best matches of the day when I looked up the schedule, and I wasn't disappointed at all," she said after the Thai shuttler completed a remarkable 17-21, 25-23, 21-17 turnaround. "I normally go from school to attend my training in the afternoons," the teenager explained, describing how her schedule has been disrupted by the World Badminton Championships. "But today, and for the last few days, I have skipped training after school. I have been coming here with my mother, and we both have

had lunch sitting under the trees of IG Stadium before heading to the badminton hall." Rishika's mum, Mrinal, gave up her career as a Chief Technology Officer at a European medical tech firm in Gurgaon to support her child's sports career. Mrinal feels that matches like the one between Pornpawee Chochuwong and Chen Yufei are great for role modelling. "This week I told her coach that Rishika should watch some good badminton. It is rare to see this level of badminton in Delhi." So what did

Rishika, the badminton cadet, learn? "How pressure makes a huge difference." As Pornpawee Chochuwong fell on the court after the 84-minute thriller, Rishika sat in the tribunes, gobsmacked. Pressure was the word of the day.



Critically acclaimed film 'Bandar' streaming on Zee5 from August 28th.. Bobby Deol impresses in a diverse role

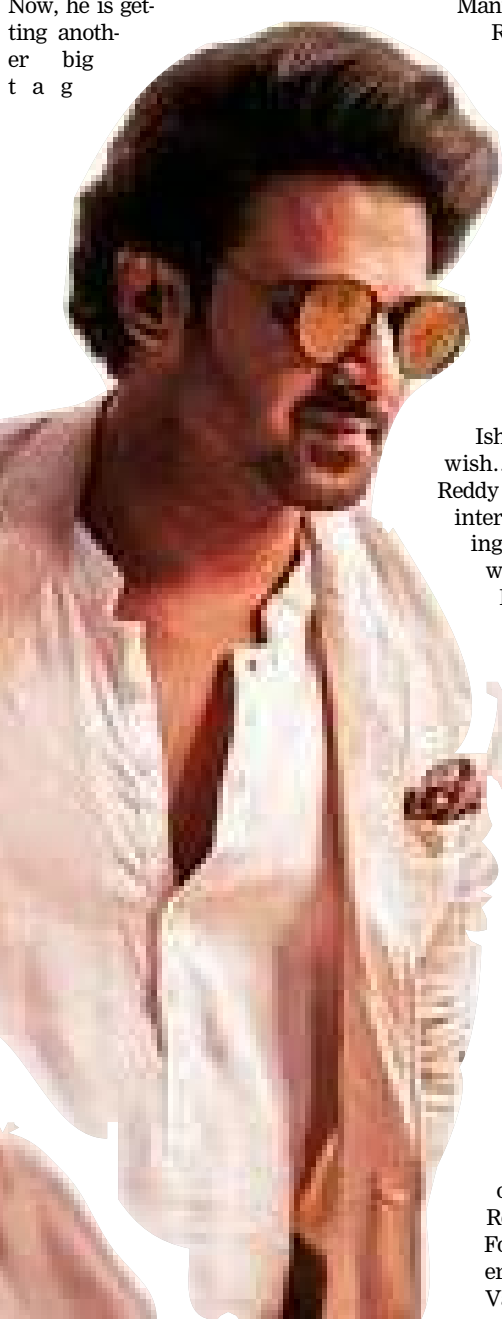


Starring Sanya Malhotra, Sapna Pabbi, and Saba Azad in key roles.. A film revolving around allegations, opinions, and justice with a diverse story called #MeTooForMen - Zee5 has always been at the forefront of presenting diverse stories to the audience. Now it is ready to entertain with a different movie called Bandar. From the film 'Mrs.', which explored a woman's struggle for a unique identity in marriage, to 'Assi', which questioned rape incidents, victim blaming, and the challenges women face in seeking justice, Zee5 Hindi has always prioritized stories that question traditional

stereotypes rather than following them. Now with 'Bandar', Zee5 Hindi is bringing one of the most uncomfortable and controversial topics of discussion in today's society to the audience. Generally, for years, we have been hearing stories of women bravely speaking out about the injustices they have faced. However, 'Bandar' raises a crucial and thought-provoking question. Can men also be victims? That's the point. Based on the #MeToo movement, 'Bandar' explores the life of a man who is suddenly turned upside down by an allegation made by a woman. The film explores how public opinion.

PRABHAS REACTION TO 'INDIA'S BIGGEST SUPERSTAR' TAG?

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ahead of his upcoming film Spirit. That is 'India's Biggest Superstar' tag. This has become talking point in industry circles, especially in Bollywood circuit. Many movie lovers, especially Shah Rukh Khan's fans, were offended by that tag and even tried to defame Sandeep Vanga and Spirit. Yet, Sandeep continued with the same tag in the subsequent poster releases as well. Producer Pranay Reddy Vanga, brother of director Sandeep Reddy Vanga, revealed Prabhas' reaction when he was told about the 'India's Biggest Superstar' tag. According to Pranay, Prabhas simply replied, "Mee Ishtam Darling" (Your wish... Darling). Pranay Reddy Vanga shared this interesting detail during a conversation with Gulte in Romanchakam Promotional Event. Prabhas is currently one of the biggest stars in Indian cinema, with a massive fan base across different languages. His next major release is Spirit, directed by Sandeep Reddy Vanga, and expectations are already very high. The title credits of Spirit are also expected to attract attention, especially if Prabhas is presented with the 'India's Biggest Superstar' tag. With the film gearing up for release next year, all eyes are now on Spirit and the kind of impact Prabhas and Sandeep Reddy Vanga will create together. For the starters, Pranay is brother of director Sandeep Reddy Vanga Fans of actor Prabhas

have expressed concern about his health after an orthopaedic surgeon from Apollo Hospitals in Hyderabad shared a picture with him and wrote about the "private sacrifices" he has made. Orthopaedic surgeon KJ Reddy, who specialises in knee, hip and sports injuries, posted a picture with Prabhas on Instagram with the caption, "Some people inspire you through their success, while others leave a lasting impression through their humility." Reddy said he has been entrusted with taking care of the actor's health and praised him for remaining humble despite his success. He wrote that it was a pleasure knowing Prabhas and described him as "warm and gracious". "It has been a pleasure knowing Prabhas and being entrusted with taking care of his health. Despite his immense success, he remains remarkably down-to-earth, warm and gracious. His positive attitude and wonderful nature make him truly special," he captioned the post. The doctor added a message to the picture saying that when people see a successful person, they usually see only the public achievements and not the private sacrifices made to reach that position. "Whenever you see a successful person, you only see the public glories, never the private sacrifices to reach them," the text on the photo read. Reddy also wished the actor good health, happiness and continued success. The post quickly caught the attention of Prabhas' fans, with many asking whether the actor was doing well. Several fans referred to his past leg and knee injuries and urged him to take care of his health. One wrote, "Thank you for taking such good care of our hero, Doctor.

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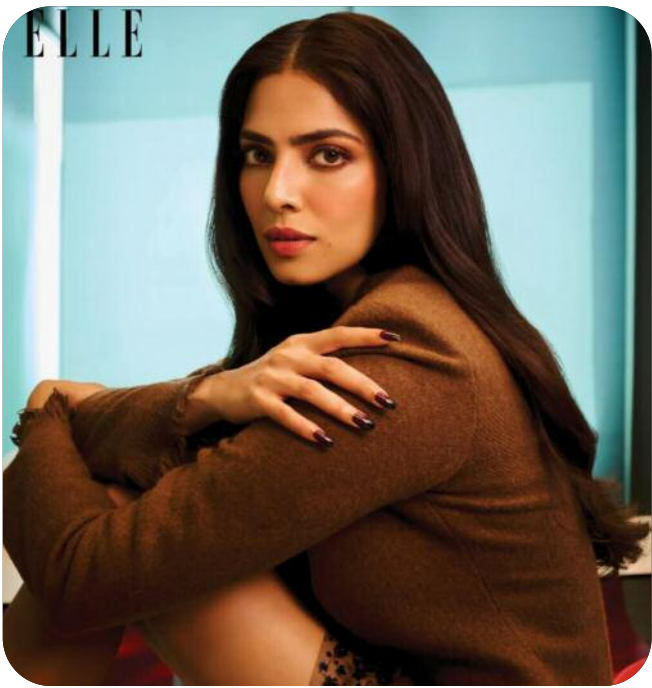
Super Judge A.R. Rahman Announces First Auditions for Tamil Idol: Sony VIZHA and Sony LIV Kick Off Search for Tamil Nadu's Next Singing Sensation



The wait is officially over for aspiring vocalists across Tamil Nadu. Sony VIZHA and Sony LIV have joined forces to launch the inaugural edition of Tamil Idol, spearheaded by musical maestro and Super Judge A.R. Rahman. The reality show aims to uncover raw, extraordinary musical talent across the state and give them a national stage. Aspiring singers between 14 and 30 years of age can audition at Velammal Vidyalaya Annexure, Mel Ayanambakkam, Chennai, for a chance to join this landmark talent hunt. Tamil Idol is designed to celebrate the rich heritage and contemporary vibrancy of Tamil music. Participants will receive mentorship from top industry professionals, perform on a grand stage, and compete for a career-defining platform in the playback and independent music industries. Aspiring singers within the eligible age group are encouraged to arrive at the venue with valid identification and their prepared repertoire to secure their shot at becoming Tamil Nadu's next singing icon.

MALAVIKA MOHANAN OWNS ELLE COVER LIKE A BOSS

Malavika Mohanan, who has two much-awaited films, Sardaar 2 and Pocket Novel, in her kitty, is currently burning up the internet with her stunning new Elle magazine cover shoot. The actress, known for her effortless style, showed off three distinct looks that prove her versatility as a fashion icon. In the first look, Malavika wore a metallic silver-black shirt paired with a sheer black skirt, striking a bold pose against a fiery red backdrop. The second look saw her channel corporate chic with an oversized brown blazer and sequined mini shorts, styled in a quirky classroom-inspired setting. For the third look, she picked a flowy red silk dress with sheer black tights, giving major boardroom-glam vibes. With her sleek wavy hair and minimal jewellery, Malavika kept the focus firmly on the clothes, proving once again why she is one of the most fashionable actresses in the industry right now.



"Kingdom" fame Venkatesh V.P. as Hero: Production No. 3 from RUUDRANSH CELLULOIDS Announced Under Dheeraj Nyathi's Supervision, Directed by Suresh Tej



Following the commercial success of "K-Ramp," RUUDRANSH CELLULOIDS is gearing up to produce another new film. Successful producer Bommak Shiva is producing the movie, which features "Kingdom" fame Venkatesh V.P. as the hero. Suresh Tej is directing the film. The movie has been given the working title "DGP"

Venkatesh V.P. has earned recognition in the Malayalam television and film industries. He also successfully runs the restaurant startup "Suda Suda Idly." He gained appreciation for his role as Murugan in "Kingdom," starring Vijay Deverakonda. Now, he is making his debut as a lead actor with the film currently titled "D.G.P."

Director Buchi Babu Launches First Lyrical Song from Jayaho Janardhana



Director Buchi Babu Sana, who gained Pan-India acclaim with the movie Peddi, has officially launched the high-energy first lyrical song, "Chinduveyave Chanduka Tukada," from the upcoming film Jayaho Janardhana. The song features lyrics penned by National Award-winning lyricist Suddala Ashok Teja. High-octane male vocals are provided by Jangi Reddy—famous

for the blockbuster track "Aaya Sher" in Nani's Paradise—while Mohana Bhogaraju lends her voice to the female vocals. Music composer Charan Arjun has provided a vibrant score that promises to stick with listeners on the first hear. Produced and directed by Panuganti Sharathi Reddy under the Panuganti Productions banner, Jayaho Janardhana stars Nareesh Vasam and Ramya Shree in lead roles.

CAN YASH'S TOXIC GET A TRIPLE-DIGIT OPENING?

Rock Star Yash, who scored Pan India success with KGF films, is hoping for a solid comeback with Toxic on August 26. The high-octane action thriller is slowly building strong buzz ahead of its release, despite some negative reactions to the content released so far. The film's advance sales for the opening day are doing well. As per trade estimates, Yash starrer Toxic has already reached around Rs 15 crore in advance bookings in India. If the film gets more buzz, especially in the Hindi belt, in the coming days, it has a chance of opening with a triple-digit number on Day 1. Considering the film's budget and business, Toxic needs to do big numbers at the box office. However, the talk after the first shows will be very important for its long-term performance. All eyes are on the opening talk and initial reviews from its premieres. Starring Yash in the lead role, the film features Nayanthara, Kiara Advani, Rukmini Vasanth, Huma Qureshi and Tara Sutaria in key female roles. Directed by Geetu Mohandas, Toxic is made on a massive budget and backed by KVN Productions and Monster Mind Creations. Yash's much-awaited film Toxic has cleared a key pre-release hurdle after receiving an 'A' certificate from the Central Board of Film Certification (CBFC), with no cuts ordered for

cuts. The film's 'A' certificate means that Toxic will be restricted to adult audiences. The certification comes ahead of its August 26 theatrical release and has drawn attention given the film's violent treatment and mature subject matter. Toxic has also received an adult classification in the UK. The British Board of Film Classification (BBFC) flagged strong bloody violence and sex, while its content ratings also highlighted violence, injury detail, threat, horror, language, drugs, sexual violence, sexual threat and suicide and self-harm. The CBFC clearance marks an important milestone for the Yash-starrer as the film gears up for its worldwide theatrical release. The film has generated considerable anticipation with Yash returning to the big screen after the success of KGF: Chapter 2. Toxic is directed by Geetu Mohandas and stars Yash alongside Kiara Advani and other prominent actors. The film is expected to present Yash in a darker and more intense avatar. With the certification process now complete, the makers are set to focus on the film's theatrical release and final promotional activities. As Yash-starrer Toxic: A Fairy Tale for Grown-Ups heads towards its August 26 worldwide release, veteran filmmaker SV Rajendra Singh Babu has responded to the criticism of the film voiced by his

Babu has made it clear that he views them as her personal opinion while taking a strongly positive stand on Yash and Toxic. Asked about Rishika's criticism, the veteran filmmaker said, "That is her personal opinion. As I have said earlier, we should all be proud of the films Yash is making." He also pointed to the scale of Toxic and what it represents for Kannada cinema.



the film. The board has asked the makers to make only two minor modifications ahead of its theatrical release on August 26. Directed by Geetu Mohandas, Toxic is a dark action drama featuring mature themes. The film has retained its reported runtime of 3 hours and 12 minutes despite its adult certification. According to the certification details, the CBFC has asked the makers to mute and replace two words or phrases in the Kannada version, with corresponding changes in the English subtitles. Mandatory anti-smoking and anti-drinking warnings will also be added. Beyond these modifications, the board has not ordered any

daughter, actor Rishika Singh. Rishika had recently raised objections to the visuals in the film's trailer and songs, particularly the way women are portrayed. Her comments sparked a reaction among Yash fans on social media. Now, speaking about her remarks, Rajendra Singh