



Mehbooba Mufti, former Chief Minister and President of Jammu and Kashmir People's Democratic Party addresses a press conference in Srinagar



Namami Gange Ganga Vihar Manch members pose with a rangoli on 'Operation Sindoor' amid the India-Pakistan conflict in Varanasi



Fishermen pass by anchored boats at Kasimedu fishing harbour, amid the 61-day-long annual fishing ban along the coast of Tamil Nadu



Railway Protection Force (RPF) personnel check a train during high alert in view of the India-Pakistan conflict, in Prayagraj

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Visitors at the Ridge amid rainfall, in Shimla on Saturday

3 killed, over 20 injured in collision between bus, truck in Bihar

**JEHANABAD:** At least three people, including a 14-year-old boy, were killed, and more than 20 others were injured on Saturday after a bus with passengers on board collided head-on with a truck in Bihar's Jehanabad district, police said on Saturday. The accident occurred on the National Highway 22 near Lodipur bypass when the collision took place between the bus and the commercial vehicle, a senior official said. The deceased have been identified as Prince Kumar (14), Ayodhya Ram and Chintamani, and all victims were returning from a marriage ceremony when the accident occurred, he said. Karauna Police Station Sub-Inspector Rajeev Ranjan said,

22 people injured after bus rams into roadside tree in Jharkhand's Chatra

**CHATRA (JHARKHAND):** At least 22 people were injured after a passenger bus hit a roadside tree in Jharkhand's Chatra district on Saturday, police said. The incident occurred near Gandharia village under the jurisdiction of the Sadar police station around 10 am when the bus with passengers on board was on its way to Telaiya in Koderma district from Chatra, he said. The officer-in-charge of Sadar police station, Bipin Kumar, said that there were no reports of any casualties. All the 22 injured people were admitted to the Sadar hospital in Chatra. Their condition was stated to be stable," he said.

Kolkata Police STF recovers arms from car, arrests 4

**KOLKATA:** The Special Task Force (STF) of the Kolkata Police arrested four people and seized arms and ammunition from their possession after intercepting their car near Kolkata on early Saturday, an officer said. Acting on inputs about the movement of possible arms smugglers in Narayanpur, the sleuths laid a trap and nabbed the four when they were passing by the area, he said. Preliminary investigations reveal that they were coming from Bihar. We have seized one 7 mm pistol, two pipe guns and 12 7.65mm bullets and two 8mm bullets. All these items were made in Munger," the STF officer said. The smugglers were scheduled to reach a house at Beraberi village of Narayanpur in New Town, he said.

Heatwave in south Bengal, heavy rain and thunderstorm in north: IMD

**KOLKATA:** Some southern districts of West Bengal are likely to experience heatwave conditions while heavy rainfall and thunderstorms may occur in the northern districts of Bengal from Saturday, the IMD said in its forecast. Day temperatures are expected to be above normal by three to five notches over south Bengal, it said. Heatwave conditions, with maximum temperature being above 40 degrees Celsius and above normal by five notches, are likely over West Bardhaman, Purulia, Bankura, Jhargram and West Midnapore districts, the Indian Meteorological Department (IMD) said. Hot and humid weather conditions are likely to occur over other districts in south Bengal, it said in its forecast till May 14.

Man wanted in multiple robbery cases arrested in Delhi

**NEW DELHI:** Delhi Police have arrested a 27-year-old man wanted in multiple robbery cases, officials said Saturday. The accused, identified as Yusuf, had been on the run since February 14 after he and his associates allegedly robbed a man of Rs 3,000 at gunpoint using a stolen vehicle in north Delhi's Timar Pur area, police said. "His criminal history revealed involvement in multiple serious offences across Ghaziabad, Hapur and Noida. He had previously suffered a bullet injury on his leg when Hapur Police were trying to arrest him. He, however, managed to escape," a police officer said. He was apprehended from Uttar Pradesh's Gautam Budh Nagar district.

After 17 years, Delhi Police arrests murder-rape accused from moving train

**NEW DELHI:** A murder and rape accused, absconding for 17 years, was apprehended from a moving train in Maharashtra and brought to Delhi, police said on Saturday. The accused was identified as Md Alam (43). He was wanted in a 2008 murder case in Bihar where he along with his five associates stabbed a man to death, police said. A murder case was registered against Alam on October 30, 2008, but he managed to evade arrest, a senior police officer said. In 2021, Alam's daughter accused him of raping her and filed a complaint against him in Delhi's Laxmi Nagar. However, he jumped interim bail granted on February 28, 2023.

# Future terror attacks treated as 'acts of war': Govt sources

**PTI, NEW DELHI:** The government decided on Saturday that India will treat any future act of terror on its soil as an "act of war" and respond accordingly, top official sources said in a warning to Pakistan that came ahead of the announcement of an understanding between the two countries to end the military action which started after the terrorist attack in Pahalagam.

With this decision, the government headed by Prime Minister Narendra Modi has sought to draw a red line against terror incidents and makes clear that it will follow a similar military response as it has after the Pahalagam incident if terrorists linked to Pakistan target India again.

The government's decision formalises India's firm response to any future act



Security personnel stand guard on a road towards the airport, in light of the ongoing military conflict between India and Pakistan, in Srinagar, Jammu and Kashmir

of terror.

A top government source said, "Any future act of terror in India will be considered an act of war against the country and will be responded to accordingly."

An "act of war" under international law refers to

a country's hostile action against another, giving the aggrieved nation a legitimate ground to target the aggressor.

Soon after the assertion, India announced that the directors general of military operations (DGMO)

of India and Pakistan have agreed to stop all firings and military action on land, air and sea with effect from 5 pm on Saturday.

The DGMO of Pakistan called the DGMO of India at 3.35 pm earlier this afternoon, Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri said. The brief announcement by the foreign secretary came shortly after US President Donald Trump said India and Pakistan have agreed to a "full and immediate" ceasefire after talks mediated by the US.

Modi has chaired a number of high-level meetings, including with the security establishment, since the hostilities broke out between the two countries.

Pakistan has since then attempted to attack a number of military installations and civilian population along India's northern and western borders.

## India's approach is measured, responsible: EAM

**PTI, NEW DELHI:** India's approach has always been measured and responsible and remains so, External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar said on Saturday after talking to US Secretary of State Marco Rubio.

The phone conversation between Jaishankar and Rubio came as Indian and Pakistani militaries targeted each other's installations, escalating the already serious confrontations.

The US State Department said Rubio emphasised that both sides need to identify methods to de-escalate and re-establish direct communication to avoid miscalculation.

## BOUND BY DUTY



A woman carrying her child on her back, works on coal chunks, seen on the eve of Mother's Day, in Nadia, West Bengal

## Prez nominates SC judge Surya Kant as executive chairman of NALSA

**PTI, NEW DELHI:** President Droupadi Murmu has nominated Supreme Court judge Surya Kant as the executive chairman of the National Legal Services Authority (NALSA).

"As executive chairman, Justice Surya Kant will lead NALSA's mission to provide accessible and free legal aid to all citizens, particularly those from marginalized and economically weaker sections of society pan-India," NALSA said in a press release.

It said the nomination was made by the President and a notification was pub-

lished by the Ministry of Law and Justice on May 9. The nomination will come into effect from May 14.

"Justice B R Gavai, judge, Supreme Court of India, was the previous executive chairman of NALSA. As per convention, the post is occupied by the second senior-most judge of the Supreme Court of India," it said.

Justice Gavai is set to be sworn in as the 52nd CJI on May 14.

Justice Surya Kant is currently the chairman of the Supreme Court Legal Services Committee.

## Torres Jewellery case: ED seizes Rs 6.3 Cr cash from 'hawala' operators

**PTI, NEW DELHI:** The Enforcement Directorate (ED) on Saturday said it has seized Rs 6.3 crore in cash during fresh searches conducted against "angadias" and "hawala" operators in Mumbai and Surat in connection with the Torres jewellery money-laundering case.

The federal probe agency said in a statement that the raids were carried out at four premises by its Mumbai zonal office on Friday.

The action pertains to the money-laundering case against Platinum

Hern Private Limited that operated under the brand name Torres Jewellery and is alleged to have cheated its customers after collecting a "huge" amount of cash from them in lieu of the sale of Moissanite diamonds and other jewellery.

The ED case stems from a police FIR filed in Navi Mumbai.

"Instead of using the said cash for its legitimate business purposes, it has been routed through hawala operators and later, converted into USDT cryptocurrency," the ED said.

## Massive crater formed after explosion in field in Punjab's Gurdaspur



Police personnel and others stand near a crater formed in an agricultural field following an explosion at village Rajubela Chhichhran, in Punjab

**PTI, GURDASPUR/PHAGWARA:** A massive crater was formed in an agricultural field on Saturday following an "explosion" in village Rajubela Chhichhran in Punjab's Gurdaspur district, amid security forces thwarting attacks by Pakistani drones, long-range weapons and other munitions along the Western front.

In a similar incident, an unidentified object fell in a field between Khalyan and Sahni villages in Phagwara district early

Saturday, leaving a crater.

No one was injured in the incidents.

Debris of unidentified projectiles was found in Beas in Amritsar, Jalandhar, Pathankot and Dubli village in Tarn Taran districts.

**CHANGE OF NAME**  
I, **SHOBHA ULHAS DHARGALKAR**, r/o H. No. 453/6, DANVA, CASTELLIN WADDO, TIVIM, BARDEZ, NORTH GOA, GOA - 403507, Hereby change my name from **SHOBHA ARJUN KAMBLE** to **SHOBHA ULHAS DHARGALKAR**. Hereinafter in all my dealings and documents, I will be known as **SHOBHA ULHAS DHARGALKAR**.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
It is hereby made known to the General Public that my client is desirous of purchasing a property mentioned in the schedule hereunder from **M/S. SAMRAAT MARINE SERVICES**, a partnership concern having its office at TilakMaidan Complex, opp. Joshi Auto Service, Vasco, Mormugao, Goa represented herein by its partners, **01. SHRI. COSME R. SILVEIRA**, r/o. H. No. 174/1/13, Grace, near Four Lane Highway, Opp. Zuari Officers Residential Colony Gate, near Carvalho Bldg., Zuariangar, Sancoale, Goa-403726, **02. SHRI. JOSE MARIA FERNANDES**, r/o. H. No. 323/A, Palonda, Carvota, Loutolim, Salcete, Goa-403718 and **03. SHRI. ANTONIO F. BRAGANZA**, r/o. H. No. 1, PortelBhat, Central Belim, Belim, North Goa, who have represented to be the owner of the property mentioned in the schedule hereunder.

**SCHEDULE**  
ALL THAT piece and parcel of vacant land admeasuring an area of 4837 sq. mtrs. surveyed under Survey No. 513-A of Vagurbem of Village Savoi-Verem, within the limits of Village Panchayat of Vagurbem, Ponda Taluka, State of Goa and forming part of the larger property known as "MAMOD JAFAR CATURLLA" also known as "MAMOD JAFAR" situated at Vagurbem of Village Savoi-Verem, Taluka Ponda, State of Goa, described as a whole in the Land Registration Office under No. 4749 in Book 27 and whole property enrolled in the Taluka Revenue Office under Matr No. 32 and 33 and bounded as under- **On the North:** by navigable Mandovi River; **On the South:** by property bearing Survey No. 514 and 50/5; **On the East:** by the property surveyed under Survey No. 514 and river, and; **On the West:** by the property surveyed under Survey No. 513/.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
Any person/s, firm/s, company/s, bank/s, financial institution/s having any claim or interest in the abovementioned property or any part thereof, by virtue of inheritance/succession, lien, mortgage, charge, tenancy, lease, License, Co-ownership, agreement/MOUs, etc., is hereby called upon to put their claims along with supportive documents before the undersigned within a period of 8 (Eight) days from the date of publication of this notice failing which it shall be presumed that there are no claims or objections from any person/s etc. to the proposed sale to be executed in favour of my client and that my client shall be free to proceed with the purchase of the abovementioned properties and that any objection/claims raised subsequently shall be deemed to have been waived and shall not be entertained.

Place: Vasco-Da-Gama, Goa.  
Date: 10/05/2025

Sd/-  
(Ms. Harjit Kaur)  
Advocate  
Office: 26, Ground Floor, Karma Paes Avenue, Near Vasco Court, Vasco-Da-Gama, Goa.  
Mo. 7722051986  
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**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
**REVOKING OF POWER OF ATTORNEY**  
Whereas the Administrative Committee of the Fabrica da Igreja de Raia at its meeting held on 27/02/2025 resolved to revoke the power of attorney issued to Joaquim Santana Jose Almeida resident of Fatorda, Margao, Goa, to act as the special attorney of the Fabrica de Igreja de Raia with reference no. SFC/365/2005-2005 dated 10-11-2005 in respect of property surveyed under No. 196/1 and 196/2 of Raia Village i.e. property Pursufond or Cusmonem of the Fabrica de Igreja de Raia. Take a notice that the Fabrica de Igreja de Raia shall not be liable for any act, deed done hereafter by said Mr. Joaquim Santana Jose Almeida as power of attorney of the Fabrica de Igreja de Raia in respect of 196/1 and 196/2 of Raia Village.

Read and approved by  
Sd/- President : Rev. Fr. Januario Da Costa  
Sd/- Treasurer : Mr. Estevas Juliao Gomes  
Sd/- Attorney : Mr. William Mario Barretto

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**Tender for Operating College Canteen**  
Sealed tenders are invited from experienced contractors/agencies/ caterers or registered Women SHGs, for operating the College Canteen at Rosary College of Commerce & Arts, Navelim, for a period of two years.

► Tender No.: RCCA/2024-25/2305  
► Last Date for Submission: 28th May 2025, by 3:00 p.m.  
Eligibility: Valid FSSAI License, Health & Police Clearance, FOSTAC Certificate (mandatory before starting operations), and prior experience in institutional catering.  
Tender documents with terms and conditions can be collected from the college office on any working day from 10.00 a.m. to 4.00 p.m.  
Submit sealed tenders to:  
The Principal,  
Rosary College of Commerce & Arts,  
Navelim, Salcete-Goa - 403707  
The College reserves the right to accept or reject any or all tenders without assigning any reason.

