



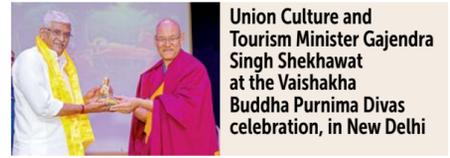
Newly appointed Union Public Service Commission Chairman Ajay Kumar assumes office, in New Delhi



Union External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar with Honduran Foreign Minister Enrique Reina during the opening of the Embassy of Honduras, in New Delhi



Union Minister Manohar Lal Khattar with Haryana Chief Minister Nayab Singh Saini during a meeting in New Delhi



Union Culture and Tourism Minister Gajendra Singh Shekhawat at the Vaishakha Buddha Purnima Divas celebration, in New Delhi

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People cover themselves with scarves on a hot summer day in Bikaner, Rajasthan, on Thursday

**Aviation watchdog BCAS revokes security clearance for Turkish firm Celebi**  
**NEW DELHI:** Aviation watchdog BCAS on Thursday revoked the security clearance of ground handling company Celebi Airport Services India, a unit of Turkey's Celebi, with immediate effect in the "interest of national security". The move by the Bureau of Civil Aviation Security came against the backdrop of Turkey's backing for Pakistan and its condemnation of India's recent strikes on terror camps in the neighbouring country and Pakistan-occupied Kashmir under 'Operation Sindoor'. Pakistan had also used Turkish drones on a large scale in the military conflict with India. Official sources, meanwhile, said the government may discourage people from going to Turkey as well as Azerbaijan, which had also actively supported Pakistan in the conflict. As a result, there is likely to be a significant drop in visits of Indian tourists, hosting of destination weddings and shooting of Indian films in the two countries in the coming days, the sources said.

**EC probes CPI(M) veteran Sudhakaran's claim of postal ballot breach in 1989 Alappuzha polls**  
**ALAPPUZHA (KERALA):** The Election Commission on Thursday launched an investigation after a video surfaced showing CPI(M) veteran G Sudhakaran allegedly claiming that postal ballots were opened during the 1989 Alappuzha Lok Sabha election to find out which members of a party-backed NGO union had voted for the opposition. A purported video of Sudhakaran making controversial remarks during a gathering of former NGO Union leaders in Alappuzha on Wednesday has gone viral on social media, prompting the EC to initiate a probe. As part of the investigation, EC officials visited Sudhakaran's residence on Thursday and recorded his statement. They said the matter would be submitted to the district collector for further actions. As the video went viral and the EC launched a probe, Sudhakaran said what he had said on Wednesday was not completely true and he had added something extra to it from his "imagination".

# Our dealings with Pak will be strictly bilateral: EAM

Says Indus Waters Treaty to be held in abeyance until Pakistan credibly and irrevocably stops its support for cross-border terrorism

**PTI, NEW DELHI:** India's relations and dealings with Pakistan will be "strictly bilateral", which is a national consensus for many years and there is "absolutely no change" in that consensus, External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar said on Thursday. He also said that the Indus Waters Treaty will continue to be held in abeyance until Pakistan "credibly and irrevocably" stops its support for cross-border terrorism. Jaishankar said the UN Security Council had underlined the need to hold the perpetrators of the Pahalgam attack accountable, and on May 7 morning, "we held them accountable through the Operation Sindoor". India carried out precision strikes on terror infrastructure early on May

## India-Pakistan ceasefire extended till May 18

**PTI, NEW DELHI:** Following the May 10 understanding between India and Pakistan on cessation of hostilities, it was decided to continue the confidence building measures to reduce the alertness level, Indian officials said on Thursday. The clarification came after Pakistan military said the understanding on ending the hostilities has been extended until May 18. "Further to the understanding between the two DGMOs (Directors General of Military Operations) on May 10, it has been decided to continue the confidence building measures so as to reduce the alertness level," an Indian Army official said. "As situation develops further, we shall intimate you," he said. 7 following which Pakistan attempted to attack Indian military bases on May 8, 9 and 10. The Pakistani actions were strongly responded to by the Indian side. The hostilities ended with an understanding on stopping the military actions following talks between the Directors General of Military Operations of both sides on May 10. "To me things are fairly clear. So, let me take this opportunity to spell out our position. One, where

Pakistan is concerned, our relations, our dealings with them will be bilateral, and strictly bilateral. "That is a national consensus for many years, and there is absolutely no change in that consensus that dealings with Pakistan will be bilateral," Jaishankar said. He said Prime Minister Narendra Modi has made it "very clear" that any talks with Pakistan will be only on terrorism. "...Pakistan has a list of terrorists, who need to be handed over. They have to shut down terrorist infrastructure, they know what to do," the external affairs minister said. Jaishankar said New Delhi is "prepared to discuss" with Islamabad what is to be done on terrorism, adding those are the talks that are "feasible".

## Tahawwur Rana case Tushar Mehta appointed lead procecutor

**PTI, NEW DELHI:** The government has appointed a team of lawyers headed by Solicitor General Tushar Mehta to conduct trial against extradited Pakistani-Canadian terrorist Tahawwur Hussain Rana in the 26/11 Mumbai terror attack case. In a notification, the Ministry of Home Affairs said the appointment has been made exercising the powers conferred under the National Investigation Agency Act, 2008 and the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023. The central govt hereby appoints a team of Special Public Prosecutors headed by Solicitor General Tushar Mehta and comprising Additional Solicitor General S V Raju, senior advocate Dayan Krishnan and advocate Narendar Mann for conducting trial and other matters related to the case RC-04/2009/NIA/DLI on behalf of the NIA before the NIA Special Courts at Delhi, HC of Delhi and SC for three years or till the completion of trial of the said case, whichever is earlier, the notification said.

# Pak's nukes should be brought under IAEA watch: Rajnath

**PTI, SRINAGAR:** Pakistan's nuclear weapons should be brought under the supervision of the International Atomic Energy Agency as they are not safe in such a rogue nation, Defence Minister Rajnath Singh said on Thursday. The defence minister's comments came days after Prime Minister Narendra Modi said India would not tolerate "nuclear blackmail" by Pakistan and would punish cross-border terrorism strongly. Singh said how strong India's resolve against terrorism can be gauged from the fact that it has not even paid heed to Pakistan's nuclear blackmail. "The whole world has seen how irresponsibly Pakistan has given nuclear threats to India several times," he said interacting with troops. "Today, from the land of Srinagar, I want to raise this question before the whole world: are nuclear weapons safe in the hands of such an irresponsible and rogue nation?" Singh asked. "The only way to cure Pakistan's wounds is to stop giving shelter to anti-India and terrorist organisations, and not allow its land to be used against India," he added. Recalling then Prime Minister Atal Bihari Vajpayee's visit to Pakistan 21 years ago, Singh said Pakistan had declared that terrorism will no longer be exported from their soil. "But Pakistan betrayed India and is still betraying it. Now it has to pay a heavy price for this. And if terrorism continues, this price will keep increasing," he said. Singh said Prime Minister Modi has clearly redefined India's policy against terrorism, which says that any terrorist attack on Indian soil will be considered "an act of war". "I believe that Pakistan's nuclear weapons should be taken under the supervision of IAEA (International Atomic Energy Agency)," he added. The defence minister described Operation Sindoor as the "biggest" action taken by India against terrorism in its history. "For the last 35-40 years, India has been facing terrorism being carried out from across the border. Today India has made it clear to the whole world that we can go to any extent against terrorism," he said. By carrying out the terrorist attack in Pahalgam, an attempt was made to hurt India's forehead and to break the country's social unity. "They attacked India's forehead, we have inflicted wounds on their chest," he said.

# Rahul plays social justice card in Bihar ahead of Assembly polls

**PTI, DARBHANGA/PATNA:** Playing the social justice card to the hilt, Congress leader Rahul Gandhi on Thursday addressed inmates of an 'Ambedkar hostel' in Bihar and watched a movie based on the life of legendary reformers Jyotiba Phule and Savitribai Phule. The Leader of the Opposition in the Lok Sabha began his day-long tour of the state, where assembly polls are due in a few months, by addressing a 'Shiksha Nyay Samvad' at Darbhanga, a north Bihar town about 140 km from the state capital. Hours later, before boarding his return flight in Patna, he told reporters, "I had come to interact with students from the deprived sections of society. Attempts were made to block my way. But my job was done (kaam ban gaya)". The allusion was to his cavalcade being stopped at the gates of the Lalit Narayan Mithila University in Darbhanga, where the local administration tried to



Congress MP and Lok Sabha Leader of Opposition Rahul Gandhi holds a portrait of Dr BR Ambedkar during the Shiksha Nyay Samvad programme, in Darbhanga, on Thursday

prevent him from reaching the 'Ambedkar Chhatravas', a day after denying permission to hold the programme at the spot. The administration had suggested that the 'Shiksha Nyay Samvad' be held at town hall, but the Congress leader stood his ground, choosing to get out of his car and walk several hundred metres to reach the ground adjacent to the hostel, where a huge canopy had been put up. "My car was stopped at the gates. But I did not relent...I took a circuitous route to reach here on foot", Gandhi said at the function, speaking into a hand-held mic. The 54-year-old leader claimed that Prime Minister Narendra Modi had agreed to hold a caste census "out of fear" that refusal may not go down well with the deprived castes.

# 19 dead in separate road accidents in UP

**PTI, LUCKNOW:** At least 19 people, including women and children, lost their lives and dozens were injured in multiple road accidents in several parts of Uttar Pradesh, with major incidents taking place in Lucknow, Hardoi and Balrampur districts. The spate of accidents prompted Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath to instruct officials to expedite relief and medical response. Five passengers, including two children, were killed when a private bus caught fire on Kisan Path near Mohanlalganj on the outskirts of Lucknow early Thursday morning. The bus, carrying nearly 80 passengers and travelling from Begusarai (Bihar) to Delhi, caught fire around 5 am, allegedly due to a short circuit in the gearbox, according to Assistant Commissioner of Police Rajneesh Verma. The blaze spread rapidly while most passengers were asleep. Though firefighters reached the spot promptly, five passengers could not be saved, police said.

**CHANGE IN NAME**  
**I MARCELINA VAS R/O H NO 119F, BOA VISTA, BASTORA, MAPUSA, BARDEZ, GOA.** like to change my name **MARCELINA VAZ E MARTINS** to **MARCELINA VAS.** Hereafter in all my dealing and documents I will be known by the name **MARCELINA VAS.**

**CHANGE IN NAME**  
**I, CANDELINA CLARETTE CARDOZO E SWAMY, r/o H.NO. 668-1 NEAR ZUARI COMPLEX, PATRONG BAINA, VASCO-DA-GAMA, GOA, 403802,** like to change my name from **CANDELINA CLARITTA CARDOZO TO CANDELINA CLARETTE CARDOZO E SWAMY.** Here after in all my dealings and documents I will be known by the name **CANDELINA CLARETTE CARDOZO E SWAMY.**

**CHANGE IN NAME**  
**I ESCOLASTICA FERNANDES R/O. H. no 362, Quevnem Caranzalem Tiswadi Goa** would like to change my name from **ESCOLASTICA FERNANDES TO ESCOLASTICA FERNANDES** Hereafter in all documents and dealing will be known by the name **ESCOLASTICA FERNANDES.**

**PUBLIC NOTICE INTIMIDATING REVOCATION OF POWER OF ATTORNEY**  
 BE IT KNOWN TO ALL CONCERNED THAT MY CLIENT, Ms. Sumita M Gajera alias Sumita M Gajra, daughter of late. Mr. Mohan. P. Gajera, divorcee, Indian national, r/o. H.No.427, Bellem, Tellaum, Navelim, Salcete-Goa, having Aadhar Card no.735311242169, pan card under no. EKP094599 had executed Power of Attorney dated 07/08/2019 registered under no. 1882/19 at Margao, executed before Notary Preeti. P.P. Agrasani alias Preeti V Bhat authorizing her mother Smt. Rozarin Furtado alias Rajani. M. Gajra alias Rajani. M. Gajra as my clients lawful attorney and on behalf of my client to execute and perform all acts, deeds, matters and things mentioned therein. AND WHEREAS for diverse causes and reasons and for misusing the power granted therein, I deem it necessary to revoke the said powers. KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENT, that I do hereby revoke, annul, withdraw all powers and authorities thereby and thereunder given to the said attorney, either expressly or impliedly, to all intents and purposes. Any person or persons entering into any transaction, deeds with the said Rozarin Furtado alias Rajani. M. Gajra alias Rajani. M. Gajra in spite of this notice, shall do at their own risk and my client is in no way responsible and liable for any act done or caused to be done by the said Rozarin Furtado alias Rajani. M. Gajra alias Rajani. M. Gajra. Place: Margao-Goa Sd/- Dated: 15/05/25 **VALENCIA N. RODRIGUES** ADVOCATE Reg. No. MAH/3425/2011 FATORDA, MARGAO-GOA

**CHANGE IN NAME**  
**I VENITA PEREIRA, r/o H.NO. 52/A/6, ARAO, DOS EQUIS EXOTIC LOUNGE, POMBURPA, BARDEZ-GOIA, 403523** like to change my name from **VENITA VITORINO PEREIRA TO VENITA PEREIRA.** Hereafter in all my dealings and documents I will be known by the name **VENITA PEREIRA.**

**OFFICE OF VILLAGE PANCHAYAT**  
 Seraulim, Salcete - Goa.  
 Ref.No: VP/S/169/2025-26.  
 Date: 15/05/2025.  
**GRAM SABHA MEETING NOTICE**  
 All the Gram Sabha Members of Village Panchayat Seraulim, Salcete, Goa, are hereby informed that the Ordinary Gram Sabha Meeting of Seraulim Village Panchayat will be held on 25th May 2025 at 09.30 am in the office of VP Seraulim, to transact the following business on the Agenda:  
**AGENDA**  
 1 To read and confirm the proceedings of the previous Gram Sabha Meeting.  
 2 To consider the Developmental proposals/suggestions received from the Gram Sabha Members, if any.  
 Sd/- (Sima Shanke) Sarpanch, V.P Seraulim  
 N.B.  
 i) In case there be no quorum, as required under section 5(3) of the Goa Panchayat Raj Act, 1994, the same shall stand adjourned for half an hour after fifteen minutes from the appointed time for the original meeting and the adjourned meeting, shall be held soon thereafter to transact the business on the agenda of the appointed meeting irrespective of the quorum.  
 ii) If any member of the Gram Sabha desires to submit his/her developmental proposals / suggestions for the consideration of the Gram Sabha, he/she, may do so in writing, so as to reach the undersigned four days before the date of the Gram Sabha Meeting (i.e. on or before 20/05/2025 by 5.00pm).

Government of Goa  
**OFFICE OF THE CIVIL REGISTRAR-CUM-SUB REGISTRAR, SALCETE**  
 Room No. 209, 2nd floor, Mathany Saldhana Administrative Complex, Margao Goa  
 Office Tel. No. 9405864458/Office Email: crs@salcete-rd.goa@nic.in  
 No: CR/SR/SAL/1519/2025 Dated: 09/05/2025  
**NOTICE**  
 Office of the Civil Registrar-cum-Sub Registrar and Special Notary, Salcete. Shri. Kiran Harish Mesta, Jt. Civil Registrar-cum-SUB Registrar I & II and Special Notary in the said Judicial Division of Salcete, Margao. In accordance with Section 346(11) of the Goa Succession Special Notices and Inventory Proceedings Act 2012 it is hereby made public that by Deed of Declaration of Heirship dated 06/05/2025 duly recorded under Book No. 1730 at page 48 to 50 of the office, the following is recorded:  
 That ARCANJO DOMINGOS DA SILVA, son of late Gloria Mariano Da Silva, hailing from Raia, Goa died on 05/05/2024 executing Public WILL drawn on 28/03/2022, recorded at folios 78 to 79 v of Wills Book No. 503 and leaving behind his wife Mrs. Nicaela Fatima Fernandes, Widow as moiety share holder and his following children namely 1) Mr Sam Ben Da Silva Married to Mrs. Vidyaa Krishnan, 2) Mr Sero Da Silva, Married to Mrs. Defrinea Valeria Nogar, 3) Mr Sino Da Silva, Married to Mrs. Assusy Johana Furtado, as his "sole and universal heirs": there being no one else or other person or her who in terms of Law of Succession in force in this State of Goa may prefer the estate left by the deceased persons.  
 Any person having objection to this deed may file in this office within one month from the date of its publication.  
 Sd/- (Shri. Kiran Harish Mesta) Special Notary and Jt.Civil Registrar-cum-SUB Registrar I&II, Salcete Margao

**Karnataka Bank Ltd.**  
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**PUBLIC NOTICE OF SALE THROUGH E - AUCTION**  
 E-auction sale notice for sale of immovable properties mortgaged to the bank under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower/s, Guarantor/s and Co-obligant/s that the below described immovable property mortgaged to the Secured Creditor, the symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of the secured creditor on 28-04-2022 will be sold on "As is Where is", "As is What is" and "Whatever there is" condition on 06-06-2025 for recovery of Rs.3,05,74,911.94(Rupees Three Crore Five Lakh Seventy Four Thousand Nine Hundred Eleven and Paise Ninety Four Only) (i.e. in respect of A/C No.263700600017001) balance outstanding in the account as on the date of this notice and further interest from 01-05-2025 and other charges due to the secured creditor from the below mentioned borrowers and co-obligants.  
**(A) Name & Address of the Borrower/Co-obligants /Guarantors**  
 1. Mr. Jayant Jaivant Kanekar, S/o Mr. Jaivant Kanekar. 2. Mrs. Janvi Jagdish Kanekar, W/o Mr. Jagdish Kanekar. 3. Mrs. Reema Jayant Kanekar, W/o Mrs. Jayant Kanekar. 4. Mr. Jagdish Jaivant Kanekar S/o Mr. Jaivant Kanekar. All are residing at: H.No. 1615, Vasant Nagar, Sanquelim, Bicholim, North Goa-403 505.  
**(B) Description of immovable Secured Assets:**  
 All that part and parcel of Residential cum Commercial building bearing H. No.794 along with Plot No.3 admeasuring 1220 square meters excluding shops No. 2,3,4 & 5 part of Sy. No 69/2, forming part of property known as AFORAMENTO also known as "PANDOVA CHEN VOUDELEA CODIL BORDO" situated at Harvaleim village, Sanquelim Municipal Council, Bicholim Taluk, North Goa District, Goa and bounded by: East:Plot No. 02; West: Seasonal Water Stream; North:Road; South: Seasonal Water Stream.  
**(C) Details of Secured Debt:** The secured debt for Recovery of which the properties are to be sold Rs.3,05,74,911.94(Rupees Three Crore Five Lakh Seventy Four Thousand Nine Hundred Eleven and Paise Ninety Four Only) (i.e. in respect of A/C No.263700600017001) balance outstanding in the account as on the date of this notice and further interest from 01-05-2025 and other charges.  
**(D) Reserve price/uptset price below which the properties may not be sold for is Rs.2,80,00,000/- (Rupees Two Crore Eighty Lakh Only) (Inclusive of 1% TDS).**  
**(E) Earnest money to be Deposited (EMD) is Rs. 28,00,000/- (Rupees Twenty Eight Lakh Only).**  
**(F) Address of the Secured Creditor Karnataka Bank Ltd., Goa-Ponda Branch, Hotel Menino Building, Belagavi Ponda Road, Dhada Vaidya Chowk, Ponda, Dist. North Goa-403401.**  
**(G) Date and time of opening of offers received from public:** The E-auction will be conducted through portal www.auctionbazaar.com on 06-06-2025 at 11.00 AM to 12.00 Noon. The intending bidder/s are required to register their name at https://www.auctionbazaar.com/ and get the user Id and password free of cost and get online training on E-auction (tentatively on 05-06-2025) from M/s ARCA EMART PVT LTD (known by their website: www.auctionbazaar.com), Auction Bazaar, 7-1-28/1/A/1, Park Avenue 1, Ameerpet, Begumpet, Hyderabad, Secunderabad, Telangana, India-500016, Contact No.: 7799728999, E-mail: contact@auctionbazaar.com and dispoal.karnataka@auctionbazaar.com.  
**(H) For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link in the Karnataka Bank's website i.e., www.karnatakabank.com DATE:15.05.2025 PLACE: Hubballi**

