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US, Iran exchange fire in Gulf for snatching control of Hormuz

Commissioner News Service DUBAI/WASHINGTON : After the US & Iran exchanged fire in the Gulf and both wrestled for snatching control of the Strait of Hormuz, the prospects of peace seemed fragile in the Middle East which already had been under strain. Iran's parliament speaker, Mohammad Baqer Qalibaf, said in a social media post on Tuesday breaches of the four-week-old ceasefire by the United States and its allies had endangered shipping and energy transit through the vital waterway. The U.S. military said on Monday it destroyed six Iranian small boats, as well as cruise missiles and drones, after President Donald Trump sent the navy to escort stranded tankers through the strait in

a campaign he called "Project Freedom". The narrow waterway, which carries a large share of global supplies of oil, fertiliser and other commodities, has been virtually closed since the U.S. and Israel began attacks on Iran on February 28, causing price rises around the world. Several merchant ships in the Gulf reported explosions or fires on Monday, and an oil port in the United Arab Emirates, which hosts a large U.S. military base, was set ablaze by Iranian missiles. Iran's Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps has effectively closed the strait with threats of mines, drones, missiles and fast attack craft, while the United States has responded by blockading Iranian ports. Iran's proposal to end war was rejected by Trump as he was not satisfied. Iran's 14-



point peace proposal were dismissed after reviewing its terms. Iran has confirmed it received a US response via Pakistan and is reviewing it. "The Iranians want to make a deal, but I'm not satisfied with what they've offered," adding that "there are things I can't agree to." Trump's remarks reinforce earlier signals, where he had already expressed doubts about the proposal's viability. In a social media post, he said Iran had "not yet paid a big enough price for what they have done to Humanity, and the World, over the last 47 years."

The US position reflects persistent concerns about Iran's nuclear programme and regional posture. Washington has consistently pushed for verifiable limits on uranium stockpiles, while Tehran's latest plan delays detailed nuclear negotiations to a later stage. Iran, for its part, has confirmed it received a US response via Pakistan and is reviewing it. "At this stage, we do not have nuclear negotiations," an Iranian foreign ministry spokesperson said. He did not reveal specifics of the response. The United States on Monday urged China to push Iran to open the Strait of Hormuz and said that its purchases of Iranian oil amounted to funding global terrorism, delivering a stern rebuke ahead of President Trump's meeting in

Beijing this month with the Chinese leader, Xi Jinping. The warning came from Treasury Secretary Scott Bessent, who will be participating in the high-stakes meetings. Mr. Bessent has been leading an aggressive campaign to cripple Iran's economy with a blitz of new sanctions. He has also been working to devise ways to increase oil supplies around the world to blunt the impact of soaring energy prices. Gasoline hit an average of \$4.45 per gallon on Monday. "Let's see if China — let's see them step up with some diplomacy and get the Iranians to open the strait," Mr. Bessent said on Fox News on Monday. "Iran is the largest state sponsor of terrorism, and China has been buying 90 percent of their energy, so they are funding the largest state sponsor of

terrorism." Tension between the United States and China had eased since a year ago, when the Trump administration triggered a trade war by hiking tariffs on Chinese imports and China retaliated with export controls on critical minerals. But the Iran war has opened a new front in their rivalry, as Chinese purchases of Iranian oil keep Iran's economy afloat. In recent weeks, the Treasury Department has intensified economic pressure on China. It has specifically been targeting China's independent "teapot" refineries with sanctions and warning financial institutions that they will face penalties for facilitating oil sales between Iran and China.

'Can't let lunatics have nuclear weapons : Trump

Commissioner News Service Washington : US President Donald Trump on Saturday launched a fresh attack on Iran and its nuclear ambitions, asserting he can't have "lunatics" take control of nuclear arms. His fresh attack on the US enemy comes not so long after his officials claimed that the war with Iran was "terminated" as it attempt to skip the need for a US congressional nod to continue its military action. In his fresh remarks amid the ongoing stalemate with Iran on a possible deal, Trump said he was "not satisfied" with what Iran was putting on the table. "At this moment I'm not satisfied with what they're offering," Trump told reporters, blaming the



assertion comes hours after his administration argued that the war with Iran was effectively over. During a testimony before the US Senate, Pete Hegseth had said that the ongoing ceasefire paused the war, and with it the ticking clock on the 60-day deadline. Under the War Powers Act of 1973, any war started without Congressional authorisation has only 60 days for military action before it would require a Congress nod. Hegseth's arguments were seen as an attempt to bypass this need for congressional approval. However, Trump's fresh remarks do not sit in line with what his admin argued.

Commissioner News Service New Delhi : By 2040, India could see 9 lakh premature deaths and a reduction in average life expectancy of 15 months because of surging air pollution. "India needs an aggressive shift to clean energy now. There should be no delay in implementing the thermal power plant emission standards and halting the expansion of coal-based power," said Sunil Dahiya, campaigner, climate and energy Greenpeace India. As per environmental NGO Greenpeace, which has had several run-ins with the NDA government, the report reaffirms its previously stated position - of India's thermal power plants contributing significantly to high levels of air pollution. As much as 85 per cent of particulate matter and

Carbon Pollution to kill 9 lakh prematurely

almost all of the sulphur oxides and nitrogen oxides result from fuel combustion. Around 60 per cent of global combustion-related sulphur dioxide emissions originate from coal. Since energy is the main contributor to air pollution, seven per cent increase in energy investment can cut death toll significantly, it suggests. Strategy based on existing energy technologies and policies can cut 50 per cent of pollutant emissions - the fourth largest threat to human health, by 2040, it adds. "The New Policies Scenario sees India take important steps to tackle the issues of air pollution, but much more could be done. By 2040, the clean air scenario still sees two-thirds of India's population living with air pollution levels that exceed the WHO interim target," it cautions.

India to host 18th BRICS summit in Sept 2026 at New Delhi

Commissioner News Service New Delhi : The motto of the BRICS would remain as "Building for resilience, innovation, cooperation and sustainability". The summit would witness evolving new digital financial system. In order to bypass the Western - dominated SWIFT network and lessen dependence on the US dollar, the BRICS might implement the new digital system, as Blockchain - The central initiative would be blockchain - based plat-



form designed for direct transaction envisaging a traditional Western correspondent banking system. Central Bank Digital System - Apart from single shared currency, the system would focus on linking the CBDCs if member nations -- such as India's e - rupee,

China's - yuan, and Russia's e - ruble. Independent messaging : The system would aim to function. As a decentralised cross border messaging system, capable of processing upto 20,000 messages per second, acting as a direct alternative to SWIFT. Local currency settlement : This system would aim to allow BRICS nations to settle trade in their local currencies, reducing dependence on US dollar.

MAA ka bharosa, Pyar se parosa 'Patanjali' dominate other marketed brands

Commissioner News Service P'kula: Patanjali cow suthdesi ghee has gained popularity on account of its fragrant quality, purity and economic rates in tricity markets claimed PK Rao Marketing Manager. He adds saying this pure cow ghee is preferred by those who prioritise natural and organic options. During 2024, the claim of high purity was made in August 2025, sample BKD 2458 was taken for purity test and won clientele applause and wide acceptance. For the quality emergence conventional ayurvedic Bolana pro-



cedure is adopted by the dairy engineers. Cow pure milk is manufactured from white butter/curd. The quantum of cow milk is put on mild flame specific span of time until it got melted for ghee. It is widely claimed that cow milk is scared substance, often used in religious rituals besides Ayurvedic treatments. Cow ghee must be used before 9 months from date. Milk fat is inherently expensive. Its current exdairy price of Rs 460, -- 470 / is way above Rs 125 - -130, wholesale range for refined palmolien, soyabean or sunflower.

Final, mercy chance for clearing X, XII of PSEB - Minister

Commissioner News Service Mohali : Online registration process would be available for a special mercy chance for the candidates who could not pass their examinations of classes for X or XII in the past 16 years. All eligible candidates can apply on the PSEB website till May 25, 2026 said Harjot Singh Bains, Education Minister, Punjab. "This initiative marks the 350 th " martyrdom anniversary of Guru Tegh Bahadur, and aims to provide afresh opportunity to ambitious students who could not clear their examinations in the past over 15 years. The objec-



tive was to help them clear their schooling and improve their career prospects. The privilege will be open for the masses who have exhausted all chances of reappear or had compartment, and they craved to improve their performance. The online application form and detailed instructions are available on the official PSEB website, www.pseb.ac.in.

Randomisation process of 550 EVMs achieved

Commissioner News Service P'kula : For the municipal corporation election, 2026, the randomisation process of 550 Electronic Voting Machines was completed last week in the conference hall of the mini Secretariat. The whole process was transparently designed to ensure that every candidate remained fully satisfied with the electoral procedure, said the District Election Officer Satpal Sharma. A total number of 204 polling stations for the



elections have been set up across 20 wards. Each polling station will be equipped with two voting machines one for the election of the Mayor and the other for the election of the councillor-allowing voter to cast two separate votes. The DEO stated that the first level checking of the EVMs was conducted

periodically within the district to ensure that all machines remained fully functional. The randomisation process had been computerised to maintain transparency and impartiality in the selection of machines used in the election. The maximum expenditure limit had been set at Rs 30 lakh per candidate contesting for the post of Mayor, while a limit of Rs 7.50 lakh has been prescribed for candidates contesting the post of councillor.

Union home sectry issues strict caution over worsening plight of dumping site

Commissioner News Service Chandigarh : From the dumping site, waste must be cleared before the determined deadline on 8th Of May. Under the increasing pressure of NGT (National Green Tribunal), Punjab & Haryana High Court, the Home Secretary has shot a letter to Chandigarh Administration for clearing the dumping site of garbage. The Home Secretary said the waste must be cleared before the



resources to clear the site of burgeoning waste. Mr Arora has directed Ajay Garg, overall incharge to carry-out 24 hours, round the clock clearing operations and exhaustive monitoring. Analytical details of daily work progress, inspection be carried out, counting the quantum of waste garbage and experienced bottlenecks be apprised with no delay or neglect, said the higher authorities.

dead line of 8 th" May as it has been due for the past long time. Mr Amit Kumar, Municipal Commissioner, has asked the Chief Engineer Sanjay Arora to ensure deployment of sufficient number of waste management workers, machinery and

US Treasury warns shippers not to pay Hormuz tolls

Commissioner News Service Washington : The Strait of Hormuz is one of the world's most strategically is vital maritime routes with about 20 % of the world's sea borne crude oil and liquefied natural gas flows passing through it. Tehran has proposed fees or tolls on vessels passing through the Strait, as proposals to end the war with Israel and the United States. On other front, the US treasury has warned any shipper paying tolls to Iran for passage through the Strait



of Hormuz including charitable donations would be at risk of punitive sanctions. The U S is aware of Iranian demands for payments to receive safe passage through the Strait. The payments to Iranian Red Crescent Society or Iranian Embassy accounts will be objectionable and assailable.

Red Cross bamboozled of Rs 83 lakh by Security Agency

Commissioner News Service Chandigarh : The proprietor of a security agency allegedly duped the Indian Red Cross Society (IRCS) of Rs, 83 lakhs. The Red Cross Society a public charitable humanitarian organisation was awarded a contract of services to M/ s Samrat Security, proprietor Amit Giri [04/05, 10:12'am] Mummy Ji: through Govt e Market place GeM for the period from Oct 1, 2025 to Sept 30, 2028.



reimburse from Red Cross. Upon verification of the issuing bank it was found no such bank guarantee existed or was issued by the bank. Rather the guarantee was forged under the signature of the manager of Bnk of Baroda, west Bengal. The accused failed to pay take home salary to deployed manpower with in the scheduled time as per the terms and conditions.

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2. Ganesh Electricals, 9417621222 Shop 637, Amb-Chd road, Zirakpur
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2. Brand Tree, Fashion Wear, 7888721165 VIP road, Block-C, Zirakpur
3. Sanorita, 9878523318 (Kiran) The Fashion Town,Western Outfit, SCO 5, AMCARE Plaza, VIP road, Zirakpur
4. Indian Shadow Handloom, 7082071500 Curtain King, Near PTC, Lower Ground, Shop 14, VIP road, Zirakpur
5. Raymond, Dulha Collection, 9888388919 Men's Tailoring Shop, Shop 5, Ist Floor, VIP road, Near AMCARE Hospital, Zirakpur
6. Vijay Cobb Brand Fabric, 9625168599
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3. Gopal Ji Gift Gallery Archies, 9968590015 SCO 6, Block-C, (Opp Indus Ind Bank)VIP road,ZRK
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3. Blu Heaven (Cake Shop), Mobile 8146030300 VIP road, SCO 11, (VIP Shopping Centre) Zirakpur
4. Gurpal Bakers, 8728885252 Baker & Confectioners, 37, Block-B, High Street, VIP road, Zirakpur
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2. Chandigarh Wallpapers HUB Mobile, 9729687777 Saurav Sikri, Opp. Domino's Pizza VIP road, Zirakpur
3. Fuzzon, 9958828833, 9540722215 SCO 19, VIP road, Shopping Centre, Zirakpur
4. Decor Plus, Pawan Jain 9215600099 SCO 25, Block-B, VIP road, Zirakpur
5. Doro Homes Concepts, 7814572180 Shop 22, Block-A, VIP road, Zirakpur,
6. Chandigarh Interior Hub, 9050374005 Handloom & Wallpaper, SCO, 5, Hollywood Plaza, Near CCC, VIP road, Zirakpur
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2. Care Vision Opticals 8284908330, 9988920377 SCF, Block-C, HighStreet Mkt, Zirakpur.
3. Sun Glasses, Square-Mobile 9728310732, SCO 39, Block-B, VIP road, Zirakpur
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1. Kitchen Concepts (Devanshu Goel) 7696617533, 8196857770 SCO 1, Ground Floor, High Street, Block-A, VIP road, Zirakpur
2. Ten 11 Kitchen, Vikash Tomar, 7657999655, Block-A, VIP road, Zirakpur

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4. Patiala House, Mobile 9888806044, Suits Sarees Lehngas, SCO 5, Singhpura Chowk, Zirakpur
5. Elegant Laloni Collection, 9417303402 (A complete range of lady wear) SCO 16, AMCARE Plaza, VIP road, Zirakpur
6. Vijay Cobb Brand Fabric, 9625168599, Amb-Chd road, Zirakpur
7. Raymond Store, Mobile 9888664543 Shop No. 3, Ist Floor, Citi Square, Chd-Amb road, Opp. Royal Enfield, Zirakpur
8. Madame Readymade Garments, (Vishaal) 8283836387, 8146118674 Shop 7, Citi Square, Upper ground floor, Zirakpur
9. Spendid Lifestyle, The Steps, 9814201600 Amb-Chd road, Singhpura, Zirakpur
10. She-16, All Female Wear, Swastik Enterprises, Mobile 9646557681, 9780247475 SCO 93, GuruNanak Enclave,Old Amb-road, Dhakoli

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1. Elite Furniture 9219200009, 8427069000 (Kurl on) Shop 11, Hollywood Plaza, VIP road, Zirakpur
2. Chopal Ply House, 9896501800, 9896429408 Silver City, SCF 24, Amb-Chd road, Zirakpur
3. Jindal Door & Ply, 7027071715 Near Corporation Bank, Chd-Amb road, Zirakpur
4. Shiv Ply Woods, 9417728473 (Opp. Royale Estates), Amb-Chd road, Zirakpur
5. Shiv Plywoods, 9417554773 Near NK Sharma Office, Amb-Chd road, Zirakpur
6. Vijay Plywood, Hardware & Sanitary, 9814117595 Near NK Sharma Office, Amb-Chd road, Zirakpur
7. Mansa Ply Woods, 9988885422, Hardware & Glass SCO 5, Modern Complex, Chd-Amb road, Zirakpur
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EDITORIAL —

Breathalyser test for politicians

Before the assembly session Sunil Jakhar had in a post on X demanded breathalyser tests for leaders entering the assembly. "Many faces can get unmasked if a breathalyser test is conducted," he posted in Punjabi. Taking a dig at AAP-led govt, he said. "It would have been better if govt had conducted an alcohol test instead of a floor test." Jakhar demanded Mann's resignation, saying, "After his conduct in today's assembly session, CM Mann has completely lost the moral right to remain in office. We will meet the Governor and tell him that Bhagwant Mann is unfit for the position." SAD president Sukhbir Singh Badal too demanded the CM's resignation. In a written statement, he said: "Punjabis are shocked that their chief minister has insulted the august house as well as their mandate in this manner." Bajwa demanded that the doors be shut and alcometer tests conducted on all MLAs. "An honourable member has levelled a very serious charge on the head of the state. If it is

true, there cannot be a worse day than this," Bajwa said. Congress MLAs trooped to the well of the House, shouting slogans, and then walked out. The CM returned to the House when the session resumed at 3pm. The House was, however, adjourned within 10 minutes following protest by Congress MLAs after the Speaker turned down a written request by Congress Legislature Party (CLP) for "immediate alcometer and dope testing of the CM and all MLAs during the ongoing session" by a team from PGI-Chandigarh. When the House reassembled, the CM was present for the discussions and made the concluding address on the resolution. He then tabled a confidence motion. The assembly's special session on May Day descended into bedlam after Congress MLA Sukhpal Singh Khaira accused chief minister Bhagwant Mann of coming drunk to the House, triggering heated exchanges between the ruling and opposition benches. While Congress

MLAs demanded alcometer and dope tests on all the MLAs present in the assembly, leader of opposition Partap Singh Bajwa called Khaira's accusation "very serious", and "if true, a black day for democracy." Punjab finance minister Harpal Singh Cheema termed the allegation false and accused Khaira of "misleading" his own party to divert attention from a land grab case against him. That didn't stop BJP and SAD from demanding Mann's resignation. The CM took exception to Khaira using the mobile phone when Vidhan Sabha Speaker Kultar Singh Sandhwan was reading out a resolution proposing enhancement of wages of the working class on Labour Day, for which the special session was primarily called. Khaira hit back at the CM and the treasury benches, accusing them of targeting him unnecessarily. Cheema demanded action against Khaira, alleging that he "always tried to disturb the house with his body language"

Online sale of ticket for IPL at Dharamsala begins

Commissioner News Service
CHANDIGARH : The online sale of tickets has commenced on the district app and the team's website. The ticket for general stands will cost Rs 2,250, while hospitality tickets will be available from Rs 8,000 onwards. The sale of tickets



for Punjab Kings' match against Delhi Capitals, scheduled for May 11 at their second home ground in Dharamsala, has begun.

April GST mop-up in Chandigarh, rises 65% at Rs 289 crore

Commissioner News Service
CHANDIGARH : In accordance with the data released by the Ministry of Finance, the post-settlement collection for April stood at Rs 289 crore, which is Rs 114 crore more than Rs 175 crore mopped up in the same month last year. The UT Administration recorded an increase of 65% in the Goods and Services Tax (GST) collection in April against the gross levy collected during the month in 2025. The town witnessed a decline of 8% in the tax collection in March in comparison to the levy collected during the corresponding period in 2025. The post-settlement collection for March stood at Rs 205 crore, which was Rs 18 crore less than Rs 223 crore received in the same month in 2025. This decline was a cause for concern for the Administration, as revenue



collections usually pick up at the end of the financial year. Experts stated that there could be several reasons behind this decline in GST collections, including lack of business activities, poor demand in the market and a slowdown in some sectors. After witnessing a drop in tax collection, the Administration took various steps to increase revenue, including cracking down on tax evaders, strengthening digital monitoring and raising awareness among traders. The city had witnessed a growth of 7% in the tax collection in February. The GST collection for February stood at Rs 210 crore, which was Rs 15 crore more than Rs 195 crore collected during the month a year before.

Free NCERT books for IX to XII govt school students by Chd Administration

Commissioner News Service
CHANDIGARH : The Chandigarh administration is spending nearly Rs 5 crore from the state budget for the academic session 2026-27 to meet the expenses on free NCERT books. The Administration on Monday launched the distribution of free NCERT textbooks to students of Classes IX to XII enrolled in 111 government schools. This benefit was earlier available only up to Class VIII. A total of 46,112 students — 23,694 at the secondary level and 22,418 at the senior secondary level — will receive all textbooks they need at no cost. The first consignment of textbooks for Classes X and XII had been received from the National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) and distribution commenced on Monday. Around 7,000 textbooks were handed over to students on the first day. The remaining books are expected to arrive through the week. The distribution process will be completed by the weekend, said Nitish Singla, the Director,



School Education. The initiative has been taken on the directions of Punjab Governor and Chandigarh Administrator Gulab Chand Kataria, who approved the budget for it with the aim of equipping students with every possible support to compete with their counterparts in private schools. "No child should be left without books simply because of the family's financial condition. This is not just about textbooks — it is about telling the students of government schools that we stand behind them and that their dreams matter. The Administration will not let economic hardship come in the way of their education," Kataria, Education Secretary Prerna Puri said the department was committed to translating the Governor's vision into ground-level reality.

IRS officer, wife booked against Rs 4.6-crore illegitimate assets

Commissioner News Service
CHANDIGARH : A regular case has been registered at Mumbai against Amit Kumar Singhal (2007-batch IRS), the then additional director general, Directorate General of Tax Services, Central Board of Indirect Customs (CBIC), New Delhi, and his wife Anupama Singla, the then commissioner of income tax, Central Board of Direct Taxes (CBDT), New Delhi, on a complaint filed by Inspector Manesh Kumar of CBI Anti-Corruption Bureau (ACB), Chandigarh, and has been entrusted for investigation to Sudhir Dhandha, DSP, CBI ACB, Mumbai. Nearly a year after the senior Indian Revenue Service (IRS) officer at the centre of a soured La Pino'z Pizza franchise dispute was arrested in a Rs 25-lakh bribery trap, the CBI has now booked him and his wife, herself a senior tax official, for accumulating assets disproportionate to their known sources of income to the tune of Rs 4,57,39,557, a staggering



139.15 per cent in excess of their legitimate earnings. The fresh disproportionate assets case has been registered under Section 13(2) read with Section 13(1)(e), Section 12, and Section 109 of the IPC against the couple. The corresponding provisions of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988, as amended in 2018, have also been invoked. The main offence in the FIR, "Public servant intentionally enriching himself illicitly during the period of his office and the other accused abetted the said offence." The period of the offence ranges from April 1, 2018 to May 31, 2025, covering the better part of

seven years, with the places of occurrence listed as Maharashtra and New Delhi. While Singhal has been booked as the principal accused for illicit self-enrichment during his period of office, his wife Singla has been booked for abetting the offence. The fresh disproportionate assets case flows from a bribery arrest that made headlines last June, when Chandigarh CBI ACB nabbed Singhal and his close associate Harsh Kotak from Delhi and Mohali separately, in a meticulously laid trap. The bribery allegation traced back to a business relationship turned bitter. Sanam Kapoor, a Zirakpur-based businessman and partner-director of M/s Copenhagen Hospitality Pvt Ltd, the company that owns La Pino'z Pizza, a chain with around 750 outlets across India, had in 2019 entered into a master franchisee arrangement with Singhal, who was then posted as Joint Commissioner, Customs Department, Mumbai.

UT to hand over land for Baltana RUB to Railways by May 15

Commissioner News Service
CHANDIGARH : A large number of residents of Raipur Kalan village, Mauli Jagran and Vikas Nagar in Chandigarh, Baltana, Zirakpur and Dhakoli in Mohali district and Panchkula use this level crossing. The underbridge will give them respite from long traffic jams at the level crossing during rush hour in the morning and evening. Thousands of vehicles cross the level crossing every day, Rana added. The long-awaited above stated road under-bridge (RUB) at Baltana has inched closer to reality, as the UT Administration has completed the land acquisition process for the project. According to officials, the compensation would be awarded to the affected farmers after getting approval from the competent authorities next week. After



providing relief to the farmers, the Administration will take possession of the land and hand it over to the Railways for the construction of the RUB. The Northern Railway had invited e-bids for the construction of the RUB through a "normal pushing" technique while train operations continue on the tracks. The financial bids for the allotment of work for the project could not be opened on the scheduled date (February 13), as the UT Administration had failed to deposit its 50% share amounting to Rs 6.4 crore with the Railway authorities.

To address the long-pending demand of residents of Baltana and Makhan Majra for elimination of the level crossing, the UT Administration recently deposited Rs 6.4 crore with the Railways. Officials stated that the financial bids would be opened soon and the work on the project was likely to start by the end of May. After the allotment of the work, the project has to be completed within 12 months. "With the involvement of Punjab Governor and UT Administrator Gulab Chand Kataria, the file of the project, which had been stuck for years, moved rapidly. The Governor gave priority to the project and not only sanctioned the funds, but got them released too," said Pratap Singh Rana, chairman of Joint Action Committee for Baltana Residents.

Panchkula, Ambala, Sonapat to participate in Municipal polls on May 10

Commissioner News Service
CHANDIGARH : The poll schedule was announced by Devinder Singh Kalyan, State Election Commissioner. He announced the poll schedule for three municipal corporations -- Panchkula, Ambala and Sonapat -- along with the Rewari Municipal Council and three municipal committees: Sampla, Dharuhera and Uklana. Additionally, by-elections will be held



for six vacant ward member seats in the municipal councils/committees of Tohana, Jhajjar, Rajound, Tarawadi, Kanina and Sadhaura. Under the Panchayati Raj Institutions, general elections will be held in the gram panchayats of Mandi Adampur and Jawahar

Nagar in Hisar, and in Govindpura and Polad in Kaithal. For 28 vacant posts (including panch, sarpanch, panchayat samiti, and zila parishad members) by election will be held across the state. Voting will take place on May 10, from 8 am to 6 pm. Counting for municipal bodies will start at 8 am on May 13, while for panchayat bodies, counting will start after the polling.

Warrant of attachment of GMADA office issued by Lok Adalat

Commissioner News Service
MOHALI : A retired bank official, the petitioner had contended that he was allotted a residential plot in Block C Aerocity by GMADA in 2018 for which temporary connection of electricity, water, road, and sewerage was promised by GMADA but not provided. The permanent Lok Adalat in Mohali has issued a warrant of attachment of Gmada office in Sector 62 and the immovable and movable properties of the Estate Officer, GMADA. The victim Jang Bahadur 70 of Aerocity Block B, had filed a case against Gmada and made Estate Officer, Chief Administrator, Chief Engineer and Divisional Engineer party in the 2025 case. "During the hearing, the Gmada counsel appeared only once after which an ex parte order was given in 2023. Gmada did not obey the execution order after which warrants have been issued," said the petitioner's counsel, Jatin Sodhi. The chairperson of the Permanent Lok Adalat had passed an execution order for the attachment of the immovable and movable properties of GMADA for a



payment of Rs 1,43,125 and future interest at 6% PA to be calculated up to March 31, 2026 till its realisation to be paid to the petitioner Jang Bahadur. The Lok Adalat had announced the award on October 31, 2023. The list of 11 movable properties included car(s), AC, computers, chairs, tables, fans, phones, mobile phones, printers, TV, refrigerator, and cash. Also, any other material lying at the above-mentioned places. The order by the chairperson, Permanent Lok Adalat, directed the court-appointed bailiff "to cause the attachment of the immovable and movable properties as mentioned in the list of properties for the said amount. You are directed to return the warrant on or before April 24, 2026 to this court".

'Home stay scheme' a commercial venture rejected by FOSWAC

Commissioner News Service
CHANDIGARH : The UT Administration had recently issued a draft to re-launch the home stay scheme, which was earlier scrapped in 2009-2010. The Federation of Sector Welfare Associations, Chandigarh (FOSWAC), has opposed the "Bed & Breakfast" scheme or similar commercial activities in residential premises in the city. On implementation, the owners were able to offer "home stay" facilities within their residences. Following various



irregularities and complaints, the administration had scrapped the scheme. At a meeting with the Director, Tourism, FOSWAC chairman Baljinder Singh stated that the scheme would lead to misuse of residential properties for commercial purposes, which was against spirit of Chandigarh's

planned urban structure. The continuous movement of guests would pose serious safety concerns, particularly for families, women and senior citizens, he claimed. The scheme would aggravate the existing parking problem in residential areas. During the meeting, Chandigarh Resident Associations Welfare Federation (CRAWFED) chairman Hitesh Puri also urged the administration not to allow any commercial/tourist activity in residential premises.

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BJP looted over 100 seats, victory immoral, says Mamata



Centre, the TMC supremo was greeted with "Jai Shree Ram" slogans by the BJP supporters. BJP leader Suwendu Adhikari's win by a margin of 15,105 votes in the Bhabanipur constituency further added to the joy of party cadres, who were emboldened by the party's landslide win in the state polls. A visibly distraught Banerjee told reporters that the BJP's victory was "immoral". "They

have looted more than 100 seats," she alleged. The TMC supremo alleged that the EC's activities, allegedly carried out with the help of central forces in connivance with PM Narendra Modi and Union Home Minister Amit Shah, were "illegal". Alleging that she received flak "for speaking out against the EC's malpractices", Banerjee said, "I lodged a complaint with Chief Electoral Officer Manoj Agarwal, but to no avail." "The CCTV was switched off while our agents were not allowed inside the counting centre," she lamented.

TVK chief's huge FDs, big cars accounts for worth Rs 624 crore



liabilities. A major highlight of the affidavit is over Rs 213 crore parked in a single savings account at Indian Overseas Bank, Saligramam, forming the largest chunk of his liquid wealth. Mr Vijay also holds fixed deposits worth nearly Rs 100 crore across four banks, including Axis Bank, HDFC Bank, Indian Overseas Bank, and State Bank of India. His exposure to the stock market is minimal, with equity holdings valued at less than Rs 20 lakh, indicating a near absence of market-linked investments.

Vijay owns multiple residential properties across Chennai, including Neelankarai, Saligramam, Mylapore, and Egmore, valued at around Rs 115 crore. His commercial properties in areas such as Thyagaraya Nagar, Sholinganallur, and Parivakkam are estimated at Rs 82.8 crore. He also holds non-agricultural land worth Rs 22 crore and agricultural land in Kodaikanal valued at approximately Rs 20 lakh. His vehicle collection includes luxury models such as Toyota Lexus 350, BMW i7, Toyota Vellfire, and BMW 530, along with other vehicles. Jewellery holdings, including gold and silver, are valued at around Rs 1.2 crore. The affidavit also lists loans and advances extended to family members, including significant amounts to his spouse Sangeetha Sornalingam and children.

Commissioner News Service NEW DELHI : Tourists between the ages of 13 and 70 can undertake the yatra and registrations will begin from April 15, the LG told reporters at the Lok Bhavan here. The annual pilgrimage to the holy cave shrine of Amarnath in south Kashmir will commence on July 3 and conclude after 57 days on August 28, Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha said. The dates for the yatra were decided at a meeting of the Shri Amarnath Ji Shrine Board (SASB) under the chairmanship of Sinha. "The Amarnath Yatra will commence on July 3 and conclude on August 28. Overall, this year's pilgrimage will be slightly longer, lasting about 57 days," the LG said. Registration for the pilgrimage has been made mandatory and will begin from April 15. The minimum age for pilgrims has been fixed at 13 years and the maximum at 70 years, he said. "Advance registration can be carried out through about 556

Ex-director dismissed in IDFC First and AU Small Finance Bank scam

Commissioner News Service CHANDIGARH : The scam of worth Rs 590 crore as several accounts of Haryana government departments were involved. The govt has dismissed former Director of Finance, Haryana Power Generation Corporation Limited (HPGCL), Amit Dewan, for opening bank accounts with the IDFC First Bank and AU Small Finance Bank in collusion with the mastermind of the scam and allegedly receiving Rs 50 lakh in illegal gratification. Dewan is the fourth officer who has been dismissed. Earlier, on April 30, Rajesh Sangwan, Controller, Finance and Accounts, Haryana State Agricultural Marketing Board (HSAMB), was dismissed for Rs 10 crore fraud in the IDFC First Bank and AU Small Finance Bank. He was alleged to be in constant touch with the co-accused and was allegedly instrumental in opening the account with the IDFC First Bank. On April 23, the



Development and Panchayats Department's Superintendent Naresh Kumar was dismissed for allegedly receiving Rs 6.55 crore and a Toyota Fortuner from the co-accused, and for allegedly buying a house in Mohali in his wife's name. Also, Chief Accounts Officer in the education department, Randhir Singh, was dismissed on April 24 for Rs 54 crore fraud. He allegedly received illegal gratification both in the form of cash and also other favours like flight tickets for a tour from Chandigarh to Goa for himself and five other family members. All the four were dismissed without a departmental inquiry.

'Now, it's time for 'takhta palat' in Punjab': Ravneet Bittu



Commissioner News Service LUDHIANA : "It would now be "takhta palat" in Punjab, as people here have made up their mind to make a change for the betterment of the state", said Ravneet Bittu Minister of State for Railways. Many people in Punjab are scared because of the cases being registered against those who oppose the government; however, many have made up their mind to vote for the BJP. "The West Bengal results reflect the

larger situation in the state, alleging the presence of mafia, drugs and illegal sand mining." "But it is a regime change there, and now it's Punjab's turn. People are fed up with these issues. Why is the BJP rising? It is because we have only one

agenda, which is development." He accused the state governments with the opposition rule of engaging in blame game and targeting the BJP and the Centre instead of addressing their own shortcomings. According to him, people have begun to see through this and are now prioritising development as a path to progress. He added that the party's performance in West Bengal has boosted the morale of its cadre.

BJP's commitment to make Thiruvananthapuram 2036 Olympics venue generate political uproar



Commissioner News Service Thiruvananthapuram : BJP Kerala unit urge it would request the Centre to include the city as one of the venues for the 2036 Games. In its manifesto for the Thiruvananthapuram Corporation election. BJP's local body election manifesto promise to develop the state capital into a co-host city for the 2036 Olympics triggered a political row, with leaders of both LDF and UDF on Monday calling it a fake claim. The International Olympic Committee is yet to announce the host for the 2036 edition of the world's biggest sporting event. However, there have been reports that India is bidding for the Games with Ahmedabad as its proposed main host city. Kerala Education Minister V Sivankutty accused BJP of deceiving the people of Thiruvananthapuram. "When the Union Government has bid for the

Olympics in Gujarat, how can BJP here claim that Thiruvananthapuram will be a venue?" He further said as part of the bidding process, BJP is planning for the 2030 Commonwealth Games in Ahmedabad, he claimed. He asked whether BJP state president Rajeev Chandrasekhar considered the people of Thiruvananthapuram "fools". "The proposal submitted to the Olympic body has no mention of Thiruvananthapuram. This is a trick because BJP has nothing to say about development," he said. Senior Congress leader K Muraliedharan also hit out at BJP on its election manifesto,

saying that, fearing defeat, the party had begun making "fake promises". "They know they would not even become the main opposition party this time. Hence, such claims," he said. State Revenue Minister K Rajan echoed a similar view, stating that the host for the 2036 Olympics had yet to be announced, but BJP claimed the event would be held in Thiruvananthapuram. Reacting to the criticism, Chandrasekhar said that other political parties would realise the proposal later. "They do not understand how it will happen. We will teach them after we get the opportunity to govern," he said. BJP is currently the main opposition in the CPI(M)-governed Thiruvananthapuram Corporation. The local body election in the state will be held in two phases on December 9 and 11.

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Fast food wing launches safety drive

Commissioner News Service
Chandigarh : Random sampling of water melon at 10 varied location across the city was carried out to address the growing public health issues. Health mobile van was used to test particularly watermelons. Quantum of artificial colouring , presence of sucrose and bacterial contamination was checked by the clinical staff of food safety wing. Negative reports surfaced indicating the used sweeteners in water melons were free from prohibited



adultrants . The food safety department issued advisory saying people will have avoid eat cut or peeled fruit sold in the open at road side stalls, rehti markets and street vendors. Also have strict observance on over ripe fruits, bruised with unusual smell or appearance. It was imperative that before eating , washing of fruits with potable clean water was advisable. Before approaching vendors, a check over hygienic, proper storage will have to be executed in the nest interest of public health, exhorted an food safety official.

Irregularities & favouritism over cleanliness, desilting of Patiala ki Rao, beyond MC jurisdiction -- Ex Deputy Mayor

Commissioner News Service
Chandigarh : The resolution already passed in the previous house, was bypassed said Manjit Singh , former Deputy Mayor. He raised the issue demanding vigilance inquiry into how a work order worth Rs 4 Cr was sanctioned when area is yet to be notified within MC limits. The issue of de- silting of Patiala ki Rai would be undertaken only after the rivulet wad formally brought



under the municipal limits. The procedural lapses were existing since it was not passed by the house for want of clearance from the full majority of the house.

ENTIRE "MAY" , NOT BE SEVERE HOT MONTH

Commissioner News Service
Chandigarh : Alike the month of April gone by, MAY too will not adapt with its wrathful, ferocious treat. It shall subject to yielding periodic spell of rains in full doan of the month, commented Suresnder Pal, the Director , Meteorological Department. He added there would be 4,5



active light fusillades of Western Disturbances. Cyclonic circulation has, at times, in recents, has triggered spell of

rainfalls in Punjab & Rajasthan. While juxtapositioning the comparison figures of past months, the severity of high temperature would be mild in the whole prevalent month. Analytically maximum temperature remained 38.6° and average minimum temperature hovered around average 24.7°.

French President invites PM Modi on 52nd summit to be held on 15th June for 2 days

Commissione News Service
Paris : President Emmanuel Macron has invited Prime Minister Narendra Modi to attend the planned G7 summit in France. The summit scheduled for 2 days from 15 to 17 June would mark phenomenal moment in bilateral ties. It would focus on critical global issues including Middle East crisis, the security of the ' Strait of Hormuz' and global economic



stability. The summit would highlight the strengthening of relationship between India and France, which would also address global security

and economic challenges. The invitation would follow a special strategic partnership aimed at strengthening ties with stress on global peace and overall development. A special segmnt would emphasise to promote innovation and amass integration amongst youth from France, India, Europe and H7 nations.

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Synthetic milk dominates market unchecked by health authority

We over 70% of populace digest daily the pulverised synthetic milk which comprises a definite quantity of detergent, urea, caustic soda, sodium hydroxide and fats, cautioned the otherday, Dr Harsh Vardhan, former Union Minister for Science & Technology. In accordance with Food Safety & Standard Authority of. India, the quality of milk in question doesn't conform to the parameters laid by the stipulated law.The excess water added to the milk may destroy the intake of nutritious specific values,which are immensely harmful. The unnatural milk also comprises certain quantity of insecticides and metal which are destructive to human health. One day, skimmed milk sample of 548, only 577 were found to be carrying ample quantity of glucose. It has been noticed while storing, packaging, certain quantity of detergent particles enter the openly placed quantity of bare milk.The demand for the genuine quality milk is not being met hence the glut of synthetic milk would continue to rein in the prevailing market.



Artificial imitation of natural milk remains harmful to human health. Its excessive use inflict very serious damage on human body causing swelling in the eyes and many other complication in the liver and kidney. The journey of synthetic milk, now a days, has been heading from urban area to rural populace to acclimatise to their propensities. Our nation has been notoriously becoming famous, leaving concentration away from genuine natural milk. Now fait accompli, we are tolerating assortment by of chemicals, urea, by compulsion as the occupation of genuine dairy farming has been going in very lackadaisical race even government controlled units are losing curiosity in natural milk. What a catastrophic approach, but against whom? remains puzzling.

Consumer redressal fines Rly Rs 60,000 against dirty toilet in AC coach

Commissione News Service
Mohali : Against unhygienic , dirty toilet in AC coach of the Jammu Tawi Bandra train, the railays were held accountable ,negligent and guilty in deficiency of services. The redressal commission directed the railways to pay Rs 60,000 compensation and costs to the complainant Surinder Kumar Munshi. The weak submission



of the railway that toilet facilities are provided free of cost and don't fall with in the ambit of service under the consumer protection Act was frivolous and irrational hence rejected.

The redressal commission noted that basic amenities are integral to the service for which passengers pay fare. The objections raised by the Tailways regarding lack ofbjurisdiction, non- joinder of parties and absence of notice under section 80 of the CPC were termed technical in nature and insufficient to defeat a genuine consumer's grievance.

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Digitisation of land to enhance accessibility, to complete by end of May

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Chandigarh : Digitisation enhances accessibility, enables instant retrieval of property files through the internal Property Management System, supports online services, protects historical records from physical deterioration or accidental loss, reduces processing time for RTI requests and property transfers and helps reclaim physical space occupied by bulky files, a UT official said.



The revenue department maintains the Record of Rights for properties located in villages of UT Chandigarh excluding Lal Dora areas. The ROR comprises mutations, jamabandis and related registers. With over 1.2 lakh pages of the Record

of Rights (ROR), the department is set to go online that have already been scanned. In the estate office around 18.5 lakh documents have been digitised out of a total target of nearly 20 lakh, while scanning work in the sub-registrar's office has been completed.

100% house tax exemption for EXMs by Civic body

Commissioner News Service

Chandigarh : On the property tax, ex-service men in the UT will be exempt from the property which they were sharing with their spouse or dependents, the issue was decided in the general house meeting held on Thursday. A few municipal councillors moved the agenda in the house, which was unanimously approved by the members of the general house. Concerning house tax, certain ex-servicemen had approached their councillors for the exemption of the property tax, as in the



neighbouring state it was wholly exempted, but not on Chandigarh. Only 50% was here being exempted, leaving a disparity with the ex-soldiers of Union Territory. The revenue from the property tax was a major source of income for the civic body, hence it was a significant policy decision for the corporation, and was favourably decided in their welfare.

Rajesh Sangwan dismissed by govt in Rs 593 Cr bank fraud

Commissioner News Service

Chandigarh : In a 5-page dismissal order by Haryana State Agriculture and Marketing Board (HSAMB) has sacked its controller of finance and accounts (CFA) after he was indicted against his alleged involvement in the Rs 593 crore bank fraud involving govt funds. As per the allegations, Sangwan violated govt rules by opening an HSAMB a/c with a private bank after being persuaded by key accused Rishav Rishi who was then branch manager. It also gave details of the transfer of Rs 10 crores in two parts into the accounts of a pri-



private builder and a private person on his signature. The case unfolded revealing that Rajesh Sangwan was in touch with all the accused. Sangwan stands disqualified from applying for any govt job in Haryana or anywhere else. Naresh Bhuwani also dismissed in same scam was superintendent of the Development and Panchayat Department and Randhir Singh too sacked was Chief Accounts Officer of Haryana School Shiksha Pariyojna Parishad. (HSSP).

35-year-old Delhi judge dies by suicide at Safdarjung home

Commissioner News Service

New Delhi : A Delhi court judge has reportedly died by suicide and his dead body was found hanging at his home in Safdarjung area. The Delhi Police reached the spot after receiving information about the incident and an investigation in the suicide case of the 35-year-old judge has been launched. The body has been sent for



post-mortem, officials said, adding that further investigation is underway. "No foul play has been established so far. The

deceased judge had joined the Delhi Judicial Services on June 19, 2021. He had completed his education in law from Symbiosis Law School, Pune in 2018. During his tenure, he dealt with a range of criminal and civil cases and served in different jurisdictions as a judicial magistrate first class (JMFC) and civil judge.

Regularisation policy to provide relief over internal changes : Administration

Commissioner News Service

Chandigarh : Provisioning "One time relief" policy would ensure regularising internal modification for thousands of inhabitants of Chandigarh, as pragmatic policy on use of bulldozers, and moratorium on demolition was recently sought by MP Manish Tewari and other parties. With 90% of the town, 62000 CHB dwellings currently facing building violations. The proposed settlement represents a critical life line for house owners who had faced frequent embarrassment for minor



repairs in the past. Pragmatic solution would certainly provide urban maintained, stagnation in tune with the needs of the residents. The boundary wall adjustments, veranda extensions and internal changes sans compromising public land

would be on preliminary focus. Analysing successful models from other states would ensure Chandigarh policy as robust and resident friendly, said a senior official on anonymity conditions. The CHB, however, has already instructed thousands of residents to start voluntary demolition or face forced removal by authorities. Under no circumstance will construction undertaken on govt land be regularised, clarified an official of the administration.

Fluoride contaminants in groundwater, a threat to public health

Commissioner News Service

Dera Bassi : Fluoride habitation carrying water contaminants with the fast depletion of ground water and distant access to safe drinking water has been evolving a serious concern with the ministry of Jal Shakti.

As public health his been the intimate concern of Punjab Pollution Control, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, steps must be initiated to eradicate flow of untreated sewage, effluents into the ground water.

The community water purification plants need to be augmented. The control over expansion of fluorosis need to be endemic, sources revealed. The accessibility to safe drinking water has been eloping with the discharge of untreated chemicals, effluents into the ground water, and depletion not halting for a cause. The multiplying cases of cancer are not being contained duo to the surge in bacterial growth.

Pathogens like bacteria and viruses are being experienced as a very common hazard with the rural public life. Afflicted several health issues might be arthritis, infertility, hypertension, neurotoxicity and increased risk of skeletal cancer, reveals an official.

Additionally prolonged exposure can damage organs like liver, kidneys, lungs and testis. Water contamination has been posing immediate and chronic health threats, needs serious contemplation, medication and panacea.

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