



When will pedestrians be allowed to walk on footpaths? The Supreme Court has sought responses from states and union territories

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The Supreme Court has taken a strong stance on the poor condition of pedestrian footpaths and the increasing encroachment on roadsides in major cities and towns across the country. The apex court has clearly stated that footpaths are an essential and vital part of citizens' daily lives. Hearing the case, a bench of Justices P.S. Narasimha and Alok Aradhe directed all states and union territories to submit status reports on compliance with earlier orders to ensure safe and encroachment-free spaces for pedestrians.

Supreme Court's harsh comment: Walking is also a fundamental right During the hearing, the Supreme Court bench, addressing Additional Solicitor General (ASG) KM Natraj, representing the Central Government, stated that the first and primary step towards road safety is to correctly and clearly mark pedestrian spaces. The court stated that citizens should have complete confidence in their safety while walking on the streets. Wherever a road is constructed, a safe and well-organized space should be designated for pedestrians so that they are not forced to walk between vehicles.

The court believes that the lack of safe footpaths not only contributes to accidents but also directly impacts citizens' right to life and personal liberty. Due to haphazardly constructed or encroached



footpaths, pedestrians are often forced to walk on the main road, risking their lives.

The severity of the problem and the ground reality The condition of footpaths in most cities across the country is deplorable. Even on those footpaths that exist, whether on paper or along the roadside,

the following problems are common:

Illegal encroachment: Most footpaths have disappeared due to street vendors, shopkeepers displaying their goods, and illegal parking.

Incomplete construction and negligence: In many places, footpaths are broken in the middle, with open drains or electric poles installed on them, making walking dangerous for senior citizens and children.

Footpaths sacrificed for road widening: Roads are often widened to facilitate vehicular traffic, but in the process, pedestrian space is eliminated.

Court's directive and states' accountability The Supreme Court expressed concern that despite

repeated directives, states and local bodies are not implementing any concrete or permanent policy to keep footpaths encroachment-free.

The bench asked all states and union territories to clarify:

1. To what extent are they complying with the directives to maintain obstruction-free and safe footpaths for pedestrians in the cities under their jurisdiction?

2. What steps have been taken so far to remove illegal encroachments on footpaths?

3. Are pedestrian safety standards being considered mandatory when constructing new roads?

The Way Forward Towards Safer Traffic Experts also agree that building roads solely for motorists cannot be the standard for development for any modern city. An inclusive and safe city is one where the most vulnerable road users, pedestrians, feel safe.

This report requested by the Supreme Court from the states has raised hopes that state governments and local municipal corporations will awaken from their slumber. Beyond mere paper rules and temporary campaigns, a long-term plan is needed, where pedestrians have sole rights to the sidewalks. It remains to be seen what response the state governments submit to the Supreme Court and when citizens will finally have access to safe sidewalks on the ground.

Barsuan Tipper Association Opens Front Against Transport Agency Over Loading Issue - Alleges Discrimination in Slip Allocation

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Vehicle Owners in Financial Crisis Due to Non-Issuance of Loading Slips in Prescribed Ratio, Warn of Agitation if Not Resolved - Problem Persists Despite Administrative Meetings*

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The Puratan Registered Barsuan Tipper Owners Association of Barsuan region under Koira Mining Circle has expressed strong resentment against a transport agency over alleged discrimination in the allocation of loading slips at the Kurmiter Iron Ore Mines, Khandadhar. The association has demanded immediate intervention from the administration.

What is the Matter? - Facts1. Allegation: The association alleges that some transport agencies



are not issuing loading slips as per the prescribed ratio, creating a serious economic crisis for local tipper owners.

2. Since When: According to Association Secretary Mr. Ramesh Chandra Swain, the prescribed ratio is allegedly not being followed in the allocation of loading slips since 25th November 2025. Most of

the tippers in the Barsuan area are dependent on the said mine at Khandadhar.

3. Agreement in Administrative Meeting, Yet Violation: To resolve the issue, a meeting was held on 17th April 2026 under the chairmanship of Sub-Collector, Bonai, in the presence of MLA and Association President Mr. Laxman Munda, association office-bearers, mine management and various transport agencies. It was agreed to issue loading slips as per the prescribed ratio.

According to the association, most transport agencies followed it, but one transport agency allegedly did not follow the prescribed system.4. No Solution Even After Protest: Protesting against this, a demonstration was held in front of the mine gate on 17th June 2026. The Sub-Collector again directed for distribution of slips, but the association claims that the problem has not been fully resolved till date.

Key Points and Warning of the Association:

1. Deepening Financial Crisis: Due to non-availability of loading, vehicles are standing idle.

It has become difficult for vehicle owners to pay the monthly installments (EMI) to banks and finance companies.

2. Risk of Bankruptcy: The association has warned that if the issue is not resolved soon, financial institutions may seize the vehicles and many vehicle owners may be on the verge of bankruptcy.

3. Final Warning: Demanding immediate intervention from the administration, the association said that if the problem is not resolved immediately, they will be forced to launch a major agitation again, for which the administration and the concerned transport agency will be fully responsible.

Association Secretary Ramesh Chandra Swain along with office bearers Sushant Biswal, Prahlad Pradhan, Md. Wakil and Ramesh Nayak were present in the press conference.



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Today's Cybersecurity Thought

“ Operation Cyber Prahar: West Bengal Police’s strong strike against cyber crime.”

West Bengal Police have dismantled one of the largest cyber fraud rackets in India under Operation Cyber Prahar, busting scams worth ₹92.6 crore, arresting 107 accused, and blocking hundreds of fraudulent infrastructures. This marks a major step in India's fight against organized cybercrime. Key Highlights of Operation Cyber Prahar: • Fraud Value: ₹92.6 crore traced to organized cyber syndicates. • Arrests: 107 individuals across Bengal, including 40 key suspects nabbed by the Cyber Crime Wing. • FIRs Registered: 69 cases filed in just one week. • Illegal Call Centres: 3 hubs raided in Kolkata, operating technical support scams. • SIM Cards Deactivated: Over 400 SIMs linked to fraud networks shut down. • Modus Operandi of Fraudsters: Mule Accounts: Used to launder stolen funds through multiple banks. • Fake Call Centres: Impersonated financial institutions and tech support to dupe victims. • ATM & POS Networks: Exploited cash withdrawal points and illegal SIM issuance outlets. • Social Engineering: Victims lured with fake investment promises, loan offers, and phishing overlays. • Citizen Advisory: Download apps only from official stores (Google Play, Apple App Store). • Avoid “free” services or unrealistic returns—these are common fraud traps. • Report suspicious activity immediately via Helpline 1930 or the National Cyber Crime Reporting Portal (NCRP). • Enable Two-Factor Authentication (2FA) on all payment apps. • Use separate devices for banking and entertainment apps to reduce risk. • Strategic Impact: Disruption of Organized Networks: Interstate and international linkages dismantled. • Financial Forensics: ₹92.6 crore frozen, preventing further misuse. • Digital Surveillance: Illegal infrastructures neutralized, malware signatures shared with ISPs. • Law Enforcement Capacity: Demonstrates India's growing strength in cyber law enforcement and digital vigilance. Operation Cyber Prahar: ₹92.6 crore cyber fraud racket busted in Bengal. 107 arrests, 3 call centres raided, 400+ SIMs deactivated. Stay alert, report fraud at Helpline 1930.



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Common typesInguinal hernia: in the groin;

the most common type.

Umbilical hernia: around the belly button.

Femoral hernia: upper inner thigh/groin. Incisional hernia: through a previous surgical incision.

Symptoms
Symptoms depend on the type and size, but may include:
A visible or palpable lump/bulge in the abdomen, groin, or around the navel.

The lump may become more prominent when coughing, sneezing, standing, lifting, or straining, and may reduce when lying down.

Pain, discomfort, heaviness, pressure, or a burning sensation around the lump.

In men, an inguinal hernia may cause swelling or discomfort in the scrotum.

If it is a hiatus hernia, symptoms can include heartburn, acid reflux, bloating,

Emergency symptoms
Seek urgent medical attention if the hernia suddenly becomes very painful, hard, swollen, red, or cannot be pushed back/reduces when lying down, especially if

accompanied by:

- Severe or increasing abdominal/groin pain
- Nausea or vomiting
- Abdominal bloating
- Fever
- Difficulty passing stool or gas

Causes and risk factors

A hernia generally develops because of a weakness in the muscle/tissue wall combined with increased pressure inside the abdomen.

Factors include:
Heavy lifting or repeated straining
Chronic cough
Constipation and straining during bowel movements

- Being overweight/obese
- Pregnancy or multiple pregnancies
- Previous abdominal surgery
- Weakness present from birth
- Increasing age

Precautions

If you have a hernia or are at risk:

1. Avoid unnecessary heavy lifting and use proper lifting technique.
2. Prevent constipation by getting adequate fiber and fluids and staying physically active.
3. Treat a persistent cough.

- Maintain a healthy weight
- Emphasize on high-fibre foods
- Lift heavy objects carefully, where possible avoid unnecessary lifting
- Stop smoking



4. Maintain a healthy weight.
5. Stop smoking if you smoke.
6. Don't deliberately strain the abdominal muscles if it causes pain or makes the bulge worse.

Safe Lifting Habits
Bend your knees: Always lift with your legs and a straight back instead of bending at your waist.
Keep items close: Hold heavy objects close to your body to reduce core strain.

Avoid twisting: Do not twist your torso while lifting or carrying a heavy load.

Healthy Lifestyle Choices
Maintain a healthy weight: Excess bodyweight increases constant pressure on your abdominal muscles.
Strengthen your core: Do controlled core exercises like planks and bridges to support your midsection.
Prevent constipation: Eat high-fiber foods and drink plenty of water so you do not strain during bowel movements.



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Our skin repairs and regenerates the most during the night. During this time, the ultraviolet rays of sunlight rays and there is no risk of pollution, which on the skin cosmetics. The effect is also faster / When you are sleeping, your skin instead of resting and healing yourself Regenerate. It is called 'beauty sleep' because during this time the skin compensates for the damage done during

the day. If you take care of your skin at night with the right home remedies , the effect is doubled.

Raw milk: Natural cleanser- Chemical cleansers to remove the day's dust , dirt, and makeup cleanser instead of raw milk Use /in raw milk Contains lactic acid and natural fats that deeply cleanse the face , removing dead cells Removes impurities and leaves skin soft and glowing .The coolness of milk also helps in reducing the irritation of sunburnt skin. 2 teaspoons of cold water in a bowl Dip a cotton ball in raw milk And clean the entire face and neck thoroughly. Apply gently to your face and neck. Once it dries naturally, rinse with cold water. Apply it / This will make your skin clean and fresh / It deeply cleanses the skin pores and instantly moisturizes and softens the skin. makes./2. Apply oil to the navel: Applying oil to the navel before going to bed at night improves the skin and helps with many problems, including period cramps. problems gets a solution to / 2-3 drops in the navel before going to bed at night Coconut , mustard, or almond oil Applying it and

massaging it gently helps in keeping the skin moisturized. It brightens the face , removes dryness, and heals chapped lips . The best time to oil the navel is just before bed. Applying oil at this time can help energize the body throughout the night. This adsorption get time for/3 --- Cream and Turmeric: - Your beauty is incomplete until then As long as your lips are attractive Do not appear./Applying a paste of cream and turmeric before bed removes dark spots from lips and leaves them soft and pink. Cream moisturizes lips, helping to heal chapped lips. Turmeric lips of color improving For this, 1 teaspoon Take cream. Add a pinch of turmeric to it. Gently massage your lips at night. And go to sleep. Cleanse it with lukewarm water in the morning.4. Night Cream: Applying night cream on the face before going to bed at night provides moisture , nourishment and new energy to the skin. Regular use of this cream helps in reducing the risk of skin burns. Dull and lifeless skin New glow and shine Is For its use Wash and clean your face thoroughly at night. After applying toner or serum Massage the night cream



gently. Spread it all over the face. In addition to the face, spread the cream on the neck as well , but Do not apply cream on the eyelids. Leave it on overnight and wash it off with clean water in the morning. Cream When choosing enzymes , anti-oxidants and Vitamins Give preference to creams containing. Avoid choosing a very thick night cream. If you are allergic to anything , or your skin is very sensitive , then choose a night cream as per the advice of a doctor.

Note that no cosmetic is effective unless you get 7-8 hours of deep sleep. Therefore, take good and deep sleep . Drink 8 to 10 glasses of water in 24 hours . Wash your face at least twice a week. of pillows cover definitely Change it so that the dirt and bacteria accumulated on it do not harm your skin. Writer International renowned cosmetologist and is popularly known as Herbal Queen

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[India's future generations locked in containers of profits]

[India is unable to manage its own waste, then why foreign waste ?]

Prof. RK Jain “Arijit”

A country's borders aren't just lines on a map ; they're outposts protecting the soil , water , air, and future generations. When a ship arriving from across the ocean carries not cargo but the waste of another country , the issue moves beyond customs and reaches the very essence of the nation's identity. In June 2026 , Tamil Nadu's The discovery of used plastic bottles , cans , bags, and foreign street sweepings from containers labeled "waste paper" at Tuticorin port bears testimony to this truth. Madras High Court Justice D. Bharatha Chakravarthy called this not a flouting of rules , but a "serious form of treason"—a dumping of garbage on Indian soil. These words are shocking , because we haven't yet learned to view environmental crime as a national crime. What greater irony could there be than this : a country that generates approximately 170,000 tons of municipal waste daily , landfills groaning , rivers choking with plastic, and soil poisoning , is buying foreign waste. Imports of recyclable waste and scrap reached \$ 12.74 billion in 2024-25

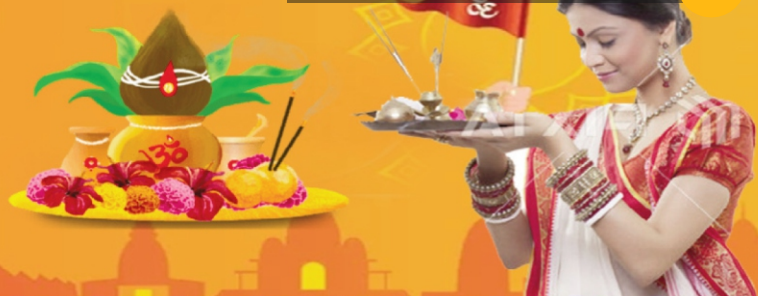
, while between 2021 and 2023 , approximately 20 million kilograms of plastic waste (from both official and illegal/misdeclared sources) entered the country. The question isn't how much waste can be used ; it's who needs foreign waste when the country has enough material for the recycling industry ? If the answer is business profits , then this isn't business , but environmental exploitation disguised as profit. A new kind of colonialism is born here. Previously, powerful nations seized the land and resources of poorer nations ; now, they seek the weak oversight and cheap labor of those same nations for their waste. The stricter environmental regulations become in developed countries , the greater the temptation to shift the toxic burden to countries with weaker systems. If India accepts this, it is not only buying foreign waste , but mortgaging the health of its people , the fertility of its soil, and the future of its rivers. It is no exaggeration to call this "waste colonialism." Waste can also be a tool of power—its language is simply that of trade and recycling. The significance of the Madras High Court lies in its decision not to limit the question to simply "where should this waste go?" The court granted permission neither to send it to Dubai nor to incinerate or bury it in India. The spirit of the Basel Convention and the Hazardous Waste Rules , 2016, is clear: illegal waste must be returned to the country from which it originated. Sending it to a poor part of a



third country is not a solution , but a shifting of responsibility for the crime. Burning it in domestic furnaces is also not a moral victory , as the same toxins will return in the form of smoke. The court has brought responsibility to the doorstep of policy by urging the central government to clarify and tighten the provisions regarding the re-export of biomedical and municipal waste. The biggest contradiction lies in our slogans. On the one hand, we proclaim a clean India , plastic control, and self-reliance . on the other, we see containers of foreign waste being opened at ports. Self-reliant India means self-sufficiency in production , so isn't there pride in being self-sufficient in waste ? We are unable to manage our own waste, yet we are opening ports to handle others'. The toxins seeping into soil , water, and the food chain may not be visible today ,

but future generations will pay the price for them through health problems , disease, and a declining quality of life. What good is a pace of development that leaves toxic footprints behind ?Society's silence is this business's greatest strength. This issue failed to become the public debate it should have been . Viewing environmental protection as separate from national security is now an outdated approach. Just as cross-border arms smuggling poses a threat , so too does toxic waste. The difference is this: weapons kill in a day , waste takes years. Industrialists count profits , officials count papers , and citizens count hospital slips. Without breaking this triangle, no cleanliness campaign will be successful. It would be a mistake to consider the court's warning merely a judicial comment ; it is an attempt to awaken

public conscience , which has gradually become accustomed to convenience. The path is difficult , not obscure. Strict penalties should be imposed on suspicious or misdeclared waste , scientific and independent inspections should be conducted at ports , hidden channels of import regulations should be closed, and the recycling industry should be redirected towards the scientific use of domestically generated waste rather than relying on foreign waste. A complete ban should be considered , especially for those waste categories whose domestic management is in crisis. A circular economy does not mean moving waste from around the world into India ; it means reusing resources and minimizing waste. The developed India of 2047 will not develop by importing waste. It will be called developed when ports are open to goods , not waste. The deeper meaning of the Madras High Court's comment is that environmental freedom is also a form of freedom. Political freedom gives us the right to choose our government ; environmental sovereignty gives us the right to decide what to do with our land . Indian land cannot be a cheap alternative to cleaning up another country's. Returning foreign waste is not just about returning containers ; it is about returning the mentality that treats a poor country as the garbage dump of the rich world. Now, India must decide whether it will become the world's recycling hub or a garbage dump on its own terms. The difference between



Shivshakti: Leela

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Govardhan Das Binnani 'Raja Babu'

In Sanatan Dharma, the month of Shravan is considered entirely dedicated to Mahadev, the Lord of Lords. According to ancient legends, when Bholenath consumed the poison that emerged during the *Samudra Manthan* (Churning of the Ocean), the gods—seeing his throat turn blue—offered water upon him to provide relief from the intense heat generated in his body. This is the reason why devotees perform *Jalabishek* (ritual offering of water) on the Shiving with great reverence throughout the month of Shravan.

Here is an interesting anecdote concerning Mother Parvati and Lord Shankar for your perusal:

In a playful or jesting mood, Mother Parvati stood behind Mahadev—who was deeply absorbed in meditation with his eyes closed on Mount Mandarachal (Kailash)—and covered both his eyes with her hands. One of Lord Mahesh's eyes is considered to be the Sun and the other the Moon. Consequently, the sudden covering of his eyes plunged the entire universe into darkness, causing widespread panic. Undisturbed, and mindful of maintaining the balance of the cosmos, Lord Bhutnath instantly manifested a divine fiery eye on his forehead, thereby liberating the world from darkness. However, due to the immense heat and radiance of this fiery eye, Mother Parvati's palms became drenched in sweat. When the droplets of sweat—born of the union of their combined energies, Shiva and Shakti—fell upon the earth, a blind, terrifying, and immensely powerful child was

created. Since the child was sightless and born amidst profound darkness, he came to be known as Andhakasura.

In time, this Andhakasura became a powerful demon. This incident, which occurred inadvertently, deeply distressed Goddess Parvati; consequently, not only did she seek forgiveness, but she also undertook severe penance for Lord Shiva on Earth (at Arunachala Hill/Kanchipuram) to atone for the suffering caused to the world.

This divine play makes it evident that even behind seemingly ordinary events, cosmic balance and hidden mysteries lie concealed. The revelation of such mysteries leaves us not only astonished but also thrilled.



Grand Celebration of Acharya Shri Vishnu Swami Jayanti at Shri Shesh Narayan Temple on September 3rd

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(Dr. Gopal Chaturvedi)

Vrindavan: The grand celebration of Acharya Shri Vishnu Swami Jayanti is set to take place on September 3, 2026, at the Shri Shesh Narayan Temple (Anand Dham)—located at Chamunda Mod on the Parikrama Marg—amidst various religious and cultural programs, and with great devotion and fanfare. The event will be held under the sacred presence of Shrimad Jagadguru Vishnu Swami Vijayram Devacharya 'Bhaiyaji Maharaj' (of Ballabhgarh). Providing details, "UP Ratna" Dr. Gopal Chaturvedi stated that the festival

will commence at 7:00 AM with a grand procession featuring music and bands, traveling from Vishnu Swami Akhada (Gyan Gudri) to Anand Dham Ashram (Shri Shesh Narayan Temple) at Chamunda Mod, Parikrama Marg. This will be followed by a collective recitation of the *Sundarkand* at 8:00 AM. A grand conference of saints and scholars will be organized at 10:00 AM, attended by numerous renowned saints, *Mahants*, *Mahamandaleshwars*, *Jagadgurus*, religious leaders, and scholars. Subsequently, starting at 12:00 PM, the program will include the welcoming of *Mahants* and the service of saints, *Brajvasis*, and *Vaishnavas*, culminating in the *Bhandara* (community feast).



Civic Felicitation of Bhagwat Acharya Dr. Manoj Mohan Shastri

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Govardhan Das Binnani 'Raja Babu'

Vrindavan. International Bhagwat Acharya Dr. Manoj Mohan Shastri was accorded a civic felicitation by the Bhagwan Shri Parashuram Shobhayatra Samiti (Regd., Mathura) and the Braj Traffic and Environment Public Awareness Committee (Regd., Uttar Pradesh). This honor recognized his continuous organization of the Shrimad Bhagwat Katha at Shrinath Vrindavan for 30 years, as well as his significant social and religious contributions. During the event, he was honored with a citation and a ceremonial stole (*dupatta*). Pandit Ramgopal Sharma,

National President of the Bhagwan Parashuram Shobhayatra, stated that Dr. Manoj Mohan Shastri is propagating the glory of Braj both within the country and abroad through his discourses (*Katha*). He also actively participates in religious and social programs organized in the Braj region. Vinod Dixit, the founding president of the committee, noted that Dr. Shastri serves as the state patron for their team and is actively associated with various social and religious organizations. He frequently contributes to social service initiatives. In recognition of this spirit of service, the community organized this civic felicitation. National General Secretary Bansilal Sharma described Dr. Manoj Mohan Shastri as a

treasure of Braj, noting his consistent efforts to preserve and promote Braj's culture, religion, and religious traditions. Deeply moved by the honor, Dr. Manoj Mohan Shastri expressed his gratitude to everyone and bestowed his blessings upon the attendees. Prominent figures present at the event included Sanjay Haryana, Harish Sharma, Lalit Pandit, Ajay Sharma, and K.K. Sharma, among others. Photo Caption: Pandit Ramgopal Sharma (National President, Bhagwan Parashuram Shobhayatra), Vinod Dixit (Founding President), Bansilal Sharma (National General Secretary), and others honoring Dr. Manoj Mohan Shastri.



“To this day, *Kali Yuga* has been unable to enter this land of India! Why, after all, is Naimisharanya considered untouched by *Kali Yuga*?”

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In the Sitapur district of Uttar Pradesh, on the banks of the Gomti River, lies a sacred land that has been revered for centuries as a place of penance for sages.

Its name is Naimisharanya, but what is the most astonishing belief associated with this holy site? It is said that when the influence of *Kali Yuga* was about to spread across the entire earth, sages sought a place where they could perform penance and *Yajna* (sacred rituals) while remaining shielded from the adverse effects of the age.

Consequently, Lord Brahma released a divine *Chakra* (disc); the spot where it came to a halt was to be deemed the safest and most sacred place for the sages.

That *Chakra* stopped in the Naimish Forest; this very location later became renowned as Naimisharanya.

This is where the true mystery begins: it is said that the *Chakratirtha* was formed exactly where Lord Brahma's *Chakra* stopped. Even today, *Chakratirtha* is counted among the most significant sacred sites in Naimisharanya.

According to the Sitapur district administration,

the belief regarding *Chakratirtha* is that Lord Brahma's *Chakra* fell here and transformed into a circular sacred pool (*Kund*).

In other words, the stopping of a single *Chakra* defined the identity of an entire pilgrimage site.

Now, the question arises—why was there a need to escape *Kali Yuga* in the first place? In religious tradition, *Kali Yuga* is regarded as an era in which unrighteousness (*Adharma*), greed, violence, and ignorance would increasingly prevail.

The sages were concerned that as the influence of *Kali Yuga* grew, obstacles might arise to hinder their spiritual practices and *Yajnas*.

Therefore, they prayed to Lord Brahma for a land where they could practice righteousness and penance without fear, and Lord Brahma's *Chakra* selected that very place for them. This is why a famous religious belief emerged regarding Naimisharanya: "The influence of *Kali Yuga* cannot reach here." It is important to understand a crucial point here: this does not mean Naimisharanya is geographically situated outside the realm of *Kali Yuga*.

It is a *mythological and religious belief*, implying—in a spiritual sense—that the land's sanctity and the spiritual practices performed



there offer protection against the negative influences of *Kali Yuga*. It is with this sentiment that the glory of Naimisharanya is recounted to this day.

Consider this: the very land where sages sought refuge to escape the influence of *Kali Yuga* is the same soil where a tradition of *Yajna* (sacrificial rituals), penance, and the narration of religious tales has flourished for millennia.

There is also a prevalent religious tradition that identifies Naimisharanya as the *Tapobhumi* (land of penance) for 88,000 sages. It is considered the very place where discourses on *Dharma* and the *Puranas* took place among sages and seers. The storytelling traditions involving sages like Suta Ji and Shaunaka are also deeply linked to Naimisharanya.

This brings us to another significant point: Naimisharanya is not merely the name of a single temple or a sacred pool (*Kund*); rather, the entire region encompasses numerous holy sites, such as:

1. Chakratirtha
2. Lalita Devi Temple
3. Vyas Gaddi
4. Suta Gaddi
5. Hanumangarhi...and many other religious sites.

According to the Sitapur district administration, Naimisharanya has long been a center of religion and knowledge, hosting numerous important pilgrimage sites.

The biggest question remains: If *Kali Yuga* prevails across the entire world, why is Naimisharanya still considered untouched by it?

The answer lies in faith; for devotees, Naimisharanya is not just a location but a sacred land where the practice of *Dharma*,

penance, *Yajna*, and the remembrance of the Divine are believed to triumph over the negative influences of *Kali Yuga*. The point is not whether *Kaliyuga* physically entered this place or not; rather, the belief is that the evils of *Kaliyuga* cannot diminish the spiritual power (*sadhana-shakti*) of this sacred land. That is why, even today, when a devotee arrives at Naimisharanya, they do not merely bathe in *Chakratirtha*; they also recall the ancient legend of how sages sought refuge in Lord Brahma out of fear of *Kaliyuga*, and how Brahma's divine disc (*Chakra*) selected a land for them that continues to hold a special place in *Sanatan* faith. The story holds a deeper message: in seeking to escape *Kaliyuga*, the sages were not merely looking for a physical location; they sought a place where the practice of *Dharma* (righteousness) could continue uninterrupted.

Thus, the legend of Naimisharanya teaches us that if a person embraces truth, self-restraint, devotion, and righteousness in their life, they can preserve their inner purity even while living amidst the era of *Kaliyuga*.

So, did *Kaliyuga* truly fail to enter this land of India? While history and science do not validate this religious belief as a proven fact, *Sanatan* tradition regards Naimisharanya as a sacred land where the influence of *Kaliyuga* is rendered ineffective. This is precisely why this land in Sitapur remains a center of faith and mystery for millions of devotees.

A place...

- where the halting of a divine disc defined the identity of the pilgrimage site,
- where sages performed penance,
- where tales of *Dharma* were narrated, and
- where devotees still arrive with unwavering faith.

This is the mystery of Naimisharanya.

Haryana government's gift to women on Rakshabandhan

Parivahan Vishesh news

Free travel will be available in Haryana Roadways from 12 noon on August 27: DC

Jhajjar, August 25

Giving a Rakshabandhan gift to women, the state government under the leadership of Haryana Chief Minister Shri Nayab Singh Saini has decided to provide free travel facility in Haryana State Transport buses this year also so that sisters can go to their brothers' houses and tie Rakhi.

DC Varsha Khanwal stated that in the public interest, Haryana State Transport has been providing free travel to women on the occasion of Rakshabandhan for the past several years. This year, as in previous years, women can avail of this free travel facility along with their children up to 15 years of age. She stated that the travel facility will begin at 12 noon on August 27, 2026, and will continue until 12 midnight on Rakshabandhan, August 28, 2026. This facility will be offered on ordinary and standard buses.

हरियाणा सरकार की ओर से बहनों के लिए विशेष उपहार

हरियाणा राज्य परिवहन की बसों में सभी महिलाओं एवं 15 वर्ष तक के बच्चों के लिए निःशुल्क यात्रा सुविधा

27 अगस्त, 2026 दोपहर 12 बजे से 28 अगस्त, 2026 मध्यरात्रि 12 बजे तक *

*यह सुविधा केवल हरियाणा राज्य परिवहन की साधारण बसों में हरियाणा में स्थित किसी भी एक स्थान से दूसरे स्थान तक आने-जाने के लिए उपलब्ध होगी जिसमें दिल्ली व चण्डीगढ़ भी सम्मिलित है।

राज्य परिवहन, हरियाणा

सूचना, लोक संपर्क तथा भाषा विभाग, हरियाणा

Special Inspection Drive Conducted in Varanasi Division to Ensure Clean and Safe Drinking Water for Rail Passengers

Parivahan Vishesh news

Drinking water quality checked and tank cleanliness inspected at several stations, including Varanasi, Azamgarh, and Ghazipur

(Santosh Kumar Singh)

Varanasi: With the aim of providing safe and clean drinking water to rail passengers, a special drive was conducted on Tuesday, August 25, 2026, under the guidance of Varanasi Divisional Railway Manager Ashish Jain and the leadership of Senior Divisional Mechanical Engineer (EnHM) Anubhav Pathak.

Health inspectors inspected the quality and hygiene of drinking water at Varanasi City, Azamgarh, Ghazipur City, Karimuddinpur, Mau, and Siwan stations, as well as the Chhapra Railway Colony. During this drive, health inspectors thoroughly examined the quality of drinking water being supplied to passengers at the stations and railway premises, and to railway staff at their workplaces. Water samples were collected from drinking water tanks, coolers, water vending machines, and selected taps and water booths; these samples underwent physical, chemical, and bacteriological testing. Coliform kits were used during the inspection to check for chlorine levels and the presence of *E. coli* or coliform bacteria.

Through this drive, the quality of drinking water was tested to ensure that the water provided to passengers met prescribed quality standards and was fit for consumption. Health inspectors also conducted a detailed inspection of the drinking water tanks and supply systems located at the stations and railway premises. The inspection covered the internal and external cleanliness of the tanks, the condition of the lids, the cleanliness of the surrounding areas, and the maintenance of equipment related to the water supply. Necessary instructions regarding improvements and maintenance were issued where required. It is noteworthy that Indian Railways is conducting a special campaign to ensure the regular cleaning, disinfection, and sanitation of drinking water tanks and filters at railway stations and on railway premises; simultaneously, the quality of drinking water available at stations is being regularly tested in accordance with the prescribed uniform drinking water quality protocol. In this context, the Varanasi Division administration—prioritizing the health, safety, and convenience of passengers—is ensuring the availability of clean and safe drinking water at major railway stations, railway premises, and residential colonies by regularly testing water quality, cleaning and disinfecting water tanks, and inspecting the water supply system.



The remaining mustard oil will be available on first come, first serve basis.

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Eligible beneficiaries will get the remaining mustard oil of the month of July by August 31: Aditya Kaushik

Jhajjar, August 25

As per the instructions of Directorate of Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs, Haryana, the mustard oil remaining after the distribution in the month of July will be distributed to the eligible beneficiaries in Jhajjar district on 'first come, first serve' basis in the month of August. District Food and Supply Controller Aditya Kaushik stated that after the July 2026 distribution, the remaining mustard oil will be distributed through the respective ration depots according to the

prescribed procedure. He added that mustard oil will be distributed only until August 31, 2026. Distribution to eligible beneficiaries will be done on a first-come, first-served basis through biometric authentication and POS machines. The DFSC has appealed to all eligible ration card holders to visit their nearest fair price shop (ration depot) before August 31st to collect their outstanding mustard oil balance, so that no eligible family is deprived of this government facility. He stated that necessary guidelines have been issued to all ration depot holders to ensure transparency, adherence to the prescribed procedures, and smooth distribution. Any irregularities found will result in action as per the rules.

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FIRST COME FIRST SERVE BASIS

FAIR PRICE SHOP

Eligible beneficiaries will get the remaining mustard oil of July by August 31, 2026

BIOMETRIC AUTHENTICATION & POS MACHINE

Only eligible beneficiaries will get the remaining mustard oil.

Distribution only till August 31, 2026

Visit your nearest ration depot before August 31st

Transparent distribution. Irregularities will invite action.

Issued in public interest by: Department of Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs, Haryana

Your Right, Our Responsibility

Voters can file claims and objections to the draft voter list till August 30: DC

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DC and District Election Officer Varsha Khanwal appealed

Claims and objections will be settled by September 28

The final photo voter list will be published on October 3.

Jhajjar, August 25

According to the schedule issued by the Election Commission of India, the prescribed form can be submitted by August 30 to include the name in the draft voter list. District Election Officer and DC Varsha Khanwal has appealed to the voters of the district to check their names in the draft voter list. Those voters whose name was previously

registered in the voter list, but is not included in the current draft voter list and who have received a notice from the BLO, can register their claims and objections with the concerned BLO by August 30, 2026. The District Election Officer stated that if there is any error in a voter's name, address, or other details, the voter can have it corrected by completing Form 8 and the required declaration. He appealed to citizens to check their details in the voter list promptly and, if necessary, apply under the prescribed procedure.

District Election Officer Varsha Khanwal said that the Election Commission of India's objective is to ensure that no eligible citizen is excluded from the voter list and that no ineligible

person is included in the voter list. She added that if an applicant receives a hearing notice, they must appear before the concerned officer on the scheduled date and present their case. This will ensure timely and fair disposal of the application.

The DC stated that citizens can also check their voter information on the Election Commission of India portal and the website of the Chief Electoral Officer of Haryana.

For more information, the concerned BLO, ERO, or AERO can be contacted. All claims and objections received will be resolved by September 28, 2026, and the final photo voter list will be published on October 3, 2026.



State level competition organized to promote the traditional art of Been playing: Dinesh Kumar

Parivahan Vishesh news

- A team of 8 to 10 artists and 3 to 4 flute players are mandatory.

- Attractive prizes will be given to the winning teams in the state level bean competition.

Jhajjar, August 25

The Department of Art and Cultural Affairs, Haryana is organizing a state-level Been troupe competition to promote Haryana's rich folk art and cultural heritage. Giving this information, DPRO Dinesh Kumar said that this competition will be held on September 2, 2026, at 10:00 am at the Multi Art Culture Center (Haryana Kala Parishad), Kurukshetra. Through this competition, the state's traditional Been playing art will be preserved and promoted, and folk artists will be given an opportunity to showcase their talent.

He informed that the department will provide

prize money to the winning teams that perform exceptionally well in the competition. The first prize is set at ₹75,000, the second prize at ₹60,000, and the third prize at ₹50,000. Additionally, five consolation prizes will be awarded, with each winning team receiving ₹10,000. The DIPR stated that the department has established certain criteria for participants in the competition.

Participants must be native residents of Haryana and must bring their Aadhaar card for verification. Each group must consist of 8 to 10 artists, with at least 3 to 4 flute players required. All groups must perform in Haryanvi folk costumes to effectively showcase the state's folk culture and traditional traditions. He further clarified that the department has clarified that no travel or daily allowance will be paid to participating artists. The results of the competition will be determined by a jury, and the jury's decision will be final and binding.

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WEDNESDAY 2ND SEPTEMBER 2026

TIME 10:00 AM

VENUE: MULTI ART CULTURE CENTER (HARYANA KALA PARISHAD) KURUKSHETRA, HARYANA

Organized by: DEPARTMENT OF ART & CULTURAL AFFAIRS, HARYANA

Self-defense and karate training given to children, message given to increase self-confidence

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Hisar, August 25

A self-defense and karate training program was organized for students at the Government School near Jahaz Bridge. Renowned mountaineer and youth inspiration Meenu Kaliraman and Vijeta Mundaliya taught students various self-defense techniques and basic karate techniques.

Addressing the students on this occasion, Meenu Kaliraman stated that self-defense isn't just a matter of physical strength, but also involves self-confidence, discipline, and the ability to make the right decisions at the right time. She urged students to actively participate in sports, self-defense, and other creative activities, in addition to their studies.

He said that empowering daughters and children, in particular, to become self-reliant and empowered is a crucial need of the hour. Karate and self-defense training play a vital role in developing self-confidence, discipline, courage, and leadership skills in children.

Meenu Kaliraman shared her mountaineering experiences with the



students, encouraging them to remain resolute in challenging circumstances, to persevere, and to remain steadfast in their goals. She said that life's challenges provide opportunities to strengthen rather than weaken a person.

Meanwhile, Vijay Mundaliya gave the students practical training in various self-defense techniques. He emphasized that every child should have at least basic self-defense knowledge so that they can protect themselves if necessary.

During the training program, students participated with enthusiasm and discipline, practicing various self-defense and karate techniques. The main objective of the program was to empower students, empower them with self-reliance, discipline, and self-confidence. The school's teachers and staff expressed their gratitude to Meenu Kaliraman and Vijeta Mundaliya, saying that such training programs contribute significantly to the overall development of students. Such events not only strengthen children physically but also prepare them mentally to face adverse situations.

Supreme Court Advocate Sandhya Bajaj Meets Haryana State President Archana Gupta - Says, Give Leadership to a Woman and Work Happens Even Faster

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Archana Gupta Living Up to the Slogan of "Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas" - Her Art of Taking Everyone Along and Smiling Approach Becomes Her Identity

Presented by:- Pinki Kundu Co Editor Parivahan Vishesh

Senior Advocate of the Supreme Court, Mrs. Sandhya Bajaj, had a courtesy meeting with the newly appointed State President of Haryana, Mrs. Archana Gupta. During this meeting, Sandhya Bajaj highly appreciated the working style and leadership of Archana Gupta.

- Key Highlights:
1. Unique Style of Leadership: Sandhya Bajaj said that Archana Gupta's biggest identity is her art of taking everyone along, her style of meeting everyone with a smile, her keen interest in work, listening to everyone completely and giving a sense of belongingness.
 2. Proved a Lot in Short Time: She said that Archana Gupta has

proved in her short tenure itself how hard work makes a person so high, healthy and clean. She is ruling the hearts of people because she gives time to every worker and listens to them and is taking the party forward with full dedication.

3. A Leader Who Fills You With Energy: "A leader is one who, when you meet her, fills you with full energy. I felt very encouraged after meeting Archana ji. I am feeling very energetic after meeting her. Since I met Archana Gupta ji, my capacity to work has increased further."

4. Discussion on Party and State Interest: During this meeting, Sandhya Bajaj said that she not only put forward her own views but also discussed the

interests of Haryana and especially the interests of the women of Haryana. She expressed confidence that the way Archana Gupta is handling all fronts and working, the light of development will reach everyone.

5. An Example of Women Leadership: In the end, Sandhya Bajaj said, "Archana Gupta has proved that if you give the reins to a woman, she works even faster." She is living up to the slogan of

"Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas" and is taking the party forward with complete devotion.On this occasion, Sandhya Bajaj expressed her desire that she wants to be of any help to the party in any way and wants to work with full sincerity.



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SACHIN MALTITAI TRAMBAKRAO MANDLIK

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Justice Sanjay Karol's Retirement Speech at the Supreme Court | Justice Sanjay Karol's Statement as a Supreme Court Judge

Justice Sanjay Karol has retired from the Supreme Court, and his farewell speech is in the news. Supreme

Court Judge Justice Sanjay Karol Retirement Speech: In his farewell speech, Supreme Court Justice Sanjay Karol said, "Judges are not God. Not all their decisions will be perfect." He retired from the Supreme Court on Saturday (August 22). He also said on this occasion, "Humility and the sensitivity to understand not only the petition but also the suffering of the common man behind it are essential in the judicial process."According to a PTI report, Justice Karol said, "We are not judges or God. Our decisions are not always correct. But it is within

our rights to look at the person behind the decision, not just the petitioner. A petition filed in court can only state the facts of the case; it cannot reveal what the person has already lost or what they expect from the court. That is why I have always believed that humility is essential in the role of a judge." Justice Karol further said, “The Constitution asks us not only to apply the law correctly, but also to do it impartially. That is why I have always found the responsibility of a judge to be much greater and bigger than just deciding who is right in law.” Supreme Court Judge Justice Sanjay Karol Retirement Speech: “Judges are not God. Not all their decisions are necessarily right,” said Supreme Court Judge Justice Sanjay Karol in his farewell speech. He retired from the Supreme Court on Saturday (August 22). On this occasion, he also said, “In the process of justice, it is very important to have humility and the sensitivity to understand not only the petition but also the suffering of the common man behind it.”

Inspection of the 18-foot-wide main drain beneath the showroom at Daily Market is essential



Parivahan Vishesh News

Dr Rajkumar Yadav

Allegations of drainage issues due to a massive structure built over the drain; serious questions raised regarding long-standing encroachments and construction permissions

Demand for a high-level inquiry into the drainage system from the main road to Mangal Bhavan and

Daily Market; Dr. Rajkumar Yadav states—action must be taken if irregularities exist

Rourkela: A serious issue of significant public interest concerning Rourkela's drainage system has emerged from the Daily Market area. It has come to light that an old main drain, approximately 18 feet wide, runs beneath the 'City Card' establishment at Daily Market. This drain is considered a crucial channel for discharging water from the

Railway Colony, Malgodam, and hilly areas, as well as from numerous households in the Daily Market and Lal Building localities. Locals allege that construction over the drain and the lack of adequate drainage pathways obstruct water flow during the monsoon.

Nearby families bear the direct brunt of this situation. There have been recurring complaints of water entering homes due to waterlogging, damaging rations, clothing, books, notebooks, and other essential items. The question arises: why has there been no inspection of the actual condition of this drain, upon which the drainage of a large part of the city depends?

According to local information, the property was previously owned by Mukesh Agrawal. At that time, a plywood shop operated over the covered drain, but there was no permanent concrete roof or three-story building structure above it. It is reported that a three-story building was erected over the drain following a change in ownership. Local sources also indicate that while records clearly account for approximately nine decimals of the land in question, the status of the land occupied by the drain remains unclear.

The most critical question now concerns the oversight mechanisms of the Rourkela Municipal Corporation and relevant departments. If construction has taken place over the drain, on what grounds was

permission granted, who authorized it, and what was the nature of the deal? Who approved the building plan? Was the actual width of the drain and the status of the government land verified prior to construction? Furthermore, if this is a public drainage channel, how was permission granted to obstruct it?

Dr. Rajkumar Yadav has demanded an impartial, high-level inquiry into the entire matter. He has stated his intention to lodge a complaint with the District Magistrate and, if necessary, approach the courts. He maintains that any encroachment upon or obstruction of a public drain is a matter concerning the rights and safety of the general public.

The issue is not limited to a single building. If the main drainage route—extending from the main road to Mangal Bhavan, the railway area, and the Daily Market—is obstructed at any point, it is bound to impact the entire locality. Therefore, a joint on-site inspection and a review of documents—covering land records, drain width, the approved building plan, construction permits, and the actual drainage route—are essential.

The administrative machinery, which is quick to threaten action against minor encroachments, must first clarify its policy regarding large-scale and long-standing alleged encroachments. If the law applies equally to all, then the enforcement action must also be consistent.

Circuit House Scandal: Action Boosts Confidence; Now Awaiting Revelations of Big Names

Parivahan Vishesh News



Dr Rajkumar Yadav

The investigation should not be limited to Prakash Paswan alone; layers of the alleged sand and transport nexus are expected to be uncovered; influence and political clout pale in comparison to the law.

Demands have also been raised to investigate assets, investments, the alleged patronage system, and potential links to the transport business.

Rourkela: Discussions regarding the Circuit House scandal in Rourkela are no longer confined merely to the police action taken so far. Confidence is growing among the public that as the investigation progresses, the layers of the alleged major network may be peeled back. The police action to date has certainly sent a message across the city that the rule of law and the Constitution stand above influence, political pressure, or clout.

With Prakash Paswan’s name prominently surfacing in the case, the key question now is: if his financial standing and alleged assets have expanded significantly in recent years, what were the sources of this wealth? Who were his associates? In which business establishments were investments made? And are there assets or business interests linked to other cities as well? Answers to these questions can only emerge through an impartial, document-based investigation.

Claims regarding his patrons—involving multiple Fortuner SUVs and other vehicles across various cities, investments in diverse business establishments, private air travel arrangements, and properties in other locations—are currently the subject of much discussion. There is also talk of several individuals appearing before the police. However, these discussions and claims await independent verification. Consequently, the most significant challenge for investigative agencies is to sift through rumors and facts to uncover the actual financial and criminal links.

Scrutiny on Links to the Transport Business

The scope of the investigation is now expanding to include potential connections within the transport business. It is alleged that certain

individuals in the transport sector—including owners of fleets comprising 60 to 80 vehicles—have long-standing ties to this alleged network and have maintained business dealings with it over time. If such claims come to the notice of investigative agencies, a document-based probe into the individuals involved—covering vehicle ownership, business transactions, partnerships, payments, and contacts—could prove crucial.

In this context, the police will need to independently verify any claims linked to the transport sector or alleged connections involving the sand and scrap trades, rather than accepting them as true without evidence. If the investigation establishes a link between any individual or business group and criminal or illicit activities, it could pave the way for legal action.

Public attention is now focused on whether the investigation remains confined to a single individual or extends to the alleged network of patronage supporting them. Should any political, administrative, or economic influence attempt to sway the probe, that role, too, must come under scrutiny.

At the same time, mere allegations, speculation, or associations cannot be treated as proof of a crime regarding the individuals currently being discussed. It would be just to reach a conclusion only based on concrete evidence—such as documents, financial transactions, call or contact records, and the sources of assets.

The police action taken so far has sent a positive message to the public. People believe that if the law operates impartially, even the most powerful influence cannot become an



insurmountable barrier to justice. The true test regarding the 'Circuit House incident' lies ahead. The city awaits potential revelations that emerge not from rumors, but from evidence and the investigation itself. An individual may be prominent, and their influence vast, but in a democracy, no one stands above the law, justice, and the Constitution.

Dohas – From the Pen of Nandita

Parivahan Vishesh News

Nandita Maji SharmaMumbai, Maharashtra

Never judge others based merely on what you hear;Examine every aspect fully before you speak.||1||

True friendship speaks through sharing joys and sorrows alike;

It stands by you in right action and rebukes you for the wrong. ||2||

The world has witnessed a multitude of varied ailments;

Yet the hardest to cure remains the worry: "What will people say?" ||3||

Every desire is transient, as are all worldly pleasures. ||4||

Seek the true purpose of life within your own self;

Day by day, life slips away like shifting sands. ||5||

Those whose minds are filled with the reservoir of ego

Project the blame for their own deeds

onto others. ||6||

Let the mind hold goodwill and dwell in wisdom;

Let peace be the first choice, and war the final resort. ||7||

[The vessel of sin fills as misdeeds accumulate;

When it reaches the breaking point, it shatters of its own accord. ||8||The perilous world of the 'Reel' is staking its own claim;

Used rightly, it is nectar; used wrongly, a poisonous draught. ||9||



Rakshabandhan event held at CRPF Headquarters, Rakhis adorned the wrists of soldiers

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Gayaji. On the auspicious occasion of Rakshabandhan, a grand Rakshabandhan event was organized by a private school at the 47th Battalion CRPF Headquarters. At the event, school girls expressed their respect and affection for CRPF officers and soldiers by tying Rakhis on their wrists. The event began with the tying of Rakhis on the wrists of Second-in-Command Anil Kumar Singh and Deputy Commandant Uttam Kumar. The girls then tied Rakhis to other officers and soldiers, wishing them happiness, prosperity, and long life. On this occasion, the officers



explained the significance of Rakshabandhan to the students, saying that this festival symbolizes the unwavering love, trust, and commitment to protect the brother

and sister. While extending their best wishes to the students, they reiterated the CRPF's commitment to serving the nation and safeguarding society.

Ranchi Mayor and Abhishek Rathore congratulated the Minister of State for Defence.

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Kartik Kumar Parichha, State Head -Jharkhand

Ranchi, On the occasion of his birthday, Ranchi's Metropolitan Leader Abhishek Singh Rathore, Ranchi Mayor Roshni Khalko and Youth Leader Roshni Singh Rathore, Party Member Meena Devi congratulated Sanjay Seth by

presenting him a bouquet of flowers at his residence, wishing him a lot of good wishes and congratulations. Abhishek Singh Rathore also praised him for his role in public service and nation building by being determined to follow the roadmap made for national interest and for glory by 1947.



Teachers' and Staff Sit-in Protest Supporting University Autonomy Concludes

Parivahan Vishesh News

The second phase of the protest against the proposed Higher Education Act-2026 ran until August 25; the agitation will conclude on September 5 with a dialogue between students, parents, and staff.

Gaya: The second phase of the agitation—launched by teachers and non-teaching staff across all universities and colleges in Bihar to support the autonomy provisions of the Bihar Universities Act, 1976, and to oppose the proposed Higher Education Act, 2026—concluded on Tuesday. As part of this phase, sit-in protests were held daily at universities and colleges from 1:30 PM to 2:00 PM between August 11 and August 25. In the first phase of the agitation (August 5–8), teachers and non-teaching staff registered their protest by wearing black badges. Subsequently, on August 10, staff across all universities and colleges in Bihar took mass casual leave and gathered at university headquarters to demonstrate, demanding the withdrawal of the proposed Higher Education Bill, 2026. Thousands of teachers and non-teaching staff, including those from the postgraduate departments and various constituent colleges of Magadh University, participated in these events.



an independent environment. They argued that undermining autonomy would adversely affect the quality of education and research, and would also jeopardize the objectives of the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020. They further noted the need for essential reforms within universities and colleges. Improvements should be made to the teacher-student ratio, alongside the development of laboratories, hostels, and transport facilities. Measures such as biometric attendance systems should be implemented to ensure regular student attendance.

The teachers also raised the issue of waterlogging at Jagjivan College, stating that for the past two years, they have received nothing but assurances from the college administration. Due to the failure to take concrete measures, approximately three-quarters of the college campus is currently waterlogged. Meanwhile, Rajesh

Kumar (President), Zafar Ali (Secretary), and Rajiv Kumar Bhaskar (Regional President) of the Jagjivan College Non-Teaching Staff Association expressed satisfaction with the success of the second phase of the agitation, stating that the staff stood united in the past, remain united now, and will continue to remain united in the future. They asserted that any tampering with the University Act would not be tolerated. They warned that if the government did not withdraw the proposed Act in time, the next phase of the agitation would be even more intense.

Rthose present on the occasion included Dr. Shivkumar Ravidas, Ravi Ranjan, Dr. Pankaj Kumar, and Dr. Aijaz Aslam, along with non-teaching staff members such as Nagendra Kumar, Pankaj Kumar, Anil Kumar, Shivnandan Kumar, and Manoj Kumar. The agitation will conclude on September 5 following an interactive session with students and parents.

Meeting with political representatives chaired by District Election Officer-cum-Deputy Commissioner Md. Javed Hussain

Parivahan Vishesh News

District Public Relations Office, Khunti

Information provided regarding the notice and hearing process and prescribed documents under the Special Intensive Revision (SIR)A meeting with political representatives was held in the office chamber at the Collectorate, chaired by District Election Officer-cum-Deputy Commissioner Md. Javed Hussain. During the meeting, essential information was provided regarding the notice and hearing process, the disposal of claims and objections, and the objective of making the electoral roll accurate, up-to-date, and error-free under the Special Intensive Revision (SIR) of the electoral roll mandated by the Election Commission of India.

It was explained that during the stage of processing notices and claims/objections, BLOs would issue notices to voters identified with issues such as 'no-mapping,' logical inconsistencies, or inclusion in other related lists. Relevant documents must be submitted upon receipt of the notice. The period for filing claims and objections is scheduled from August 5 to September 15, 2026, and the disposal of received claims and objections will be completed by October 14, 2026. Additionally, information was provided regarding the processes for adding eligible voters, making necessary corrections to entries, and transferring



PSUs; birth certificates issued by competent authorities; passports; matriculation or educational certificates from recognized boards/universities; permanent residence certificates; Forest Rights Certificates; OBC/SC/ST or other caste certificates; NRC (where applicable); family registers prepared by state or local authorities; and land/house allotment certificates issued by the government. During the meeting, participants were apprised of the ongoing

efforts to consolidate voters from the same family or household into the electoral roll of a single polling station. Political representatives were urged to assist in providing accurate information to eligible citizens and ensuring the timely submission of necessary documents.

The District Election Officer-cum-Deputy

Commissioner stated that the objective of the SIR (Special Intensive Revision) is to make the electoral roll more accurate, up-to-date, and error-free. There is no cause for concern for any eligible Indian citizen; election officials and staff are ready to provide the necessary assistance. For any information or help regarding the special intensive revision, one can contact the Election Commission's toll-free helpline number, 1950

The problem on Balaji Road must be resolved before the Pitru Paksha fair, or the councilor will sit on the road.

Parivahan Vishesh News

Gayaji. On August 24, 2026, councilor Anupama Kumari, from Ward No. 4, met with the Magadh Divisional Commissioner and the District Magistrate, Gayaji, to inform them of the serious problems on Balaji Road No. 4. She explained that while the drain was constructed by BUCo, it lacked a proper outlet. Consequently, the drain's dirty water is accumulating on the Balaji-Pretshila main road.



The waterlogging has also deteriorated the road, posing a potential accident. The prolonged waterlogging has also led to an increase in mosquito infestation, raising the fear of spreading diseases among local residents.

The councilor stated that the world-famous Pitru Paksha fair is about to begin. People from India and abroad who perform Pind Daan (offerings of Pind Daan) travel this route to Pretshila. In such a situation, if the waterlogging and filth on the road persist, Gayaji's image will be tarnished.

They demanded that the administration immediately drain the drain water and provide a permanent solution to the road problem. Councilor Anupama Kumari warned that if the problem is not resolved immediately, she will be forced to sit on the road and protest.

The "Maharani Bus" service, equipped with modern amenities, will begin operating from Gayaji, offering a comfortable journey for passengers.

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Gayaji: The "Maharani Bus" service, equipped with modern amenities, is set to begin operating from Gaya city. This service will be especially convenient for pilgrims and travelers from India and abroad during the world-famous Pitru Paksha fair. Bus operator Munna Singh stated that the bus has been modernized, prioritizing passenger comfort and convenience. All seats are sleeper, with upper and lower berths available. Sleeper berths have been designed to provide greater comfort during long journeys.



The bus offers a variety of amenities, including mobile charging, water storage, and shoe storage. These modern amenities will allow passengers to store luggage and meet personal needs during their journey. The bus will run from Patna to Kolkata, from Kolkata to Patna, via Gaya-Bodhgaya to Siliguri, and from Patna to Bilaspur and Raigarh (Chhattisgarh). This is expected to provide improved transportation facilities for long-distance travelers, including those from Gaya and Bodhgaya. Devotees traveling to and from Gaya during the Pitru Paksha fair will also benefit significantly from this modern bus service, providing comfortable travel.

Prior to the official launch of the bus service, a puja (worship) was performed on Tuesday, accompanied by Vedic chanting. Wishes were expressed for the bus's success and a safe and pleasant journey for passengers. Munna Singh, Pappu Singh, Guddu Singh, Saurabh Singh, and others were present at the event. Contact numbers have also been issued for passengers to obtain information, bookings, and other amenities related to the bus service.

Passengers can contact 7091592659, 9523593414, and 06312221752 for necessary information.

Warmth of India-US Friendship, Shock of H-1B: A Rs 99 Lakh Visa Bomb on Indian Talent - India's Decisive Diplomatic Test on the World Stage



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On One Side America's Love for India, On the Other H-1B Blow: A \$103,265 Proposal Opens a New Chapter of Friendship vs. Interests

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Introduction: The current picture of India-US relations at the global level is extremely interesting and contradictory on many levels. On one hand, the strategic, economic, defence, technology and

diplomatic partnership between Washington and New Delhi is deepening, while on the other hand, the Trump Administration's immigration policies are creating new concerns for Indian professionals.

Key Facts and Developments:

- A Major Diplomatic Signal on Kashmir: US Ambassador to India and President Trump's Special Envoy for South and Central Asia, Sergio Gor, visited Srinagar on 19th August 2026. He described Jammu & Kashmir as an important part of India and, citing security improvements, spoke about the possibility of reducing the US travel advisory. Pakistan has formally objected to this.
- India's Multi-Dimensional Global Strategy: In this crucial period, India is strengthening its position on multiple global fronts simultaneously -
- In Russia: External Affairs Minister visited Russia on 23-24 August for high-level talks on trade and S&T cooperation and conveyed PM's message to the President.
- In Japan: Commerce & Industry Minister is in Japan from 24-27 August with a large business delegation to boost investment in semiconductors, automobiles and clean energy.
- In America-Canada: Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman is on a tour from 25th August to 2nd September to attract investment and strengthen economic ties.
- The Rs 99 Lakh Proposed Bomb on H-1B: Amidst this positive diplomatic environment, the US Department of Homeland Security (DHS) on 24th August 2026 proposed an additional fee of \$103,265 (approx. Rs 99 Lakhs in Indian currency) on petitions falling under the annual H-1B cap.

Comprehensive Analysis - What is the Truth?

- Who Will Pay the Fee? This is not a normal visa application fee to be paid by every Indian employee from his own pocket. This proposed additional fee is to be paid mainly by the employer at the time of filing the H-1B

petition, and other applicable fees will remain separate. It is not a final rule yet; a public comment process has to take place.

- Why Will India Be Most Affected? India has long been the biggest beneficiary of the H-1B program. According to available data, in FY 2025, the share of Indian nationals in H-1B visas/approvals was about 70 percent. Therefore, if hiring foreign talent suddenly becomes very expensive for US companies, Indian talent will be disproportionately affected.
- Crisis on 60-Day Grace Period Also: DHS has also moved a proposal to end the 60-day grace period available after job loss. This proposal was reportedly sent to the White House Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs (OIRA) for review on 6th August 2026. If implemented, it will have a very serious impact on H-1B employees and their families who have established their lives in the US and are in the long Green Card queue.

- Opportunity Within the Crisis:
- Impact on US Companies: If a US company has to bear an additional cost of more than one lakh dollars to hire a skilled professional from abroad, it will think many times. Companies will likely prioritize employees already authorized to work in the US, try to train domestic talent, or choose to run their projects in countries like India. This will affect the cost and competitiveness of US companies.
- Brain Gain for India: If US companies start operating their work from India itself due to expensive foreign hiring, Indian IT services sector, Global Capability Centers (GCCs), software development and R&D will benefit. A part of the potential brain drain can turn into brain gain or brain circulation.
- Pressure on Indian IT Companies: For companies like TCS, Infosys, Wipro, which provide services on a large scale in the US market, if the cost of on-site H-1B appointments increases excessively, there will be pressure on cost and margins. The same double-edged challenge will be faced by US Tech giants like Google, Microsoft, Apple who depend on global talent.

Conclusion: It would be an exaggeration to call it a crisis in India-US relations immediately. The common interests of both countries in many areas like defence, semiconductors, AI, space, energy, counter-terrorism, trade and Indo-Pacific are so wide that the H-1B dispute must be seen in that larger strategic context. The biggest message of this whole development is that India-US relations today are running on two parallel tracks - strategic friendship and strictness of immigration policy. America wants to increase technological and strategic partnership with India, but at the same time, the Trump administration is emphasizing the 'America First' policy of limiting the role of foreign workers in the American labour market and giving priority to domestic employment. This very contradiction can become the most difficult test of the economic dialogue between the two countries in the coming time.