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Adani Airports Holdings Ltd. (AAHL), Dharavi Redevelopment Project Limited (DRPPL), Adani Enterprises Ltd. (AEL), Adani Ports and Special Economic Zone Ltd. (APSEZ), Adani Energy Solutions Ltd. (AESL), Adani Green Energy Ltd. (AGEL), ACC cements, Ambuja Cements Ltd., Adani Defence & Aerospace, Adani Power Ltd. (APL), Adani Wilmar Ltd. (AWL), Adani Solar, Adani Total Gas Ltd. (ATGL), Adani Foundation

949 Mentions

Date Range : 15 Feb, 2025 - 17 Feb, 2025

Overview



Total Mention

Print Article	949



Total Reach

Print Reach	447.86M

S.No	News_Paper	Date	Keyword	Title	Medium	Reach
1	Bizz Buzz	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Budget 2025: A step towards 'Atma Nirbhar' telecom manufacturing	PRINT	N/A
2	The New Indian Express	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Two flights rerouted to Madurai following tech issues at Trivandrum airport	PRINT	246.4K
3	Hindustan Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	2nd batch of US deportees also chained on-board flight	PRINT	1.1M
4	Hindustan Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Tracking liveability index of financial capital	PRINT	1.1M
5	The Indian Express	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	BEST: Crisis on wheels	PRINT	625K
6	Free Press Journal	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	With NMIA, India is set to create a benchmark	PRINT	251.68K
7	The Asian Age	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Modi played a weak hand in Donald Trump durbar	PRINT	389.96K
8	Mint	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Can India become a global data centre hub	PRINT	47.5K
9	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	INDIA INC PROFITS CRAWL AS SALES STAY SLUGGISH	PRINT	27.82K
10	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	INDIA INC PROFITS CRAWL AS SALES STAY SLUGGISH	PRINT	27.82K
11	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Business Integrity Conclave 2025 Champions Ethical & Resilient Business Practices	PRINT	89.49K
12	The Financial Express	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Top law firms make a beeline for Dubai	PRINT	76.62K
13	The Financial Express	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Top law firms make a beeline for Dubai	PRINT	79.18K
14	The Financial Express	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Top law firms make a beeline for Dubai	PRINT	49.87K
15	The Financial Express	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Top law firms make a beeline for Dubai	PRINT	175K
16	The Financial Express	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Top law firms make a beeline for Dubai	PRINT	90K
17	The Financial Express	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Top law firms make a beeline for Dubai	PRINT	176.59K
18	The Financial Express	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Top law firms make a beeline for Dubai	PRINT	130K
19	The Financial Express	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Top law firms make a beeline for Dubai	PRINT	40K
20	The Financial Express	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Top law firms make a beeline for Dubai	PRINT	147.14K
21	The Financial Express	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Top law firms make a beeline for Dubai	PRINT	147.14K
22	The Financial Express	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Top law firms make a beeline for Dubai	PRINT	50.96K
23	Mint	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Can India become a global data centre hub	PRINT	375K
24	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	INDIA INC PROFITS CRAWL AS SALES STAY SLUGGISH	PRINT	89.49K
25	Mint	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Can India become a global data centre hub	PRINT	45K
26	Mint	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Can India become a global data centre hub	PRINT	375K
27	Hindustan Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	2nd batch of US deportees also chained on-board flight	PRINT	60K
28	Hindustan Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Tracking liveability index of India's IT hub	PRINT	60K
29	Mint	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Can India become a global data centre hub	PRINT	55K

30	Mint	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Can India become a global data centre hub	PRINT	125K
31	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Business Integrity Conclave 2025 Champions ethical & resilient business practices	PRINT	101.93K
32	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	India Inc profits crawl as sales stay sluggish	PRINT	15.91K
33	Deshabhimani	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Technical issue: 5 flights diverted	PRINT	303.15K
34	Deshabhimani	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	VGF aslo a loan	PRINT	303.15K
35	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	India Inc profits crawl as sales stay sluggish	PRINT	101.93K
36	Dainik Bhaskar	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Notom will remain for 90 days; Flights closed for 8:30 hours every day, 28 flights affected	PRINT	2.34M
37	Punjab Kesari	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Priyanka at the airport	PRINT	370.92K
38	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	INDIA INC PROFITS CRAWL AS SALES STAY SLUGGISH	PRINT	33.2K
39	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	INDIA INC PROFITS CRAWL AS SALES STAY SLUGGISH	PRINT	33.2K
40	The Economic Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Kept Calm, Now Carry Off!	PRINT	215.44K
41	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	BISINESS INTEGRITY CONCLAVE 2025 Champions Ethical & Resilient Business Practices	PRINT	89.49K
42	Mint	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Can India become a global data centre hub	PRINT	375K
43	The Hindu	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Eight deported Gujaratis arrive in Ahmedabad, sent to home towns	PRINT	682.81K
44	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	INDIA INC PROFITS CRAWL AS SALES STAY SLUGGISH	PRINT	89.49K
45	Deccan Herald	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	BSE (last week)	PRINT	1.4M
46	Deccan Herald	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	NSE (last week)	PRINT	1.4M
47	Deccan Herald	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	NSE (last week)	PRINT	1.4M
48	Deccan Herald	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	US military plane with 112 deportees on board lands at Amritsar airport	PRINT	1.4M
49	The Economic Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Kept Calm, Now Carry On	PRINT	420.14K
50	The Economic Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Kept Calm, Now Carry On	PRINT	61.91K
51	The Economic Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Ujjain conclave spurs Rs 1 lakh crore investment	PRINT	102.04K
52	The Hindu	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Third U.S. aircraft lands in Amritsar with over 100 Indian deportees	PRINT	682.81K
53	Business Standard (Hindi)	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Deep state, shellow state naon state ki behas	PRINT	26.42K
54	The Economic Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Kept Calm, Now Carry On	PRINT	117.98K
55	The Economic Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Gwalior MC receives proposals worth Rs 8000 Cr	PRINT	102.04K
56	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	India Inc profits crawl as sales stay sluggish	PRINT	35.97K
57	The Economic Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Kept Calm, Now Carry On	PRINT	33.32K
58	Loksatta	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Adani's visit to nuclear power plant	PRINT	784.32K
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61	Kerala Koumudi	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Flights diverted	PRINT	187.3K
62	Punjab Kesari	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Priyanka at the airport	PRINT	867.98K
63	Lokmat	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Immediately remove huts higher than 14 feet	PRINT	604.7K
64	Business Standard (Hindi)	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Deepstate shello state Non state ki behas	PRINT	15.51K
65	Hari Bhoomi	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Full page	PRINT	345.96K
66	The Economic Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Gwalior RIC receives proposals worth Rs8000 cr	PRINT	61.91K
67	Deshbandhu	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Dharavi's leather industry is afraid of losing its identity	PRINT	325.52K
68	Lokmat	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Spontaneous response to unorganized workers' sanman yatra in Dharavi	PRINT	604.7K
69	The Economic Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Gwalior RIC receives proposals worth Rs 8000 Cr	PRINT	33.32K
70	Navakal	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Adani spread the chadar to Ajmer Sharif Darya	PRINT	273.62K
71	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	INDIA INC PROFITS CRAWL AS SALES STAY SLUGGISH	PRINT	19.8K
72	The Economic Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Kept calm, now carry on	PRINT	1.1M
73	Navakal	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Public meeting today against the redevelopment project of Dharavi	PRINT	273.62K
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75	Hamara Mahanagar	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Big decline in Gautam Adani's wealth	PRINT	555.68K
76	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Champions Ethical & Resilient Business practices	PRINT	37.22K
77	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	India Inc profits crawl as sales stay sluggish	PRINT	37.22K
78	Deccan Chronicle	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Modi played a weak hand in Donald Trump durbar	PRINT	2.55M
79	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	India Inc profits crawl as sales stay sluggish	PRINT	37.22K
80	Pudhari	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Protesters hired for Dharavi rehabilitation march	PRINT	347.1K
81	Pudhari	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Public meeting of Dharavi Bachao protestors today	PRINT	347.1K
82	The Times of India	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Jaipur airport to start runway recarpeting work next month	PRINT	459.35K
83	Prahar	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Kalyan-Dombivli city's future move towards third Mumbai	PRINT	215K
84	Sakal	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Dangerous hoardings in Dharavi area have been removed	PRINT	352.42K
85	Sakal	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	I want a house in Dharavi itself	PRINT	352.42K
86	Janmabhumi	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Woman arrested with 84 capsules of cocaine from airport	PRINT	34.89K
87	Mint	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Can India become a global data centre hub	PRINT	75K
88	Orissa Post	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Dharavi redevelopment survey crosses 50K mark	PRINT	171.26K
89	The Hindu	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Eight deported Gujaratis arrive in Ahmedabad, sent to home towns	PRINT	117.58K

90	Telangana Today	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Adani withdraws from Lanka projects	PRINT	440K
91	The Echo of India	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Air India strengthens international route network in Northern Summer schedule	PRINT	120.06K
92	Telangana Today	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	PC says 'bye bye to the wedding nails	PRINT	440K
93	Ahmedabad Mirror	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	8 deported from US land in A'bad	PRINT	206.9K
94	Divya Bhaskar	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Rack service started from Kandla to ICD Faridabad	PRINT	316.29K
95	Business Sphere	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Budget 2025: Infrastructure focus may propel cement stocks like UltraTech, Ambuja, ACC	PRINT	400K
96	Business Sphere	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Top 10 Freight Forwarding Companies In India In 2025	PRINT	400K
97	The Economic Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Gwalior RIC receives proposals worth Rs 8000 Cr	PRINT	420.14K
98	Lokmat	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Adani's visit to Tarapur Nuclear Power Station	PRINT	604.7K
99	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Champions Ethical & Resilient Business Practices	PRINT	19.8K
100	Lokmat	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Adani's visit to Tarapur Nuclear Power Station	PRINT	604.7K
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102	Prahar	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Mi Mumbaikar sculpture art, need beautification	PRINT	215K
103	Suryakal	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group Launches India's Largest Skill Development Initiative	PRINT	217.78K
104	Suryakal	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Volunteers Distribute Mahaprasad to Stranded Devotees at Maha Kumbh	PRINT	217.78K
105	Suryakal	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Defence & Aerospace and DRDO Unveil India's Vehicle-Mounted Counter-Drone System at Aero India...	PRINT	217.78K
106	Suryakal	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Defence & Aerospace and DRDO Unveil India's Vehicle-Mounted Counter-Drone System at Aero India...	PRINT	217.78K
107	Dainik Navajyoti	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Jaipur airport's runway will be upgraded, flights will not operate for 8.5 hours	PRINT	982.16K
108	Dophar Ka Samana	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	We will expose Adani's fraud	PRINT	198.08K
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110	The Echo of India	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Gautam Adani offers 'chadar' at Ajmer dargah	PRINT	120.06K
111	Jag Bani	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Airport par priyanka	PRINT	124.76K
112	The Times of India	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Focus on senior batters as team departs for champions trophy	PRINT	210.4K
113	The Hindu	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Third U.S. aircraft lands in Amritsar with over 100 Indian deportees	PRINT	956.08K
114	Business Standard (Hindi)	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Deep state, shallow state & non-state debate	PRINT	11.44K
115	Jalte Deep	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Jaipur airport's runway will be upgraded, runway recarpeting will start from March	PRINT	159.89K
116	Sakal	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	100 flights to Prayagraj	PRINT	352.42K
117	Mumbai Samachar	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Eight Gujaratis deported from America reach Ahmedabad airport, leave for home with police protection	PRINT	271.15K
118	Mumbai Tarun Bharat	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Kalyan-Dombivli is future Third Mumbai	PRINT	17.73K
119	Saamana	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Adani's fraud will be exposed publicly	PRINT	910K

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121	Mumbai Samachar	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Erosion of Rs 25.31 lakh crore in investor wealth	PRINT	271.15K
122	Bhangar Bhuye	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Adani group to teach youth skills for emplyoment	PRINT	71K
123	Ahmedabad Mirror	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Modhwadia's praise of Adani seen as move to enter cabinet	PRINT	206.9K
124	The Hindu	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Third U.S. aircraft lands in Amritsar with over 100 Indian deportees	PRINT	117.58K
125	Rajasthan Patrika	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	No flights from 9:30 am to 6:00 pm for 90 days from March 30	PRINT	2.21M
126	Gujarat Samachar	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	The illegal school in Dharavi was given letter of intent by the Mumbai department itself	PRINT	1.05M
127	Samachar Jagat	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Jaipur Airport's runway 08/26 will undergo a major upgrade	PRINT	1.11M
128	Prajavani	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Advice necessary for M.F. investment	PRINT	1.29M
129	Gujarat Samachar	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	8 Gujaratis deported from US arrive in Ahmedabad, sent to ...	PRINT	2.66M
130	Nai Duniya	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Gautam Adani Property down	PRINT	316.37K
131	The Times of India	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Sold 2 acres, took Rs 45L loan, and now back to square one	PRINT	1.2M
132	Eastern Chronicle	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	TRSL secures order for 16 rakes	PRINT	182.88K
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135	Pudhari	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Economic news	PRINT	893.13K
136	Rajasthan Patrika	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	After Mahakumbh, now airline companies are eyeing Holi	PRINT	24.58K
137	Jansatta	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Police escorting deported migrants from US at Ahmedabad airport	PRINT	132.36K
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139	Navakal	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Adani offers chadar to Ajmer Sharif Dargah	PRINT	N/A
140	Loksatta	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Adani visits nuclear power project	PRINT	272.51K
141	Western Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Ambuja Cements reports 03 net profit of Rs.2,620 crore	PRINT	165.96K
142	Navakal	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Public meeting against Dharavi redevelopment project	PRINT	N/A
143	Loksatta	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Adani visits nuclear power project	PRINT	272.51K
144	Western Times	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Ambuja Cements reports 03 net profit of Rs.2,620 crore	PRINT	165.96K
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146	Navakal	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Public meeting against Dharavi redevelopment project	PRINT	N/A
147	The Times of India	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Eight Gujarati deportees arrive in Ahmedabad, whisked away by cops	PRINT	606.84K
148	Sakal	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Prayagraj' completes century of flights	PRINT	2.89M
149	Pudhari	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Youth Congress's attack movement	PRINT	893.13K

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151	Prameya	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Rs 55.4 thousand cr export from state within 8 month	PRINT	946.94K
152	Ganashakti	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Modi buys 'white elephant' from friend to save Adani	PRINT	362.66K
153	Kalom	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Gautam Adani and his wife in Ajmer Sharif	PRINT	75.5K
154	Sandesh	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	8 Gujaratis deported from US arrive in Ahmedabad,	PRINT	2.7M
155	Sandesh	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Ahmedabad: 6 flights to and from Prayagraj delayed by an hour	PRINT	2.7M
156	Divya Bhaskar	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	8 Gujaratis Deported From America In Second Phase	PRINT	1.54M
157	Indore Samachar	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Big decline in Gautam Adani's wealth, he ranks 23rd in the list of world's richest people.	PRINT	140.76K
158	Business Standard	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	India Inc profits crawl as sales stay sluggish	PRINT	19.15K
159	The Indian Express	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	8 immigrants deported from US land in Ahmedabad; sent to native places	PRINT	249.64K
160	Kiran Utkarsh	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Jeet Adani, director of Adani Airports and Shark Tank India have collaborated for the special episod...	PRINT	27.59K
161	Kiran Utkarsh	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Jeet Adani, director of Adani Airports and Shark Tank India have collaborated for the special episod...	PRINT	27.59K
162	Nirmal Metro	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Jeet Adani, director of Adani Airports and Shark Tank India have collaborated for the special episod...	PRINT	100.7K
163	Nirmal Metro	Feb 17, 2025	Adani Group	Jeet Adani, director of Adani Airports and Shark Tank India have collaborated for the special episod...	PRINT	100.7K
164	Dainik Statesman	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Electricity to Bangladesh not exempt: Adani	PRINT	36.4K
165	Prabhat Khabor	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Team India went to Dubai, eyes will be on Rohit Sharma and Virat Kohli	PRINT	326.11K
166	Eastern Chronicle	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani restores power supply to Bangladesh	PRINT	182.88K
167	The Economic Times	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Long Wait to Take Off	PRINT	117.98K
168	Nav Rashtra	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Dharavikar on road for redevelopment	PRINT	500.5K
169	The Hindu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Amidst strained ties, Jaishankar to meet Bangladeshi counterpart	PRINT	956.08K
170	The Hindu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Members free to air opinion, but party is paramount: Congress	PRINT	956.08K
171	The Hindu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Expectations high as India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	956.08K
172	Eenadu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani letter...Seci sign !	PRINT	147.23K
173	Mumbai Samachar	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Green field airport is an airport being created from scratch	PRINT	271.15K
174	Navbharat	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Synthetic diamonds worth Rs 5 crore seized at airport	PRINT	675K
175	Navbharat	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Marol: Routes of many buses changed	PRINT	675K
176	Navbharat	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Synthetic diamonds worth Rs 5 crore seized at airport	PRINT	675K
177	Deccan Chronicle	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	OLD WHINE	PRINT	2.55M
178	Samachar Jagat	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Passenger load at Jaipur airport increased by 13%	PRINT	1.11M
179	Gujarat Samachar	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Three Iranians arrested at Mumbai airport with seven kg of gold worth 6.28 crores	PRINT	1.05M

180	Dophar Ka Samana	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani's 'Navbharat' increases tension among Dharavi residents	PRINT	198.08K
181	Lokmat	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Residents took to the streets for the redevelopment of Dharavi	PRINT	604.7K
182	Dophar Ka Samana	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani's 'Navbharat' increases tension among Dharavi residents	PRINT	198.08K
183	Hindustan Times	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Appetising almonds!	PRINT	1.1M
184	Jagruk Times	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Indian team leaves for Champions Trophy	PRINT	993.74K
185	Mid Day (Gujarati)	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Karan wore a sweater worth one and a half lakh, but people considered it a beggar's look	PRINT	389.96K
186	Janmabhumi	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Team India reached Dubai: Match against Bangladesh on 20th	PRINT	34.89K
187	Yashobhoomi	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Three foreigners arrested with 7.14 kg gold at airport	PRINT	482K
188	Maharashtra Times	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group chairman Gautam Adani along with his wife Priti offered chadar at Ajmer Sharif Dargah on...	PRINT	1.3M
189	Navakal	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani's entry into space is the creation of a satellite launch vehicle	PRINT	273.62K
190	Loksatta	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Dharavikar on road for redevelopment	PRINT	784.32K
191	Jagruk Times	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Gautam Adani slipped to 23rd place in the list of world's richest people	PRINT	993.74K
192	Dabang Duniya	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Gave 25,000 of jobs, will add 27,000 more people with new investment: Pranav Adani	PRINT	605K
193	Maharashtra Times	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Take an aggressive stance against Adani!	PRINT	1.3M
194	Loksatta	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Dharavikar on road for redevelopment	PRINT	784.32K
195	Maharashtra Times	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Focus on Rohit, Virat	PRINT	1.3M
196	Mid Day (Gujarati)	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	In the Champions Trophy, Team India reached Dubai to become champions	PRINT	389.96K
197	Sakal	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Team India enters Dubai	PRINT	352.42K
198	Maharashtra Times	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Take an aggressive stance against Adani!	PRINT	1.3M
199	Pudhari	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	March of Adani supporters in Dharavi	PRINT	347.1K
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202	Telangana Today	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	India set sight on CT win	PRINT	440K
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210	The Asian Age	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	2 die in truck-bike collision in MP dist	PRINT	389.96K
211	The Tribune	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group to resume talks with Lanka govt	PRINT	92.25K
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214	Madhyamam	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Indian team reached Dubai	PRINT	135.2K
215	The Hindu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Expectations high as India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	682.81K
216	The Hindu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Amidst strained ties, Jaishankar to meet Bangladeshi counterpart	PRINT	682.81K
217	The Hindu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Members free to air opinion, but party is paramount: Congress	PRINT	682.81K
218	The Tribune	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group to resume talks with Lanka govt	PRINT	893.04K
219	The Tribune	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group to resume talks with Lanka govt	PRINT	893.04K
220	Dainik Savera	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Hajaro logo ko rojgaar de raha Mahakumbh , lakho rupye kama rahe kisaan	PRINT	40.03K
221	The New Indian Express	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	ADANIS SUFFER SERIES OF REVERSES ABROAD	PRINT	134.51K
222	The New Indian Express	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	ADANIS SUFFER SERIES OF REVERSES ABROAD	PRINT	134.51K
223	The Hindu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Expectations high as India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	421.85K
224	The Times of India	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Focus on Senior batters as team deaprts for Champions trophy	PRINT	210.4K
225	Ajit	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Aisa de sab toh aamir 20 parivara cho ambani shikhar te	PRINT	1.06M
226	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	F & O QUERY	PRINT	40.13K
227	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	F & O QUERY	PRINT	53.22K
228	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	F & O QUERY	PRINT	57.88K
229	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	F & O QUERY	PRINT	32.08K
230	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	F & O QUERY	PRINT	5K
231	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	F & O QUERY	PRINT	44.5K
232	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	F & O QUERY	PRINT	12.4K
233	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	F & O QUERY	PRINT	63.5K
234	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	F & O QUERY	PRINT	195.42K
235	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	F & O QUERY	PRINT	131.35K
236	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	RE projects Sri Lanka may reopen negotiations with Adani Green	PRINT	57.88K
237	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	RE projects Sri Lanka may reopen negotiations with Adani Green	PRINT	131.35K
238	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	RE projects Sri Lanka may reopen negotiations with Adani Green	PRINT	5K
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245	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	RE projects Sri Lanka may reopen negotiations with Adani Green	PRINT	32.08K
246	The Sunday Standard	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	The Incredibly Indian Way to Abide India	PRINT	215K
247	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	F & O QUERY	PRINT	57.88K
248	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	F & O QUERY	PRINT	53.22K
249	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	F & O QUERY	PRINT	44.5K
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286	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	RE projects Sri Lanka may reopen negotiations with Adani Green	PRINT	44.5K
287	The Economic Times	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Long Wait to Take Off	PRINT	33.32K
288	The Hindu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Expectations high as India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	421.85K
289	The Economic Times	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Long Wait to Take off	PRINT	24.02K
290	Dharitri	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	DRP has successfully completed surveys	PRINT	1.57M
291	The New Indian Express	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Infra setbacks under new regimes	PRINT	107.9K
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293	The New Indian Express	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Infra setbacks under new regimes	PRINT	107.9K
294	The Hans India	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Focus on Rohit, Kohli as Team India lands in Dubai	PRINT	390.49K
295	India Today	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	BACK WITH BANG	PRINT	2.75M
296	Rashtradoot	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Gautam Adani visited with his wife and son	PRINT	999.38K
297	Dainik Bhaskar	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Jaipur-Bengaluru flight became regular	PRINT	2.34M
298	Dainik Bhaskar	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Industrialist Gautam Adani visited the dargah	PRINT	2.34M
299	The Hindu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Members free to air opinion, but party is paramount: Congress	PRINT	1.99M

300	First India	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani family offers 'Chadar' at Dargah Ajmer Sharif	PRINT	N/A
301	Jalte Deep	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Industrialist Gautam Adani visited Khwaja's shrine and listened to Qawwali	PRINT	159.89K
302	Jalte Deep	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Passenger load at Jaipur airport increased by 13 percent	PRINT	159.89K
303	Dina Saithi	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Non-issue Adani, personal matter abroad for PM: Rahul	PRINT	N/A
304	The Economic Times	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Long Wait to Take Off	PRINT	102.04K
305	Punjab Kesari	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	A passenger's health deteriorated on a flight coming from Mumbai	PRINT	370.92K
306	The Economic Times	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Long Wait to Take Off	PRINT	215.44K
307	Morning News	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	A passenger had a heart attack in flight, a crew member saved his life	PRINT	188.32K
308	Punjab Kesari	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Industrialist Gautam Adani reached the shrine of Khwaja Saheb Prayers were offered by offering a vel...	PRINT	370.92K
309	The Hindu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Amidst strained ties, Jaishankar to meet Bangladeshi counterpart	PRINT	1.4M
310	The New Indian Express	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	INFRA SETBACKS UNDER NEW REGIMES	PRINT	177.8K
311	Hindustan Times	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	APPETISING ALMONDS!	PRINT	60K
312	The New Indian Express	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	INFRA SETBACKS UNDER NEW REGIMES	PRINT	177.8K
313	The New Indian Express	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	INFRA SETBACKS UNDER NEW REGIMES	PRINT	177.8K
314	The New Indian Express	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	The Incredibly Indian Way to Abide India	PRINT	177.8K
315	The Times of India	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	FOCUS ON SENIOR BATTERS AS TEAM DEPARTS FOR CHAMPIONS TROPHY	PRINT	1.05M
316	Sakal	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Indian team arrives in Dubai	PRINT	2.89M
317	Sakal	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Maharashtra is progressing due to Vadhuvan Port	PRINT	2.89M
318	Maharashtra Times	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	The target is on Rohit and Virat	PRINT	765.47K
319	The Indian Express	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani offers 'chadar' at Ajmer dargah	PRINT	125K
320	Mumbai Mirror	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Coastal road frees up sobo routes, traffic down 60%	PRINT	3.01M
321	The Times of India	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Mumbai airport sinks to rock bottom	PRINT	3.52M
322	Mumbai Mirror	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Coastal road frees up sobo routes, traffic down 60%	PRINT	3.01M
323	The Times of India	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Mumbai airport sinks to rock bottom	PRINT	3.52M
324	The Hindu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Amidst stained ties, Jaishankar to meet Bangladeshi counterpart	PRINT	245K
325	The Hindu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Members free to air opinion but party's view is paramount	PRINT	245K
326	Navakal	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani's entry into the space sector	PRINT	N/A
327	Navbharat	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Indian team leaves for Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	85K
328	Nav Rashtra	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Indian team left for Dubai	PRINT	860K
329	Pudhari	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Team India flies to Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	893.13K

330	Navakal	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Indian team arrives in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	N/A
331	Divya Bhaskar	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Congress slams Centre over Adani project near border	PRINT	1.54M
332	The Business Guardian	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Green withdraws from USD 442 mn Sri Lanka wind power project	PRINT	N/A
333	The Sunday Guardian	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	INDIA IS ISRAEL'S KEY BUSINESS PARTNER: MINISTER NIR BARKAT	PRINT	380K
334	The Business Guardian	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	JAPAN, SINGAPORE TO SIGN MOUS WITH ASSAM: CM HIMANTA BISWA SARMA	PRINT	N/A
335	The Business Guardian	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Green withdraws from USD 442 mn Sri Lanka wind power project	PRINT	N/A
336	Dainik Jagran	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani ne chadar chadhai	PRINT	1.14M
337	Ananda Bazar Patrika	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Focus on Rohit and Kohli as Team India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	3.71M
338	Kalantar	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Focus on Rohit and Kohli as Team India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	N/A
339	Aajkaal	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Focus on Rohit and Kohli as Team India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	563.88K
340	Millenniumpost	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Clear for take off	PRINT	350K
341	The Hindu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Expectations high as India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	117.58K
342	The Echo of India	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Focus on Rohit and Kohli as Team India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	120.06K
343	Samagya	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Focus on Rohit and Kohli as Team India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	100K
344	Rajasthan Patrika	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Focus on Rohit and Kohli as Team India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	24.58K
345	Arthik Lipi	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Focus on Rohit and Kohli as Team India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	100.5K
346	Jansatta	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Focus on Rohit and Kohli as Team India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	132.36K
347	Bartaman Hindi	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Focus on Rohit and Kohli as Team India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	1.76M
348	The Times of India	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	FOCUS ON SENIOR BATTERS AS TEAM DEPARTS FOR CHAMPIONS TROPHY	PRINT	1.2M
349	Telegraph	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Stuttering stars Ro-Ko pad up for survival	PRINT	2.33M
350	Ganashakti	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Team India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	362.66K
351	Kalom	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Team India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	75.5K
352	Sangbad Pratidin	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Team India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	1.04M
353	The Statesman	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group withdraws from Lankan wind energy projects	PRINT	750K
354	The Hindu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Amidst strained ties, Jaishankar to meet Bangladeshi counterpart	PRINT	117.58K
355	The Indian Express	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Asked about Adani, PM Modi says leaders don't discuss 'individual issues	PRINT	103.57K
356	The Hindu	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Members free to air opinion but party's view is paramount	PRINT	117.58K
357	Telegraph	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Sanatan sword on Kumbh VVIP critics	PRINT	2.33M
358	The Echo of India	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	TRSL secures order from Adani Cement for 16 rakes of wagons	PRINT	120.06K
359	The Statesman	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group withdraws from Lankan wind energy projects	PRINT	750K

360	The Echo of India	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	TRSL secures order from Adani Cement for 16 rakes of wagons	PRINT	120.06K
361	The Echo of India	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	TRSL secures order from Adani Cement for 16 rakes of wagons	PRINT	120.06K
362	Free Press Journal	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to restore full power to B'desh in days: Report	PRINT	251.68K
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364	Sanmarg	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Gautam Adani reached Ajmer Khwaja Moinuddin Chishti	PRINT	589.66K
365	Jugasankha	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Yunus takes refuge in Adani again for electricity	PRINT	130K
366	Kalom	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Not a discount on the price, but a condition for the sale of electricity of Bangladesh	PRINT	75.5K
367	Kalom	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Not a discount on the price, but a condition for the sale of electricity of Bangladesh	PRINT	75.5K
368	Ananda Bazar Patrika	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	The sale of electricity to Bangladesh	PRINT	3.71M
369	Ananda Bazar Patrika	Feb 16, 2025	Adani Group	Team India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy	PRINT	3.71M
370	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	How We Did It	PRINT	400K
371	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	The Battle of Orders	PRINT	400K
372	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	How We Did It	PRINT	400K
373	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	How We Did It	PRINT	400K
374	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	How We Did It	PRINT	400K
375	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Sitting Pretty	PRINT	400K
376	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Sitting Pretty	PRINT	400K
377	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	The Battle of Orders	PRINT	400K
378	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	The Largest Multinationals In India	PRINT	400K
379	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	The Largest Multinationals In India	PRINT	400K
380	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	The Largest Multinationals In India	PRINT	400K
381	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	The Largest Multinationals In India	PRINT	400K
382	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Riding The Whirlwind	PRINT	400K
383	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Riding The Whirlwind	PRINT	400K
384	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Riding The Whirlwind	PRINT	400K
385	Bizz Buzz	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	MARKETS EDGE LOWER ON UNABATED FII OFFLOADING	PRINT	N/A
386	News Today	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani withdraws from SL power project	PRINT	112.72K
387	News Today	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani withdraws from SL power project	PRINT	112.72K
388	The Indian Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Hot prasadam immediately after snan: Adani & ISKCON set up fourth kitchen at Sangam	PRINT	625K
389	The Indian Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Arun Govil and Mahant Peer Shernath Ji praise Mahaprasad service by adani group and iskcon at Mahaku...	PRINT	625K

390	The Daily Guardian	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	CONGRESS SLAMS MODI'S 'MEGA' REMARK	PRINT	N/A
391	The Daily Guardian	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	PM blunts question on Adani	PRINT	N/A
392	The Indian Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	BMC to shift Govandi bio-waste treatment plant to Raigad in a year	PRINT	625K
393	The Indian Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	BMC to shift Govandi bio-waste treatment plant to Raigad in a year	PRINT	625K
394	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders do not discus personal matters: Modi on Adani issue	PRINT	1.99M
395	Hindustan Times	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	PM's 'silence' on Adani draws Oppn ire	PRINT	1.1M
396	Hindustan Times	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Gold worth Rs 6.28 cr seized, 3 arrested	PRINT	1.1M
397	Millenniumpost	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Markets fall for 8th day as relentless FII selling hits market sentiments	PRINT	350K
398	Hindustan Times	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to Musk, Modi deftly handles media	PRINT	1.1M
399	The Indian Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Asked about Adani, PM Modi says leaders don't discuss 'individual issues	PRINT	125K
400	The Indian Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Asked about Adani, PM Modi says leaders don't discuss 'individual issues	PRINT	625K
401	The Statesman	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi covered up Adani's corruption even in America: Rahul Gandhi	PRINT	750K
402	Millenniumpost	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	PM maintains silence in country, says personal matter abroad	PRINT	350K
403	Punjab Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Sensex, Nifty slide for 8th day on FPI outflows, weak Q3 numbers	PRINT	348.98K
404	Mint	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani group picked as a finalist for private production of SSLV	PRINT	55K
405	The Indian Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	18 passengers trying to smuggle gold intercepted at Mumbai airport	PRINT	625K
406	Free Press Journal	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rahul: PM silent on Adani, calls it 'Personal	PRINT	251.68K
407	Mint	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani group picked as a finalist for private production of SSLV	PRINT	47.5K
408	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm among finalists for satellite rocket bid	PRINT	50.96K
409	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm among finalists for satellite rocket bid	PRINT	147.14K
410	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm among finalists for satellite rocket bid	PRINT	175K
411	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm among finalists for satellite rocket bid	PRINT	130K
412	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm among finalists for satellite rocket bid	PRINT	79.18K
413	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm among finalists for satellite rocket bid	PRINT	147.14K
414	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm among finalists for satellite rocket bid	PRINT	76.62K
415	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm among finalists for satellite rocket bid	PRINT	40K
416	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm among finalists for satellite rocket bid	PRINT	49.87K
417	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm among finalists for satellite rocket bid	PRINT	176.59K
418	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm among finalists for satellite rocket bid	PRINT	130K
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425	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm among finalists for satellite rocket bid	PRINT	50.96K
426	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm among finalists for satellite rocket bid	PRINT	76.62K
427	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm among finalists for satellite rocket bid	PRINT	49.87K
428	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to fully restore power to Bangladesh	PRINT	79.18K
429	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to fully restore power to Bangladesh	PRINT	76.62K
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433	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to fully restore power to Bangladesh	PRINT	50.96K
434	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to fully restore power to Bangladesh	PRINT	175K
435	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to fully restore power to Bangladesh	PRINT	40K
436	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to fully restore power to Bangladesh	PRINT	176.59K
437	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to fully restore power to Bangladesh	PRINT	49.87K
438	Free Press Journal	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed co among 3 finalists in India's small satellite launch rocket privatisation	PRINT	251.68K
439	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Congress accuses Modi of 'coveringup' Adani's U.S. bribery allegations	PRINT	956.08K
440	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders don't talk about 'individual issues; Modi on Adani bribery charges	PRINT	130K
441	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders don't talk about 'individual issues; Modi on Adani bribery charges	PRINT	147.14K
442	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders don't talk about 'individual issues; Modi on Adani bribery charges	PRINT	50.96K
443	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders don't talk about 'individual issues; Modi on Adani bribery charges	PRINT	175K
444	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders don't talk about 'individual issues; Modi on Adani bribery charges	PRINT	176.59K
445	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders don't talk about 'individual issues; Modi on Adani bribery charges	PRINT	79.18K
446	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders don't talk about 'individual issues; Modi on Adani bribery charges	PRINT	76.62K
447	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders don't talk about 'individual issues; Modi on Adani bribery charges	PRINT	49.87K
448	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders don't talk about 'individual issues; Modi on Adani bribery charges	PRINT	40K
449	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders don't talk about 'individual issues; Modi on Adani bribery charges	PRINT	147.14K

450	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Race for SEBI leadership hots up as two Whole-Time Members throw hats into ring	PRINT	32.08K
451	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Race for SEBI leadership hots up as two Whole-Time Members throw hats into ring	PRINT	57.88K
452	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Race for SEBI leadership hots up as two Whole-Time Members throw hats into ring	PRINT	53.22K
453	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Race for SEBI leadership hots up as two Whole-Time Members throw hats into ring	PRINT	44.5K
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455	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Race for SEBI leadership hots up as two Whole-Time Members throw hats into ring	PRINT	195.42K
456	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Race for SEBI leadership hots up as two Whole-Time Members throw hats into ring	PRINT	40.13K
457	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Race for SEBI leadership hots up as two Whole-Time Members throw hats into ring	PRINT	5K
458	Free Press Journal	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537-cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	251.68K
459	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	India may review Singapore's call for raising flight quota	PRINT	956.08K
460	Telangana Today	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Iranians held with 7 kg gold	PRINT	440K
461	The Hans India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Moily urges CM to establish airport in coastal region	PRINT	390.49K
462	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Markets plunge for eighth straight day	PRINT	53.22K
463	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Markets plunge for eighth straight day	PRINT	44.5K
464	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Markets plunge for eighth straight day	PRINT	195.42K
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478	Free Press Journal	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537-cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	251.68K
479	Free Press Journal	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537-cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	251.68K

480	Mint	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani group picked as a finalist for private production of SSLV	PRINT	45K
481	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders do not discuss personal matters: Modi on Adani issue	PRINT	956.08K
482	Telangana Today	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Tycoon profited after rules relaxed...	PRINT	440K
483	The Hans India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Key indices fall for 8th session	PRINT	390.49K
484	The Statesman	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Market falls for 8th session for first time in two years	PRINT	750K
485	The Statesman	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Market falls for 8th session for first time in two years	PRINT	750K
486	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	35.97K
487	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	35.97K
488	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump tariff won't hurt Hindalco's India biz	PRINT	35.97K
489	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	35.97K
490	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain	PRINT	35.97K
491	Deshabhimani	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group also in final list	PRINT	303.15K
492	Deepika	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi angry on 'Adani' question	PRINT	285.26K
493	Deshabhimani	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi feel discomfort on question about Adani	PRINT	303.15K
494	Madhyamam	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi skip from question about Adani	PRINT	135.2K
495	Malayala Manorama	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani: Rahul critisise Modi	PRINT	1.78M
496	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Congress accuses Modi of 'covering up' Adani's U.S. bribery allegations	PRINT	421.85K
497	Mangalam	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Didn't discuss Adani issue - Modi	PRINT	164.12K
498	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Didn't discuss individual issues: Modi on Adani	PRINT	210.4K
499	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders do not discuss personal matters: Modi on Adani issue	PRINT	421.85K
500	Madhyamam	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi hide Adani's bribary in US too - Rahul Gandhi	PRINT	135.2K
501	Mathrubhoomi	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi hiding Adani's issues in US too - Rahul	PRINT	770.94K
502	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rahul accuses Modi of 'covering up Adani's corruption', BJP hits back	PRINT	210.4K
503	The Statesman	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Market falls for 8th session for first time in two years	PRINT	225K
504	The Statesman	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Market falls for 8th session for first time in two years	PRINT	225K
505	Business Standard (Hindi)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh rail ko adani cement se bada order	PRINT	15.51K
506	Business Standard (Hindi)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh rail ko adani cement se bada order	PRINT	15.51K
507	Mint	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani group picked as a finalist for private production of SSLV	PRINT	125K
508	Hindustan Times	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to Musk, Modi deftly handles media	PRINT	267.13K
509	Hindustan Times	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to Musk, Modi deftly handles media	PRINT	60K

510	Political & Business Daily	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Finding faults in PM's foreign visits has become Cong's habit, says BJP	PRINT	125K
511	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders do not discuss personal matters: Modi on Adani issue	PRINT	1.4M
512	Hindustan Times	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	PM's 'silence' on Adani draws Oppn ire	PRINT	267.13K
513	Hindustan Times	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	PM's 'silence' on Adani draws Oppn ire	PRINT	60K
514	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Top Bollywood music labels to sue OpenAI in copyright battle	PRINT	176.59K
515	Political & Business Daily	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi maintains silence in country, claims 'personal matter' abroad: Rahul Gandhi on Adani	PRINT	125K
516	Mint	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani group picked as a finalist for private production of SSLV	PRINT	75K
517	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain	PRINT	25.41K
518	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	25.41K
519	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	25.41K
520	Dainik Bhaskar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rajasthan became the state with the 11th highest number of air passengers in the country, now there ...	PRINT	2.34M
521	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Congress accuses Modi of 'covering up' Adani's U.S. bribery allegations	PRINT	1.4M
522	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Navi Mumbai airport in talks with DHL, FedEx for cargo hub	PRINT	12.4K
523	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Navi Mumbai airport in talks with DHL, FedEx for cargo hub	PRINT	44.5K
524	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Navi Mumbai airport in talks with DHL, FedEx for cargo hub	PRINT	131.35K
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526	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Navi Mumbai airport in talks with DHL, FedEx for cargo hub	PRINT	53.22K
527	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Navi Mumbai airport in talks with DHL, FedEx for cargo hub	PRINT	40.13K
528	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Navi Mumbai airport in talks with DHL, FedEx for cargo hub	PRINT	195.42K
529	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Navi Mumbai airport in talks with DHL, FedEx for cargo hub	PRINT	63.5K
530	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Navi Mumbai airport in talks with DHL, FedEx for cargo hub	PRINT	5K
531	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Navi Mumbai airport in talks with DHL, FedEx for cargo hub	PRINT	32.08K
532	The New Indian Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	POSTS OF THE DAY	PRINT	177.8K
533	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Navi Mumbai airport in talks with DHL, FedEx for cargo hub	PRINT	32.08K
534	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Navi Mumbai airport in talks with DHL, FedEx for cargo hub	PRINT	44.5K
535	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Navi Mumbai airport in talks with DHL, FedEx for cargo hub	PRINT	63.5K
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541	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Navi Mumbai airport in talks with DHL, FedEx for cargo hub	PRINT	131.35K
542	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Navi Mumbai airport in talks with DHL, FedEx for cargo hub	PRINT	57.88K
543	Mint	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani group picked as a finalist for private production of SSLV	PRINT	375K
544	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm in the race for small satellite launch rocket privatisation	PRINT	195.42K
545	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm in the race for small satellite launch rocket privatisation	PRINT	53.22K
546	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm in the race for small satellite launch rocket privatisation	PRINT	32.08K
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552	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm in the race for small satellite launch rocket privatisation	PRINT	5K
553	The Indian Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Asked about Adani, PM Modi says leaders don't discuss 'individual issues	PRINT	175.5K
554	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm in the race for small satellite launch rocket privatisation	PRINT	53.22K
555	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm in the race for small satellite launch rocket privatisation	PRINT	63.5K
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563	The Hindu Business Line	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed firm in the race for small satellite launch rocket privatisation	PRINT	32.08K
564	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain	PRINT	101.93K
565	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Deep state, shallow state, non-state	PRINT	101.93K
566	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	India sure US will be 'softer on us	PRINT	101.93K
567	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	27.82K
568	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	101.93K
569	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain	PRINT	27.82K

570	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain	PRINT	101.93K
571	Telegraph	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to restore power to Dhaka	PRINT	2.33M
572	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	27.82K
573	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	101.93K
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575	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	27.82K
576	Telegraph	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani firm among SSLV finalists	PRINT	2.33M
577	Telegraph	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani firm among SSLV finalists	PRINT	2.33M
578	Mint	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani group picked as a finalist for private production of SSLV	PRINT	375K
579	Telegraph	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Individual' parry on Adani query	PRINT	2.33M
580	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Markets	PRINT	245K
581	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi 'covering up' Adani's corruption, says Congress	PRINT	245K
582	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump tariff won't hurt Hindalco's India biz	PRINT	101.93K
583	Telegraph	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Individual' parry on Adani query	PRINT	2.33M
584	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Markets	PRINT	245K
585	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Markets	PRINT	245K
586	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain	PRINT	15.91K
587	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	15.91K
588	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	15.91K
589	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	15.91K
590	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain	PRINT	33.2K
591	The Indian Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Asked about Adani, PM Modi says leaders don't discuss 'individual issues	PRINT	249.64K
592	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Deep state, shallow state, non-state	PRINT	89.49K
593	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	33.2K
594	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump tariff won't hurt Hindalco's India biz	PRINT	89.49K
595	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	33.2K
596	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	33.2K
597	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain	PRINT	19.8K
598	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Deep state, shallow state, non-state	PRINT	19.8K
599	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	India sure US will be 'softer on us	PRINT	19.8K

600	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders of 2 nations don't meet to discuss an individual matter: Modi on Adani issue	PRINT	3.52M
601	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	PM is covering up Adani's corruption: RaGa; BJP hits back	PRINT	3.52M
602	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	25.41K
603	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	19.8K
604	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump's volley of tariffs will not hurt India business	PRINT	19.8K
605	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	World netas don't discuss individual issues: PM on Adani	PRINT	3.52M
606	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	World netas don't discuss individual issues: PM on Adani	PRINT	46.88K
607	Fortune India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	The Largest MNCs In India	PRINT	400K
608	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	19.8K
609	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	19.8K
610	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain	PRINT	89.49K
611	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Deep state, shallow state, non-state	PRINT	35.97K
612	Dainik Savera	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Gautam Adani related matter discussed in meeting	PRINT	40.03K
613	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Key world leaders don't discuss individual issues: PM Modi on Adani row	PRINT	2.27M
614	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders of 2 nations don't meet to discuss an individual matter: Modi on Adani issue	PRINT	2.27M
615	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders of 2 nations don't meet to discuss an individual matter: Modi on Adani issue	PRINT	46.88K
616	Punjab Kesari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Looting the country's wealth becomes a 'personal matter' for the PM abroad: Rahul Gandhi	PRINT	867.98K
617	Jag Bani	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Looting the country's wealth becomes a 'personal matter' for the PM abroad: Rahul Gandhi	PRINT	124.76K
618	Ajit Samachar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi also put curtain Adani's corruption in America: Rahul	PRINT	177.4K
619	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	89.49K
620	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump tariff won't hurt Hindalco's India biz	PRINT	33.2K
621	Millenniumpost	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	WHEN FRIENDS MEET F-35 jets to India, 26/11 extradition, trade deal on the cards	PRINT	750K
622	Telegraph	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Stocks fail to shrug off Trump tariff threats	PRINT	2.33M
623	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	89.49K
624	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	89.49K
625	The Asian Age	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	A good Modi-Trump start: India buys time on tariffs	PRINT	389.96K
626	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	INDIA SURE US WILL BE 'SOFTER ON US	PRINT	89.49K
627	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	INDIA SURE US WILL BE 'SOFTER ON US	PRINT	89.49K
628	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders do not discuss personal matters: Modi on Adani issue	PRINT	682.81K
629	Deccan Herald	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Oppn accuses PM of covering up Adani issue during US visit	PRINT	1.4M

630	The Daily Guardian	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	PM blunts question on Adani	PRINT	N/A
631	Hindustan Times	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	PM's 'silence' on Adani draws Oppn ire	PRINT	3.43M
632	Deccan Herald	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Private matters' like Adani not discussed with US President: Modi	PRINT	1.4M
633	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	89.49K
634	The Asian Age	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	US gets tough on tariffs: Modi, Trump vow $500bn trade by 2030; elevate defence ties	PRINT	389.96K
635	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	89.49K
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639	The Indian Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Asked about Adani, PM Modi says leaders don't discuss 'individual issues	PRINT	388.5K
640	The Pioneer	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	BJP hails PM Modi's US visit as landmark, slams Rahul Gandhi for criticism	PRINT	634.42K
641	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Congress accuses Modi of 'covering up' Adani's U.S. bribery allegations	PRINT	682.81K
642	The Daily Guardian	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	CONGRESS SLAMS MODI'S 'MEGA' REMARK	PRINT	N/A
643	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Deep state, shallow state, non-state	PRINT	89.49K
644	The Pioneer	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	INDIA AND MODI RETURN WITH MUSCLE FROM THE USA	PRINT	634.42K
645	The Tribune	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	India, US eye trade deal by Oct as Trump vows reciprocal tariffs in talks with Modi	PRINT	92.25K
646	The Statesman	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi covered up Adani's corruption even in America: Rahul Gandhi	PRINT	225K
647	Millenniumpost	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	PM maintains silence in country, says personal matter abroad	PRINT	750K
648	The Tribune	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Tharoor praises PM's trip, breaks ranks with Cong	PRINT	92.25K
649	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump tariff won't hurt Hindalco's India biz	PRINT	89.49K
650	Jansatta	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group ka mamla vyaktigat	PRINT	223.14K
651	Veer Arjun	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani par desh mein chuppi sadhte hai, Videsh mein vyaktigat mamla batate hai PM: Rahul	PRINT	60K
652	The Goan	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed co among 3 finalists in India's small satellite launch rocket privatisation	PRINT	200K
653	Veer Arjun	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Bharat ko milnge F-35 ladaku viman	PRINT	60K
654	Virat Vaibhav	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	PM Modi ki AMerica yatra par Rahul ka byan betuka	PRINT	625K
655	Business Standard (Hindi)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Tetagarh Rail ko Adani Cement se bada order	PRINT	26.42K
656	Veer Arjun	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump ke sath Adani ke muddhe par charcha nahi: PM Modi	PRINT	60K
657	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	India may review Singapore's call for raising flight quota	PRINT	682.81K
658	Business Standard (Hindi)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Tetagarh Rail ko Adani Cement se bada order	PRINT	26.42K
659	Veer Arjun	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump ke sath Adani ke muddhe par charcha nahi: PM Modi	PRINT	60K

660	The Tribune	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Tharoor praises PM's trip, breaks ranks with Cong	PRINT	893.04K
661	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	World netas don't discuss individual issues: PM on Adani	PRINT	4.69M
662	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	10 years on, still no 'point of call' designation for Chd int'l airport	PRINT	46.88K
663	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain	PRINT	89.49K
664	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Corporate Briefs	PRINT	175K
665	The Tribune	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	India, US eye trade deal by Oct as Trump vows reciprocal tariffs in talks with Modi	PRINT	893.04K
666	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Top Bollywood music labels to sue OpenAI in copyright battle	PRINT	175K
667	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	MARKETS	PRINT	682.81K
668	Millenniumpost	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Markets fall for 8th day as relentless FII selling hits market sentiments	PRINT	750K
669	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	MARKETS	PRINT	682.81K
670	The Indian Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Asked about Adani, PM Modi says leaders don't discuss 'individual issues	PRINT	89.5K
671	Daily Thanthi Next	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Non-issue Adani, personal matter abroad for PM: Rahul	PRINT	1.65M
672	Business Standard (Hindi)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh rail gets big order from Adani Cement	PRINT	11.44K
673	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Top Bollywood music labels to sue OpenAI in copyright battle	PRINT	147.14K
674	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump's volley of tariffs will not hurt Indian Business	PRINT	37.22K
675	The Indian Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Asked about Adani, PM Modi says leaders don't discuss 'individual issues	PRINT	89.5K
676	Ahmedabad Mirror	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Midnight raids at airport target gold smuggling	PRINT	206.9K
677	Business Standard (Hindi)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh rail gets big order from Adani Cement	PRINT	11.44K
678	Business Standard (Hindi)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh rail gets big order from Adani Cement	PRINT	11.44K
679	Punjab Kesari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani issue will not be discussed with Trump: Modi	PRINT	370.92K
680	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Deep State, Shallow state, Non- state	PRINT	37.22K
681	The Pioneer	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Didn't discuss Adani's issue with Trump: Modi	PRINT	275K
682	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	India sure US will be 'softer on us	PRINT	37.22K
683	The Pioneer	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	New era in Indo-US ties	PRINT	275K
684	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs537 cr order from Adani cement	PRINT	37.22K
685	Punjab Kesari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Synthetic diamonds seized at Mumbai airport	PRINT	370.92K
686	The Tribune	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Tewari demands point of call status for Chandigarh airport	PRINT	893.04K
687	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs537 cr order from Adani cement	PRINT	37.22K
688	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs537 cr order from Adani cement	PRINT	37.22K
689	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders of 2 nations don't meet to discuss an individual matter: Modi on Adani issue	PRINT	4.69M

690	The Indian Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Asked about Adani, PM Modi says leaders don't discuss ' individual issues	PRINT	103.57K
691	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Deep state, shallow state .non-state	PRINT	27.82K
692	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Deep state, shallow state, non-state	PRINT	33.2K
693	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	INDIA SURE US WILL BE 'SOFTER ON US	PRINT	33.2K
694	The Financial Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Top Bollywood music labels to sue OpenAI in copyright battle	PRINT	50.96K
695	Sakal	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Diamonds in laptops, gold in underwear	PRINT	352.42K
696	Loksatta	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Diamonds, gold worth nine crores seized from the airport	PRINT	784.32K
697	Nav Rashtra	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Smuggling busted	PRINT	500.5K
698	Navbharat Times	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	26/11 ke aropi Tehvoor Rana ko sopega US	PRINT	2.68M
699	Vyapar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group plans to start wind power plants in Sri Lanka	PRINT	38.92K
700	Navakal	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani's company pulled out of power projects in Sri Lanka	PRINT	273.62K
701	Virat Vaibhav	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Caption	PRINT	625K
702	Navbharat Times	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Congress Taunting	PRINT	2.68M
703	Sakal	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Gautam Adani's issue is not in discussion	PRINT	352.42K
704	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	INDIA SURE US WILL BE 'SOFTER ON US	PRINT	27.82K
705	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi 'covering up' Adani's corruption, says Congress	PRINT	117.58K
706	Loksatta	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi's attempt to cover up Adani's corruption	PRINT	784.32K
707	Vyapar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group plans to start wind power plants in Sri Lanka	PRINT	38.92K
708	Navakal	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani's company pulled out of power projects in Sri Lanka	PRINT	273.62K
709	Vyapar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Eighth consecutive session of sell-off	PRINT	38.92K
710	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	India may review Singapore's call for raising flight quota	PRINT	117.58K
711	The Hindu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Shackled in the land of the free	PRINT	117.58K
712	Navakal	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Survey of 50 thousand houses completed in Dharavi project	PRINT	273.62K
713	Pudhari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani's withdrawal from Sri Lanka	PRINT	347.1K
714	Business Standard (Hindi)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Railway gets big order from Adani Cement	PRINT	12.32K
715	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	World netas don't discuss individual issues: PM on Adani	PRINT	459.35K
716	Pudhari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani's withdrawal from Sri Lanka	PRINT	347.1K
717	Pudhari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Four persons from abroad arrested in connection with gold smuggling	PRINT	347.1K
718	The Indian Express	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Improve global connectivity from Chandigarh: Tewari to Minister	PRINT	175.5K
719	The Pioneer	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Row Over US Deportation Flights Landing in Amritsar Intensifies	PRINT	268.96K

720	Hindustan Times	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Tewari demands 'point of call' status for Chandigarh airport	PRINT	267.13K
721	Business Standard (Hindi)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Railway gets big order from Adani Cement	PRINT	12.32K
722	Business Standard (Hindi)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Railway gets big order from Adani Cement	PRINT	12.32K
723	Janmabhumi	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Dharavi Redevelopment Survey figure crossed 50,000	PRINT	34.89K
724	Nav Rashtra	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Investors are disappointed even on the last day	PRINT	500.5K
725	Nav Rashtra	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Investors are disappointed even on the last day	PRINT	500.5K
726	Deshbandhu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rahul cornered Modi over the question on Adani If you ask a question in the country, there is	PRINT	325.52K
727	Deshbandhu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Controversy came to light in America	PRINT	325.52K
728	Rashtriya Sahara	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Desh ki sampati lutna videsh mein modi ke liye vyaktigat mamla	PRINT	390K
729	Mid Day (Gujarati)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	The meeting of our two means not one plus one two, but one plus one eleven	PRINT	389.96K
730	Rashtriya Sahara	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail ko ADani Cement se 537cr ka order mila	PRINT	390K
731	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	World netas don't discuss individual issues: PM on Adani	PRINT	1.27M
732	Janmabhumi	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Eighth consecutive session of sell-off	PRINT	34.89K
733	Dabang Duniya	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Sensex fell by 200 points, Nifty fell by 102 points and closed at 22,929	PRINT	605K
734	Mid Day (Gujarati)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump-Modi rapprochement sent market reeling, Sensex down for eighth day	PRINT	389.96K
735	Jagruk Times	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Synthetic diamonds worth Rs 5 crore seized at Mumbai airport	PRINT	993.74K
736	Rashtriya Sahara	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail ko ADani Cement se 537cr ka order mila	PRINT	390K
737	Mid Day (Gujarati)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump-Modi rapprochement sent market reeling, Sensex down for eighth day	PRINT	389.96K
738	Rashtriya Sahara	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail ko ADani Cement se 537cr ka order mila	PRINT	390K
739	Mid Day (Gujarati)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump-Modi rapprochement sent market reeling, Sensex down for eighth day	PRINT	389.96K
740	Mid Day (Gujarati)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump-Modi rapprochement sent market reeling, Sensex down for eighth day	PRINT	389.96K
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742	Mid Day (Gujarati)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump-Modi rapprochement sent market reeling, Sensex down for eighth day	PRINT	389.96K
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745	Mid Day (Gujarati)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump-Modi rapprochement sent market reeling, Sensex down for eighth day	PRINT	389.96K
746	Punyanagari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Sales continue to hit, decline continues	PRINT	72.24K
747	Punyanagari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	United Petro's agreement with Sadhav Shipping	PRINT	72.24K
748	Nav Rashtra	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Silence at home, personal issue abroad: Rahul Gandhi criticizes	PRINT	500.5K
749	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain	PRINT	37.22K

750	Ajit	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Behatar vishav da nirman kar sakadi hai bharat te america di bhaiwali-Modi	PRINT	1.06M
751	Deccan Herald	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Bollywood music labels to challenge OpenAI in copyright lawsuit	PRINT	1.4M
752	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain	PRINT	37.22K
753	The Statesman	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Market falls for 8th session for first time in two years	PRINT	50.5K
754	The Statesman	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Market falls for 8th session for first time in two years	PRINT	50.5K
755	Deshbandhu	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	The market panicked after Trump announced tariffs	PRINT	325.52K
756	Pune Mirror	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	BJP hails PM's visit to the USA	PRINT	340.74K
757	Maharashtra Times	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Indices continued to fall	PRINT	1.3M
758	Janayugam	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani issue is personal says Modi	PRINT	235K
759	Janmabumi	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Allegations against Adani is personal: Modi	PRINT	227K
760	Chandrika	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi discomfort on question about Adani	PRINT	213.39K
761	Chandrika	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi secures Adani	PRINT	213.39K
762	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	World netas don't discuss individual issues: PM on Adani	PRINT	1.2M
763	Deccan Chronicle	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	A good Modi-Trump start: India buys time on tariffs	PRINT	2.55M
764	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Didn't discuss individual issues: Modi on Adani	PRINT	606.84K
765	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	PM Modi maintains silence in India, says 'personal matter' abroad: Rahul on Adani	PRINT	606.84K
766	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders of 2 nations don't meet to discuss an individual matter: Modi on Adani issue	PRINT	1.05M
767	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rahul accuses Modi of 'covering up Adani's corruption', BJP hits back	PRINT	1.05M
768	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	World netas don't discuss individual issues: PM on Adani	PRINT	1.02M
769	Punyanagari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Diamonds worth nine crores seized	PRINT	72.24K
770	The Statesman	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi covered up Adani's corruption even in America: Rahul Gandhi	PRINT	50.5K
771	Daily Thanti	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders do not discus personal matters: Modi on Adani issue	PRINT	2M
772	Dina Karan	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders do not discus personal matters: Modi on Adani issue	PRINT	1.45M
773	Daily Thanti	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders do not discus personal matters: Modi on Adani issue	PRINT	2M
774	The Hindu Tamil	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders do not discus personal matters: Modi on Adani issue	PRINT	416.52K
775	Dina Karan	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Leaders do not discus personal matters: Modi on Adani issue	PRINT	1.45M
776	Punjab Kesari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Market fall 8th day	PRINT	1.81M
777	The Echo of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Bears tighten grip on D-Street: Investors suffer wealth erosion of Rs 25.31 lakh cr in 8 days	PRINT	120.06K
778	The Echo of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Sensex, Nifty slide for 8th day on FPI outflows, weak Q3 numbers	PRINT	120.06K
779	Lokmat	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Gold worth six crores seized at the airport	PRINT	604.7K

780	Lokmat	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Gold, diamonds worth 9 crores seized at Mumbai airport	PRINT	604.7K
781	Nai Duniya	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group exit Sri Lanka project	PRINT	316.37K
782	Free Press Journal	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-backed co among 3 finalists in India's small satellite launch rocket privatisation	PRINT	294.06K
783	The Echo of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rahul accuses PM of 'covering up Adani's 'corruption' in US	PRINT	120.06K
784	Chapte Chapte	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rahul accuses PM of 'covering up Adani's 'corruption' in US	PRINT	352.5K
785	Chapte Chapte	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537- cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	352.5K
786	The Echo of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537- cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	120.06K
787	The Echo of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537- cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	120.06K
788	Chapte Chapte	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537- cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	352.5K
789	The Echo of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537- cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	120.06K
790	Chapte Chapte	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537- cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	352.5K
791	Uday Today	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Foundation organized free camp for the disabled under Mangal Seva	PRINT	25K
792	Ananda Bazar Patrika	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-Question personal: Modi	PRINT	3.71M
793	Punjabi Tribune	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Desh di sampati videsh ch niji mamala banaya :Rahul	PRINT	144.01K
794	Punjabi Tribune	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi ne adani mamale nu vyaktigat mudda dashiya	PRINT	144.01K
795	Dainik Tribune	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi ne Adani mudde ko bataya bayaktigat, Rahul ne kasa tanj	PRINT	58.7K
796	The Morning Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Posts of the day	PRINT	300K
797	Hindustan	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rahul ne Adani mudde par sadha Nishana	PRINT	1.53M
798	The Morning Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	US-INDIA COMPACT	PRINT	300K
799	Amar Ujala	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Chandigarh International Airport ko point off call ghoshit kare: Tiwari	PRINT	368.8K
800	Chapte Chapte	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Sensex fell by 200 points	PRINT	352.5K
801	Ei Samay	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Electricity supply to Bangladesh again	PRINT	1.3M
802	Arthik Lipi	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi faces question on Adani issue in America	PRINT	100.5K
803	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rahul accuses Modi of 'covering up Adani's corruption', BJP hits back	PRINT	4.69M
804	Ei Samay	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Electricity supply to Bangladesh again	PRINT	1.3M
805	Amar Ujala	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Mahakumbh ki vajeh se desh ke shirash 20 airports mein shamil hua paryagraj	PRINT	368.8K
806	Ei Samay	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Congress-Trinamool attack Modi's 'personal matter	PRINT	1.3M
807	Ei Samay	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Congress-Trinamool attack Modi's 'personal matter	PRINT	1.3M
808	Telegraph	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Flawed plan	PRINT	2.33M
809	Ei Samay	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537-crore order from Adani Cement	PRINT	1.3M

810	Dakshin Bharat	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump-Modi's historic meeting	PRINT	77.83K
811	Naya India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani masle par Rahul ka nishana	PRINT	89.78K
812	Dakshin Bharat	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Prime Minister maintains silence on Adani issue at home, calls it a 'personal matter' abroad : Rahul...	PRINT	77.83K
813	Naya India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rahul Gandhi mansik bimari se pidit	PRINT	89.78K
814	Naya India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Sensex down 200 points	PRINT	89.78K
815	Andhra Jyothi	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani topic is personal	PRINT	22.84K
816	Dainik Bhaskar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	China boarder dispute	PRINT	92.28K
817	Punjab Kesari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	DEsh mein swaal pucho to chuppi videsh mein pucho to niji mamla	PRINT	1.81M
818	Andhra Jyothi	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Good bye for Aerial acrobatics	PRINT	22.84K
819	Andhra Jyothi	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	No disruption for Adani	PRINT	22.84K
820	Dainik Jagran (Rashtriya)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump ke sath Adani mudhe par charcha nahi hui: Modi	PRINT	1.54M
821	Dainik Bhaskar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Elvish ne AI Tool se edit kar video kiya tha upload	PRINT	92.28K
822	Janmabhumi	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Eighth consecutive session of sell-off	PRINT	34.89K
823	Dainik Jagran	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Videshi nikasi se lagataar 8th din tute bazaar	PRINT	107.62K
824	Jagmarg	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Stock market main 8th din bhi girabat jaari	PRINT	1.18M
825	Dainik Jagran	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Videshi nikasi se lagataar 8th din tute bazaar	PRINT	107.62K
826	Dainik Jagran	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Videshi nikasi se lagataar 8th din tute bazaar	PRINT	107.62K
827	Dainik Jagran	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Videshi nikasi se lagataar 8th din tute bazaar	PRINT	107.62K
828	Dainik Jagran	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Videshi nikasi se lagataar 8th din tute bazaar	PRINT	107.62K
829	Dainik Jagran	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Videshi nikasi se lagataar 8th din tute bazaar	PRINT	107.62K
830	Dainik Jagran	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Videshi nikasi se lagataar 8th din tute bazaar	PRINT	107.62K
831	Vyapar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	The economy will get the merit of Mahakumbh	PRINT	38.92K
832	Kannada Prabha	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump, Modi Mega deal	PRINT	341.56K
833	Divya Rashtra	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	2 Heads of state do not talk on such issues, PM also covered it up in US: Rahul	PRINT	25K
834	Saamana	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	A meeting of all party organizations tomorrow against Adani in Prabhadevi	PRINT	910K
835	Navbharat	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani on the threshold of entering space sector	PRINT	675K
836	Navbharat	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Fear' of tariffs, Trump opens shop	PRINT	675K
837	Navbharat	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	How Adani's corruption is Modi's personal matter	PRINT	675K
838	Mumbai Chauffer	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Include organically grown vegetables in your diet - Eknath Shinde	PRINT	510.65K
839	Morning News	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	On Gautam Adani issue, Prime Minister Modi said in America – this is a personal matter	PRINT	188.32K

840	Pratahkal	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	They have no legal right to be there	PRINT	1M
841	Rashtriya Sahara	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags order worth Rs 537 crore from Adani Cement	PRINT	562.46K
842	Lokmat	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Will beat Chinese supremacy	PRINT	604.7K
843	Saamana	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	A meeting of all party organizations tomorrow against Adani in Prabhadevi	PRINT	910K
844	Jag Bani	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Airport main Abika aur Andheri main dikhi Tapsee Jacqueline	PRINT	124.76K
845	Punjab Kesari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Airport main Abika aur Andheri main dikhi Tapsee Jacqueline	PRINT	867.98K
846	Mumbai Chauffer	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Diamonds worth nine crores seized from Mumbai airport	PRINT	510.65K
847	Divya Bhaskar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Diamonds, gold worth 9 crores seized from Mumbai airport, one arrested	PRINT	316.29K
848	Saamana	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Gold smuggling; three Iranian nationals arrested	PRINT	910K
849	Divya Bhaskar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Highway connecting Mumbai to Ulhasnagar, Ambernath, Badlapur soon	PRINT	316.29K
850	Dina Mani	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	The stock market that started and ended in a decline	PRINT	167.26K
851	Rashtriya Sahara	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags order worth Rs 537 crore from Adani Cement	PRINT	562.46K
852	Rashtriya Sahara	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags order worth Rs 537 crore from Adani Cement	PRINT	562.46K
853	Sakal	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani's corruption was hidden	PRINT	352.42K
854	Saamana	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Questions about Adani in front of Trump, Modi says, 'personal issue'!	PRINT	910K
855	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rahul accuses Modi of 'covering up Adani's corruption', BJP hits back	PRINT	1.2M
856	Saamana	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Tour for whom	PRINT	910K
857	Ananda Bazar Patrika	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Kolkata is not in Air India's preferred list	PRINT	3.71M
858	Samagya	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Sensex fell by 200 points	PRINT	100K
859	Mumbai Chauffer	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Even on the 8th day there is a decline	PRINT	510.65K
860	Divya Bhaskar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Fear of Trump, erosion of 24 lakh crores in a week in Mcap	PRINT	316.29K
861	Navshakti	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Sensex falls below 76,000 in eighth session	PRINT	419.55K
862	Vyapar Hindi	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Stock market falls for the 8th day, Sensex falls further by 200 points	PRINT	16.42K
863	Mumbai Samachar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Stock markets tumbled for the eighth straight session as Trump reiterated no relief to India on reci...	PRINT	271.15K
864	Samagya	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rahul accuses PM of 'covering up Adani's 'corruption' in US	PRINT	100K
865	Aaj	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rahul on PM on Adani case	PRINT	780.15K
866	Dainik Jagran	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group in Space sector	PRINT	374.72K
867	Pratahkal	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	If you ask a question in the country, there is silence; abroad it is a personal matter!	PRINT	1M
868	Rashtriya Sahara	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Looting country's wealth abroad becomes a 'personal matter' for Modi: Rahul	PRINT	562.46K
869	Punjab Kesari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Looting the nation's wealth is a personal matter for the PM: Rahul	PRINT	370.92K

870	Samachar Jagat	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Stock market fell for 8th day as selling continued, Sensex fell by 200 points	PRINT	1.11M
871	Vyapar Hindi	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group is working on a plan to invest in power and cement plants in UP	PRINT	16.42K
872	Jansatta	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Sensex fell by 200 points	PRINT	132.36K
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875	Vyapar Hindi	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group is working on a plan to invest in power and cement plants in UP	PRINT	16.42K
876	Jansatta	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-Question personal: Modi	PRINT	132.36K
877	Business Standard (Hindi)	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Life is bigger than any exam: Adani to student	PRINT	20.52K
878	Northeast Times	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani green withdraws Sri Lanka power project	PRINT	56.5K
879	Meghalaya Guardian	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani green withdraws Sri Lanka power project	PRINT	377.2K
880	Sukhabar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani-Question personal: Modi	PRINT	107K
881	Divya Bhaskar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Dharavi Redevelopment Project's record number of survey crossed 50 thousand	PRINT	316.29K
882	Mumbai Tarun Bharat	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Upstairs huts in Dharavi preserved	PRINT	17.73K
883	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Deep state, shallow state, non-state	PRINT	19.15K
884	Dophar Ka Samana	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi's complexion raised questions on Adani in America!	PRINT	198.08K
885	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Titagarh Rail bags Rs 537 cr order from Adani Cement	PRINT	19.15K
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888	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump tariff won't hurt Hindalco's India biz	PRINT	19.15K
889	Business Standard	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain	PRINT	19.15K
890	Samyuktha Karnataka	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	We didnt meet to discuss about Adani : Modi	PRINT	84.88K
891	Navakal	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Dharavi Redevelopment	PRINT	N/A
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898	The Times of India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	JSW Energy's bid for KSK Mahanadi gets nod	PRINT	248.64K
899	Dainik Bhaskar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Survey of 50 thousand houses conducted in Dharavi redevelopment project	PRINT	N/A

900	Prajavani	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani case in private matter	PRINT	1.29M
901	Swadhikar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani Group go-green message in Mahakumbh	PRINT	222.75K
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906	Maharashtra Times	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Question about Adani	PRINT	765.47K
907	Kesari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Silence in the country, private issue abroad	PRINT	392.81K
908	Nav Rashtra	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Silence in the country, private issue abroad	PRINT	860K
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912	Aaj Ka Anand	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Dharavi Project	PRINT	1.21M
913	Aaj Ka Anand	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Diamonds and gold worth 9 crores seized from the airport	PRINT	1.21M
914	Kesari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani pulls out of Sri Lanka's $1 billion power project	PRINT	392.81K
915	Aaj Ka Anand	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi defended Adani in US: Rahul Gandhi	PRINT	1.21M
916	Loksatta	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi's attempt to cover up Adani's corruption	PRINT	272.51K
917	Loksatta	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	The beginning of a new era of friendship	PRINT	272.51K
918	Amar Ujala	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Adani par bole, 2 washvik netaon ke beech ase vyaktigat mamlon par chacha nai hoti	PRINT	564.4K
919	Dainik Tribune	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	PM Visit America	PRINT	39.91K
920	Hindustan	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rahul ne Adani ,muhe par sadha nishana	PRINT	1.29M
921	Kesari	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	The stock market fell again	PRINT	392.81K
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924	Kalom	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Controversy over giving land for Adani project on Pak border	PRINT	75.5K
925	Ganashakti	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Gautam Adani a 'Personal Matter': PM Modi	PRINT	362.66K
926	Kalom	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Gautam Adani a 'Personal Matter': PM Modi	PRINT	75.5K
927	Sangbad Pratidin	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Gautam Adani a 'Personal Matter': PM Modi	PRINT	1.04M
928	Dainik Jagran	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Markets fell for the eighth consecutive day due to foreign withdrawal	PRINT	1.16M
929	Sambad	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	PM Modi's response to question on Gautam Adani bribery case	PRINT	1.25M

930	Pragativadi	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	PM Modi's response to question on Gautam Adani bribery case in US	PRINT	1.11M
931	Dainik Jagran	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Trump ke saath Adani mudde par nahi hui charcha: Modi	PRINT	1.14M
932	Dainik Jagran	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Videeshi nikasi se kagatar 8ve din toote bazaar	PRINT	1.14M
933	Divya Bhaskar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Diamonds, gold worth Rs 9 crore seized at Mumbai airport, one person arrested	PRINT	1.54M
934	Divya Bhaskar	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rs 24 lakh crore m-cap wiped out in 6 sessions!	PRINT	1.54M
935	Dainik Jagran	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Videeshi nikasi se kagatar 8ve din toote bazaar	PRINT	1.14M
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937	Udayavani	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	India, America Mission-500 tie up	PRINT	374.88K
938	Jaihind	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	To a question on whether the issue relating to Adani figured in the talks, PM Modi at a joint media ...	PRINT	745.6K
939	Morning India	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Only equation that counts is Modi plus Adani...: Jairam Ramesh takes dig at PM Modi's 'MEGA' remark	PRINT	6K
940	Prabhat Khabor	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Modi's visit is historic, Rahul Gandhi is suffering from 'mental illness': BJP	PRINT	326.11K
941	Prabhat Khabor	Feb 15, 2025	Adani Group	Rahul accuses Modi of 'covering up Adani's corruption	PRINT	326.11K
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Budget 2025: A step towards 'Atma Nirbhar' telecom manufacturing

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Budget 2025: A step towards 'Atma Nirbhar' telecom manufacturing?

The massive allocation hike for BharatNet reaffirms the govt's commitment to rural broadband expansion, while duty cuts on telecom components and PLI incentives aim to strengthen India's manufacturing ecosystem



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IN the proposals for the Union Budget 25-26, introduced by the Finance Minister in the parliament, the allocation for telecom is Rs 89,405 crores. In this allotment, Rs 8,400 crore will be met from the balance available under Digital Bharat Nidhi (DBN). In 24-25 the budget allocation for telecom was Rs 1,18,909 crores.

Provisions for Bharatnet

The budget allocation is boosted for Bharatnet by 238 per cent compared to that of FY25. In 25-26, the allocation is Rs 22,000 crore. This Bharatnet project is for creating telecom infrastructure for providing broadband connectivity for Gram Panchayats (GPs). This project plays a vital role in bridging the digital divide. This higher allocation for 25-26 for Bharatnet project is for providing broadband connectivity to rural government run secondary schools and primary healthcare centres (PHCs) in rural areas. 10 lakh government run secondary schools will be covered under this scheme.

Provisions for the security related institutions

Protecting the citizens from the cyber frauds has been engaging the attention of the union government for quite some time. In pursuant of this concern, in this budget, for Mandatory Testing and Certification of Telecom Equipment (MTCTE) scheme Rs 8 crore, for Telecom Cyber Security Incident Response Team (TCSIRT) Rs 73 crore, for Digital Intelligence Unit (DIU) project Rs 52 crore, for Prevention of Spoofed Incoming International calls System (Centralised International Out Roamer-CIOR) Rs 7.5 crore and for Unified Portal Rs 10 crore are set apart. The objective of DIU project is to investigate fraudulent activity involving telecom resources such as UCC (Unwanted Commercial Communication) etc. The Department of Telecommunications (DoT) will revolutionize the way telecom services are accessed and managed with the launch of the Unified Portal. This innovative platform consolidates over 20 existing portals under a single, unified interface, streamlining processes and enhancing user experience for telecom operators, Internet Service Providers (ISPs), Infrastructure Providers (IPs) and other stakeholders.

Incentives to telecom manufacturing

In the budget, it is proposed to halve Basic Custom Duty (BCD) on Carrier grade ethernet switches to 10 per cent. These switches are used to connect servers in data centres and to deliver last-mile connectivity for broadband roll outs. This proposal of reduction of BCD on carrier grade ethernet switches will lead to decline in costs for setting up of data centres and for broadband roll outs and expansions of these services will become cheaper. This proposal is very timely as data centres are emerging as a key element of broadband communication infrastructure. Our Data Center market is growing and TRAI has estimated that this growth rate will be 11.4 per cent compounded annually. Reliance Jio, Adani Group, Facebook, Google and Microsoft may benefit because of the reduction in cost in setting up of Data Centres. Bharathnet will be the major beneficiary of this cut in custom duty as its expansion plans for providing broadband connectivity for Gram Panchayats will become cheaper.

For Domestic Industry Incentivisation, Rs 2006 crore is allotted. Last year the same was Rs 1540 crore. This increase in allotment will further stimulate domestic value addition. Under this head, provision for Technology Development and Investment Promotion is Rs 39.74 crore and provision for Productivity Linked Incentive (PLI) scheme is Rs 1966 crore. In the last year's budget, the allotment for the PLI scheme was Rs 1806 crore. The PLI scheme is to encourage the 'Make in India' initiative. BSNL has plans to offer FWA (Fixed Wireless Access) service in the 3.3 GHz band when it launches 5G service in SA (Stand Alone) mode. Airtel and JIO are already offering 5G FWA service. There is a lot of growth potential for this service in view of the high data consumption by the subscribers and vast geography of the country.

It is suggested that 5G FWA devices working in the Mid Band and High Band can be made in India and PLI scheme benefits can be extended to encourage the manufacturing of these devices. It is hoped that many Small-scale Entrepreneurs will come forward to manufacture these devices.

Basic Custom Duty (BCD) is exempted on various inputs, parts or sub-parts used in the manufacturing of Printed Circuit Board Assembly (PCBA), camera module, connectors and other specified parts of cellular mobile phones. BCD exemption has been extended on specified raw materials for the manufacture of telecommunication grade optical fibre cables to 31 March 2027 from 31 March 2025.

The initiative of increase in PLI allocation and exemption of BCD for the components will give fillip to smartphone manufacturing in India. Let us hope that our country will not only become 'Atma Nirbhar 'to meet domestic demands of smartphones in all the frequency bands of 4G/5G but also in a position to export to other countries, addressing the Trade Deficit issue .

Support to BSNL

For capital infusion to BSNL, Rs 33,758 crore is allotted. This fund will be utilised for technology upgradation. Compared to last year, this allotment is 59 per cent less. Lower allocation in the 25-26 budget compared to last year's budget implies that support from the government to BSNL will increasingly be need based and focussed. For the last 3 years, the government has invested a considerable amount in BSNL and now it wants BSNL to become viable and efficient. For the Implementation of VRS only Rs 0.01 cr is allotted, which means that there may not be second VRS in BSNL/ MTNL. As Viability Gap Funding Rs 1200 crore is allotted (for providing grant in aid to BSNL towards unviable rural wireline operations for 2014-15 to 2020-2021 period).

Allotment to other units

For providing Financial relief/capital infusion to ITI, Rs 106 crore is allotted. Capital outlay on other communication services is Rs 49,439 crore. Capital outlay on NE area is Rs 2346 crore.

Way forward

Indian telecom is the world's largest, with a subscriber base of 120 crores and has high data consumption. It is contributing about 6 per cent to our country's GDP and so it is a key driver of the economy. It is hoped that the above budget proposals will help the telecom sector to grow offering good Quality of service. It is also expected that with the security measures put in place by the government, the cyber frauds will come down. Let us also hope that BSNL will meet the expectations of the government by launching quality 4G/5G services quickly and attracting customers to its fold.

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Two flights rerouted to Madurai following tech issues at Trivandrum airport

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Two flights rerouted to Madurai following tech issues at Trivandrum airport

Madurai: Two flights from Bengaluru and Mumbai made an emergency landing at the Madurai airport following the malfunction of runway lights at the Thiruvananthapuram airport late on Sunday. Sources said that around 7.45pm, the Bengaluru — Thiruvananthapuram flight with 172 passengers, including West Bengal Governor C V Ananda Bose, made an emergency landing at the Madurai airport, and resumed its journey to Thiruvananthapuram by 8.05pm. A Mumbai — Thiruvananthapuram flight made an emergency landing in Madurai and proceeded to its destination by 8.30pm. ENS

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2nd batch of US deportees also chained on-board flight

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2nd batch of US deportees also chained on-board flight

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AMRITSAR: The second US military aircraft carrying deported Indian migrants landed in Amritsar late on Saturday with 117 people in shackles, those who were on board said on Sunday, describing conditions that government officials previously said would be raised with their American counterparts.

"Our legs were chained and hands were also cuffed," Harjit Singh told reporters at his village Khanowal Bohri in Gurdaspur district, describing how he and his cousin Harjot Singh were among those deported. He said they were "badly thrashed in jungles of Panama" and forced at gunpoint by mafia members during their journey.

The C-17 Globemaster jet landed around 11.30pm carrying 65 people from Punjab, 33 from Haryana, eight from Gujarat, two each from Uttar Pradesh,

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Police escort deportees to a vehicle after their arrival at the Ahmedabad airport in Gujarat on Sunday. PTI

ON FEB 7, MILITARY PLANE BROUGHT BACK 104 PEOPLE, INCLUDING KIDS

charan Singh Grewal, announcing plans to approach the US government directly if Indian authorities failed to address the issue.

To be sure, the government has said the restraints are part of the protocol US authorities have followed for years while deporting people.

Another deportee, Daljit Singh of Kurala Kalan village in Punjab's Hoshiarpur district, told news agency PTI that the women and children on the flight were not put in restraints.

Separately, two of the deportees who landed on Saturday's flight Sandeep Singh and Pradeep Singh, have been arrested in connection with a murder case. Patiala police said both cousins were wanted in a murder case registered in 2023 in Rajpura town of Patiala district. "Both the accused had then been booked under Sections 302, 307, 323, 506, 148 and 149 of the Indian Penal Code (IPC) in the murder case registered on June 26, 2023," senior SSP, Nanak Singh, said.

Punjab chief minister Bhagwant Singh Mann, who arrived in Amritsar on Friday to oversee arrangements, strongly criticised both the deportation conditions and the choice of landing site. Speaking at the airport hours before the flight's arrival, Mann warned against turning Amritsar, home to sacred sites like Sri Harmandar Sahib and Jallianwala Bagh, into a "detention or deportee centre."

Shiromani Akali Dal leader Bikram Singh Majithia criticised Mann's response over the turban issue: "Bhagwant Mann and his ministers are playing to the gallery on deportation of Youth from USA. But shockingly and shamelessly they are silent on bringing Sikh youth bare head without turbans."

Congress MP Gurjeet Singh Aujla called for focus on rehabilitation. "People who went abroad after investing lakhs of rupees are now having to return. Their rehabilitation should be talked about," Aujla said, urging the government to "ensure that youngsters don't have to go abroad in search of work." He suggested India send its own chartered planes for more dignified returns.

The landing was the second such deportation flight, with a third expected later on Sunday. On February 7, the first such military plane brought back 104 people, including children as young as four. State officials have deployed personnel to facilitate the returnees' journey to their respective districts, with the government arranging boarding and lodging facilities at the airport.

U.S. DEPORTEES

Goa, Maharashtra and Rajasthan, and one each from Himachal Pradesh and Jammu & Kashmir.

The cousins' journey, costing ₹45 lakh each, began on October 13 last year. "We sold out our 3 acre agrarian land, a residential plot and a car and got loan to arrange ₹90 lakh to make payment of the agent who is resident of nearby town Kalanaur and currently residing in US," Harjit said. They finally crossed the US border on January 27.

Harjit described severe mistreatment in US detention: "I was also beaten up and tortured in detention camp in the US. In naked condition, I was detained in an air-conditioned room for 24 hours." His cousin Harjot remains in deep shock and is not speaking to anyone.

The treatment of Sikh deportees has sparked particular outrage. The Shiromani Gurdwara Parbandhak Committee (SGPC) had to provide turbans to several deportees at the airport. "Deporting Sikhs bare head is highly condemnable," said SGPC member and former general secretary Gur-

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Tracking liveability index of financial capital

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A monthly data dive into how the city is doing on 8 aspects that define quality of life for a citizen. Where are they improving, where are they worsening? By **howindialives.com**

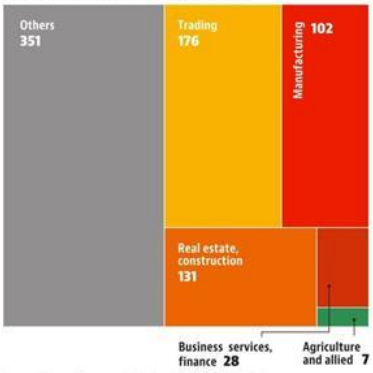
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New Businesses

New company registrations in Mumbai rebounded and rose for the third straight month in December.



New company registrations in January by sector



Source: Ministry of Corporate Affairs, howindialives.com calculations



The number of domestic flights fell 3% in November 2024, compared to the previous year

Here is this month's dashboard that tracks several facets that make up the life of the average Mumbai resident using government data.

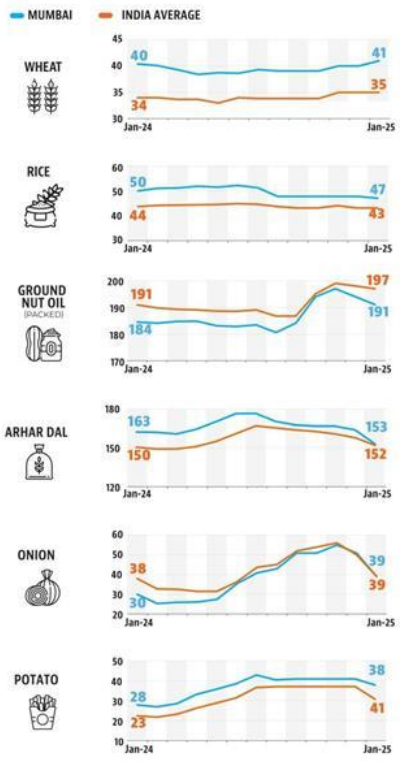
The dashboard shows public aspects: air quality, prices of food items, vehicle registrations, air traffic and new businesses in the city.

On this page, every month, you will find data on how the prices of key food items are moving in the city, compared to the rest of India; how many new companies are being set up in the city and in which sector; how many new vehicles are being registered in the city, whether air traffic is increasing or decreasing and how breathable the city's air has been for the past month.

This will not be a static exercise. We will constantly track public data to look for new sources of information and new ways of capturing information. The idea is to give you, a citizen of Mumbai, a data prism to look at all things that define your quality of life.

Food Items

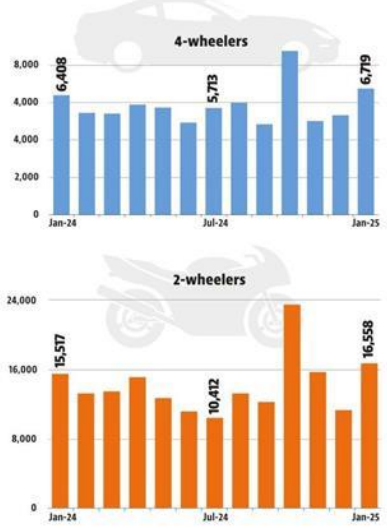
Prices of 3 of the 6 food commodities tracked in Mumbai fell in December, while prices of the other 3 remained unchanged.



Note: All figures are Rs per kg. State averages used for city.
Source: Department of Consumer Affairs

New Vehicle Registrations

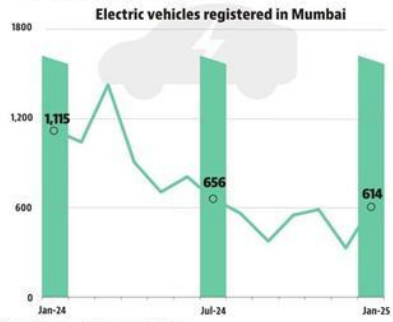
After a Diwali surge in October, 4- and 2-wheeler registrations fell 2-4% on a y-o-y basis in December.



Note: Data for two-wheelers and four-wheelers for personal use (as opposed to comercial use)
Source: Vahan, howindialives.com calculations

Electric Vehicles

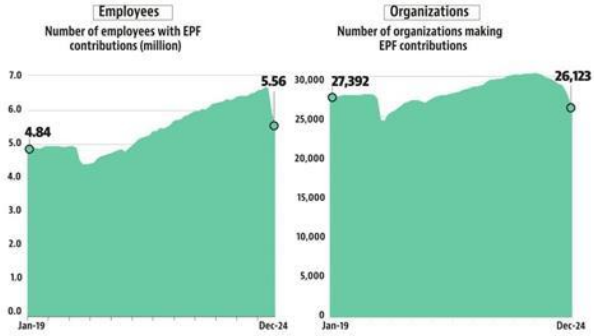
The number of new EVs registered in December 2024 fell to its lowest levels in the past year.



Source: Vahan, howindialives.com calculations

Formal Sector Jobs

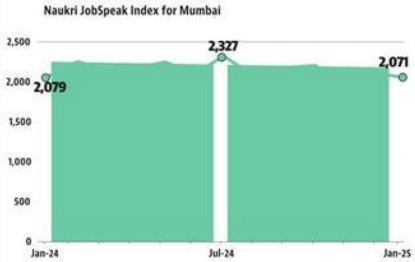
In November 2021, 27,711 organizations registered in Mumbai deposited provident fund on behalf of their 5.23 million employees. In the past three years, this total count of employees has increased by about 5%.



Source: Employees' Provident Fund Organisation (EPFO), howindialives.com calculations

Job Postings

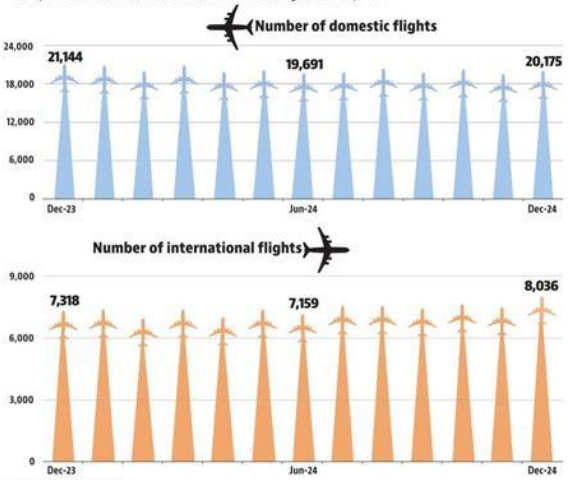
After registering its lowest levels in the past year in November, an index capturing the supply of new jobs in Mumbai rebounded in December.



Note: The monthly Naukri JobSpeak Index is a measure of hiring activity based on job listings posted on Naukri.com by its clients. July 2008 is taken as the base, with an index value of 1,000, and values for subsequent months are calibrated to it. The index does not cover gig employment, hyperlocal hiring and campus placement.
Source: Naukri.com

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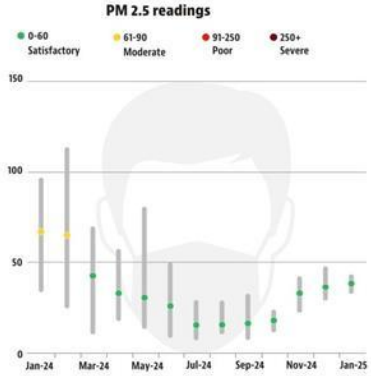
In November 2024, the number of domestic flights from Mumbai fell 3% compared to November 2023 levels. International flights were up 7%.



Source: Airports Authority of India

Air Quality

For the tenth straight month, average air quality in Mumbai remained in the 'satisfactory' zone.



Note: 1. We took daily values for the station at Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj International Airport at 4 PM. Thus, the median value for a month is the daily value where the number of days above it equals the number of days below it. 2. PM 25, also a part of AQI calculation, is a prominent pollutant. The particles are fine and can only be detected with an electron microscope.
Source: Central Pollution Control Board

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BEST: Crisis on wheels

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BEST: CRISIS ON WHEELS

The Brihanmumbai Electric Supply and Transport Undertaking, which once served as India's most efficient intracity public transport system, now faces an unprecedented crisis. It is grappling with a decline in passenger numbers, rising accident rates, and a reluctance among top bureaucrats to lead the organisation. SIDDHANT KONDUSKAR delves into the challenges hindering BEST's ability to adapt and meet the evolving needs of a fast-expanding city.

MUMBAI'S ICONIC red buses, once the backbone of the city's public transport network that served millions of commuters daily, had a fleet of 4,288 vehicles that carried over five million passengers at its peak. Today, both passenger numbers and the fleet size are declining sharply. At present, 3.1 million passengers rely on a fleet of 2,816 buses, of which only 847 are owned by BEST, with the rest on wet lease model.

With fewer buses on the roads, passengers face longer wait times and overcrowded vehicles. "Many buses arrive full, forcing us to wait for the next one, which again is overcrowded. This cycle of overcrowding and delays has been going on for years," said Vaishnavi Bhosle, a regular commuter from Andheri.

Mumbai's growing population — now at 20 million — pushes for a boost in public transportation. However, the gap between the population and BEST fleet size has only been widening, with the number of buses now at 847, which is woefully inadequate for the city's size. In 2014, when the fleet stood at 4,288 buses, Mumbai's population was around 18 to 19 million.

"Now it is fewer vehicles for a larger number of passengers. Commuters are left with overcrowded buses, long wait times, and delays," said an expert.

According to data from BEST, it has been scrapping buses at a much faster rate than the rate at which it has been adding new ones. Over the past five years, the organisation has scrapped 2,160 buses while it added 37 new buses to its fleet.

In 2010-2011, each BEST bus carried an average of 935 passengers per day. By 2024-2025, that figure had risen to 1,037 passengers per day, underscoring the urgent need to strengthen the fleet and address these growing concerns.

Many commuters are now forced to bear the financial strain of other public or private transport. "A BEST bus ride from Santacruz Depot to my office in Kala Nagar costs me Rs 6, but long waits often force me to take a rickshaw or cab, easily costing five times more," said Anuj Singh, 26, a copywriter who depends on BEST bus regularly for his commute daily between Santacruz and Bandra.

Wet-lease buses

In an effort to address the growing demand for public transport, BEST turned to wet-leasing buses in 2019. This practice involves outsourcing the operation and maintenance of buses to private contractors, while BEST retains the responsibility for the service. Under this arrangement, contractors provide buses, drivers, and maintenance, but BEST continues to control the routes.

At present, around 1,900 buses are leased under these contracts. Initially introduced as a temporary solution to ease BEST's financial strain, the wet-lease model has become a fixture in the system and is now considered a major contributor to its decline.

"Wet-leased buses are often poorly maintained, and the drivers lack adequate training. Many are underpaid, earning significantly lower than what BEST's permanent drivers make," said Suhas Samant, leader of the BEST Workers' Union. While permanent drivers earn Rs 34,000 plus benefits, wet-leased bus drivers receive only about Rs 22,500 per month.

The wet-lease buses have also been involved in several accidents, rising concerns about public safety. Additionally, frequent strikes by employees of wet-lease contractors have disrupted services, leaving passengers stranded during peak hours.

A significant portion of the fleet now consists of wet-lease buses, which do not undergo the same level of oversight and maintenance as BEST-owned buses. As a result, these buses are often in poor condition, with faulty engines, worn-out brakes, and other mechanical issues, leading to accidents, some of which have been fatal.

In an accident in Kurla on December 9, 2024, the driver of a wet-lease bus lost control of the vehicle, resulting in the deaths of 10 pedestrians and injuries to 40 others. The incident sparked concerns about the safety standards of wet-lease buses and the need to re-evaluate the system.

"Wet-lease drivers, often hired on short-term contracts, do not receive the same level of training as BEST's permanent drivers who undergo extensive training in road safety and vehicle maintenance," said Samant.

Another key administrative issue affecting BEST is the failure of wet-lease contractors to supply the agreed number of buses, creating a gap between orders placed and actual deliveries. Despite placing regular orders, the contractors have been unable to meet the supply commitments, which has disrupted fleet expansion, financial planning and daily operations.

Of the 2,100 electric buses scheduled for delivery by August 2023, BEST received only 185 from EveyTrans Private Ltd, despite paying Rs 205.8 crore in advance. The company, a subsidiary of Megha Engineering and Infrastructure Limited (MEIL), cited spare part shortages as the reason for delays.

"Contractors failing to meet supply commitments impacts operations, but the administration's lack of strict enforcement also worsens the issue," said an expert.

A trade-off

The cost structure of operating buses, whether owned or leased, has put a strain on the finances of the Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation (BMC), which funds BEST's operations. The inability to secure the necessary funds for a new fleet has worsened the situation, as the costs of maintaining and operating an older, smaller fleet have escalated.

According to officials, the cost of running a self-owned bus is approximately Rs 180 per kilometre, while a wet-leased bus costs Rs 120 per kilometre. Although wet-lease buses may appear cheaper, this cost-saving comes at the expense of service quality. The savings in operational costs are undermined by the increased frequency of bus breakdowns, accidents, and service disruptions, ultimately impacting commuters.

The situation is compounded by the increasing reliance on wet-lease contractors. While these agreements may offer short-term financial relief, they have long-term financial consequences.

"There are inherent issues with BEST's wet-lease model, where contractors, in an attempt to maximise profits, compromise on operational costs, ultimately affecting the quality of service. While this model was introduced with the pretext of cutting BEST's so-called losses, now it is evident that it is not working," said Hussain Indorewala, co-convenor of Aamchi Mumbai Aamchi BEST.

The BMC's budget for public transport remains inadequate to meet growing demand, according to union leaders who claim insufficient funding has led to the decline of BEST services. "Despite promises to form a committee to address the fleet crisis, no financial commitment has been made to increase the fleet size to 3,337 buses, as outlined in the 2019 MoU between BEST management and unions. This has left BEST struggling with a shrinking fleet and rising operational costs," said Ashish Chemburkar, BEST Committee former chairman.

On the other hand, BMC Commissioner Bhushan Gagrani said, "The BMC recognises its moral and statutory responsibility to financially support BEST. Last year, we allocated Rs 850 crore... However, like other public transport systems, BEST is not financially feasible. While we can provide funding as needed, the fleet-related challenges must be addressed by BEST directly." This year the BMC allocated Rs 1,250 crore out of their Rs 74,427 crore budget for 2025-26. This includes Rs 1,000 crore from BMC's civic budget and an additional Rs 250 crore sanctioned by the 15th Finance Commission for electric bus procurement.

"In Mumbai, public transport such as trains and buses is in high demand, yet the government focuses on luxury projects like Metros and coastal roads, which lack the same demand. BEST must buy and operate its own buses, as it is a public service, not an opportunity for private contractors," added Indorewala.

Budget woes

Despite facing a severe financial crisis, BEST has received only Rs 1,250 crore in the BMC's Rs 74,427-crore budget for 2025-'26. This includes Rs 1,000 crore from BMC's civic budget and Rs 250 crore from the 15th Finance Commission for electric bus procurement.

Suhas Nalawade, former assistant general manager of BEST, emphasised that budget allocations must account for the department's income, expenditure, and operational losses. "The BMC should consider the gap between BEST's income and expenditure while deciding the grant. Ideally, the operational losses should define the amount allocated," he said.

According to Nalawade, BEST incurs a monthly operational loss of Rs 200 crore, and stabilising it would require at least Rs 9,500 crore. The estimated annual expenditure for 2025-'26 stands at Rs 4,518.34 crore, up from Rs 3,427.77 crore in 2024-'25, making the current allocation grossly insufficient.

Experts argue that BEST needs structured financial support rather than just grants. "BEST is being reduced to a Metro feeder service rather than a vital public transport provider. Its financial crisis escalated after the transport and electricity divisions split, and wet-leasing worsened the deficit. Instead of temporary grants, BMC must fully integrate BEST into its core public service framework and budget," said Indorewala.

A senior BEST official, requesting anonymity, pointed out, "Even though the amount appears large, it may not be enough to address even a single major issue. But something is better than nothing." The current allocation, while slightly higher than last year's, does little to address its long-term sustainability or growing challenges.

BEST continues to face financial challenges as it provides bus services at some of the lowest fares in the city. The minimum ticket fare for an air-conditioned bus is Rs 6, while the maximum is Rs 18, making BEST one of the most affordable modes of transport for commuters. For the financial year 2025-26, BEST's total expenditure is projected at Rs 4,518.34 crore, while its revenue from passenger ticket sales is estimated at Rs 2,160.11 crore — just 47.80 per cent of the total expenses. This significant gap between revenue and expenditure adds to the financial strain on the transport body.

As part of its fleet modernisation plans, BEST is phasing out older, non-air-conditioned metal buses and replacing them with new AC buses. While this move aims to enhance commuter experience, it also increases operational costs. In addition to fleet expansion, the undertaking must also manage expenses related to employee salaries, gratuity, bus maintenance and fuel costs. Even if the fleet is depleting, there are about 6,337 drivers and 7,724 conductors working for BEST apart from 5,242 drivers and 2,156 conductors working under the wet-lease model.

With revenue from fares failing to cover even half of its operational costs, sustaining the transport service while ensuring financial stability remains a key challenge for BEST. The increasing financial burden has made it difficult for the undertaking to maximise profits and maintain operational efficiency.

Need for a stable GM

The BEST undertaking has seen five general managers in four years, raising concerns over its stability. After Surendra Kumar Bagde's tenure (2017-2021), Lokesh Chandra took over until 2023, when he swapped roles with Vijay Singhal. Singhal was transferred within months, making way for Anil Diggikar, who also had a short tenure. Harshdeep Kamble was appointed but did not assume charge. On February 6, SVR Srinivas, CEO of the Dharavi Redevelopment Project, was given an additional charge. Experts stress the need for consistent leadership to address BEST's financial and operational challenges.

"The BEST undertaking urgently needs a stable leadership. The role of GM is now seen as a punishment posting, with officials seeking transfers soon after appointment instead of focusing on improving the system. The government must introduce a fixed tenure for the position to ensure continuity and revive BEST to its former status," said Chemburkar.



The gap between the population and BEST fleet size has been widening, with the number of buses now at 847, which is woefully inadequate for the city's size. *Sankhadeep Banerjee*

THE SHRINKING FLEET

Year	No. of BEST-owned buses	No. of wet lease buses	Total Fleet
2014	4,288	-	4,288
2015	4,167	-	4,167
2016	3,963	-	3,963
2017	3,749	-	3,749
2018	3,310	100	3,410
2019	3,207	280	3,487
2020	3,362	213	3,575
2021	1,979	1,390	3,369
2022	1,873	1,722	3,595
2023	1,381	1,671	3,052
2024*	847	1,969	2,816

*to date; Data from BEST engineering and traffic dept



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With NMIA, India is set to create a benchmark

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'With NMIA, India is set to create a benchmark'

Dhairya Gajara
MUMBAI



The Navi Mumbai International Airport (NMIA), which completed its commercial flight validation test in December, is expected to change the future of air connectivity for the Mumbai Metropolitan Region. **Cristiano Ceccato,** director of London-based Zaha Hadid Architects, which designed NMIA, spoke to The Free Press Journal's Dhairya Gajara. Excerpts from the e-mail interview:

Q. The construction of NMIA will be executed in multiple phases. According to the design plan, what will each phase contain and by when is the construction expected to conclude?
A. NMIA will be executed in 3 phases. Terminal 1, which is currently under construction, will handle 20 million annual passengers (MAP) and will open by 2026. Terminal 2 is expected to open by 2030. This is the flagship terminal at the top end of the airport precinct and will be larger, handling 30 MAP and will have a substantial landside development. Terminal 3 will effectively be a mirror of Terminal 1.

Q. What inspired the architectural concept for NMIA, particularly the lotus-shaped terminals? And how does the design integrate Indian cultural elements while maintaining modern functionality?
A. An airport terminal is first and foremost a functional building, with the layout driven by operational requirements. The lotus flower was the basis of inspiration both for the frontage of the terminals and for the main interior columns. Throughout the building, colours, materials, textures and patterns are drawn from the heritage of India and re-interpreted in a contemporary design language that befits a state-of-the-art airport terminal.

Q. NMIA is being constructed on a huge piece of land ranging to 1160 hectares. What is the plan to make out the most from the land?
A. Aside from the terminal itself, an airport has significant land requirements on the airside (aprons, taxiways, runways, parking stands) including ancillary facilities such as cargo, maintenance, and repair operations. Equally significant is the landside requirement, which includes transportation, parking, hotels, and other installations, which are also investment opportunities for property developers.

Q. What is the plan for the three interconnected terminal buildings and how will they serve different purposes?
A. Each terminal will have both domestic and international facilities. As the project grows, there may be dedicated services for different airlines and alliances, and also the possible allocation of one of the smaller terminals to low-cost carriers.

Q. The air traffic control tower at NMIA is said to be the most modern ATC tower. How is it special from the design perspective?
The design of the ATC tower reflects the overall airport architecture. Given general height restrictions at any airport due to flight operations, the ATC tower is typically the major beacon that signals the airport's presence from a distance. As such, it is an iconic vertical counterpoint to the horizontality of the terminal buildings. Technically, the ATC tower is designed to the most current ATC planning requirements, including the integration of camera-based virtual ATC systems.

Q. Can you elaborate on the technological advancements integrated into the airport, such as AI-driven passenger flow optimisation?
A. In airport planning, all flows are planned in accordance with international standards, such as those defined by IATA, and client-specific requirements. At ZHA, we have an in-house AI team that focuses, amongst others, on the computational analysis and optimisation of passenger flows, in conjunction with industry-standard simulation techniques.

Q. How do you see this project influencing future airport designs and infrastructure development in India and globally?
A. Airport architecture has progressed beyond the generic glass-and-steel designs of the past 30 years. Increasingly, airports are seen as true gateways to a nation and are almost always the first point of contact for visitors to a country they have never visited. With NMIA, India is set to create a benchmark for such global gateways with a contemporary, world-class airport that is nonetheless quintessentially Indian.

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Modi played a weak hand in Donald Trump durbar

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Apart from seeking lower tariffs, the head of the world's most powerful government, with an economy whose per capita income is over 10 times that of India's, ensured commitments to purchase more defence equipment

The only thing remarkable about Prime Minister Narendra Modi's hastily prepared visit to Washington D.C. was the fact that he had two interactions with the media. A rarity for Mr Modi. As it turns out, Indian diplomats managed to keep all independent-minded Indian journalists out of the room and squeezed in friendly ones who managed to embarrass the profession with servile behaviour and inane questions. If one Indian journalist used up her time to praise President Donald Trump, another was snubbed by the President who said he did not understand what was said and moved on.

The fact is that Washington D.C. is one of the rare capitals in the world that has a few competent Indian correspondents such as a veteran like Chidanand Rajghatta. Most major capitals around the world have no representation from the Indian media. In the past this vacuum was filled by the Prime Minister allowing senior and highly regarded Indian journalists to travel in the PM's plane. Tough questions would be asked and news worthy of publication would emanate. Mr Modi ended this practice along with refusing to freely interact with the media overseas.

Getting Mr Modi to face the media, albeit selected Indians, was not the only burden that President Trump imposed on his visitor. The day the two met began with the President announcing reciprocal tariffs that would hit Indian exports and force India to further bring down its tariff barriers. A reduction in customs duties is an advisable policy intervention that many, including Prime Minister Modi's close advisers, have long recommended but the BJP has been reluctant to bite this bullet. Now, under pressure from Mr Trump, some action may well be forthcoming. Already the Union Budget had taken some pre-emptive action, but President Trump wants more.

Apart from seeking lower tariffs, the head of the world's most powerful government, with an economy whose per capita income is more than ten times that of India's, also ensured commitments from India to purchase more defence equipment. What in turn did he do for his visitor? One could view the temporary suspension of the US Foreign Corrupt Practices Act (FCPA) as a huge favour, given that it immediately and directly benefits an Indian billionaire. The FCPA was enacted in 1977 aimed at preventing US firms from bribing foreign government officials to help secure business overseas.

President Trump was right to say that the FCPA had handicapped US firms overseas given that most other governments had no such constraints and were happily bribing overseas officials to secure business for their firms. However, ever since the term of the late Jimmy Carter, when the FCPA was introduced, the US prided itself in not deploying bribes overseas to secure business for its firms. The fact is that the US had and deployed other means to secure business overseas when it wanted to. However, as US firms lost competitiveness, they found themselves at a disadvantage in this regard.

The case relating to the Indian billionaire Gautam Adani points to favours done to the former government of Andhra Pradesh in return for business advantage secured in which a US firm was also involved. Mr Adani was charged with wrongdoing under the FCPA by the US Securities and Exchange Commission. Curiously, neither the Government of India nor the present state government in Andhra Pradesh has acted on the charges made. It has been business as usual in India and now it will be business as usual in the US. That's a huge favour to a private individual in India from President Trump and he has managed to get defence purchase orders from the Indian government in exchange.

In the week that Prime Minister Modi was visiting Washington, the Trump administration made a startling move reaching out to both China and Russia. While President Vladimir Putin has invited both President Xi Jinping and President Trump to Moscow, as guests at the 80th anniversary celebrations of the Victory in Europe Day in May, President Xi Jinping has invited Mr Putin and Mr Trump to Beijing. There's a threesome in the making, and geopolitical analysts have all become excited recalling Yalta. The Yalta conference of February 1945 was a meeting of US President Franklin D. Roosevelt, the then Soviet Union's dictator Josef Stalin and British Prime Minister Winston Churchill. Between the three — the victors of the Second World War — they agreed to the terms on which peace would be restored.

A Trump-Xi-Putin summit could help resolve the wars in Europe and Middle East but to imagine that they would define a new world order in the manner that FDR, Stalin and Churchill did is a bit fanciful. Of course, they could if leaders of countries like India, Brazil, France, Germany, Japan, Indonesia, South Africa and so on fall in line like the rest of the world did in 1945. Neither has the United States nor Russia nor indeed China won any war in 2025 for them to sit down in a Yalta-like conference to design the world for the 21st century.

Something has happened since 1945 that makes the world of 2025 very different. The US is defending its space. Russia is trying to regain its lost space and China is expanding its space. Around all of them there are countries with a mind of their own and some bargaining capacity. The notion that the Big Three can sit down and agree that Greenland belongs to the US, Ukraine belongs to Russia and Taiwan belongs to China and then the rest of the world will fall in line and clap is bereft of a sense of history.

The free peoples of post-colonial nations as well as the middle powers around the world, including Germany, France, Japan and, hopefully India, would want to know where they stand in this so-called grand bargain of a Yalta 2.0. I say hopefully, because India has conveyed mixed signals in this past month. There has been avoidable nervousness on India's part in dealing with a Trump victory. The servility of the Indian media at the Trump-Modi press meetings may have convinced many that India is willing to bend, if not crawl.

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Can India become a global data centre hub

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Can India become a global data centre hub?

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Last month, Mukesh Ambani-led Reliance Industries Ltd announced plans to build what may become the world's largest data centre, at an estimated investment of $20-30 billion, marking RIL's formal entry into India's artificial intelligence (AI) infrastructure market, and aligning with the country's ambition to establish itself as a global data centre hub.

Data centres are physical facilities for storing, processing, and distributing digital data and applications. In the past few years, India has seen significant investments in data centres, driven by factors such as rising digital consumption, government initiatives, and the expansion of AI and cloud computing. According to CBRE, a global real estate consultancy, more than $60 billion in investment commitments were made between 2019 and 2024 to establish data centres, with over $19 billion in 2024 alone. Such investments could boost India's data centre capacity (expressed in megawatts and gigawatts to reflect energy dependence), which jumped from 877 MW in 2023 to an estimated 1,600 MW at the end of 2024, according to CBRE.

This will jump further as more investments pour in. Reliance alone is planning a capacity of 3 GW (1 GW = 1,000 MW). Scale aside, there are two points worth noting in the Reliance announcement. First, Reliance is building its data centre not in one of India's traditional IT hotspots, but in Jamnagar, Gujarat. And second, it has committed to using green energy to power its infrastructure. These reflect a broader trend, driven by two critical and interconnected issues facing the data centre industry: location and resources.

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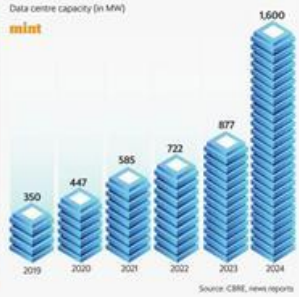
Investments worth about $45 billion are planned for data centres in India

Investment commitments made in 2024 and 2025 (in $ billion)



Data centre capacity in India nearly doubled in 2024

Data centre capacity (in MW)



Source: CBRE, news reports

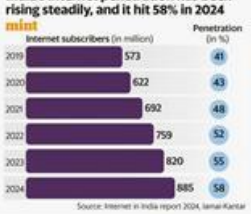
India's Digital Drive

INDIA HAS seen its digital consumption spike, driven by usage of internet and smartphones. Active internet user numbers in India rose to about 885 million in 2024 from 573 million in 2019, as per an Iamai-Kantar report. Penetration was at 58%.

India's average monthly mobile data usage may touch 33-35GB by 2025-26 from 24GB at the end of 2023-24, as per Crisil Ratings. As AI picks up in India, data usage is expected to grow further, pushing the need for more data centres.

India's push for data localization is also driving investments in domestic data centres. Reserve Bank of India has mandated that sensitive financial data be stored and processed within the country's borders, while the Personal Data Protection Bill emphasizes local data-storage requirements. Beyond regulatory compliance, local data storage also offers practical benefits, including reduced network latency and better processing speeds.

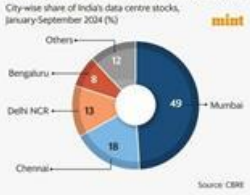
India's internet penetration has been rising steadily, and it hit 58% in 2024



Source: Internet in India report 2024, Iamai-Kantar

Mumbai and Chennai account for nearly 70% of India's data centre stocks

City-wise share of India's data centre stocks, January-September 2024 (%)



Source: CBRE

Cables vs Consumption

BIG CITIES, led by Mumbai, dominate India's data centre landscape. Mumbai has 49% of them, followed by Chennai's 18%, says CBRE. These two cities also have the highest concentration of landing points of undersea cables in India, connecting them to key cities in South-east Asia, West Asia, East Africa, and Europe, says a report by Avendus. Bengaluru and Delhi, which follow, are traditionally strong in information technology.

But India's tier-II and tier-III cities are also gaining traction, driven by lower real estate costs, improved infrastructure, and increasing digital penetration. Rural India has led urban India in active internet users since 2021, with 488 million rural versus 397 million urban users in 2024, the Iamai-Kantar report said. "While hyperscale data centres will still manage the brunt work of the cloud, the data requirements of tier II cities are on the rise on account of a decentralized workforce," Avendus said in its report.

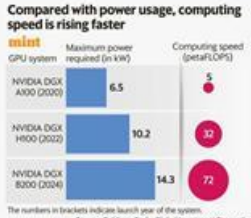
Power Plays

GLOBALLY, HIGH power consumption by data centres is a worry. The International Energy Agency said in a report last year that data centres accounted for 1-1.3% of total global power usage. India will face questions about how it will meet higher power demand, as it looks to become a global data centre hub.

Newer graphic processing units, or GPUs, and servers can help reduce power usage, but current efforts on renewable energy use on data centres may not suffice. "...scaling up AI has the potential to start a bidding war for minerals, land, and water, driving up prices for essential resources," the economic survey has said. As groups such as Reliance and Adani expand presence in the data centre ecosystem, such interplays may come into the frame.

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Compared with power usage, computing speed is rising faster



The numbers in brackets indicate launch year of the system.

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INDIA INC PROFITS CRAWL AS SALES STAY SLUGGISH

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India Inc profits crawl as sales stay sluggish

But operating profit margin of 28.7% the best in 21 quarters

KRISHNA KANT
Mumbai, 16 February

Corporate India's struggle with subdued revenue and earnings growth persisted in the October-December quarter of 2024-25 (Q3FY25).

The combined net sales (gross interest earnings for lenders) of listed companies grew in single digits for the seventh consecutive quarter, while their combined net profit rose by a single digit for the third straight quarter. Total net earnings of 3,618 listed companies increased 6.2 per cent year-on-year (Y-o-Y) to approximately ₹3.47 trillion, while net revenue rose 7 per cent Y-o-Y to about ₹37.73 trillion in Q3FY25.

With this, listed firms' combined net profit rose 4.9 per cent Y-o-Y in the first nine months of FY25 (April-December 2024), against 27.4 per cent earnings growth in FY24 (full year). Their net sales climbed 7.2 per cent Y-o-Y in 9MFY25, a slight improvement from the 6.8 per cent Y-o-Y growth in the entire FY24.

Overall earnings growth was primarily driven by improved margins, as manufacturing firms benefited from lower raw material, energy, and interest costs. However, banks and non-banking financial companies (NBFCs) saw margin compression due to rising interest expenses outpacing gross interest income.

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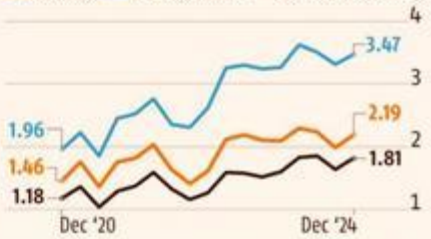
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Pharmaceutical	9.8	22.7
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KRISHNA KANT
Mumbai, 16 February

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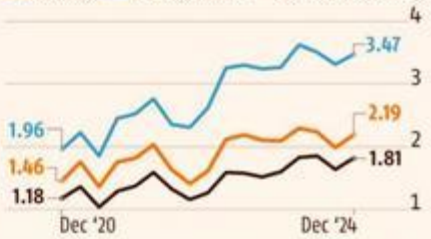
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Meet Goradia, Chief Operating Officer, Refex Group

"Business ethics has never been an easy conversation, but we have seen remarkable progress through consultation and collaboration. We aim to create a platform for stakeholders to address systemic issues like corruption and promote open dialogue. Collective action is the only way forward"
Neha Das, Head, Asia & Oceania, United Nations Global Compact

"Integrity begins with individual actions and must be embedded in our daily work. While governance discussions often focus on governments, the private sector has a crucial role in shaping transparency and accountability. Initiatives like the Siemens Integrity Initiative and global collaborations with GCN India are steps toward meaningful change"
Sankar Balasubramanian, Regional Compliance Officer, Siemens

"Governance is now at the centre of business conversations, and our journey in this space will continue with even greater determination. The next frontier is engaging students and future leaders. We encourage sharing knowledge within communities because ethical leadership starts with awareness and action"
Ratnesh, Executive Director, UN Global Compact Network India

"MSMEs are the backbone of India's economy, contributing over 40% to the manufacturing sector. With more than 50 million registered MSMEs, their impact is unthinkably vast. Recent budgetary boosts and policy changes provide a much-needed push, but protecting and integrating micro-industries into the ESG framework is crucial for sustainable growth"
Rajiv Chawla, Chairman, IamSMEofIndia





BUSINESS INTEGRITY CONCLAVE 2025

Champions Ethical & Resilient Business Practices

The inaugural Business Integrity Conclave, hosted by the United Nations Global Compact Network India (UN GCNI) at The Leela Palace, Chennai, brought together global business leaders, policymakers, and compliance experts to foster ethical, resilient, and responsible business practices. Under the theme "Shaping the Future: Collective Action for Ethical, Resilient, and Responsible Business Practices," the conclave served as a high-impact platform for discussions on governance, risk management, ethical healthcare collaborations, and ESG integration into corporate strategies. Integrity, transparency, and sustainability are no longer regulatory obligations alone—they are the foundation of corporate resilience. In an era of increasing regulatory scrutiny and stakeholder expectations, businesses must prioritize compliance, ethical leadership, and governance frameworks to safeguard their long-term growth.





Strengthening Governance and Business Integrity

The conclave commenced with an insightful inaugural session where industry leaders emphasized the importance of corporate governance in ensuring business credibility and long-term sustainability. Chetan Goradia, COO of Refex Group, highlighted governance as a cornerstone of corporate resilience, while Neha Das, Head of Asia & Oceania, UN Global Compact, stressed the need for businesses to embrace ethical accountability. Siemens' Regional Compliance Officer, Sankar Balasubramanian, reinforced the significance of proactive integrity frameworks in mitigating corruption risks. A key milestone was the Consensus Framework Inauguration, an initiative to align pharmaceutical companies, healthcare professionals, and other stakeholders through structured integrity measures. This framework aims to enhance accountability and transparency in healthcare collaborations.

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Ethical Business as a Pillar of Resilience

Discussions underscored how governance and compliance are essential for managing business risks, particularly for Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs). These enterprises, vital to India's economy, often face financial fraud, corruption, and operational disruptions due to limited compliance resources. Industry experts called for structured risk management frameworks, ethical decision-making, and policy interventions to support MSMEs in fostering transparency and sustainable growth. Similarly, the healthcare industry, which heavily relies on trust, must ensure transparency in clinical trials, research, and patient advocacy. Pharmaceutical leaders and compliance officers explored ethical collaboration strategies that balance innovation with accessibility. Experts stressed the importance of consensus frameworks in promoting ethical standards, equitable healthcare and responsible research practices.

Revolutionizing Compliance: Making Training Engaging and Interactive

Anand Guruswamy, Senior General Manager - Compliance (India and Sri Lanka), Siemens Gamesa, delivered an engaging presentation highlighting that compliance can be both dynamic and engaging. He introduced innovative and interactive methods to enhance compliance training, making it more effective. By incorporating gamification and real-world scenarios, he illustrated how organizations can create an immersive and impactful compliance education experience.

Embedding Governance in ESG for Sustainable Growth

A major focus of the conclave was the role of governance in driving Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) initiatives. While environmental and social factors are crucial, governance serves as the foundation for ethical and sustainable business practices. The discussions emphasized that without robust corporate governance, businesses cannot effectively implement sustainability strategies. Experts shared real-world examples of organizations that have successfully aligned governance frameworks with sustainability goals, reinforcing the need for greater transparency, anti-corruption measures, and responsible leadership in corporate decision-making.

Moving Forward: A Culture of Integrity

The Business Integrity Conclave 2025 concluded with a reaffirmation of UN GCNI's commitment to fostering ethical leadership and governance. Ratnesh Jha, Executive Director of UN GCNI, emphasized the organization's mission to drive collective action for integrity in business. Ganesh Reddy, Joint Secretary of UN GCNI & Founder of Citizens Foundation, extended gratitude to the speakers and participants, highlighting that the insights shared will shape a future where transparency, accountability, and sustainability remain paramount.

This landmark conclave established that business integrity is not just a regulatory requirement—it is a competitive advantage. Companies prioritizing ethical governance, proactive risk management, and ESG integration will be best positioned to navigate the evolving business landscape. The discussions initiated at the conclave will serve as a crucial foundation for shaping a more responsible, transparent, and resilient corporate ecosystem.



"Policymakers must ensure a conducive environment for MSMEs to thrive. Factors like demonetization, GST, and global tariff policies have disproportionately affected small industries. India's MSMEs need collaborative efforts, better resource utilization, and strategic policy interventions to remain competitive in a rapidly evolving global market"
Prof. Sunil Ashra,
Professor of Economics & Public Policy, MDI - Gurgaon



"Quality and reputation are essential for MSME growth. Without a strong brand image, attracting talent and investment becomes difficult. Learning from global case studies, MSMEs must adopt new technologies and ensure consistency to build resilience and long-term success"
S. Santhosh, General Manager - Operations, Crescent Innovation & Incubation Council (CIIC)



"MSMEs are among the largest job creators, yet they struggle with resource access, skilled manpower retention, and operational challenges. Women entrepreneurs, in particular, face additional barriers due to gender biases. Addressing these issues through structured support and better networking opportunities is critical for inclusive economic growth"
Aparna RamMohan,
Co-Founder and Director, Srisattva Group



"Collective action is key to fostering ethical business collaborations. The United Nations Global Compact actively supports initiatives that promote transparency, accountability, and trust. True transformation happens when businesses take responsibility beyond compliance and drive ethical change at all levels"
Teresa Cantú, Partner Director, CARE Abogodas



"Patients must remain at the centre of healthcare collaborations. Doctors, pharmaceuticals, compliance professionals, and every stakeholder play a crucial role in ensuring ethical, research-driven innovation. However, challenges like clinical trial dropouts and outreach barriers must be addressed to maintain trust and transparency in the system"
Nitesh Bakshi, Senior Director - Legal, Ethics, Compliance & Quality, Novo Nordisk India



"Healthcare and pharma sectors have a moral obligation to maintain patient trust. Beyond compliance, we need strong oversight, transparent processes, and accountable leadership. Ethical research, clear regulatory principles, and patient-centric policies will shape the future of responsible healthcare"
Bratin Bag, Senior Director – Ethics & Business Integrity, South Asia, Sanofi



"Ethical healthcare must be built on affordability, accessibility, and transparency. Patient advocacy groups play a crucial role in ensuring clinical trial safety, reporting unmet medical needs, and pushing for greater accountability. Strengthening compliance frameworks will enhance trust and improve patient outcomes"
Krishnendu Biswas, Head of Ethics and Compliance, Takeda



"Effective compliance is not just about policies; it's about awareness and implementation. Engaging training methods—like game-based learning—help employees internalize ethical decision-making. To build trust, organizations must not only uphold compliance but also make it visible through action and vigilance"
Anand Guruswamy, Senior General Manager - Compliance (India and Sri Lanka), Siemens Gamesa



"Governance is the foundation upon which Environmental and Social pillars of ESG stand. ESG compliance is increasingly being driven by investors, making transparency and accountability non-negotiable. To build a truly sustainable business, companies must establish their own ESG frameworks, continuously monitor their activities, and integrate sustainability across their supply chain"
Sunita Sahasrabudhe, President (India), AuctusESG



"Without a strong governance structure, ESG efforts remain unsustainable. Profit with purpose should be the mantra of every organization. A robust governance system not only prevents integrity issues but also drives innovation, reduces risk, and ensures cost efficiency"
Gagan Pattnaik,
GM and Head ESG & Sustainability, Refex Group



"Governance and compliance have seamlessly blended with ESG. However, organizations must move beyond merely obtaining certifications to truly embracing transparency and ethical business practices. Building a strong governance structure over time is key to sustaining ESG goals"
Kalpathy G Lakshmi Vipin,
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"ESG is no longer just a corporate buzzword; it is a critical business requirement. Regulatory frameworks like the BRSR have strengthened compliance, and ESG ratings are now essential for securing investments and market credibility. Transparency in public disclosures will define the success of ESG adoption in businesses"
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The ease of doing business in the UAE and significantly low costs involved for clients and lawyers are also major consideration that law firms are factoring in. "Conducting business in London and New York is prohibitively expensive. While Singapore International Arbitration Centre emerged as a cost effective alternative, the cost in Dubai is a third of that. It is not surprising then it scores big specially for arbitration," said Batra.

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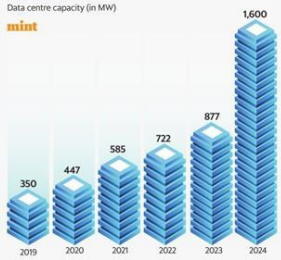
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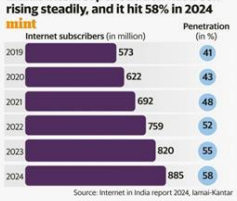
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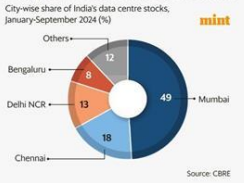
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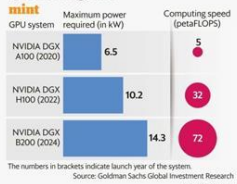
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India Inc profits crawl as sales stay sluggish

But operating profit margin of 28.7% the best in 21 quarters

KRISHNA KANT
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Corporate India's struggle with subdued revenue and earnings growth persisted in the October-December quarter of 2024-25 (Q3FY25).

The combined net sales (gross interest earnings for lenders) of listed companies grew in single digits for the seventh consecutive quarter, while their combined net profit rose by a single digit for the third straight quarter. Total net earnings of 3,618 listed companies increased 6.2 per cent year-on-year (Y-o-Y) to approximately ₹3.47 trillion, while net revenue rose 7 per cent Y-o-Y to about ₹37.73 trillion in Q3FY25.

With this, listed firms' combined net profit rose 4.9 per cent Y-o-Y in the first nine months of FY25 (April-December 2024), against 27.4 per cent earnings growth in FY24 (full year). Their net sales climbed 7.2 per cent Y-o-Y in 9MFY25, a slight improvement from the 6.8 per cent Y-o-Y growth in the entire FY24.

Overall earnings growth was primarily driven by improved margins, as manufacturing firms benefited from lower raw material, energy, and interest costs. However, banks and non-banking financial companies (NBFCs) saw margin compression due to rising interest expenses outpacing gross interest income.

The profit before interest, depreciation, and taxes margin (PBIDTM), or operating margin, for the entire *Business Standard* sample expanded 155 basis points Y-o-Y to 28.7 per cent of total income in Q3FY25 — the highest level in at least 21 quarters. Similarly, the profit before tax margin (PBTM) rose 76 basis points to 12.7 per cent, the second-highest in 21 quarters, while the net profit margin (PATM) increased by about 10 basis points to 8.9 per cent of total revenue from 8.8 per cent a year earlier.

Earlier, analysts expected operating margins to moderate in the current quarter from recent highs.

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Q3 RESULTS REVIEW

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GROWTH IN SLOW LANE

Net sales growth (% Y-o-Y change)



EARNINGS REMAIN MUTED

Quarterly net profit (₹ trillion)



BFSI: Banks, non-banking financial companies, insurers, and stock broking firms; capital goods includes construction & infra
Note: Based on a common sample of 3,618 companies, excluding their listed subsidiaries; includes historical numbers of HDFC that merged with HDFC Bank in July 2023
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58% of corporate profits from BFSI, oil & gas, IT services

However, companies managed to sustain margins despite weak revenue growth through cost optimisation and reductions in discretionary spending. Other operating expenses — including promotions, advertising, and overheads — declined 1.4 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25, compared with a 9.6 per cent Y-o-Y rise a year earlier and an 11.4 per cent Y-o-Y increase in Q2FY25.

The numbers also suggest efforts to optimise labour costs, as total salary and wages expenses for listed firms grew just 6.2 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — the slowest in at least 17 quarters.

The banking, financial services, and insurance and stock broking (BFSI) sector outperformed the broader corporate landscape despite contracting net interest margins (NIMs). BFSI firms' combined net profit climbed 8.3 per cent Y-o-Y to approximately ₹1.28 trillion in Q3FY25, up from around ₹1.18 trillion a year ago but down sequentially from ₹1.32 trillion in Q2FY25.

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BFSI firms posted combined gross interest income of approximately ₹8.19 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹7.45 trillion a year earlier and ₹8.08 trillion in Q2FY25. However, lenders' interest expenses surged 14.5 per cent Y-o-Y, rising faster than gross interest income for the third straight quarter, leading to a decline in net interest margins.



Q3 SECTORAL PERFORMANCE

% Y-o-Y change

	Net sales	Adj net profit
BFSI	9.9	8.3
Oil & Gas	0.6	-21.2
IT-Software	6.4	9.4
Mining & Metals	4.0	0.1
Automotive	8.2	0.6
Power	4.8	18.5
Pharmaceutical	9.8	22.7
FMCG	7.0	-3.8
Capital Goods	11.9	28.8
Cement	-1.4	-11.4
All firms	**7.0**	**6.2**

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Non-financial companies underperformed. Their combined net profit grew 5 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — down from 29.5 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 but a rebound from a 5.6 per cent Y-o-Y decline in Q2FY25.

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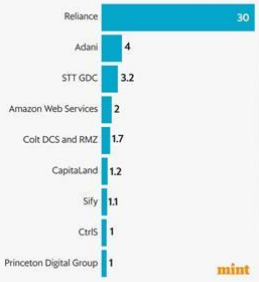
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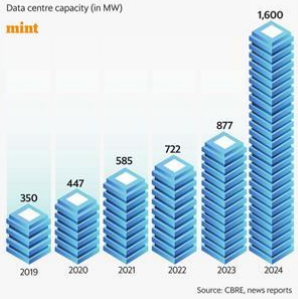
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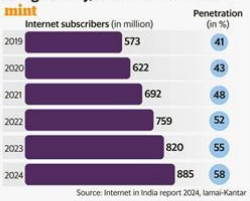
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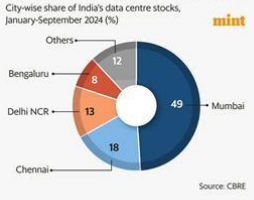
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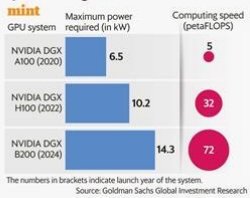
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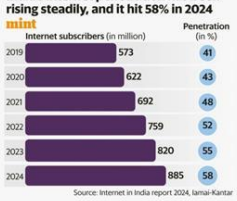
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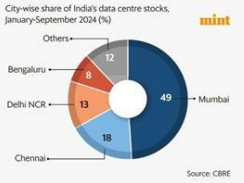
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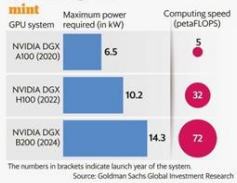
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AMRITSAR: The second US military aircraft carrying deported Indian migrants landed in Amritsar late on Saturday with 117 people in shackles, those who were on board said on Sunday, describing conditions that government officials previously said would be raised with their American counterparts.

"Our legs were chained and hands were also cuffed," Harjit Singh told reporters at his village Khanowal Bohri in Gurdaspur district, describing how he and his cousin Harjot Singh were among those deported. He said they were "badly thrashed in jungles of Panama" and forced at gunpoint by mafia members during their journey.

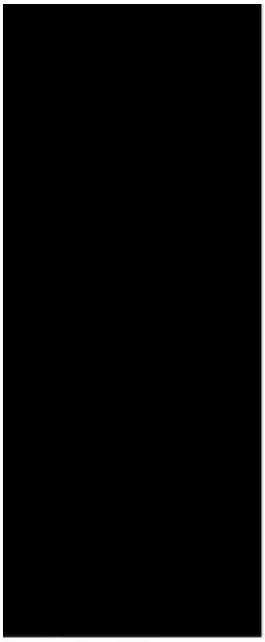
The C-17 Globemaster jet landed around 11.30pm carrying 65 people from Punjab, 33 from Haryana, eight from Gujarat, two each from Uttar Pradesh,

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Police escort deportees to a vehicle after their arrival at the Ahmedabad airport in Gujarat on Sunday. PTI





U.S. DEPORTEES

Goa, Maharashtra and Rajasthan, and one each from Himachal Pradesh and Jammu & Kashmir.

The cousins' journey, costing ₹45 lakh each, began on October 13 last year. "We sold out our 3 acre agrarian land, a residential plot and a car and got loan to arrange ₹90 lakh to make payment of the agent who is resident of nearby town Kalanaur and currently residing in US," Harjit said. They finally crossed the US border on January 27.

Harjit described severe mistreatment in US detention: "I was also beaten up and tortured in detention camp in the US. In naked condition, I was detained in an air-conditioned room for 24 hours." His cousin Harjot remains in deep shock and is not speaking to anyone.

The treatment of Sikh deportees has sparked particular outrage. The Shiromani Gurdwara Parbandhak Committee (SGPC) had to provide turbans to several deportees at the airport. "Deporting Sikhs bare head is highly condemnable," said SGPC member and former general secretary Gurcharan Singh Grewal, announcing plans to approach the US government directly if Indian authorities failed to address the issue.

To be sure, the government has said the restraints are part of the protocol US authorities have followed for years while deporting people.

Another deportee, Daljit Singh of Kurala Kalan village in Punjab's Hoshiarpur district, told news agency PTI that the women and children on the flight were not put in restraints.

Separately, two of the deportees who landed on Saturday's flight Sandeep Singh and Pradeep Singh, have been arrested in connection with a murder case. Patiala police said both cousins were wanted in a murder case registered in 2023 in Rajpura town of Patiala district. "Both the accused had then been booked under Sections 302, 307, 323, 506, 148 and 149 of the Indian Penal Code (IPC) in the murder case registered on June 26, 2023," senior SSP, Nanak Singh, said.

Punjab chief minister Bhagwant Singh Mann, who arrived in Amritsar on Friday to oversee arrangements, strongly criticised both the deportation conditions and the choice of landing site. Speaking at the airport hours before the flight's arrival, Mann warned against turning Amritsar, home to sacred sites like Sri Harmandar Sahib and Jallianwala Bagh, into a "detention or deportee centre."

Shiromani Akali Dal leader Bikram Singh Majithia criticised Mann's response over the turban issue: "Bhagwant Mann and his ministers are playing to the gallery on deportation of Youth from USA. But shockingly and shamelessly they are silent on bringing Sikh youth bare head without turbans."

Congress MP Gurjeet Singh Aujla called for focus on rehabilitation. "People who went abroad after investing lakhs of rupees are now having to return. Their rehabilitation should be talked about," Aujla said, urging the government to "ensure that youngsters don't have to go abroad in search of work." He suggested India send its own chartered planes for more dignified returns.

The landing was the second such deportation flight, with a third expected later on Sunday. On February 7, the first such military plane brought back 104 people, including children as young as four. State officials have deployed personnel to facilitate the returnees' journey to their respective districts, with the government arranging boarding and lodging facilities at the airport.

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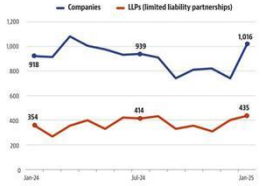
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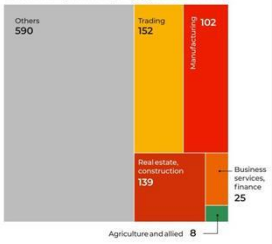
New Businesses

The number of new companies registered stayed below the 900-mark for the fourth straight month.

Number of new registrations with Bengaluru as registered address



Sectoral breakup of new company registrations in January



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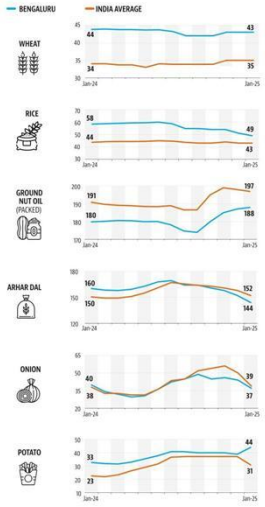




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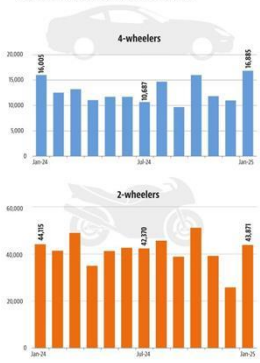
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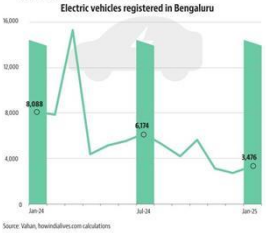


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Electric Vehicles

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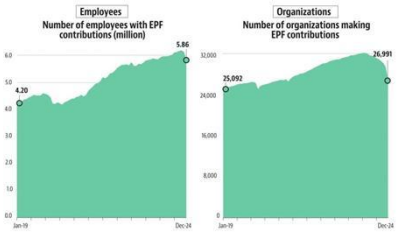
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Formal Sector Jobs

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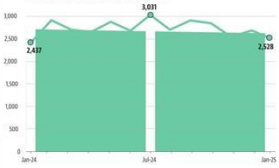


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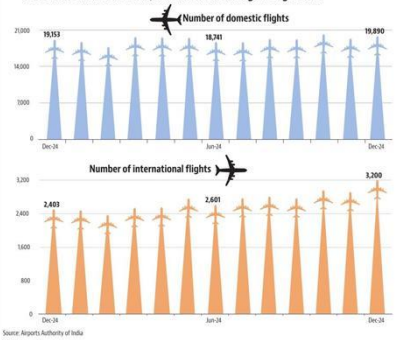
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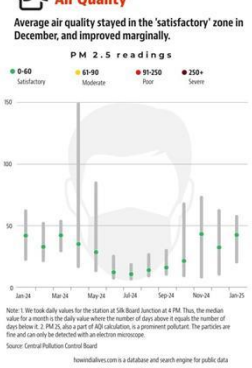
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Note: 1. We took daily values for the station at Silk Board Junction at 4 PM. Thus, the median value for a month is the daily value where the number of days above it equals the number of days below it. 2. PM 2.5, also a part of AQI calculation, is a prominent pollutant. The particles are fine and can only be detected with an electron microscope.
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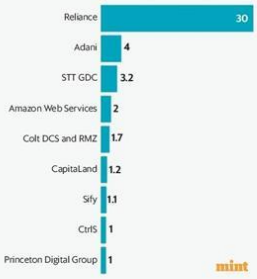
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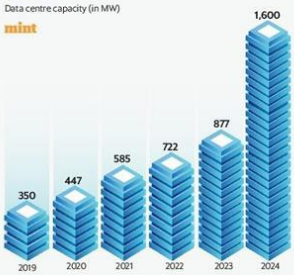
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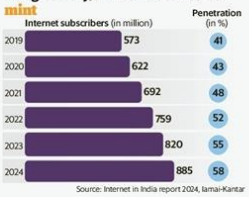
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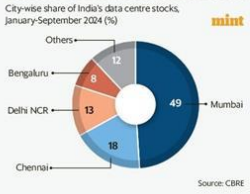
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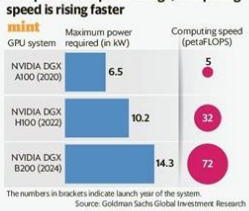
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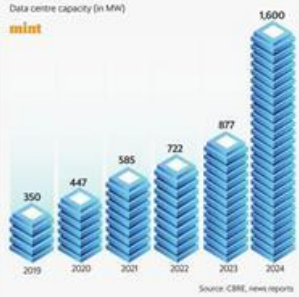
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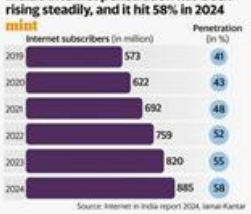
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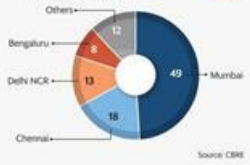
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But India's tier-II and tier-III cities are also gaining traction, driven by lower real estate costs, improved infrastructure, and increasing digital penetration. Rural India has led urban India in active internet users since 2021, with 488 million rural versus 397 million urban users in 2024, the Iamai-Kantar report said. "While hyperscale data centres will still manage the brunt work of the cloud, the data requirements of tier II cities are on the rise on account of a decentralized workforce," Avendus said in its report.

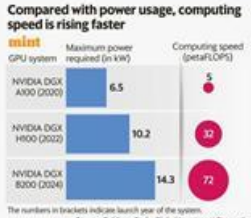
Power Plays

GLOBALLY, HIGH power consumption by data centres is a worry. The International Energy Agency said in a report last year that data centres accounted for 1-1.3% of total global power usage. India will face questions about how it will meet higher power demand, as it looks to become a global data centre hub.

Newer graphic processing units, or GPUs, and servers can help reduce power usage, but current efforts on renewable energy use on data centres may not suffice. "...scaling up AI has the potential to start a bidding war for minerals, land, and water, driving up prices for essential resources," the economic survey has said. As groups such as Reliance and Adani expand presence in the data centre ecosystem, such interplays may come into the frame.

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Compared with power usage, computing speed is rising faster



The numbers in brackets indicate launch year of the system.

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Business Integrity Conclave 2025 Champions ethical & resilient business practices

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"Resilient business practices and integrity are not just ethical imperatives but competitive advantages. By fostering a culture of trust and implementing strong governance mechanisms, businesses can build long-term sustainability and credibility in the market
Meet Goradia, Chief Operating Officer, Refex Group

"Business ethics has never been an easy conversation, but we have seen remarkable progress through consultation and collaboration. We aim to create a platform for stakeholders to address systemic issues like corruption and promote open dialogue. Collective action is the only way forward
Neha Das, Head, Asia & Oceania, United Nations Global Compact

"Integrity begins with individual actions and must be embedded in our daily work. While governance discussions often focus on governments, the private sector has a crucial role in shaping transparency and accountability. Initiatives like the Siemens Integrity Initiative and global collaborations with GCNI India are steps toward meaningful change
Sankar Balasubramanian, Regional Compliance Officer, Siemens

"Governance is now at the centre of business conversations, and our journey in this space will continue with even greater determination. The next frontier is engaging students and future leaders. We encourage sharing knowledge within communities because ethical leadership starts with awareness and action
Ratnesh, Executive Director, UN Global Compact Network India

"MSMEs are the backbone of India's economy, contributing over 40% to the manufacturing sector. With more than 50 million registered MSMEs, their impact is unthinkably vast. Recent budgetary boosts and policy changes provide a much-needed push, but protecting and integrating micro-industries into the ESG framework is crucial for sustainable growth
Rajiv Chawla, Chairman, IamSMEofIndia





BUSINESS INTEGRITY CONCLAVE 2025

Champions Ethical & Resilient Business Practices

The inaugural Business Integrity Conclave, hosted by the United Nations Global Compact Network India (UN GCNI) at The Leela Palace, Chennai, brought together global business leaders, policymakers, and compliance experts to foster ethical, resilient, and responsible business practices. Under the theme "Shaping the Future: Collective Action for Ethical, Resilient, and Responsible Business Practices," the conclave served as a high-impact platform for discussions on governance, risk management, ethical healthcare collaborations, and ESG integration into corporate strategies. Integrity, transparency, and sustainability are no longer regulatory obligations alone—they are the foundation of corporate resilience. In an era of increasing regulatory scrutiny and stakeholder expectations, businesses must prioritize compliance, ethical leadership, and governance frameworks to safeguard their long-term growth.





Strengthening Governance and Business Integrity

The conclave commenced with an insightful inaugural session where industry leaders emphasized the importance of corporate governance in ensuring business credibility and long-term sustainability. Chetan Goradia, COO of Refex Group, highlighted governance as a cornerstone of corporate resilience, while Neha Das, Head of Asia & Oceania, UN Global Compact, stressed the need for businesses to embrace ethical accountability. Siemens' Regional Compliance Officer, Sankar Balasubramanian, reinforced the significance of proactive integrity frameworks in mitigating corruption risks.A key milestone was the Consensus Framework Inauguration, an initiative to align pharmaceutical companies, healthcare professionals, and other stakeholders through structured integrity measures. This framework aims to enhance accountability and transparency in healthcare collaborations.

The Business Integrity Conclave 2025 concluded with a reaffirmation of UN GCNI's commitment to fostering ethical leadership and governance

Ethical Business as a Pillar of Resilience

Discussions underscored how governance and compliance are essential for managing business risks, particularly for Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs). These enterprises, vital to India's economy, often face financial fraud, corruption, and operational disruptions due to limited compliance resources. Industry experts called for structured risk management frameworks, ethical decision-making, and policy interventions to support MSMEs in fostering transparency and sustainable growth.Similarly, the healthcare industry, which heavily relies on trust, must ensure transparency in clinical trials, research, and patient advocacy. Pharmaceutical leaders and compliance officers explored ethical collaboration strategies that balance innovation with accessibility. Experts stressed the importance of consensus frameworks in promoting ethical standards, equitable healthcare and responsible research practices.

Revolutionizing Compliance: Making Training Engaging and Interactive

Anand Guruswamy, Senior General Manager - Compliance (India and Sri Lanka), Siemens Gamesa, delivered an engaging presentation highlighting that compliance can be both dynamic and engaging. He introduced innovative and interactive methods to enhance compliance training, making it more effective. By incorporating gamification and real-world scenarios, he illustrated how organizations can create an immersive and impactful compliance education experience.

Embedding Governance in ESG for Sustainable Growth

A major focus of the conclave was the role of governance in driving Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) initiatives. While environmental and social factors are crucial, governance serves as the foundation for ethical and sustainable business practices. The discussions emphasized that without robust corporate governance, businesses cannot effectively implement sustainability strategies. Experts shared real-world examples of organizations that have successfully aligned governance frameworks with sustainability goals, reinforcing the need for greater transparency, anti-corruption measures, and responsible leadership in corporate decision-making.

Moving Forward: A Culture of Integrity

The Business Integrity Conclave 2025 concluded with a reaffirmation of UN GCNI's commitment to fostering ethical leadership and governance. Ratnesh Jha, Executive Director of UN GCNI, emphasized the organization's mission to drive collective action for integrity in business. Ganesh Reddy, Joint Secretary of UN GCNI & Founder of Citizens Foundation, extended gratitude to the speakers and participants, highlighting that the insights shared will shape a future where transparency, accountability, and sustainability remain paramount.

This landmark conclave established that business integrity is not just a regulatory requirement—it is a competitive advantage. Companies prioritizing ethical governance, proactive risk management, and ESG integration will be best positioned to navigate the evolving business landscape. The discussions initiated at the conclave will serve as a crucial foundation for shaping a more responsible, transparent, and resilient corporate ecosystem.

"Policymakers must ensure a conducive environment for MSMEs to thrive. Factors like demonetization, GST, and global tariff policies have disproportionately affected small industries. India's MSMEs need collaborative efforts, better resource utilization, and strategic policy interventions to remain competitive in a rapidly evolving global market
Prof. Sunil Ashra,
Professor of Economics & Public Policy, MDI - Gurgaon



"Quality and reputation are essential for MSME growth. Without a strong brand image, attracting talent and investment becomes difficult. Learning from global case studies, MSMEs must adopt new technologies and ensure consistency to build resilience and long-term success
S. Santhosh, General Manager - Operations, Crescent Innovation & Incubation Council (CIIC)



"MSMEs are among the largest job creators, yet they struggle with resource access, skilled manpower retention, and operational challenges. Women entrepreneurs, in particular, face additional barriers due to gender biases. Addressing these issues through structured support and better networking opportunities is critical for inclusive economic growth
Aparna RamMohan,
Co-Founder and Director, Srisattva Group



"Collective action is key to fostering ethical business collaborations. The United Nations Global Compact actively supports initiatives that promote transparency, accountability, and trust. True transformation happens when businesses take responsibility beyond compliance and drive ethical change at all levels
Teresa Cantú, Partner Director, CARE Abogodas



"Patients must remain at the centre of healthcare collaborations. Doctors, pharmaceuticals, compliance professionals, and every stakeholder play a crucial role in ensuring ethical, research-driven innovation. However, challenges like clinical trial dropouts and outreach barriers must be addressed to maintain trust and transparency in the system
Nitesh Bakshi, Senior Director - Legal, Ethics, Compliance & Quality, Novo Nordisk India



"Healthcare and pharma sectors have a moral obligation to maintain patient trust. Beyond compliance, we need strong oversight, transparent processes, and accountable leadership. Ethical research, clear regulatory principles, and patient-centric policies will shape the future of responsible healthcare
Bratin Bag, Senior Director – Ethics & Business Integrity, South Asia, Sanofi



"Ethical healthcare must be built on affordability, accessibility, and transparency. Patient advocacy groups play a crucial role in ensuring clinical trial safety, reporting unmet medical needs, and pushing for greater accountability. Strengthening compliance frameworks will enhance trust and improve patient outcomes
Krishnendu Biswas, Head of Ethics and Compliance, Takeda



"Effective compliance is not just about policies; it's about awareness and implementation. Engaging training methods—like game-based learning—help employees internalize ethical decision-making. To build trust, organizations must not only uphold compliance but also make it visible through action and vigilance
Anand Guruswamy, Senior General Manager - Compliance (India and Sri Lanka), Siemens Gamesa



Governance is the foundation upon which Environmental and Social pillars of ESG stand. ESG compliance is increasingly being driven by investors, making transparency and accountability non-negotiable. To build a truly sustainable business, companies must establish their own ESG frameworks, continuously monitor their activities, and integrate sustainability across their supply chain

Sunila Sahasrabudhe, President (India), AuctusESG



Without a strong governance structure, ESG efforts remain unsustainable. Profit with purpose should be the mantra of every organization. A robust governance system not only prevents integrity issues but also drives innovation, reduces risk, and ensures cost efficiency

Gagan Pattnaik,
GM and Head ESG & Sustainability, Relex Group



Governance and compliance have seamlessly blended with ESG. However, organizations must move beyond merely obtaining certifications to truly embracing transparency and ethical business practices. Building a strong governance structure over time is key to sustaining ESG goals

Kalpathy G Lakshmi Vipin,
Global Head - Ethics & Business Integrity, Redington Limited



ESG is no longer just a corporate buzzword; it is a critical business requirement. Regulatory frameworks like the BRSR have strengthened compliance, and ESG ratings are now essential for securing investments and market credibility. Transparency in public disclosures will define the success of ESG adoption in businesses

Neeru Bansal,
Head - ESG, Cement Business, Adani Group

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Corporate India's struggle with subdued revenue and earnings growth persisted in the October-December quarter of 2024-25 (Q3FY25).

The combined net sales (gross interest earnings for lenders) of listed companies grew in single digits for the seventh consecutive quarter, while their combined net profit rose by a single digit for the third straight quarter. Total net earnings of 3,618 listed companies increased 6.2 per cent year-on-year (Y-o-Y) to approximately ₹3.47 trillion, while net revenue rose 7 per cent Y-o-Y to about ₹37.73 trillion in Q3FY25.

Q3 RESULTS REVIEW

With this, listed firms' combined net profit rose 4.9 per cent Y-o-Y in the first nine months of FY25 (April-December 2024), against 27.4 per cent earnings growth in FY24 (full year). Their net sales climbed 7.2 per cent Y-o-Y in 9MFY25, a slight improvement from the 6.8 per cent Y-o-Y growth in the entire FY24.

Overall earnings growth was primarily driven by improved margins, as manufacturing firms benefited from lower raw material, energy, and interest costs. However, banks and non-banking financial companies (NBFCs) saw margin compression due to rising interest expenses outpacing gross interest income.

The profit before interest, depreciation, and taxes margin (PBIDTM), or operating margin, for the entire *Business Standard* sample expanded 155 basis points Y-o-Y to 28.7 per cent of total income in Q3FY25 — the highest level in at least 21 quarters. Similarly, the profit before tax margin (PBTM) rose 76 basis points to 12.7 per cent, the second-highest in 21 quarters, while the net profit margin (PATM) increased by about 10 basis points to 8.9 per cent of total revenue from 8.8 per cent a year earlier.

Earlier, analysts expected operating margins to moderate in the current quarter from recent highs.

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GROWTH IN SLOW LANE

Net sales growth (% Y-o-Y change)



EARNINGS REMAIN MUTED

Quarterly net profit (₹ trillion)



BFSI: Banks, non-banking financial companies, insurers, and stock broking firms; capital goods includes construction & infra
Note: Based on a common sample of 3,618 companies, excluding their listed subsidiaries; includes historical numbers of HDFC that merged with HDFC Bank in July 2023
Source: Capitaline; compiled by BS Research Bureau

58% of corporate profits from BFSI, oil & gas, IT services

However, companies managed to sustain margins despite weak revenue growth through cost optimisation and reductions in discretionary spending. Other operating expenses — including promotions, advertising, and overheads — declined 1.4 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25, compared with a 9.6 per cent Y-o-Y rise a year earlier and an 11.4 per cent Y-o-Y increase in Q2FY25.

The numbers also suggest efforts to optimise labour costs, as total salary and wages expenses for listed firms grew just 6.2 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — the slowest in at least 17 quarters.

The banking, financial services, and insurance and stock broking (BFSI) sector outperformed the broader corporate landscape despite contracting net interest margins (NIMs). BFSI firms' combined net profit climbed 8.3 per cent Y-o-Y to approximately ₹1.28 trillion in Q3FY25, up from around ₹1.18 trillion a year ago but down sequentially from ₹1.32 trillion in Q2FY25.

Their net sales, or gross interest income, increased 9.9 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — the slowest pace in 11 quarters — sharply decelerating from 22 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 and 13.6 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q2FY25.

BFSI firms posted combined gross interest income of approximately ₹8.19 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹7.45 trillion a year earlier and ₹8.08 trillion in Q2FY25. However, lenders' interest expenses surged 14.5 per cent Y-o-Y, rising faster than gross interest income for the third straight quarter, leading to a decline in net interest margins.



Q3 SECTORAL PERFORMANCE

% Y-o-Y change

	Net sales	Adj net profit
BFSI	9.9	8.3
Oil & Gas	0.6	-21.2
IT-Software	6.4	9.4
Mining & Metals	4.0	0.1
Automotive	8.2	0.6
Power	4.8	18.5
Pharmaceutical	9.8	22.7
FMCG	7.0	-3.8
Capital Goods	11.9	28.8
Cement	-1.4	-11.4
All firms	**7.0**	**6.2**

BFSI: Banking, financial services, and insurance

Source: Capitaline, compiled by BS Research Bureau

Non-financial companies underperformed. Their combined net profit grew 5 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — down from 29.5 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 but a rebound from a 5.6 per cent Y-o-Y decline in Q2FY25.

These firms reported a combined net profit of approximately ₹2.19 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹2.09 trillion in Q3FY24 and ₹1.99 trillion in Q2FY25.

The combined net sales of non-BFSI companies rose 6.2 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25, an improvement from 4.2 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 and 4.5 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q2FY25. These firms recorded total net sales of about ₹29.3 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹27.56 trillion a year earlier and ₹27.99 trillion in the preceding quarter.

Among key sectors, telecom, capital goods & construction, pharmaceuticals, power, and IT services delivered double-digit earnings growth in Q3FY25. Meanwhile, oil & gas, cement, FMCG, mining & metals, and automobiles lagged, posting little to no earnings growth.

Notably, 58 per cent of total corporate profits in Q3FY25 came from BFSI, oil & gas, and IT services. Among individual companies, Bharti Airtel, State Bank of India, and Indus Towers were the biggest contributors to earnings growth, accounting for half of the incremental rise in profits in Q3FY25. Conversely, Indian Oil Corp, ONGC, and Adani Enterprises were the biggest laggards, reporting sharp Y-o-Y declines in net profit for the quarter.

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സാങ്കേതിക തകരാറിനെത്തുടർന്ന് റൺവേ തുറന്നു കൊടുക്കുന്നത് വൈകിയതിനാൽ തിരുവനന്തപുരം അന്താരാഷ്ട്ര വിമാനത്താവളത്തിൽ ഇറങ്ങേണ്ട അഞ്ച് വിമാനം കൊച്ചി, മധുര വിമാനത്താവളങ്ങളിലേക്ക് തിരിച്ചു വിട്ടു. എയർഫീൽഡ് ഗ്രൗണ്ട് ലൈറ്റിങ്ങുമായി ബന്ധപ്പെട്ട സാങ്കേതിക തകരാറിനെത്തുടർന്നാണ് വിമാനങ്ങൾ വഴി തിരിച്ചു വിട്ടത്. തകരാർ പൂർണമായി പരിഹരിച്ചശേഷം റൺവേ ഞായർ രാത്രി ഏഴോടെയാണ് തുറന്നത്.

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കേന്ദ്രധനകാര്യ വകുപ്പിന് കീഴിലുള്ള എംപവേർഡ് കമ്മിറ്റിയുടെ 2020 നവംബർ 24, 2022 ജൂൺ 27, 2024 ജൂലൈ 27 എന്നീ തീയതികളിലെ യോഗങ്ങളിൽ വിജിഎഫ് തിരിച്ചടവ് നിഷ്കർഷിച്ചുള്ള നിബന്ധന ഒഴിവാക്കണമെന്ന് സംസ്ഥാന സർക്കാർ ആവശ്യപ്പെട്ടിരുന്നു. ഇതേ ആവശ്യമുന്നയിച്ച് മുഖ്യമന്ത്രി 2024 ഒക്ടോബർ 23 ന് കേന്ദ്രധനമന്ത്രിക്കും അതേവർഷം ഡിസംബർ 10 ന് പ്രധാനമന്ത്രിക്കും കത്തയച്ചു. ഇതുവരെ അനുകൂലമറുപടിയുണ്ടായില്ല.

വിഴിഞ്ഞം അന്താരാഷ്ട്ര തുറമുഖത്തിന് അവകാശപ്പെട്ട വയബിലിറ്റി ഗ്യാപ് ഫണ്ടും കേന്ദ്രം നൽകിയിട്ടില്ല. 2028ൽ സമ്പൂർണ തുറമുഖമായി വിഴിഞ്ഞം മാറും. റെയിൽവേ കണക്ടിവിറ്റിയും റോഡ് കണക്ടിവിറ്റിയും നടപ്പാക്കാനുണ്ട്. ഇതിന് എല്ലാംചേർത്ത് അയ്യായിരം കോടിയുടെ പാക്കേജിന് കേന്ദ്രധനമന്ത്രിയോട് മുഖ്യമന്ത്രി ആവശ്യപ്പെട്ടിരുന്നതാണ്. ബജറ്റിനകത്ത് ഒരുചില്ലിക്കാശ് പോലും വിഴിഞ്ഞത്തിന് തന്നില്ല

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LETTER FROM WASHINGTON

Flattery thy names are Trump and Modi. Call it a certified mutual admiration society, or close rapport, the two leaders heaped enough praise on each other that the positives dominated, and negatives were obscured for the most part.

In the battle of Trump's America vs the World, India not only escaped serious injury, but it also managed to plant the flag. It also bought time by giving a few clears wins on trade, oil-LNG purchases and defence acquisitions to the president-in-hurry. Behind the good vibes lay solid groundwork that began shortly after Trump won a second term and built on the old connect from the first.

First order of business was to clear the air. POTUS was told that Modi was 'coerced' into not meeting him as a candidate by elements in the US establishment. And that India's problems were linked to his. Agenda-driven people resent both leaders.

With politics under control, Delhi was confident the Trump-Modi meeting would go well. It did. In fact, better than expected. Beijing mandarins will have noted the bonhomie, trying to decipher how far Trump will go with India, while Delhi babus will wonder about the prez's careful remarks on Xi Jinping as Modi stood beside him. Trump's offer to mediate in the India-China border dispute was quickly scotched by the Indian side.

Trump's China policy is yet to take clear shape. But his India policy has. The partnership has transitioned smoothly, and it's all systems go. The 36-para joint statement covers old ground, builds further, adds new layers without losing gains made under Joe Biden. Old initiatives have been renamed, so Trump can own them. TRUST is the new iCET on critical and emerging technologies. Everything now rests under the umbrella of a new 'US-India COMPACT for the 21st Century'.

The acronym soup has some new ingredients. Focus on AI infra, cooperation on small modular reactors and potential sale of advanced undersea systems to India. Plurilateral groupings like Quad will keep moving. Those started under Biden—the India-Middle East-Europe Corridor (IMEC) and I2U2 comprising India-Israel-US-UAE—will also continue. Nothing of significance has been Musk-ed, and some signals (terrorism) are stronger.

Extradition of Tahawwur Rana, a Pakistani Canadian accused in the Mumbai attacks, is imminent. Other extradition requests may be favourably considered. Khalistanis, including those in Canada, are on notice. Trump's team has been briefed on how Khalistanis use the US-Canada border to smuggle illegal migrants and fentanyl. They control crime syndicates, trucking networks and even the 'cultural milieu'—Punjabi rap is a lot about guns/drugs—and openly threaten anyone who dares to criticise them. But they might have overreached by getting into fentanyl smuggling. Now they're on the US radar.

Moving to India-US defence issues, it's well-known that Trump wants to push arms sales. Delhi has committed to buying six more P-8I maritime patrol aircraft and may buy more Chinook helicopters. It has also agreed to co-produce Javelin missiles and Stryker combat vehicles even though experts have raised serious questions about need for the latter.

As for Trump's offer to sell F-35 stealth fighters, it's unlikely to go far. F-35s are hugely expensive and considered 'a system of systems' requiring a whole range of accoutrements to be truly effective. A policy review is promised. But US officials will likely determine that F-35 could be 'compromised' by Russian S-400s present in India. If at all an offer comes, it will have such onerous conditions as to be meaningless.

That said, Trump's willingness to sell India the top fighter is still significant. Recall that he went against existing US policy in his first term to allow the sale of armed drones (MQ-9B Predators) to India paving the way for Biden to sign the deal.

Finally, the dreaded T-word. The sense is that tariff threats can be managed, because India has got ahead of the problem. Yes, Trump announced 'reciprocal tariffs' shortly before meeting Modi, and mentioned India's high tariffs at every opportunity. But it didn't seem to faze Modi or his team.

The plan is to have another go at a bilateral trade agreement, this time more seriously. The two sides promise to complete the first tranche of a BTA before Trump visits India for the Quad summit. Delhi has already lowered tariffs on Harley Davidsons, bourbon, tech products, and talked about increased market access on agri products like—hold your fork—duck meat. Americans want market access for chicken, but that remains a matter of negotiation, and taste.

Finally, TRUST is a clever acronym because trust had eroded somewhat after the Biden administration decided to go after Gautam Adani *and* flirt with US-based Khalistanis, to say nothing of 'Bangladesh'. Delhi seethed, but kept calm and carried on.

With Trump, what you see is what you get, and what you pay for. Delhi may find that easier to tackle.



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BISINESS INTEGRITY CONCLAVE 2025 Champions Ethical & Resilient Business Practices

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"Resilient business practices and integrity are not just ethical imperatives but competitive advantages. By fostering a culture of trust and implementing strong governance mechanisms, businesses can build long-term sustainability and credibility in the market"
Meet Goradia, Chief Operating Officer, Refex Group

"Business ethics has never been an easy conversation, but we have seen remarkable progress through consultation and collaboration. We aim to create a platform for stakeholders to address systemic issues like corruption and promote open dialogue. Collective action is the only way forward"
Neha Das, Head, Asia & Oceania, United Nations Global Compact

"Integrity begins with individual actions and must be embedded in our daily work. While governance discussions often focus on governments, the private sector has a crucial role in shaping transparency and accountability. Initiatives like the Siemens Integrity Initiative and global collaborations with GCN India are steps toward meaningful change"
Sankar Balasubramanian, Regional Compliance Officer, Siemens

"Governance is now at the centre of business conversations, and our journey in this space will continue with even greater determination. The next frontier is engaging students and future leaders. We encourage sharing knowledge within communities because ethical leadership starts with awareness and action"
Ratnesh, Executive Director, UN Global Compact Network India

"MSMEs are the backbone of India's economy, contributing over 40% to the manufacturing sector. With more than 50 million registered MSMEs, their impact is unthinkably vast. Recent budgetary boosts and policy changes provide a much-needed push, but protecting and integrating micro-industries into the ESG framework is crucial for sustainable growth"
Rajiv Chawla, Chairman, IamSMEofIndia





BUSINESS INTEGRITY CONCLAVE 2025

Champions Ethical & Resilient Business Practices

The inaugural Business Integrity Conclave, hosted by the United Nations Global Compact Network India (UN GCNI) at The Leela Palace, Chennai, brought together global business leaders, policymakers, and compliance experts to foster ethical, resilient, and responsible business practices. Under the theme "Shaping the Future: Collective Action for Ethical, Resilient, and Responsible Business Practices," the conclave served as a high-impact platform for discussions on governance, risk management, ethical healthcare collaborations, and ESG integration into corporate strategies. Integrity, transparency, and sustainability are no longer regulatory obligations alone—they are the foundation of corporate resilience. In an era of increasing regulatory scrutiny and stakeholder expectations, businesses must prioritize compliance, ethical leadership, and governance frameworks to safeguard their long-term growth.





Strengthening Governance and Business Integrity

The conclave commenced with an insightful inaugural session where industry leaders emphasized the importance of corporate governance in ensuring business credibility and long-term sustainability. Chetan Goradia, COO of Refex Group, highlighted governance as a cornerstone of corporate resilience, while Neha Das, Head of Asia & Oceania, UN Global Compact, stressed the need for businesses to embrace ethical accountability. Siemens' Regional Compliance Officer, Sankar Balasubramanian, reinforced the significance of proactive integrity frameworks in mitigating corruption risks.A key milestone was the Consensus Framework Inauguration, an initiative to align pharmaceutical companies, healthcare professionals, and other stakeholders through structured integrity measures. This framework aims to enhance accountability and transparency in healthcare collaborations.

The Business Integrity Conclave 2025 concluded with a reaffirmation of UN GCNI's commitment to fostering ethical leadership and governance

Ethical Business as a Pillar of Resilience

Discussions underscored how governance and compliance are essential for managing business risks, particularly for Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs). These enterprises, vital to India's economy, often face financial fraud, corruption, and operational disruptions due to limited compliance resources. Industry experts called for structured risk management frameworks, ethical decision-making, and policy interventions to support MSMEs in fostering transparency and sustainable growth. Similarly, the healthcare industry, which heavily relies on trust, must ensure transparency in clinical trials, research, and patient advocacy. Pharmaceutical leaders and compliance officers explored ethical collaboration strategies that balance innovation with accessibility. Experts stressed the importance of consensus frameworks in promoting ethical standards, equitable healthcare and responsible research practices.

Revolutionizing Compliance: Making Training Engaging and Interactive

Anand Guruswamy, Senior General Manager - Compliance (India and Sri Lanka), Siemens Gamesa, delivered an engaging presentation highlighting that compliance can be both dynamic and engaging. He introduced innovative and interactive methods to enhance compliance training, making it more effective. By incorporating gamification and real-world scenarios, he illustrated how organizations can create an immersive and impactful compliance education experience.

Embedding Governance in ESG for Sustainable Growth

A major focus of the conclave was the role of governance in driving Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) initiatives. While environmental and social factors are crucial, governance serves as the foundation for ethical and sustainable business practices. The discussions emphasized that without robust corporate governance, businesses cannot effectively implement sustainability strategies. Experts shared real-world examples of organizations that have successfully aligned governance frameworks with sustainability goals, reinforcing the need for greater transparency, anti-corruption measures, and responsible leadership in corporate decision-making.

Moving Forward: A Culture of Integrity

The Business Integrity Conclave 2025 concluded with a reaffirmation of UN GCNI's commitment to fostering ethical leadership and governance. Ratnesh Jha, Executive Director of UN GCNI, emphasized the organization's mission to drive collective action for integrity in business. Ganesh Reddy, Joint Secretary of UN GCNI & Founder of Citizens Foundation, extended gratitude to the speakers and participants, highlighting that the insights shared will shape a future where transparency, accountability, and sustainability remain paramount.

This landmark conclave established that business integrity is not just a regulatory requirement—it is a competitive advantage. Companies prioritizing ethical governance, proactive risk management, and ESG integration will be best positioned to navigate the evolving business landscape. The discussions initiated at the conclave will serve as a crucial foundation for shaping a more responsible, transparent, and resilient corporate ecosystem.



"Policymakers must ensure a conducive environment for MSMEs to thrive. Factors like demonetization, GST, and global tariff policies have disproportionately affected small industries. India's MSMEs need collaborative efforts, better resource utilization, and strategic policy interventions to remain competitive in a rapidly evolving global market"
Prof. Sunil Ashra,
Professor of Economics & Public Policy, MDI - Gurgaon



"Quality and reputation are essential for MSME growth. Without a strong brand image, attracting talent and investment becomes difficult. Learning from global case studies, MSMEs must adopt new technologies and ensure consistency to build resilience and long-term success"
S. Santhosh, General Manager - Operations, Crescent Innovation & Incubation Council (CIIC)



"MSMEs are among the largest job creators, yet they struggle with resource access, skilled manpower retention, and operational challenges. Women entrepreneurs, in particular, face additional barriers due to gender biases. Addressing these issues through structured support and better networking opportunities is critical for inclusive economic growth"
Aparna RamMohan,
Co-Founder and Director, Srisattva Group



"Collective action is key to fostering ethical business collaborations. The United Nations Global Compact actively supports initiatives that promote transparency, accountability, and trust. True transformation happens when businesses take responsibility beyond compliance and drive ethical change at all levels"
Teresa Cantú, Partner Director, CARE Abogodas



"Patients must remain at the centre of healthcare collaborations. Doctors, pharmaceuticals, compliance professionals, and every stakeholder play a crucial role in ensuring ethical, research-driven innovation. However, challenges like clinical trial dropouts and outreach barriers must be addressed to maintain trust and transparency in the system"
Nitesh Bakshi, Senior Director - Legal, Ethics, Compliance & Quality, Novo Nordisk India



"Healthcare and pharma sectors have a moral obligation to maintain patient trust. Beyond compliance, we need strong oversight, transparent processes, and accountable leadership. Ethical research, clear regulatory principles, and patient-centric policies will shape the future of responsible healthcare"
Bratin Bag, Senior Director – Ethics & Business Integrity, South Asia, Sanofi



"Ethical healthcare must be built on affordability, accessibility, and transparency. Patient advocacy groups play a crucial role in ensuring clinical trial safety, reporting unmet medical needs, and pushing for greater accountability. Strengthening compliance frameworks will enhance trust and improve patient outcomes"
Krishnendu Biswas, Head of Ethics and Compliance, Takeda



"Effective compliance is not just about policies; it's about awareness and implementation. Engaging training methods—like game-based learning—help employees internalize ethical decision-making. To build trust, organizations must not only uphold compliance but also make it visible through action and vigilance"
Anand Guruswamy, Senior General Manager - Compliance (India and Sri Lanka), Siemens Gamesa



"Governance is the foundation upon which Environmental and Social pillars of ESG stand. ESG compliance is increasingly being driven by investors, making transparency and accountability non-negotiable. To build a truly sustainable business, companies must establish their own ESG frameworks, continuously monitor their activities, and integrate sustainability across their supply chain"
Sunita Sahasrabudhe, President (India), AuctusESG



"Without a strong governance structure, ESG efforts remain unsustainable. Profit with purpose should be the mantra of every organization. A robust governance system not only prevents integrity issues but also drives innovation, reduces risk, and ensures cost efficiency"
Gagan Pattnaik,
GM and Head ESG & Sustainability, Refex Group



"Governance and compliance have seamlessly blended with ESG. However, organizations must move beyond merely obtaining certifications to truly embracing transparency and ethical business practices. Building a strong governance structure over time is key to sustaining ESG goals"
Kalpathy G Lakshmi Vipin,
Global Head - Ethics & Business Integrity, Redington Limited



"ESG is no longer just a corporate buzzword; it is a critical business requirement. Regulatory frameworks like the BRSR have strengthened compliance, and ESG ratings are now essential for securing investments and market credibility. Transparency in public disclosures will define the success of ESG adoption in businesses"
Neeru Bansal,
Head - ESG, Cement Business, Adani Group

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Can India become a global data centre hub

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PLAIN FACTS

Can India become a global data centre hub?

BY HOWINDIALIVES.COM

Last month, Mukesh Ambani-led Reliance Industries Ltd announced plans to build what may become the world's largest data centre, at an estimated investment of $20-30 billion, marking RIL's formal entry into India's artificial intelligence (AI) infrastructure market, and aligning with the country's ambition to establish itself as a global data centre hub.

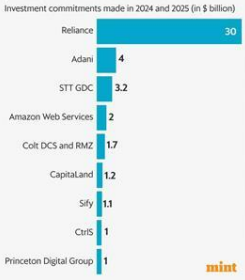
Data centres are physical facilities for storing, processing, and distributing digital data and applications. In the past few years, India has seen significant investments in data centres, driven by factors such as rising digital consumption, government initiatives, and the expansion of AI and cloud computing. According to CBRE, a global real estate consultancy, more than $60 billion in investment commitments were made between 2019 and 2024 to establish data centres, with over $19 billion in 2024 alone. Such investments could boost India's data centre capacity (expressed in megawatts and gigawatts to reflect energy dependence), which jumped from 877 MW in 2023 to an estimated 1,600 MW at the end of 2024, according to CBRE.

This will jump further as more investments pour in. Reliance alone is planning a capacity of 3 GW (1 GW = 1,000 MW). Scale aside, there are two points worth noting in the Reliance announcement. First, Reliance is building its data centre not in one of India's traditional IT hotspots, but in Jamnagar, Gujarat. And second, it has committed to using green energy to power its infrastructure. These reflect a broader trend, driven by two critical and interconnected issues facing the data centre industry: location and resources.

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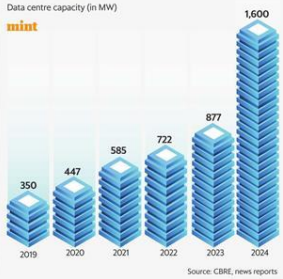
Investments worth about $45 billion are planned for data centres in India

Investment commitments made in 2024 and 2025 (in $ billion)



Data centre capacity in India nearly doubled in 2024

Data centre capacity (in MW)



Source: CBRE, news reports

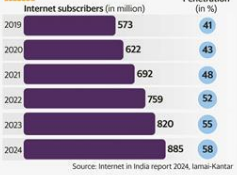
India's Digital Drive

INDIA HAS seen its digital consumption spike, driven by usage of internet and smartphones. Active internet user numbers in India rose to about 885 million in 2024 from 573 million in 2019, as per an Iamai-Kantar report. Penetration was at 58%.

India's average monthly mobile data usage may touch 33-35GB by 2025-26 from 24GB at the end of 2023-24, as per Crisil Ratings. As AI picks up in India, data usage is expected to grow further, pushing the need for more data centres.

India's push for data localization is also driving investments in domestic data centres. Reserve Bank of India has mandated that sensitive financial data be stored and processed within the country's borders, while the Personal Data Protection Bill emphasizes local data-storage requirements. Beyond regulatory compliance, local data storage also offers practical benefits, including reduced network latency and better processing speeds.

India's internet penetration has been rising steadily, and it hit 58% in 2024



Source: Internet in India report 2024, Iamai-Kantar

Mumbai and Chennai account for nearly 70% of India's data centre stocks

City-wise share of India's data centre stocks, January-September 2024 (%)



Source: CBRE

Cables vs Consumption

BIG CITIES, led by Mumbai, dominate India's data centre landscape. Mumbai has 49% of them, followed by Chennai's 18%, says CBRE. These two cities also have the highest concentration of landing points of undersea cables in India, connecting them to key cities in South-east Asia, West Asia, East Africa, and Europe, says a report by Avendus. Bengaluru and Delhi, which follow, are traditionally strong in information technology.

But India's tier-II and tier-III cities are also gaining traction, driven by lower real estate costs, improved infrastructure, and increasing digital penetration. Rural India has led urban India in active internet users since 2021, with 488 million rural versus 397 million urban users in 2024, the Iamai-Kantar report said. "While hyperscale data centres will still manage the brunt work of the cloud, the data requirements of tier II cities are on the rise on account of a decentralized workforce," Avendus said in its report.

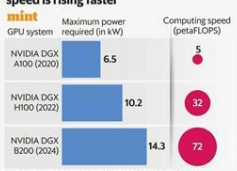
Power Plays

GLOBALLY, HIGH power consumption by data centres is a worry. The International Energy Agency said in a report last year that data centres accounted for 1-1.3% of total global power usage. India will face questions about how it will meet higher power demand, as it looks to become a global data centre hub.

Newer graphic processing units, or GPUs, and servers can help reduce power usage, but current efforts on renewable energy use on data centres may not suffice. "...scaling up AI has the potential to start a bidding war for minerals, land, and water, driving up prices for essential resources," the economic survey has said. As groups such as Reliance and Adani expand presence in the data centre ecosystem, such interplays may come into the frame.

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Compared with power usage, computing speed is rising faster



The numbers in brackets indicate launch year of the system.
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Eight deported Gujaratis arrive in Ahmedabad, sent to home towns

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Eight deported Gujaratis arrive in Ahmedabad, sent to home towns

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A plane carrying eight persons from Gujarat, who were among 116 Indians deported from the U.S. for alleged illegal immigration, landed at Ahmedabad airport from Amritsar on Sunday, officials said.

Soon after their arrival, the deportees were transported to their native places in police vehicles, Assistant Commissioner of Police (G Division) R.D. Oza said.

Out of the eight deportees, three are from Gandhinagar and one from Ahmedabad, sources said.

They are part of the second group of Indians who were sent beck from the U.S. after President Donald Trump started a crackdown on illegal immigrants.



Police escort illegal immigrants deported from the U.S. upon their arrival at the Ahmedabad airport on Sunday. PTI

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INDIA INC PROFITS CRAWL AS SALES STAY SLUGGISH

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India Inc profits crawl as sales stay sluggish

But operating profit margin of 28.7% the best in 21 quarters

KRISHNA KANT
Mumbai, 16 February

Corporate India's struggle with subdued revenue and earnings growth persisted in the October-December quarter of 2024-25 (Q3FY25).

The combined net sales (gross interest earnings for lenders) of listed companies grew in single digits for the seventh consecutive quarter, while their combined net profit rose by a single digit for the third straight quarter. Total net earnings of 3,618 listed companies increased 6.2 per cent year-on-year (Y-o-Y) to approximately ₹3.47 trillion, while net revenue rose 7 per cent Y-o-Y to about ₹37.73 trillion in Q3FY25.

Q3 RESULTS REVIEW

With this, listed firms' combined net profit rose 4.9 per cent Y-o-Y in the first nine months of FY25 (April-December 2024), against 27.4 per cent earnings growth in FY24 (full year). Their net sales climbed 7.2 per cent Y-o-Y in 9MFY25, a slight improvement from the 6.8 per cent Y-o-Y growth in the entire FY24.

Overall earnings growth was primarily driven by improved margins, as manufacturing firms benefited from lower raw material, energy, and interest costs. However, banks and non-banking financial companies (NBFCs) saw margin compression due to rising interest expenses outpacing gross interest income.

The profit before interest, depreciation, and taxes margin (PBIDTM), or operating margin, for the entire *Business Standard* sample expanded 155 basis points Y-o-Y to 28.7 per cent of total income in Q3FY25 — the highest level in at least 21 quarters. Similarly, the profit before tax margin (PBTM) rose 76 basis points to 12.7 per cent, the second-highest in 21 quarters, while the net profit margin (PATM) increased by about 10 basis points to 8.9 per cent of total revenue from 8.8 per cent a year earlier.

Earlier, analysts expected operating margins to moderate in the current quarter from recent highs.

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GROWTH IN SLOW LANE

Net sales growth (% Y-o-Y change)



EARNINGS REMAIN MUTED

Quarterly net profit (₹ trillion)



BFSI: Banks, non-banking financial companies, insurers, and stock broking firms; capital goods includes construction & infra
Note: Based on a common sample of 3,618 companies, excluding their listed subsidiaries; includes historical numbers of HDFC that merged with HDFC Bank in July 2023
Source: Capitaline; compiled by BS Research Bureau

58% of corporate profits from BFSI, oil & gas, IT services

However, companies managed to sustain margins despite weak revenue growth through cost optimisation and reductions in discretionary spending. Other operating expenses — including promotions, advertising, and overheads — declined 1.4 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25, compared with a 9.6 per cent Y-o-Y rise a year earlier and an 11.4 per cent Y-o-Y increase in Q2FY25.

The numbers also suggest efforts to optimise labour costs, as total salary and wages expenses for listed firms grew just 6.2 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — the slowest in at least 17 quarters.

The banking, financial services, and insurance and stock broking (BFSI) sector outperformed the broader corporate landscape despite contracting net interest margins (NIMs). BFSI firms' combined net profit climbed 8.3 per cent Y-o-Y to approximately ₹1.28 trillion in Q3FY25, up from around ₹1.18 trillion a year ago but down sequentially from ₹1.32 trillion in Q2FY25.

Their net sales, or gross interest income, increased 9.9 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — the slowest pace in 11 quarters — sharply decelerating from 22 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 and 13.6 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q2FY25.

BFSI firms posted combined gross interest income of approximately ₹8.19 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹7.45 trillion a year earlier and ₹8.08 trillion in Q2FY25. However, lenders' interest expenses surged 14.5 per cent Y-o-Y, rising faster than gross interest income for the third straight quarter, leading to a decline in net interest margins.



Q3 SECTORAL PERFORMANCE

% Y-o-Y change

	Net sales	Adj net profit
BFSI	9.9	8.3
Oil & Gas	0.6	-21.2
IT-Software	6.4	9.4
Mining & Metals	4.0	0.1
Automotive	8.2	0.6
Power	4.8	18.5
Pharmaceutical	9.8	22.7
FMCG	7.0	-3.8
Capital Goods	11.9	28.8
Cement	-1.4	-11.4
All firms	**7.0**	**6.2**

BFSI: Banking, financial services, and insurance

Source: Capitaline, compiled by BS Research Bureau

Non-financial companies underperformed. Their combined net profit grew 5 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — down from 29.5 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 but a rebound from a 5.6 per cent Y-o-Y decline in Q2FY25.

These firms reported a combined net profit of approximately ₹2.19 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹2.09 trillion in Q3FY24 and ₹1.99 trillion in Q2FY25.

The combined net sales of non-BFSI companies rose 6.2 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25, an improvement from 4.2 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 and 4.5 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q2FY25. These firms recorded total net sales of about ₹29.3 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹27.56 trillion a year earlier and ₹27.99 trillion in the preceding quarter.

Among key sectors, telecom, capital goods & construction, pharmaceuticals, power, and IT services delivered double-digit earnings growth in Q3FY25. Meanwhile, oil & gas, cement, FMCG, mining & metals, and automobiles lagged, posting little to no earnings growth.

Notably, 58 per cent of total corporate profits in Q3FY25 came from BFSI, oil & gas, and IT services. Among individual companies, Bharti Airtel, State Bank of India, and Indus Towers were the biggest contributors to earnings growth, accounting for half of the incremental rise in profits in Q3FY25. Conversely, Indian Oil Corp, ONGC, and Adani Enterprises were the biggest laggards, reporting sharp Y-o-Y declines in net profit for the quarter.

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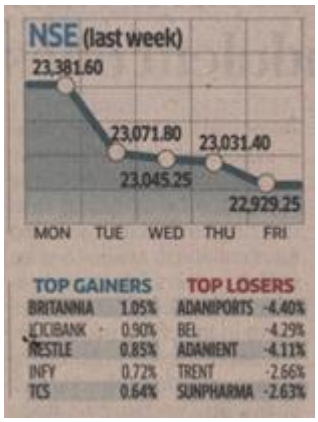
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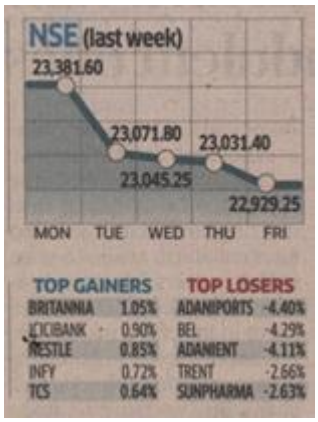
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US military plane with 112 deportees on board lands at Amritsar airport

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US military plane with 112 deportees on board lands at Amritsar airport

CHANDIGARH, PTI: A US military aircraft carrying 112 illegal Indian immigrants landed at the Amritsar airport late on Sunday evening, the third such plane bringing deportees amid a crackdown by the Donald Trump administration against illegal immigrants.

The C-17 aircraft landed at the airport at 10.03 pm, sources said.

Of the 112 deportees, 44 are from Haryana, 33 from Gujarat, 31 from Punjab, two from Uttar Pradesh and one each from Uttarakhand and Himachal Pradesh, they added.

Deportees at Ahmedabad airport on Sunday. PTI

There are 19 women and 14 minors, including two infants, in the fresh batch of deportees, the sources said.

The family members of some of the deportees were present at the airport.

▸ Deportees, Page 5

US plane with 112 deportees on board lands at Amritsar airport

Deportees, from Page 1

The third batch of deportees landed in Amritsar within 24 hours of another US military aircraft bringing the second such batch.

The deportees will be allowed to head home after the completion of all formalities, including immigration, verification and background checks.

On Saturday evening, a second aircraft brought 116 deportees from the United States, amid questions raised by several political leaders, including Punjab Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann, over the BJP-led Centre's move to allow planes carrying immigrants to land in Amritsar.

Mann even accused the Centre of trying to "defame Punjab as part of a conspiracy".

The first two batches of deportees were in shackles during the journey.

On Saturday's flight, the Sikh deportees were allegedly without turbans.

The Shiromani Gurdwara Parbandhak Committee (SGPC) strongly condemned the US authorities for allegedly not allowing the Sikh deportees to wear turbans.

SGPC officials, who were deputed for providing "langar" and bus services to the deportees at the airport, gave "dastar" (turban) to the Sikhs.

Mann on Sunday said "the mass deportation from the United States is an eye-opener for all of us", as he requested youngsters to shun the idea of going abroad illegally and work hard in the state to ensure its socio-economic growth.

Among the second batch of deportees, those hailing from Punjab were taken to their homes in police vehicles around 4.30 am on Sunday after immigration and background checks.

However, two deportees belonging to Rajpura in Patiala district were arrested upon their arrival in Amritsar in connection with a murder case. Sandeep Singh alias Sunny and Pradeep Singh were wanted in a murder case registered in Rajpura in 2023.

Sourav (20), who reached Chandiwala village in Ferozepur district on Sunday, told reporters that they were shackled en route to Amritsar. "We were handcuffed and our legs chained," he said.

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Kept Calm, Now Carry On

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Kept Calm, Now Carry On



Seema Sirohi



LETTER FROM WASHINGTON

Flattery thy names are Trump and Modi. Call it a certified mutual admiration society, or close rapport, the two leaders heaped enough praise on each other that the positives dominated, and negatives were obscured for the most part.

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A third United States aircraft carrying nearly 112 undocumented Indian migrants landed at the Amritsar International Airport on Sunday night.

According to officials, 31 of the deportees were from Punjab, 44 from Haryana, 33 from Gujarat, two from Uttar Pradesh and one each from Himachal Pradesh and Uttarakhand.

The second batch of 116 deportees who landed in Amritsar on Saturday night on a U.S. military C-17 aircraft said they were handcuffed and chained during the flight.

"We were handcuffed and our legs were chained," Daljit Singh from Kurala Kalan village in Hoshiarpur district, said in Hoshiarpur on Sunday.

Sources said women were not shackled, unlike on the first deportation flight on February 5.



Back home: The police escort U.S. deportees at the Ahmedabad airport on Sunday. They had landed in Amritsar a day earlier. PTI

The deportations follow U.S. President Donald Trump's crackdown on illegal immigrants.

The first plane brought 104 illegal migrants in handcuffs and chains to Amritsar, inviting sharp criticism, with the Opposition questioning the Union government why they had been "deported in shackles".

On Saturday night, after immigration and background checks, the deportees from Punjab were taken to their homes in police vehicles.

Two arrested

The Punjab Police arrested two young deportees, Sandeep Singh and Pradeep Singh, who hail from Rajpura in Patiala district, in connection with a murder case of 2023, Patiala's Senior Superintendent of Police Nanak Singh said.

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Mr. Daljit Singh told presspersons in Hoshiarpur that he was duped by a travel agent who, instead of directly taking him to the U.S., resorted to the *dunki* (donkey) route to illegally enter the country.

Sharing his ordeal, Sourav, 27, from Chandiwala village in Ferozepur district of Punjab, who left for the U.S. in December 2024, said the travel agent had assured him legal entry to the U.S., but instead, he had been taken to the U.S. border through Mexico, and while crossing the border, the American authorities caught him on January 27.

"They kept me along with others in a camp for several days. Two days ago, we were told that we were being sent to India on a plane," he said.

On February 15, ahead of the second flight from the U.S., senior Congress leader and Rajya Sabha member P. Chidambaram took to social media platform X to target the Union government.

"All eyes will be on the U.S. aircraft which will land today [Saturday] in Amritsar bringing back illegal immigrants. Will the deportees be handcuffed and their legs tied with ropes? It is a test for Indian diplomacy," Mr. Chidambaram said in his post.

A large number of people, especially youth from Punjab, travel abroad in the hope of a better life, including a rising trend of considerable magnitude in illegal migration. However, there is a paucity of authentic data on illegal migration in the public domain.

The Punjab Police set up a Special Investigation Team to probe illegal human trafficking and migration after the first batch landed. So far, 10 first information reports have been registered against travel agents based on the statements of deportees.

Punjab Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann urged the youth of Punjab to learn lessons from the deportation of illegal migrants, appealing to them to shun the idea of going abroad by wrong means.

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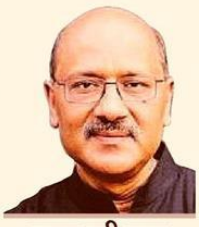
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तमाम लोकतांत्रिक देशों में डीप स्टेट षडयंत्र सिद्धांतों को आगे बढ़ाने का काम करता है। सबसे पहले अमेरिका में ऐसा हुआ और भारत भी उसी राह पर चल रहा है।

अभी 2025 शुरू ही हुआ है और लगता है कि 'डीप स्टेट' को 'वर्ष का शब्द' करार दे दिया जाएगा। कुछ भी गलत होता है तो ठीकरा डीप स्टेट के सिर फोड़ दिया जाता है। मगर यह कोई मिथक नहीं है। यह हमारे जीवन और शासन व्यवस्था का उतना ही अंग है, जितना शैलो स्टेट और नॉन स्टेट। हमें इन परिभाषाओं की पड़ताल करके देखना चाहिए कि ये किस तरह एक-दूसरे गुंथे हुए हैं। डीप स्टेट अब तमाम लोकतांत्रिक देशों में षडयंत्र सिद्धांतों को आगे बढ़ाने का जरिया बन गया है। सबसे पहले हमें शब्दकोष या विकीपीडिया में इसकी परिभाषा पर ध्यान देना चाहिए। इसके मुताबिक डीप स्टेट सत्ता का गोपनीय और अनधिकृत नेटवर्क हैं, जो देश के राजनीतिक नेतृत्व से अलग रहकर अपने एजेंडे और लक्ष्य के लिए काम करता रहता है। जाहिर है इसमें नकारात्मकता और साजिश की बू आती है। तो तीन उदाहरण देखते हैं।

1. बांग्लादेश में सत्ता परिवर्तन। यह सड़कों पर हिंसा भरा नेतृत्वविहीन और नाटकीय घटनाक्रम था। इसकी तोहमत अमेरिकी डीप स्टेट के मत्थे मढ़ दी गई। इसे अमेरिकी डीप स्टेट की कामयाबी भी बताया गया और कहा गया कि भारत में भी ऐसा ही करने की योजना है। वजह? बाइडन प्रशासन और अमेरिकी डीप स्टेट नरेंद्र मोदी को पसंद नहीं करते।

2. दो साल में अदाणी समूह के खिलाफ एक के बाद एक खुलासे। इनमें से कई खुलासे संदिग्ध से दिखने वाले शॉर्ट सेलर समूह हिंडनबर्ग ने लगाए, जो जिस तरह आया था उसी रहस्यमय तरीके से अचानक गायब हो गया। ऑर्गनाइज्ड क्राइम ऐंड करप्शन रिपोर्टिंग प्रोजेक्ट (ओसीसीआरपी) से रकम पाने वाले कई अन्य संस्थानों से भी तमाम खबरें आईं। इंटरनैशनल कंसोर्टियम ऑफ इन्वेस्टिगेटिव जर्नलिज्म (आईसीआईजे) भी है। दोनों को ओपन सोसाइटी फाउंडेशन्स से मदद मिलती है, जिसकी बुनियाद जॉर्ज सोरोस ने रखी थी। सोरोस को वाम रुझान वाला अराजकतावादी कहा जाता है। उन्होंने ही 1992 में बैंक ऑफ इंगलैंड और पाउंड को तोड़ दिया था। 1997 के वित्तीय संकट में कई पूर्वी एशियाई देशों को कमजोर करने का आरोप भी उन पर ही है। इन दोनों संगठनों ने अदाणी के खिलाफ खबरों में मदद की। इसमें साजिश का सिद्धांत यह है कि अदाणी नहीं पर्दे के पीछे से असली हमला मोदी सरकार पर था। प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने संसद में मौजूदा बजट सत्र में कहा भी था कि कई सालों में पहली बार कोई सत्र विदेशी हरकतों के बिना आरंभ हुआ है।



राष्ट्र की बात

शेखर गुप्ता

3. तीसरी बात कनाडा और अमेरिका में हुई, जहां भारत शर्मिंदा करने वाले मुश्किल हालात में फंसा था। ये मामले वहां सिख चरमपंथियों की गतिविधियों से जुड़े हैं। दोनों मामलों में अमेरिकी मीडिया ने वैसे ही बढ़चढ़कर खबरें चलाईं, जैसे फाइनैंशियल टाइम्स ने अदाणी मामले में चलाई थीं। कहा जा रहा है कि यह सब संयोग तो नहीं है और जरूर यह डीप स्टेट का काम होगा। अब तो डॉनल्ड ट्रंप, ईलॉन मस्क और उनके साथी भी यही कह रहे हैं।

मगर क्या बांग्लादेश में हम पक्के तौर पर कह सकते हैं कि यह 'संभावित गोपनीय और अवैध' समूहों का काम है, जो अमेरिका सरकार की निगरानी में काम कर रहे थे? अगर आपने पिछले महीने जॉर्ज सोरोस के बेटे की वे तस्वीरें देखीं, जिनमें वह बांग्लादेश के मुख्य सलाहकार मोहम्मद यूनुस से मिलने ढाका आए थे तो आपका शक पुख्ता हो जाएगा। इसके बाद वह तस्वीर भी देखें जिसमें जो बाइडन यूनुस के साथ गलबहियां करते नजर आ रहे हैं। अगर हसीना का पतन वाकई अमेरिका के इशारे पर हुआ तो क्या कोई डीप स्टेट अपने दम पर काम कर रहा था? या बाइडन प्रशासन के साथ मिलीभगत थी? ऐसा था तो यह डीप स्टेट की उस परिभाषा पर खरा नहीं उतरता, जो साजिश सिद्धांत के पैरोकार देते हैं।

ऐसे रहस्यमय और अस्पष्ट परिभाषा वाले संगठन होते हैं जो किसी नियमित सत्ता के उपकरण के तौर पर काम करते हैं। मगर अब उलझाने वाला सवाल है कि लश्कर-ए-तैयबा और जैश-ए-मोहम्मद को आप क्या कहेंगे? नॉन-स्टेट एक्टर यानी राज्य की सत्ता से अलग ताकत या डीप स्टेट? पाकिस्तान इन दोनों परिभाषाओं को आसानी से नकार देगा। वास्तव में वे की सत्ता से जुड़े हैं और भारत को बहुत अधिक नुकसान पहुंचाते हैं।

अदाणी का मामला जटिल हो सकता है क्योंकि हिंडनबर्ग या ओसीसीआरपी की अधिकतर खबरों में अमेरिकी सरकार की सीधी भूमिका नहीं दिखती। तो क्या डीप स्टेट काम कर रहा था? लेकिन अमेरिकी न्याय विभाग और प्रतिभूति एवं विनिमय आयोग ने जो कहा वह हिंडनबर्ग से बहुत अधिक नुकसान पहुंचाने वाला था। अब सवाल है कि हिंडनबर्ग और ओसीसीआरपी राज्य से अलग काम कर रहे थे या उसके साथ मिलकर? या इसका उलट सच है?

और आखिर में भारत को कनाडा और अमेरिका में निज्जर और पन्नुन पर जिन समस्याओं का सामना करना पड़ा, उन्हें डीप स्टेट की गतिविधि इसलिए बताया गया क्योंकि अमेरिका और कनाडा के मीडिया का कुछ हिस्सा इन पर ज्यादा सक्रिय था। मगर उसकी तमाम खबरें इन देशों के खुफिया अधिकारियों से मिली जानकारी पर ही थीं। कुछ लोग डीप स्टेट को अफसरशाही, प्रशासनिक सेवा, पुलिस, सशस्त्र बल, न्यायपालिका, नियामक, चुनाव आयोग और अन्य संस्था मान सकते हैं, जो कई सरकारों के दौरान काम करती रहती हैं। वे कायदे से काम करती हैं, निरंतरता बनाए रखती हैं और विरासत की रक्षा करती हैं। 1996 से 1999 के बीच भारत में प्रधानमंत्री बदलते रहे मगर बेहतरीन नौकरशाहों, सैन्य नेताओं और परमाणु वैज्ञानिकों ने हमारा सामरिक कार्यक्रम जारी रखा, उसकी हिफाजत की और एक शब्द भी बाहर नहीं जाने दिया।

यही व्यवस्था अलग ढंग से भी काम कर सकती है। अगर उन्होंने इतने सालों तक परमाणु परिसंपत्तियों को गोपनीय रखा, शांतिपूर्ण उद्देश्य वाली बताया तो 1998 में उन्हें सैन्य बताते हुए सबके सामने क्यों ले आए? क्योंकि वाजपेयी सरकार ने ऐसा करने के लिए कहा। जो डीप स्टेट निरंतरता देता है और मोटे तौर पर नीतियों और संप्रभुता के प्रति निष्ठा अटूट रहने का भरोसा दिलाता है वह राजनीतिक नेतृत्व के कहने पर बदल भी जाता है। इसे हम शैलो स्टेट कहते हैं। शैलो या उथलेपन का मतलब कमजोरी नहीं बल्कि ढलना है। असली ताकत तो उन्हीं के पास होती है। राजनीतिक नेतृत्व उनका इस्तेमाल डीप स्टेट को नियंत्रण में रखने के लिए करता है। शैलो स्टेट कमजोर होता है तभी डीप स्टेट एजेंडा संभालता है। हमने परमाणु समझौते पर मनमोहन सिंह के हस्ताक्षर होने के बाद ऐसा होते देखा था। समझौते का ज्यादातर विरोध उनके दफ्तर और विदेश मंत्रालय से लीक हुई जानकारी पर आधारित था। विरोध करने वाले अमेरिका के विरोधी और ऐसे लोग थे, जिन्हें यह समझौता पच नहीं रहा था। यही वजह है कि परमाणु जवाबदेही कानून ऐसा बना जिसने समझौते के लाभ समाप्त कर दिए। मोदी सरकार के बजट में इसे बदलने का वादा किया गया है और मोदी-ट्रंप के साझा बयान में भी इसका जिक्र है। आखिर में नॉन-स्टेट कहां नजर आता है? प्राचीन काल से संप्रभु देश अपना काम निकालने के लिए नॉन-स्टेट कारकों का प्रयोग करते रहे हैं। तीसरी शताब्दी ईसा पूर्व में अशोक के समय के भिक्षुओं से लेकर मध्यकालीन सूफियों तक और अब ऑक्सफैम, ओमिडयार तथा सोरोस तक नॉन-स्टेट कारकों के पास असली शक्ति तभी होती है जब वे राज्य की सत्ता के साथ मिलकर काम करते हैं।

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- 35 thousand new employment opportunities for people of the state.
- 120 letters of intent issued for the allotment of 268 acres of land, attracting Rs 1,680 crore in investment and creating 6,600 jobs.
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But operating profit margin of 28.7% the best in 21 quarters

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Corporate India's struggle with subdued revenue and earnings growth persisted in the October-December quarter of 2024-25 (Q3FY25).

The combined net sales (gross interest earnings for lenders) of listed companies grew in single digits for the seventh consecutive quarter, while their combined net profit rose by a single digit for the third straight quarter. Total net earnings of 3,618 listed companies increased 6.2 per cent year-on-year (Y-o-Y) to approximately ₹3.47 trillion, while net revenue rose 7 per cent Y-o-Y to about ₹37.73 trillion in Q3FY25.

With this, listed firms' combined net profit rose 4.9 per cent Y-o-Y in the first nine months of FY25 (April-December 2024), against 27.4 per cent earnings growth in FY24 (full year). Their net sales climbed 7.2 per cent Y-o-Y in 9MFY25, a slight improvement from the 6.8 per cent Y-o-Y growth in the entire FY24.

Overall earnings growth was primarily driven by improved margins, as manufacturing firms benefited from lower raw material, energy, and interest costs. However, banks and non-banking financial companies (NBFCs) saw margin compression due to rising interest expenses outpacing gross interest income.

The profit before interest, depreciation, and taxes margin (PBIDTM), or operating margin, for the entire *Business Standard* sample expanded 155 basis points Y-o-Y to 28.7 per cent of total income in Q3FY25 — the highest level in at least 21 quarters. Similarly, the profit before tax margin (PBTM) rose 76 basis points to 12.7 per cent, the second-highest in 21 quarters, while the net profit margin (PATM) increased by about 10 basis points to 8.9 per cent of total revenue from 8.8 per cent a year earlier.

Earlier, analysts expected operating margins to moderate in the current quarter from recent highs.

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Q3 RESULTS REVIEW

GROWTH IN SLOW LANE

Net sales growth (% Y-o-Y change)



EARNINGS REMAIN MUTED

Quarterly net profit (₹ trillion)



BFSI: Banks, non-banking financial companies, insurers, and stock broking firms; capital goods includes construction & infra
Note: Based on a common sample of 3,618 companies, excluding their listed subsidiaries; includes historical numbers of HDFC that merged with HDFC Bank in July 2023
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58% of corporate profits from BFSI, oil & gas, IT services

However, companies managed to sustain margins despite weak revenue growth through cost optimisation and reductions in discretionary spending. Other operating expenses — including promotions, advertising, and overheads — declined 1.4 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25, compared with a 9.6 per cent Y-o-Y rise a year earlier and an 11.4 per cent Y-o-Y increase in Q2FY25.

The numbers also suggest efforts to optimise labour costs, as total salary and wages expenses for listed firms grew just 6.2 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — the slowest in at least 17 quarters.

The banking, financial services, and insurance and stock broking (BFSI) sector outperformed the broader corporate landscape despite contracting net interest margins (NIMs). BFSI firms' combined net profit climbed 8.3 per cent Y-o-Y to approximately ₹1.28 trillion in Q3FY25, up from around ₹1.18 trillion a year ago but down sequentially from ₹1.32 trillion in Q2FY25.

Their net sales, or gross interest income, increased 9.9 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — the slowest pace in 11 quarters — sharply decelerating from 22 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 and 13.6 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q2FY25.

BFSI firms posted combined gross interest income of approximately ₹8.19 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹7.45 trillion a year earlier and ₹8.08 trillion in Q2FY25. However, lenders' interest expenses surged 14.5 per cent Y-o-Y, rising faster than gross interest income for the third straight quarter, leading to a decline in net interest margins.



Q3 SECTORAL PERFORMANCE

% Y-o-Y change

	Net sales	Adj net profit
BFSI	9.9	8.3
Oil & Gas	0.6	-21.2
IT-Software	6.4	9.4
Mining & Metals	4.0	0.1
Automotive	8.2	0.6
Power	4.8	18.5
Pharmaceutical	9.8	22.7
FMCG	7.0	-3.8
Capital Goods	11.9	28.8
Cement	-1.4	-11.4
All firms	**7.0**	**6.2**

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Non-financial companies underperformed. Their combined net profit grew 5 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — down from 29.5 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 but a rebound from a 5.6 per cent Y-o-Y decline in Q2FY25.

These firms reported a combined net profit of approximately ₹2.19 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹2.09 trillion in Q3FY24 and ₹1.99 trillion in Q2FY25.

The combined net sales of non-BFSI companies rose 6.2 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25, an improvement from 4.2 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 and 4.5 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q2FY25. These firms recorded total net sales of about ₹29.3 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹27.56 trillion a year earlier and ₹27.99 trillion in the preceding quarter.

Among key sectors, telecom, capital goods & construction, pharmaceuticals, power, and IT services delivered double-digit earnings growth in Q3FY25. Meanwhile, oil & gas, cement, FMCG, mining & metals, and automobiles lagged, posting little to no earnings growth.

Notably, 58 per cent of total corporate profits in Q3FY25 came from BFSI, oil & gas, and IT services. Among individual companies, Bharti Airtel, State Bank of India, and Indus Towers were the biggest contributors to earnings growth, accounting for half of the incremental rise in profits in Q3FY25. Conversely, Indian Oil Corp, ONGC, and Adani Enterprises were the biggest laggards, reporting sharp Y-o-Y declines in net profit for the quarter.

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'एनपीसीआयएल'च्या अधिकाऱ्यांशी तंत्रज्ञानावर चर्चा

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തിരുവനന്തപുരം: എയർഫീൽഡ് ഗ്രൗണ്ട് ലൈറ്റിംഗുമായി ബന്ധപ്പെട്ട സാങ്കേതിക തകരാറിനെ തുടർന്ന് റൺവേ തുറന്നുകൊടുക്കുന്നത് വൈകിയതിനാൽ ഇന്നലെ 5 വിമാനങ്ങൾ കൊച്ചി, മധുര വിമാനത്താവളങ്ങളിലേക്ക് തിരിച്ചുവിട്ടു. റൺവേ രാത്രി 7.15 ന് തുറന്നതോടെ വിമാനങ്ങൾ വീണ്ടും തിരുവനന്തപുരത്ത് തിരിച്ചിറങ്ങി. ഇപ്പോൾ എല്ലാ സർവീസുകളും സാധാരണഗതിയിലാണ്.

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बॉलीवुड से लेकर हॉलीवुड तक अपनी एक्टिंग का जलवा दिखाने वाली एक्ट्रैस प्रियंका चोपड़ा को मुम्बई एयरपोर्ट पर स्पॉट किया गया। प्रियंका चोपड़ा इन दिनों महेश बाबू की 1000 करोड़ी फिल्म को लेकर चर्चा में बनी हुई हैं। फिल्म को बाहुबली डायरैक्टर एस.एस. राजामौली डायरैक्ट कर रहे हैं। वहीं जुहू स्थित एक सैलून के बाहर अभिनेत्री ट्विंकल खन्ना को स्पॉट किया गया।


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गौतम चॅटर्जी
माजी संस्थापक, अध्यक्ष, महारेरा

धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पात पात्र व्यक्तीला मालकी हक्काने, तर अपात्र व्यक्तीला भाड्याने घर देण्याचा शासनाचा निर्णय अगदी योग्य आहे. धारावीचा हाच कित्ता 'एसआर' योजनेत बदल करून गिरवता आला तर मोफत घर देण्याऐवजी भाड्याने घर देण्याच्या योजनेला चालना मिळेल. याव्यतिरिक्त एखादी पात्र व्यक्ती पैसे देऊन योजनेत घर घेऊ इच्छित असेल तर तशी मुभा त्याला द्यायला हवी. जेणेकरून त्यांना ते घर भाड्याने देता येईल. त्याचा फायदा भाड्याने राहणाऱ्या लोकांना होईल. कारण मुंबई किंवा कोणत्याही शहरात बाहेरून येणाऱ्या सर्व व्यक्तींना किंवा सर्व लोकांना बड्या खासगी बिल्डरांच्या गृहनिर्माण प्रकल्पात मालकी हक्काने घर घेता येत नाही. त्यामुळे असे बदल केले आणि पात्र व्यक्तीला दुसरे घर पैसे घेऊन दिले तर त्याला ते घर भाड्याने देता येईल आणि रेंटल हाउसिंगला चालना मिळेल. शिवाय मोफत घरे न देण्याच्या निर्णयालाही यश येईल.

काही खासगी संस्थांच्या सर्वेक्षणानुसार, मुंबईच्या झोपडपट्टीत आजघडीला ३९ टक्के लोक भाड्याने राहतात. भाड्याने राहणाऱ्या लोकांना 'एसआरए'मध्ये कोणताही फायदा दिला जात नव्हता. कारण एका झोपडीच्या स्ट्रक्चरमध्ये दोनपेक्षा अधिक कुटुंब राहत आहेत. दरम्यान, १९९५ पर्यंत कट ऑफ डेट म्हणजे पात्र झोपडीधारकांचा विचार पुढे आला. ही डेट नंतर २०००, २०११ करण्यात आली. वर्ष २०१७ मध्ये झोपडपट्टी अधिनियम सेक्शन ३ ब ५ फ अन्वये कायद्यात पहिल्यांदा बदल करण्यात आले. २०११ पर्यंत जे लोक आले आहेत त्यांना पात्र समजले जाईल आणि त्या अपात्र लोकांना सवलत असेल तर तिथेच किंवा इतर त्यांचे मालकी किंवा भाडेतत्त्वावर पुनर्वसन केले जाईल. शासनाचा हा सर्वात योग्य निर्णय होता. कारण वांद्रे किंवा इतर ठिकाणी चार ते पाच मजल्यांच्या झोपडपट्ट्या आहेत. शासनाचा नियम १४ फुटांचा असताना ज्या-ज्या ठिकाणी झोपडपट्टी त्यापेक्षा जास्त उंचीची वाढविण्यात आली आहे. त्याचे समर्थन करता येत नाही. त्यावर कठोर कारवाई अपेक्षित आहे.

शासनाने पहिल्यांदा धारावी प्रकल्पात २०१७ च्या बदलानुसार निर्णय घेतला. धारावीतल्या सर्व्हेमध्ये त्यांनी सांगितले की, २०११ पूर्वीचे जे आहेत त्यांना मालकी हक्काने मोफत घरे मिळतील. त्यानंतरचे जे आहेत किंवा अपात्र असतील त्यांना भाडेतत्त्वावर घर दिले जाईल. शासनाचा हा सर्वात योग्य निर्णय आहे. प्रत्येक झोपडीच्या बांधकामात एकापेक्षा जास्त कुटुंब राहत असतील तर त्यांची नोंद घेणेही आवश्यक आहे. त्यांना मोफत नाही; पण भाडेतत्त्वावर घर दिले जावे. कारण त्यांना पण मोफत घर दिले तर वाढीव 'एफएसआय' जास्त द्यावे लागेल. बिल्डरांचा तेवढाच फायदा करून द्यावा लागेल. कारण बिल्डर काहीच फुकटात बांधून देणार नाही. त्याच्या मोबदल्यात आपल्याला त्यांना 'एफएसआय' द्यावा लागेल. म्हणून अशा लोकांना विस्थापित करण्यापेक्षा योजनेत बदल त्यांना भाडेतत्त्वावर घरे दिली तर सर्वात योग्य निर्णय होईल.

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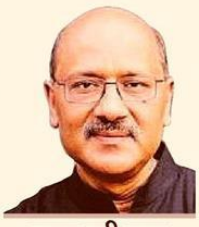
डीप स्टेट, शैलो स्टेट नॉन-स्टेट की बहस

तमाम लोकतांत्रिक देशों में डीप स्टेट षडयंत्र सिद्धांतों को आगे बढ़ाने का काम करता है। सबसे पहले अमेरिका में ऐसा हुआ और भारत भी उसी राह पर चल रहा है।

अभी 2025 शुरू ही हुआ है और लगता है कि 'डीप स्टेट' को 'वर्ष का शब्द' करार दे दिया जाएगा। कुछ भी गलत होता है तो ठीकरा डीप स्टेट के सिर फोड़ दिया जाता है। मगर यह कोई मिथक नहीं है। यह हमारे जीवन और शासन व्यवस्था का उतना ही अंग है, जितना शैलो स्टेट और नॉन स्टेट। हमें इन परिभाषाओं की पड़ताल करके देखना चाहिए कि ये किस तरह एक-दूसरे गुंथे हुए हैं। डीप स्टेट अब तमाम लोकतांत्रिक देशों में षडयंत्र सिद्धांतों को आगे बढ़ाने का जरिया बन गया है। सबसे पहले हमें शब्दकोष या विकीपीडिया में इसकी परिभाषा पर ध्यान देना चाहिए। इसके मुताबिक डीप स्टेट सत्ता का गोपनीय और अनधिकृत नेटवर्क हैं, जो देश के राजनीतिक नेतृत्व से अलग रहकर अपने एजेंडे और लक्ष्य के लिए काम करता रहता है। जाहिर है इसमें नकारात्मकता और साजिश की बू आती है। तो तीन उदाहरण देखते हैं।

1. बांग्लादेश में सत्ता परिवर्तन। यह सड़कों पर हिंसा भरा नेतृत्वविहीन और नाटकीय घटनाक्रम था। इसकी तोहमत अमेरिकी डीप स्टेट के मत्थे मढ़ दी गई। इसे अमेरिकी डीप स्टेट की कामयाबी भी बताया गया और कहा गया कि भारत में भी ऐसा ही करने की योजना है। वजह? बाइडन प्रशासन और अमेरिकी डीप स्टेट नरेंद्र मोदी को पसंद नहीं करते।

2. दो साल में अदाणी समूह के खिलाफ एक के बाद एक खुलासे। इनमें से कई खुलासे संदिग्ध से दिखने वाले शॉर्ट सेलर समूह हिंडनबर्ग ने लगाए, जो जिस तरह आया था उसी रहस्यमय तरीके से अचानक गायब हो गया। ऑर्गनाइज्ड क्राइम ऐंड करप्शन रिपोर्टिंग प्रोजेक्ट (ओसीसीआरपी) से रकम पाने वाले कई अन्य संस्थानों से भी तमाम खबरें आईं। इंटरनैशनल कंसोर्टियम ऑफ इन्वेस्टिगेटिव जर्नलिज्म (आईसीआईजे) भी है। दोनों को ओपन सोसाइटी फाउंडेशन्स से मदद मिलती है, जिसकी बुनियाद जॉर्ज सोरोस ने रखी थी। सोरोस को वाम रुझान वाला अराजकतावादी कहा जाता है। उन्होंने ही 1992 में बैंक ऑफ इंगलैंड और पाउंड को तोड़ दिया था। 1997 के वित्तीय संकट में कई पूर्वी एशियाई देशों को कमजोर करने का आरोप भी उन पर ही है। इन दोनों संगठनों ने अदाणी के खिलाफ खबरों में मदद की। इसमें साजिश का सिद्धांत यह है कि अदाणी नहीं पर्दे के पीछे से असली हमला मोदी सरकार पर था। प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने संसद में मौजूदा बजट सत्र में कहा भी था कि कई सालों में पहली बार कोई सत्र विदेशी हरकतों के बिना आरंभ हुआ है।



राष्ट्र की बात

शेखर गुप्ता

3. तीसरी बात कनाडा और अमेरिका में हुई, जहां भारत शर्मिंदा करने वाले मुश्किल हालात में फंसा था। ये मामले वहां सिख चरमपंथियों की गतिविधियों से जुड़े हैं। दोनों मामलों में अमेरिकी मीडिया ने वैसे ही बढ़चढ़कर खबरें चलाईं, जैसे फाइनैंशियल टाइम्स ने अदाणी मामले में चलाई थीं। कहा जा रहा है कि यह सब संयोग तो नहीं है और जरूर यह डीप स्टेट का काम होगा। अब तो डॉनल्ड ट्रंप, ईलॉन मस्क और उनके साथी भी यही कह रहे हैं।

मगर क्या बांग्लादेश में हम पक्के तौर पर कह सकते हैं कि यह 'संभावित गोपनीय और अवैध' समूहों का काम है, जो अमेरिका सरकार की निगरानी में काम कर रहे थे? अगर आपने पिछले महीने जॉर्ज सोरोस के बेटे की वे तस्वीरें देखीं, जिनमें वह बांग्लादेश के मुख्य सलाहकार मोहम्मद यूनुस से मिलने ढाका आए थे तो आपका शक पुख्ता हो जाएगा। इसके बाद वह तस्वीर भी देखें जिसमें जो बाइडन यूनुस के साथ गलबहियां करते नजर आ रहे हैं। अगर हसीना का पतन वाकई अमेरिका के इशारे पर हुआ तो क्या कोई डीप स्टेट अपने दम पर काम कर रहा था? या बाइडन प्रशासन के साथ मिलीभगत थी? ऐसा था तो यह डीप स्टेट की उस परिभाषा पर खरा नहीं उतरता, जो साजिश सिद्धांत के पैरोकार देते हैं।

ऐसे रहस्यमय और अस्पष्ट परिभाषा वाले संगठन होते हैं जो किसी नियमित सत्ता के उपकरण के तौर पर काम करते हैं। मगर अब उलझाने वाला सवाल है कि लश्कर-ए-तैयबा और जैश-ए-मोहम्मद को आप क्या कहेंगे? नॉन-स्टेट एक्टर यानी राज्य की सत्ता से अलग ताकत या डीप स्टेट? पाकिस्तान इन दोनों परिभाषाओं को आसानी से नकार देगा। वास्तव में वे की सत्ता से जुड़े हैं और भारत को बहुत अधिक नुकसान पहुंचाते हैं।

अदाणी का मामला जटिल हो सकता है क्योंकि हिंडनबर्ग या ओसीसीआरपी की अधिकतर खबरों में अमेरिकी सरकार की सीधी भूमिका नहीं दिखती। तो क्या डीप स्टेट काम कर रहा था? लेकिन अमेरिकी न्याय विभाग और प्रतिभूति एवं विनिमय आयोग ने जो कहा वह हिंडनबर्ग से बहुत अधिक नुकसान पहुंचाने वाला था। अब सवाल है कि हिंडनबर्ग और ओसीसीआरपी राज्य से अलग काम कर रहे थे या उसके साथ मिलकर? या इसका उलट सच है?

और आखिर में भारत को कनाडा और अमेरिका में निज्जर और पन्नुन पर जिन समस्याओं का सामना करना पड़ा, उन्हें डीप स्टेट की गतिविधि इसलिए बताया गया क्योंकि अमेरिका और कनाडा के मीडिया का कुछ हिस्सा इन पर ज्यादा सक्रिय था। मगर उसकी तमाम खबरें इन देशों के खुफिया अधिकारियों से मिली जानकारी पर ही थीं। कुछ लोग डीप स्टेट को अफसरशाही, प्रशासनिक सेवा, पुलिस, सशस्त्र बल, न्यायपालिका, नियामक, चुनाव आयोग और अन्य संस्था मान सकते हैं, जो कई सरकारों के दौरान काम करती रहती हैं। वे कायदे से काम करती हैं, निरंतरता बनाए रखती हैं और विरासत की रक्षा करती हैं। 1996 से 1999 के बीच भारत में प्रधानमंत्री बदलते रहे मगर बेहतरीन नौकरशाहों, सैन्य नेताओं और परमाणु वैज्ञानिकों ने हमारा सामरिक कार्यक्रम जारी रखा, उसकी हिफाजत की और एक शब्द भी बाहर नहीं जाने दिया।

यही व्यवस्था अलग ढंग से भी काम कर सकती है। अगर उन्होंने इतने सालों तक परमाणु परिसंपत्तियों को गोपनीय रखा, शांतिपूर्ण उद्देश्य वाली बताया तो 1998 में उन्हें सैन्य बताते हुए सबके सामने क्यों ले आए? क्योंकि वाजपेयी सरकार ने ऐसा करने के लिए कहा। जो डीप स्टेट निरंतरता देता है और मोटे तौर पर नीतियों और संप्रभुता के प्रति निष्ठा अटूट रहने का भरोसा दिलाता है वह राजनीतिक नेतृत्व के कहने पर बदल भी जाता है। इसे हम शैलो स्टेट कहते हैं। शैलो या उथलेपन का मतलब कमजोरी नहीं बल्कि ढलना है। असली ताकत तो उन्हीं के पास होती है। राजनीतिक नेतृत्व उनका इस्तेमाल डीप स्टेट को नियंत्रण में रखने के लिए करता है। शैलो स्टेट कमजोर होता है तभी डीप स्टेट एजेंडा संभालता है। हमने परमाणु समझौते पर मनमोहन सिंह के हस्ताक्षर होने के बाद ऐसा होते देखा था। समझौते का ज्यादातर विरोध उनके दफ्तर और विदेश मंत्रालय से लीक हुई जानकारी पर आधारित था। विरोध करने वाले अमेरिका के विरोधी और ऐसे लोग थे, जिन्हें यह समझौता पच नहीं रहा था। यही वजह है कि परमाणु जवाबदेही कानून ऐसा बना जिसने समझौते के लाभ समाप्त कर दिए। मोदी सरकार के बजट में इसे बदलने का वादा किया गया है और मोदी-ट्रंप के साझा बयान में भी इसका जिक्र है। आखिर में नॉन-स्टेट कहां नजर आता है? प्राचीन काल से संप्रभु देश अपना काम निकालने के लिए नॉन-स्टेट कारकों का प्रयोग करते रहे हैं। तीसरी शताब्दी ईसा पूर्व में अशोक के समय के भिक्षुओं से लेकर मध्यकालीन सूफियों तक और अब ऑक्सफैम, ओमिडयार तथा सोरोस तक नॉन-स्टेट कारकों के पास असली शक्ति तभी होती है जब वे राज्य की सत्ता के साथ मिलकर काम करते हैं।

उदाहरण के लिए यूएस एजेंसी फॉर इंटरनैशनल डेवलपमेंट (यूएसएड) क्या है? यह डीप स्टेट नहीं हो सकती है क्योंकि यह अमेरिका सरकार के हाथ में है। इतनी ज्यादा है कि अब तो मार्को रुबियो ने इसकी सीधी कमान संभालकर इसे विदेश मंत्रालय में जोड़ लिया है। ट्रंप की आपत्ति है कि इस पर वामपंथी विचारकों ने कब्जा कर लिया था, जो इसका इस्तेमाल अमेरिका के हित में नहीं बल्कि अपना उल्लू सीधा करने के लिए कर रहे थे।

सहस्राब्दियां लांघकर आज के भारत में आएं और पूछें कि राष्ट्रीय स्वयंसेवक संघ क्या है? भारतीय जनता पार्टी कहेगी कि यह नॉन-स्टेट संस्था और दुनिया का सबसे बड़ा गैर सरकारी संगठन है। कांग्रेस इसे भारतीय जनता पार्टी का डीप स्टेट बताएगी। अगर आप दोनों से सोनिया गांधी की राष्ट्रीय सलाहकार परिषद के बारे में पूछें तो दोनों का जवाब इसके एकदम उलट होगा। शैलो स्टेट के किसी मुखिया का डीप स्टेट दूसरे मुखिया के लिए नॉन-स्टेट कारक हो जाता है।

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टीटागढ़ रेल को अदाणी सीमेंट से मिला ऑर्डर

कोलकाता। टीटागढ़ रेल सिस्टम्स लिमिटेड (टीआरएसएल), को अदाणी सीमेंट की अनुषंगी कंपनियों अंबुजा सीमेंट्स लिमिटेड और एसीसी लिमिटेड से विशेष मालवाहक डिब्बों के विनिर्माण और आपूर्ति के लिए 537.11 करोड़ रुपये का अनुबंध मिला है। कंपनी के व्यापारिक कामों में आसानी हो सके। ऑर्डर की डिलीवरी जनवरी 2026 और मार्च 2027 के बीच निर्धारित है। टीआरएसएल के उप प्रबंध निदेशक अनिल कुमार अग्रवाल ने कहा कंपनी भारत के कुनबादी ढांचे को बेहतर बनाने के लिए अपनी तकनीक और समाधान का उपयोग करेगी, ताकि परिवहन क्षेत्र में लागत कम किया जा सके।

बीते सप्ताह अधिकांश तेल तिलहन की कीमतों में सुधार

नई दिल्ली। विदेशों में खाद्य तेलों के दाम बढ़ने तथा देश में आयात शुल्क मूल्य को पुनर्निर्धारित किये जाने के कारण देश के तेल-तिलहन बाजार में बीते सप्ताह अधिकांश तेल-तिलहनों के दाम मजबूती के साथ बंद हुए। निर्यात में सोयाबीन डी-आफटर केक (डीओसी) का दाम कम मिलने के बीच सोयाबीन तिलहन के दाम में गिरावट देखने को मिली।

बाजार पूंजीकरण में रिलायंस को सबसे ज्यादा हुआ नुकसान

नई दिल्ली। सेंसेक्स की शीर्ष 10 कंपनियों में से आठ के बाजार पूंजीकरण (मार्केट कैप) में पिछले सप्ताह सामूहिक रूप से दो लाख करोड़ रुपये से अधिक की गिरावट आई। शेयर बाजार में कमजोरी के रुख के बीच सबसे ज्यादा नुकसान रिलायंस इंडस्ट्रीज को हुआ। शेयर बाजारों में शुक्रवार को लगातार आठवें कारोबारी सत्र में गिरावट का सिलसिला जारी रहा। आठ कारोबारी सत्रों में बीएसई का 30 शेयरों वाला सेंसेक्स 2,644.6 अंक या 3.36 प्रतिशत टूटा है, जबकि नेशनल स्टॉक एक्सचेंज के निफ्टी में 810 अंक या 3.41 प्रतिशत का नुकसान रहा है।

सूचना

सभी शाखाओं में अनुरोध है कि हरिभूमि समाचार-पत्र में प्रकाशित विज्ञापनों (डिस्प्ले/क्लासीफाइड्स) में दिए गए लब्धों/दावों के बारे में अपने विवेक से निर्णय लें और विज्ञापन के दावों की विश्वसनीयता को परखें। हरिभूमि समूह के मुद्रक, प्रकाशक या सम्पादक की विज्ञापनों के लब्धों से सम्बन्धित कोई जिम्मेवारी नहीं होगी।

राशिफल

मेष रीसेप्शन कार्यों के लिए किसी दूसरे स्थान पर जा सकते हैं। रहन-सहन आवासीय रहेगा। आय वृद्धि के साधन देखेंगे होंगे।

वृष व्यवसाय में वृद्धि होगी। किसी मित्र के सहयोग से नौकरी के अवसर मिल सकते हैं। आय में वृद्धि होगी। आध्यात्मिकता में वृद्धि होगी।

मिथुन अपने स्वास्थ्य का ध्यान रखें। धर्म के प्रति श्रद्धाभाव रहेगा। व्यवसाय में चल रहे गतिरोध दूर होंगे। सम्मान की ओर से सुखद समाचार मिल सकते हैं।

कर्क आत्मविश्वास में वृद्धि होगी। परिवार का साथ मिलेगा। सबसे प्रति सद्भाव बढ़ सकता है। सम्मान के प्रति सतर्क रहें। मन में निराशा एवं असंतोष के भाव रहेंगे।

सिंह रीसेप्शन कार्यों में सतर्कता मिलेगी। लेखनादि-बौद्धिक कार्यों से आय के साधन बन सकते हैं। रहन-सहन सामान्य ही सकता है।

कन्या शत्रु पक्ष आपके ऊपर हावी रहेंगे। मन में निराशा एवं असंतोष के भाव रहेंगे। स्वभाव में चिड़चिड़ापन हो सकता है। व्यवसाय में सतर्कता बरतें।

तुला भाग-दौड़ के योग बने रहेंगे। किसी मित्र के सहयोग से नौकरी के अवसर मिल सकते हैं। आय में वृद्धि होगी। आध्यात्मिकता में वृद्धि होगी।

वृश्चिक अपने स्वास्थ्य का ध्यान रखें। धर्म के प्रति श्रद्धाभाव रहेगा। व्यवसाय में चल रहे गतिरोध दूर होंगे। सम्मान की ओर से सुखद समाचार मिल सकते हैं।

धनु विद्या का लाभ रहेगा। खेल का ध्यान रखें। रीसेप्शन कार्यों में सफलता आएगी। नौकरी में तरक्की के मार्ग प्रशस्त होंगे।

मकर परिवार से दूर रहना पड़ सकता है। परिश्रम अधिक रहेगा। स्वास्थ्य परिवर्तन सम्भव है। लंबे समय से रुकते हुए काम बनने की उम्मीद है।

कुंभ परिवार की समस्याएं परेशान कर सकती हैं। वाहन के रख-रखाव एवं दवाओं पर खर्च बढ़ सकते हैं। शिक्षा में सुधार होगा। आत्मविश्वास में कमी आएगी।

मीन धरम उधार में मित्र सकते हैं। मित्र के सहयोग से आय वृद्धि के स्रोत विकसित हो सकते हैं। व्यवसाय के प्रति सचेत रहें। परिवार में अशांति रहेगी।

छोटे शहरों की आईटी प्रतिभाओं को निखारने को निवेश की जरूरत

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दूसरे से दूर यानी घर से या किसी अन्य स्थान पर बैठकर काम करने की प्रवृत्ति (रिमोट वर्क) से दूसरी और तीसरी श्रेणी के शहरों में सृजनात्मक प्रौद्योगिकी (आईटी) पेशेवरों के लिए अवसर बढ़ रहे हैं।

- **कौशल विकास के लिए उत्कृष्ट केंद्र स्थापित करने का सुझाव**

विशेषज्ञों का कहना है कि इस स्थितियों में डिजिटल ढांचे में निवेश बढ़ाने तथा प्रतिभाओं का कौशल बढ़ाने की जरूरत है, ताकि वे वैश्विक परियोजनाओं में काम करने के काबिल बन सकें। विशेषज्ञों ने कौशल विकास के लिए पांच राष्ट्रीय उत्कृष्टता केंद्र स्थापित करने के सरकार के कदम की भी सराहना की है, जो कुशलता की समस्याओं को पहचान और अंतरराष्ट्रीय दिग्गजों कंपनियों की मांग के साथ जोड़ने के लिए एक रणनीतिक कदम है।

विशेषज्ञों का कहना, डिजिटल ढांचे में निवेश बढ़ाना होगा

दूसरी व तीसरी श्रेणी के शहरों में अवसर बढ़ रहे

मंत्रिक के कुशल परिचालन अधिकारी (सीओओ) अनुज जोकेजा ने कहा, 'रिमोट वर्क कल्चर से दूर बैठक काम करने की प्रवृत्ति ने दूसरी और तीसरी श्रेणी के शहरों में आईटी पेशेवरों के लिए अवसर बढ़ दिए हैं। इस तरह के बदलाव से अब वह क्षमता बढ़ी है और वह उसमेंसे वृद्धि को अगले बढ़ावे का काम कर रहा है।



छोटे शहरों में होगा प्रतिभओं का विकास : इसमें एजाई के एक-उपलब्धता और कुशल कार्यबलकर अधिकारी (सीईओ) गणेश सोपालन ने कहा कि छोटे शहरों में प्रतिभओं का पूरा कौशल दायनों के लिए डिजिटल बुनियादी ढांचे मल्टीलेवल इंटरफेस और कौशल विकास कार्यक्रमों में निवेश महत्वपूर्ण है।

आईटी क्षेत्र को आगे बढ़ाने में मदद मिलेगी

जोकेजा ने कहा कि छोटे शहरों के पेशेवरों को तकनीकी स्तर पर प्रशिक्षण देने के लिए कौशल विकास केंद्रों की जरूरत है। इससे उन्हें तकनीकी कौशल और उद्योग जगत की जरूरतों के बीच की खाई को पाटने में मदद मिलेगी। टेलिकम्युनिकेशन के कुशल प्रौद्योगिकी अधिकारी (सीटीओ) पवन सुनूजा ने कहा कि उनकी कंपनी अप्रैल 2024 में ऐसे शिक्षा तथा स्किल्स डेवलपमेंट प्रशिक्षण कार्यक्रम शुरू करने जा रही है। इसके तहत 60 से अधिक छात्रों को ऑनलाइन और ऑफलाइन प्रशिक्षण दिया जाएगा।

भारत को स्किल्सकैपिटल के रूप में स्थापित करना

सूचना ने कहा, 'हमारा लक्ष्य न केवल प्रोटोपाइक्लॉन्चटेक और तकनीकी प्रतिभओं को बढ़ावा देकिन्तु मांग को पूरा करना है, बल्कि भारत के दूसरी और तीसरी श्रेणी के शहरों को तैकिक तकनीकी प्रतिनिधित्व तंत्र में प्रमुख खिलाड़ी के उप में उजागर भी है। सूचना ने कहा कि दूसरी और तीसरी श्रेणी के शहरों में पेशेवरों को अवसर बनाकर हम उनमेंसे विकास दर को बढ़ावा दे रहे हैं और भारत को वैश्विक तो प्रिडक्शनकैपिटल के उप में स्थापित कर रहे हैं।

द्विपक्षीय व्यापार को दोगुना कर 500 अरब डॉलर तक पहुंचाने का लक्ष्य

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वाणिज्य एवं उद्योग मंत्री पीयूष गोयल ने रविवार को कहा कि भारत और अमेरिका के बीच द्विपक्षीय व्यापार समझौते पर बातचीत की घोषणा से दोनों देशों में कारोबारी विश्वास बढ़ा है। उन्होंने कहा कि इससे उनको प्रतिस्पर्धी करने की ताकत का लाभ उठाकर आर्थिक संबंधों को और मजबूत करने में मदद मिल सकती है। प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी की हाल की अमेरिका यात्रा के दौरान भारत और अमेरिका ने 2030 तक द्विपक्षीय व्यापार को दोगुना कर 500 अरब डॉलर तक पहुंचाने तथा 2025 तक पारस्परिक रूप से लाभकारी, बहु-क्षेत्रीय द्विपक्षीय व्यापार समझौते (बीटीए) के पहले चरण पर बातचीत करने की घोषणा की। गोयल ने कहा, "प्रधानमंत्री अपने साथ इस वर्ष के अंत तक व्यापार समझौते पर हस्ताक्षर करने के लिए एक समझौता या सहमति लेकर आए हैं। मुझे लगता है, यह अमेरिका और भारत में हर व्यवसायी को बहुत आत्मविश्वास और उत्साह देता है, जो मानते हैं कि साथ मिलकर, हम वास्तव में वैश्विक व्यापार को बदल सकते हैं, विभिन्न क्षेत्रों में अपनी प्रतिस्पर्धी शक्तियों के साथ, हम वास्तव में दो दोस्तों के रूप में, प्रगति और समृद्धि के लिए दो भागीदारों के रूप में काम कर सकते हैं।" अमरीत यह मुक्त व्यापार समझौते (एफटीए) में, दो व्यापारिक साझेदार अपने बीच व्यापार वाले उत्पादों की अधिकतम संख्या पर सीमा शुल्क को या तो समाप्त कर देते हैं या काफी कम कर देते हैं। इसके अलावा, ये संबंधों में व्यापार को बढ़ावा देने और निवेश को बढ़ावा देने के लिए मानदंडों को भी सुसंगत बनाते हैं। अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के पहले कार्यकाल के दौरान, दोनों देशों ने एक छोटे व्यापार समझौते पर चर्चा की थी, लेकिन कथित तौर पर इस तरह के समझौते के पक्ष में नहीं थे। वाणिज्य मंत्री ने कहा कि भारत, ऑस्ट्रेलिया, संयुक्त अरब अमीरात (यूएई) और ईएफटीए (कुछ सहित विकसित देशों के साथ नए व्यापार समझौतों के माध्यम से दुनियाभर में नई साझेदारियों का विस्तार और निर्माण कर रहा है। यूरोपीय मुक्त व्यापार संघ (ईएफटीए) के सदस्य आइसलैंड, लीचटेंस्टाइन, नॉर्वे और स्विट्जरलैंड हैं।

भारत-अमेरिका ट्रस्ट से आर्थिक सहयोग को बढ़ावा मिलेगा : विरोधड़ा

नई दिल्ली (भाषा)। भारत-अमेरिका ट्रस्ट दोनों देशों के बीच आर्थिक और प्रौद्योगिकी क्षेत्र में सहयोग तथा रफ्तार तेज करेगा, जबकि आईएमईसी होने पर यह व्यवस्था तैकिक तरीके से सुविधाओं द्वारों और आर्थिक कठिनाइयों में उल्लेखनीय बढ़ावा होगा। उद्योग विशेषज्ञों ने यह उम्मीद जताई है। उपराष्ट्रपति जगदीप धनखड़ और अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के महत्वपूर्ण खनिजों, उच्च तकनीकी और एयरोस्पेस/रक्षा तो मजबूत आपूर्ति श्रृंखला बनाने पर जोर देने के लिए रणनीतिक प्रौद्योगिकी तथा उपयोग करने हुए उपायों में बढ़ावा (ट्रस्ट) पहल पर सहमति जताई है। अमेरिका में दुत-मंत्री बैठकों के बाद जारी संयुक्त वक्तव्य के अनुसार दोनों देशों ने रेनियम और सुपर कूल जैसे रणनीतिक खनिजों के लिए पुनर्प्राप्ति और प्रसंस्करण पहल शुरू करने का निर्णय लिया है। दोनों पक्ष आईएमईसी (भारत पश्चिम एशिया यूरोप आर्थिक गलियारा) और आईएचए दोनों के तहत आर्थिक गलियारों और उच्चतैकी बुनियादी दोनों पर भी मिलकर काम करेंगे। संयुक्त इंडस्ट्रल तथा (आईएमएस) के शीर्ष विकास के अवसर और विकास दर्शन एवं उच्चतर रेनिकिंग (जेआरडीएस) के येजस्विता कार्यक्रम विस्तार के तहत, 'महत्वपूर्ण खनिजों और उच्चतर तकनीकों पर ट्रस्ट' तो पहल आर्थिक और प्रौद्योगिकी व्यवसाय की विकास में एक महत्वपूर्ण कदम है। आईएमईसी और आईएचए जैसी पहल पर प्रारम्भकर्ता तथा व्यवसाय तैकिक संगठनों के लिए रणनीतिक प्रारम्भ तो दर्शाते हैं।

ब्राजील जुलाई में करेगा अगले ब्रिक्स शिखर सम्मेलन की मेजबानी

रू.जो पाउलो (एपी)। ब्राजील की सरकार ने सोमवार को कहा कि अगला ब्रिक्स शिखर सम्मेलन इस और जुलाई में होगा। ब्राजील राष्ट्रपति लुइज इनासियो लूला डा सिल्वा ने जोर दिया कि ब्रिक्स को अपने मूल उद्देश्य पर ध्यान केंद्रित करना चाहिए। ब्रिक्स एक अंतरराष्ट्रीय संगठन है, जिसकी स्थापना 2009 में ब्राजील, रूस, भारत और चीन ने की थी। फिलहाल इसमें इनमें मिस्र, इथियोपिया और संयुक्त अरब अमीरात को भी शामिल किया गया। दक्षिणी अफ्रीका को भी शामिल किया गया। दक्षिणी अफ्रीका को भी शामिल किया गया। दक्षिणी अफ्रीका

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Dharavi's leather industry is afraid of losing its identity

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धारावी के चमड़ा उद्योग को सता रहा पहचान खोने का डर

नई दिल्ली। जो धारावी एशिया की सबसे बड़ी झुग्गी बस्ती होने का दाग ढोती है, चमड़े का यह शानदार सामान उसी की तंग और बदहाल गलियों की पहचान है। कई परिवार तो यहां पीढ़ियों से चमड़े और पॉटरी की इकाइयां चला रहे हैं। लेकिन धारावी के पुनर्विकास की बात सुर्खियों में आने के बाद उन्हें कारोबार बिखरने का डर सता रहा है। इसकी शुरुआत हो भी चुकी है क्योंकि यहां से कारखाने भिवंडी, गोवंडी, कुर्ला और मदनपुरा जैसे इलाकों में जाने लगे हैं। मुंबई के बीचोबीच बसी धारावी में चमड़े और पॉटरी ही नहीं दवाओं, जूतों और कपड़ों ते भी कई कारखाने हैं। बेशक यहां का उद्योग असंगठित है मगर हजारों लोगों को रोजगार देता है और यहां बने चमड़े के उत्पाद दुनिया भर के बाजारों को निर्यात किए जाते हैं। धारावी लेदर एसोसिएशन कहती है कि यहां चमड़े का सामान बनाने वाले ही 15,000 से ज्यादा कारखाने हैं और उनमें सालाना 100 करोड़ डॉलर से ज्यादा का माल बनता है। इसमें से करीब 65 करोड़ डॉलर का सामान विदेश चला जाता है।

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Spontaneous response to unorganized workers' sanman yatra in Dharavi

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धारावीत असंघटित कामगारांचा सन्मान यात्रेला उत्स्फूर्त प्रतिसाद

लोकमत न्यूज नेटवर्क

मुंबई : असंघटित क्षेत्रातील कामगारांना दरमहा पाच हजार रुपये पेन्शन, समान कामाला समान वेतन, राज्य विमा योजना आणि मोफत आरोग्य सेवा मिळाव्यात, अशा विविध मागण्यांसाठी पुकारलेल्या श्रमिक सन्मान यात्रेला मुंबईतून उत्स्फूर्त प्रतिसाद मिळाला. धारावीमध्ये या यात्रेने नुकताच मुंबईतील अंतिम टप्पा पार करत पुढच्या प्रवासाला सुरुवात केली. देशातील विविध ठिकाणी जात दिल्लीमध्ये २५ फेब्रुवारी रोजी या यात्रेचा समारोप होणार आहे.

असंघटित क्षेत्रातील कामगारांना मोफत घर किंवा त्यांच्या घराखालच्या जमिनीचा हक्क मिळाला पाहिजे. त्यांना कर्जाची सुविधाही दिली गेली पाहिजे.

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शासनाकडून असंघटित कामगारांना मूलभूत सोयी-सुविधा आणि त्यांचे राज्यघटनात्मक हक्क परिपूर्ण दिले जात नाहीत. तोच हक्क मागण्यासाठी सन्मान यात्रा सुरू केलेली आहे.

बिलाल खान, यात्रा संयोजक, मुंबई

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Adani spread the chadar to Ajmer Sharif Darya

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सुप्रसिद्ध उद्योगपती गौतम अदानी व त्यांच्या पत्नी प्रिती अदानी यांनी काल अजमेर शरीफच्या दर्ग्यावर चादर अर्पण केली. अदानी कुटुंबिय एका लग्नासाठी अजमेरला आले असता काल त्यांनी सपत्निक अजमेरच्या दर्ग्यावर चादर चढवली. अदानी यांचा मुलगा जीत याचा ७ फेब्रुवारी रोजी दिवा शहा हिच्याशी विवाह झाला होता. कोणताही गाजावाजा न करता केवळ कुटुंबियांच्या उपस्थितीत हा विवाह सोहळा पार पडला होता.



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INDIA INC PROFITS CRAWL AS SALES STAY SLUGGISH

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India Inc profits crawl as sales stay sluggish

But operating profit margin of 28.7% the best in 21 quarters

KRISHNA KANT
Mumbai, 16 February

Corporate India's struggle with subdued revenue and earnings growth persisted in the October-December quarter of 2024-25 (Q3FY25).

The combined net sales (gross interest earnings for lenders) of listed companies grew in single digits for the seventh consecutive quarter, while their combined net profit rose by a single digit for the third straight quarter. Total net earnings of 3,618 listed companies increased 6.2 per cent year-on-year (Y-o-Y) to approximately ₹3.47 trillion, while net revenue rose 7 per cent Y-o-Y to about ₹37.73 trillion in Q3FY25.

With this, listed firms' combined net profit rose 4.9 per cent Y-o-Y in the first nine months of FY25 (April-December 2024), against 27.4 per cent earnings growth in FY24 (full year). Their net sales climbed 7.2 per cent Y-o-Y in 9MFY25, a slight improvement from the 6.8 per cent Y-o-Y growth in the entire FY24.

Overall earnings growth was primarily driven by improved margins, as manufacturing firms benefited from lower raw material, energy, and interest costs. However, banks and non-banking financial companies (NBFCs) saw margin compression due to rising interest expenses outpacing gross interest income.

The profit before interest, depreciation, and taxes margin (PBIDTM), or operating margin, for the entire *Business Standard* sample expanded 155 basis points Y-o-Y to 28.7 per cent of total income in Q3FY25 — the highest level in at least 21 quarters. Similarly, the profit before tax margin (PBTM) rose 76 basis points to 12.7 per cent, the second-highest in 21 quarters, while the net profit margin (PATM) increased by about 10 basis points to 8.9 per cent of total revenue from 8.8 per cent a year earlier.

Earlier, analysts expected operating margins to moderate in the current quarter from recent highs.

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Q3 RESULTS REVIEW

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BFSI: Banks, non-banking financial companies, insurers, and stock broking firms; capital goods includes construction & infra
Note: Based on a common sample of 3,618 companies, excluding their listed subsidiaries; includes historical numbers of HDFC that merged with HDFC Bank in July 2023
Source: Capitaline; compiled by BS Research Bureau

58% of corporate profits from BFSI, oil & gas, IT services

However, companies managed to sustain margins despite weak revenue growth through cost optimisation and reductions in discretionary spending. Other operating expenses — including promotions, advertising, and overheads — declined 1.4 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25, compared with a 9.6 per cent Y-o-Y rise a year earlier and an 11.4 per cent Y-o-Y increase in Q2FY25.

The numbers also suggest efforts to optimise labour costs, as total salary and wages expenses for listed firms grew just 6.2 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — the slowest in at least 17 quarters.

The banking, financial services, and insurance and stock broking (BFSI) sector outperformed the broader corporate landscape despite contracting net interest margins (NIMs). BFSI firms' combined net profit climbed 8.3 per cent Y-o-Y to approximately ₹1.28 trillion in Q3FY25, up from around ₹1.18 trillion a year ago but down sequentially from ₹1.32 trillion in Q2FY25.

Their net sales, or gross interest income, increased 9.9 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — the slowest pace in 11 quarters — sharply decelerating from 22 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 and 13.6 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q2FY25.

BFSI firms posted combined gross interest income of approximately ₹8.19 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹7.45 trillion a year earlier and ₹8.08 trillion in Q2FY25. However, lenders' interest expenses surged 14.5 per cent Y-o-Y, rising faster than gross interest income for the third straight quarter, leading to a decline in net interest margins.



Q3 SECTORAL PERFORMANCE

% Y-o-Y change

	Net sales	Adj net profit
BFSI	9.9	8.3
Oil & Gas	0.6	-21.2
IT-Software	6.4	9.4
Mining & Metals	4.0	0.1
Automotive	8.2	0.6
Power	4.8	18.5
Pharmaceutical	9.8	22.7
FMCG	7.0	-3.8
Capital Goods	11.9	28.8
Cement	-1.4	-11.4
All firms	**7.0**	**6.2**

BFSI: Banking, financial services, and insurance

Source: Capitaline, compiled by BS Research Bureau

Non-financial companies underperformed. Their combined net profit grew 5 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — down from 29.5 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 but a rebound from a 5.6 per cent Y-o-Y decline in Q2FY25.

These firms reported a combined net profit of approximately ₹2.19 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹2.09 trillion in Q3FY24 and ₹1.99 trillion in Q2FY25.

The combined net sales of non-BFSI companies rose 6.2 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25, an improvement from 4.2 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 and 4.5 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q2FY25. These firms recorded total net sales of about ₹29.3 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹27.56 trillion a year earlier and ₹27.99 trillion in the preceding quarter.

Among key sectors, telecom, capital goods & construction, pharmaceuticals, power, and IT services delivered double-digit earnings growth in Q3FY25. Meanwhile, oil & gas, cement, FMCG, mining & metals, and automobiles lagged, posting little to no earnings growth.

Notably, 58 per cent of total corporate profits in Q3FY25 came from BFSI, oil & gas, and IT services. Among individual companies, Bharti Airtel, State Bank of India, and Indus Towers were the biggest contributors to earnings growth, accounting for half of the incremental rise in profits in Q3FY25. Conversely, Indian Oil Corp, ONGC, and Adani Enterprises were the biggest laggards, reporting sharp Y-o-Y declines in net profit for the quarter.

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Kept calm, now carry on

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Kept Calm, Now Carry On



Seema Sirohi

LETTER FROM WASHINGTON

Flattery thy names are Trump and Modi. Call it a certified mutual admiration society, or close rapport, the two leaders heaped enough praise on each other that the positives dominated, and negatives were obscured for the most part.

In the battle of Trump's America vs the World, India not only escaped serious injury, but it also managed to plant the flag. It also bought time by giving a few clears wins on trade, oil-LNG purchases and defence acquisitions to the president-in-hurry. Behind the good vibes lay solid groundwork that began shortly after Trump won a second term and built on the old connect from the first.

First order of business was to clear the air. POTUS was told that Modi was 'coerced' into not meeting him as a candidate by elements in the US establishment. And that India's problems were linked to his. Agenda-driven people resent both leaders.

With politics under control, Delhi was confident the Trump-Modi meeting would go well. It did. In fact, better than expected. Beijing mandarins will have noted the bonhomie, trying to decipher how far Trump will go with India, while Delhi babus will wonder about the prez's careful remarks on Xi Jinping as Modi stood beside him. Trump's offer to mediate in the India-China border dispute was quickly scotched by the Indian side.

Trump's China policy is yet to take clear shape. But his India policy has. The partnership has transitioned smoothly, and it's all systems go. The 36-para joint statement covers old ground, builds further, adds new layers without losing gains made under Joe Biden. Old initiatives have been renamed, so Trump can own them. TRUST is the new iCET on critical and emerging technologies. Everything now rests under the umbrella of a new 'US-India COMPACT for the 21st Century'.

The acronym soup has some new ingredients. Focus on AI infra, cooperation on small modular reactors and potential sale of advanced undersea systems to India. Plurilateral groupings like Quad will keep moving. Those started under Biden—the India-Middle East-Europe Corridor (IMEC) and I2U2 comprising India-Israel-US-UAE—will also continue. Nothing of significance has been Musk-ed, and some signals (terrorism) are stronger.

Extradition of Tahawwur Rana, a Pakistani Canadian accused in the Mumbai attacks, is imminent. Other extradition requests may be favourably considered. Khalistanis, including those in Canada, are on notice. Trump's team has been briefed on how Khalistanis use the US-Canada border to smuggle illegal migrants and fentanyl. They control crime syndicates, trucking networks and even the 'cultural milieu'—Punjabi rap is a lot about guns/drugs—and openly threaten anyone who dares to criticise them. But they might have overreached by getting into fentanyl smuggling. Now they're on the US radar.

Moving to India-US defence issues, it's well-known that Trump wants to push arms sales. Delhi has committed to buying six more P-81 maritime patrol aircraft and may buy more Chinook helicopters. It has also agreed to co-produce Javelin missiles and Stryker combat vehicles even though experts have raised serious questions about need for the latter.

As for Trump's offer to sell F-35 stealth fighters, it's unlikely to go far. F-35s are hugely expensive and considered 'a system of systems' requiring a whole range of accoutrements to be truly effective. A policy review is promised. But US officials will likely determine that F-35 could be 'compromised' by Russian S-400s present in India. If at all an offer comes, it will have such onerous conditions as to be meaningless.

That said, Trump's willingness to sell India the top fighter is still significant. Recall that he went against existing US policy in his first term to allow the sale of armed drones (MQ-9B Predators) to India paving the way for Biden to sign the deal.

Finally, the dreaded T-word. The sense is that tariff threats can be managed, because India has got ahead of the problem. Yes, Trump announced 'reciprocal tariffs' shortly before meeting Modi, and mentioned India's high tariffs at every opportunity. But it didn't seem to faze Modi or his team.

The plan is to have another go at a bilateral trade agreement, this time more seriously. The two sides promise to complete the first tranche of a BTA before Trump visits India for the Quad summit. Delhi has already lowered tariffs on Harley Davidsons, bourbon, tech products, and talked about increased market access on agri products like—hold your fork—duck meat. Americans want market access for chicken, but that remains a matter of negotiation, and taste.

Finally, TRUST is a clever acronym because trust had eroded somewhat after the Biden administration decided to go after Gautam Adani *and* flirt with US-based Khalistanis, to say nothing of 'Bangladesh'. Delhi seethed, but kept calm and carried on.

With Trump, what you see is what you get, and what you pay for. Delhi may find that easier to tackle.



Thik se khana khaya?

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आज धारावीच्या पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाविरोधात जाहीर सभा

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Big decline in Gautam Adani's wealth

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गौतम अडानी की संपत्ति में बड़ी गिरावट

अमीरों की लिस्ट में 23वें स्थान पर पहुंचे

महानगर नेटवर्क

नई दिल्ली

देश के तीसरे सबसे बड़े औद्योगिक घराने अडानी ग्रुप के चेयरमैन गौतम अडानी की संपत्ति में बड़ी गिरावट दर्ज की गई है। ब्लूमबर्ग बिलियनेयर इंडेक्स के अनुसार, शुक्रवार को उनकी नेटवर्थ 2.73 अरब डॉलर (करीब 23,660 करोड़) घटकर 66.1 अरब डॉलर रह गई। इस साल अब तक उनकी संपत्ति में 12.6 अरब डॉलर की गिरावट आ चुकी है। इसके चलते वे दुनिया के अमीरों की सूची में 23वें स्थान पर खिसक गए हैं और एशिया के तीसरे सबसे अमीर व्यक्ति का स्थान भी खतरे में है। चीन के झोंग शैनशैन 57.4 अरब डॉलर की संपत्ति के साथ एशिया में तीसरे और वैश्विक सूची में 24वें स्थान पर हैं।

घरेलू शेयर बाजार में लगातार आठ सत्र से गिरावट आ रही है। इस कारण भारतीय रईसों की नेटवर्थ में गिरावट आई है। रिलायंस इंडस्ट्रीज के चेयरमैन और एशिया के सबसे बड़े रईस मुकेश अंबानी की नेटवर्थ में इस साल 4.55 अरब डॉलर की गिरावट आई है। वह 86.1 अरब डॉलर की नेटवर्थ के साथ दुनिया के अमीरों की लिस्ट में 17वें नंबर पर बने हुए हैं। एचसीएल के शिव नाडर ने इस साल 4.14 अरब डॉलर, शापूरजी मिस्त्री ने 2.18 अरब डॉलर, अजीम प्रेमजी ने 18.8 करोड़ डॉलर, सावित्री जिंदल ने 5.20 अरब डॉलर और सन फार्मा के दिलीप सांघवी ने 3.40 अरब डॉलर गंवाए हैं।

मस्क और जुकरबर्ग का हाल

दुनिया में सबसे ज्यादा नेटवर्थ गंवाने के मामले में एलन मस्क पहले नंबर पर हैं जबकि सबसे ज्यादा कमाई करने में मार्क जुकरबर्ग सबसे आगे हैं। दुनिया के सबसे बड़े रईस मस्क की नेटवर्थ में इस साल 34.1 अरब डॉलर गंवाए हैं। अब उनकी नेटवर्थ 398 अरब डॉलर रह गई है। दूसरी तरफ फेसबुक की पेरेंट कंपनी मेटा प्लेटफॉर्म्स के सीईओ जुकरबर्ग की नेटवर्थ में इस साल 52 अरब डॉलर की तेजी आई है। वह 259 अरब डॉलर की नेटवर्थ के साथ दुनिया के अमीरों की लिस्ट में मस्क के बाद दूसरे नंबर पर हैं।

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Champions Ethical & Resilient Business practices

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1ST BUSINESS INTEGRITY CONCLAVE 2025

Shaping the Future

Collective Action for Ethical, Resilient, and Responsible Business Practices

Resilient business practices and integrity are not just ethical imperatives but competitive advantages. By fostering a culture of trust and implementing strong governance mechanisms, businesses can build long-term sustainability and credibility in the market
Meet Goradia, Chief Operating Officer, Refex Group

Business ethics has never been an easy conversation, but we have seen remarkable progress through consultation and collaboration. We aim to create a platform for stakeholders to address systemic issues like corruption and promote open dialogue. Collective action is the only way forward
Neha Das, Head, Asia & Oceania, United Nations Global Compact

Integrity begins with individual actions and must be embedded in our daily work. While governance discussions often focus on governments, the private sector has a crucial role in shaping transparency and accountability. Initiatives like the Siemens Integrity Initiative and global collaborations with GCN India are steps toward meaningful change
Sankar Balasubramanian, Regional Compliance Officer, Siemens

Governance is now at the centre of business conversations, and our journey in this space will continue with even greater determination. The next frontier is engaging students and future leaders. We encourage sharing knowledge within communities because ethical leadership starts with awareness and action
Ratnesh, Executive Director, UN Global Compact Network India

MSMEs are the backbone of India's economy, contributing over 40% to the manufacturing sector. With more than 50 million registered MSMEs, their impact is unthinkably vast. Recent budgetary boosts and policy changes provide a much-needed push, but protecting and integrating micro-industries into the ESG framework is crucial for sustainable growth
Rajiv Chawla, Chairman, IamSMEofIndia

Policymakers must ensure a conducive environment for MSMEs to thrive. Factors like demonetization, GST, and global tariff policies have disproportionately affected small industries. India's MSMEs need collaborative efforts, better resource utilization, and strategic policy interventions to remain competitive in a rapidly evolving global market
Prof. Sunil Mishra, Professor of Economics & Public Policy, MDI - Gurgaon

Quality and reputation are essential for MSME growth. Without a strong brand image, attracting talent and investment becomes difficult. Learning from global case studies, MSMEs must adopt new technologies and ensure consistency to build resilience and long-term success
S. Santhosh, General Manager - Operations, Crescent Innovation & Incubation Council (CIIC)

MSMEs are among the largest job creators, yet they struggle with resource access, skilled manpower retention, and operational challenges. Women entrepreneurs, in particular, face additional barriers due to gender biases. Addressing these issues through structured support and better networking opportunities is critical for inclusive economic growth
Aparna Ram Mohan, Co-Founder and Director, Srisattva Group

Collective action is key to fostering ethical business collaborations. The United Nations Global Compact actively supports initiatives that promote transparency, accountability, and trust. True transformation happens when businesses take responsibility beyond compliance and drive ethical change at all levels
Teresa Cantu, Partner Director, CARE Abogados

Patients must remain at the centre of healthcare collaborations. Doctors, pharmaceuticals, compliance professionals, and every stakeholder play a crucial role in ensuring ethical, research-driven innovation. However, challenges like clinical trial drop-outs and outreach barriers must be addressed to maintain trust and transparency in the system
Nitesh Bakshi, Senior Director - Legal, Ethics, Compliance & Quality, Novo Nordisk India

Healthcare and pharma sectors have a moral obligation to maintain patient trust. Beyond compliance, we need strong oversight, transparent processes, and accountable leadership. Ethical research, clear regulatory principles, and patient-centric policies will shape the future of responsible healthcare
Bratin Bag, Senior Director – Ethics & Business Integrity, South Asia, Sanofi

Ethical healthcare must be built on affordability, accessibility, and transparency. Patient advocacy groups play a crucial role in ensuring clinical trial safety, reporting unmet medical needs, and pushing for greater accountability. Strengthening compliance frameworks will enhance trust and improve patient outcomes
Krishnendu Biswas, Head of Ethics and Compliance, Takeda

Effective compliance is not just about policies; it's about awareness and implementation. Engaging training methods—like game-based learning—help employees internalize ethical decision-making. To build trust, organizations must not only uphold compliance but also make it visible through action and vigilance
Anand Guruswamy, Senior General Manager - Compliance (India and Sri Lanka), Siemens Gamesa

Governance is the foundation upon which Environmental and Social pillars of ESG stand. ESG compliance is increasingly being driven by investors, making transparency and accountability non-negotiable. To build a truly sustainable business, companies must establish their own ESG frameworks, continuously monitor their activities, and integrate sustainability across their supply chain
Sunila Sahasrabudhe, President (India), AuctusESG

Without a strong governance structure, ESG efforts remain unsustainable. Profit with purpose should be the mantra of every organization. A robust governance system not only prevents integrity issues but also drives innovation, reduces risk, and ensures cost efficiency
Gagan Pathak, GM and Head ESG & Sustainability, Refex Group

Governance and compliance have seamlessly blended with ESG. However, organizations must move beyond merely obtaining certifications to truly embracing transparency and ethical business practices. Building a strong governance structure over time is key to sustaining ESG goals
Kalpathy G Lakshmi Vipin, Global Head - Ethics & Business Integrity, Redington Limited

ESG is no longer just a corporate buzzword; it is a critical business requirement. Regulatory frameworks like the BRSR have strengthened compliance, and ESG ratings are now essential for securing investments and market credibility. Transparency in public disclosures will define the success of ESG adoption in businesses
Neeru Bansal, Head - ESG, Cement Business, Adani Group

Shaping the Future
Collective Action for Ethical, Resilient, and Responsible Business Practices

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BUSINESS INTEGRITY CONCLAVE 2025

Champions Ethical & Resilient Business Practices

The inaugural Business Integrity Conclave, hosted by the United Nations Global Compact Network India (UN GCNI) at The Leela Palace, Chennai, brought together global business leaders, policymakers, and compliance experts to foster ethical, resilient, and responsible business practices. Under the theme "Shaping the Future: Collective Action for Ethical, Resilient, and Responsible Business Practices," the conclave served as a high-impact platform for discussions on governance, risk management, ethical healthcare collaborations, and ESG integration into corporate strategies. Integrity, transparency, and sustainability are no longer regulatory obligations alone—they are the foundation of corporate resilience. In an era of increasing regulatory scrutiny and stakeholder expectations, businesses must prioritize compliance, ethical leadership, and governance frameworks to safeguard their long-term growth.

Strengthening Governance and Business Integrity

The conclave commenced with an insightful inaugural session where industry leaders emphasized the importance of corporate governance in ensuring business credibility and long-term sustainability. Chetan Goradia, COO of Refex Group, highlighted governance as a cornerstone of corporate resilience, while Neha Das, Head of Asia & Oceania, UN Global Compact, stressed the need for businesses to embrace ethical accountability. Siemens' Regional Compliance Officer, Sankar Balasubramanian, reinforced the significance of proactive integrity frameworks in mitigating corruption risks. A key milestone was the Consensus Framework Inauguration, an initiative to align pharmaceutical companies, healthcare professionals, and other stakeholders through structured integrity measures. This framework aims to enhance accountability and transparency in healthcare collaborations.

The Business Integrity Conclave 2025 concluded with a reaffirmation of UN GCNI's commitment to fostering ethical leadership and governance

Ethical Business as a Pillar of Resilience

Discussions underscored how governance and compliance are essential for managing business risks, particularly for Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs). These enterprises, vital to India's economy, often face financial fraud, corruption, and operational disruptions due to limited compliance resources. Industry experts called for structured risk management frameworks, ethical decision-making, and policy interventions to support MSMEs in fostering transparency and sustainable growth. Similarly, the healthcare industry, which heavily relies on trust, must ensure transparency in clinical trials, research, and patient advocacy. Pharmaceutical leaders and compliance officers explored ethical collaboration strategies that balance innovation with accessibility. Experts stressed the importance of consensus frameworks in promoting ethical standards, equitable healthcare and responsible research practices.

Revolutionizing Compliance: Making Training Engaging and Interactive

Anand Guruswamy, Senior General Manager - Compliance (India and Sri Lanka), Siemens Gamesa, delivered an engaging presentation highlighting that compliance can be both dynamic and engaging. He introduced innovative and interactive methods to enhance compliance training, making it more effective. By incorporating gamification and real-world scenarios, he illustrated how organizations can create an immersive and impactful compliance education experience.

Embedding Governance in ESG for Sustainable Growth

A major focus of the conclave was the role of governance in driving Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) initiatives. While environmental and social factors are crucial, governance serves as the foundation for ethical and sustainable business practices. The discussions emphasized that without robust corporate governance, businesses cannot effectively implement sustainability strategies. Experts shared real-world examples of organizations that have successfully aligned governance frameworks with sustainability goals, reinforcing the need for greater transparency, anti-corruption measures, and responsible leadership in corporate decision-making.

Moving Forward: A Culture of Integrity

The Business Integrity Conclave 2025 concluded with a reaffirmation of UN GCNI's commitment to fostering ethical leadership and governance. Ratnesh Jha, Executive Director of UN GCNI, emphasized the organization's mission to drive collective action for integrity in business. Ganesh Reddy, Joint Secretary of UN GCNI & Founder of Citizens Foundation, extended gratitude to the speakers and participants, highlighting that the insights shared will shape a future where transparency, accountability, and sustainability remain paramount.

This landmark conclave established that business integrity is not just a regulatory requirement—it is a competitive advantage. Companies prioritizing ethical governance, proactive risk management, and ESG integration will be best positioned to navigate the evolving business landscape. The discussions initiated at the conclave will serve as a crucial foundation for shaping a more responsible, transparent, and resilient corporate ecosystem.

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India Inc profits crawl as sales stay sluggish

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But operating profit margin of 28.7% the best in 21 quarters

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KRISHNA KANT
Mumbai, 16 February

Corporate India's struggle with subdued revenue and earnings growth persisted in the October-December quarter of 2024-25 (Q3FY25).

The combined net sales (gross interest earnings for lenders) of listed companies grew in single digits for the seventh consecutive quarter, while their combined net profit rose by a single digit for the third straight quarter. Total net earnings of 3,618 listed companies increased 6.2 per cent year-on-year (Y-o-Y) to approximately ₹3.47 trillion, while net revenue rose 7 per cent Y-o-Y to about ₹37.73 trillion in Q3FY25.

Q3 RESULTS REVIEW

With this, listed firms' combined net profit rose 4.9 per cent Y-o-Y in the first nine months of FY25 (April-December 2024), against 27.4 per cent earnings growth in FY24 (full year). Their net sales climbed 7.2 per cent Y-o-Y in 9MFY25, a slight improvement from the 6.8 per cent Y-o-Y growth in the entire FY24.

Overall earnings growth was primarily driven by improved margins, as manufacturing firms benefited from lower raw material, energy, and interest costs. However, banks and non-banking financial companies (NBFCs) saw margin compression due to rising interest expenses outpacing gross interest income.

The profit before interest, depreciation, and taxes margin (PBIDTM), or operating margin, for the entire *Business Standard* sample expanded 155 basis points Y-o-Y to 28.7 per cent of total income in Q3FY25 — the highest level in at least 21 quarters. Similarly, the profit before tax margin (PBTM) rose 76 basis points to 12.7 per cent, the second-highest in 21 quarters, while the net profit margin (PATM) increased by about 10 basis points to 8.9 per cent of total revenue from 8.8 per cent a year earlier.

Earlier, analysts expected operating margins to moderate in the current quarter from recent highs.

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GROWTH IN SLOW LANE

Net sales growth (% Y-o-Y change)



EARNINGS REMAIN MUTED

Quarterly net profit (₹ trillion)



BFSI: Banks, non-banking financial companies, insurers, and stock broking firms; capital goods includes construction & infra
Note: Based on a common sample of 3,618 companies, excluding their listed subsidiaries; includes historical numbers of HDFC that merged with HDFC Bank in July 2023
Source: Capitaline; compiled by BS Research Bureau

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58% of corporate profits from BFSI, oil & gas, IT services

However, companies managed to sustain margins despite weak revenue growth through cost optimisation and reductions in discretionary spending. Other operating expenses — including promotions, advertising, and overheads — declined 1.4 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25, compared with a 9.6 per cent Y-o-Y rise a year earlier and an 11.4 per cent Y-o-Y increase in Q2FY25.

The numbers also suggest efforts to optimise labour costs, as total salary and wages expenses for listed firms grew just 6.2 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — the slowest in at least 17 quarters.

The banking, financial services, and insurance and stock broking (BFSI) sector outperformed the broader corporate landscape despite contracting net interest margins (NIMs). BFSI firms' combined net profit climbed 8.3 per cent Y-o-Y to approximately ₹1.28 trillion in Q3FY25, up from around ₹1.18 trillion a year ago but down sequentially from ₹1.32 trillion in Q2FY25.

Their net sales, or gross interest income, increased 9.9 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — the slowest pace in 11 quarters — sharply decelerating from 22 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 and 13.6 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q2FY25.

BFSI firms posted combined gross interest income of approximately ₹8.19 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹7.45 trillion a year earlier and ₹8.08 trillion in Q2FY25. However, lenders' interest expenses surged 14.5 per cent Y-o-Y, rising faster than gross interest income for the third straight quarter, leading to a decline in net interest margins.



Q3 SECTORAL PERFORMANCE

% Y-o-Y change

	Net sales	Adj net profit
BFSI	9.9	8.3
Oil & Gas	0.6	-21.2
IT-Software	6.4	9.4
Mining & Metals	4.0	0.1
Automotive	8.2	0.6
Power	4.8	18.5
Pharmaceutical	9.8	22.7
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The only thing remarkable about Prime Minister Narendra Modi's hastily prepared visit to Washington D.C. was the fact that he had two interactions with the media. A rarity for Modi. As it turns out, Indian diplomats managed to keep all independent-minded Indian journalists out of the room and squeezed in friendly ones who managed to embarrass the profession with servile behaviour and inane questions. If one Indian journalist used up her time to praise President Donald Trump, another was snubbed by the President who said he did not understand what was said and moved on.

The fact is that Washington D.C. is one of the rare capitals in the world that has a few competent Indian correspondents such as a veteran like Chidanand Rajghatta. Most major capitals around the world have no representation from the Indian media. In the past this vacuum was filled by the Prime Minister allowing senior and highly regarded Indian journalists to travel in the PM's plane. Tough questions would be asked and news worthy of publication would emanate. Modi ended this practice along with refusing to freely interact with the media overseas.

Getting Modi to face the media, albeit selected Indians, was not the only burden that President Trump imposed on his visitor. The day the two met began with the President announcing reciprocal tariffs that would hit Indian exports and force India to further bring down its tariff barriers. A reduction in customs duties is an advisable policy intervention that many, including Prime Minister Modi's close advisers, have long recommended but the BJP has been reluctant to bite this bullet. Now, under pressure from Trump, some action may well be forthcoming. Already the Union Budget had taken some pre-emptive action, but President Trump wants more.

Apart from seeking lower tariffs, the head of the world's most powerful government, with an economy whose per capita income is more than ten times that of India's, also ensured commitments from India to purchase more defence equipment. What in turn did he do for his visitor? One could view the temporary suspension of the US Foreign Corrupt Practices Act (FCPA) as a huge favour, given that it immediately and directly benefits an Indian billionaire. The FCPA was enacted in 1977 aimed at preventing US firms from bribing foreign government officials to help secure business overseas.

President Trump was right to say that the FCPA had handicapped US firms overseas given that most other governments had no such constraints and were happily bribing overseas officials to secure business for their firms. However, ever since the term of the late Jimmy Carter, when the FCPA was introduced, the US prided itself in not deploying bribes overseas to secure business for its firms. The fact is that the US had and deployed other means to secure business overseas when it wanted to. However, as US firms lost competitiveness, they found themselves at a disadvantage in this regard.

The case relating to the Indian billionaire Gautam Adani points to favours done to the former government of Andhra Pradesh in return for business advantage secured in which a US firm was also involved. Adani was charged with wrongdoing under the FCPA by the US Securities and Exchange Commission. Curiously, neither the Government of India nor the present state government in Andhra Pradesh has acted on the charges made. It has been business as usual in India and now it will be business as usual in the US. That's a huge favour to a private individual in India from President Trump and he has managed to get defence purchase orders from the Indian government in exchange.

In the week that Prime Minister Modi was visiting Washington, the Trump administration made a startling move reaching out to both China and Russia. While President Vladimir Putin has invited both President Xi Jinping and President Trump to Moscow, as guests at the 80th anniversary celebrations of the Victory in Europe Day in May, President Xi Jinping has invited Putin and Trump to Beijing. There's a threesome in the making, and geopolitical analysts have all become excited recalling Yalta. The Yalta conference of February 1945 was a meeting of US President Franklin D. Roosevelt, the then Soviet Union's dictator Josef Stalin and British Prime Minister Winston Churchill. Between the three — the victors of the Second World War — they agreed to the terms on which peace would be restored.

A Trump-Xi-Putin summit could help resolve the wars in Europe and Middle East but to imagine that they would define a new world order in the manner that FDR, Stalin and Churchill did is a bit fanciful. Of course, they could if leaders of countries like India, Brazil, France, Germany, Japan, Indonesia, South Africa and so on fall in line like the rest of the world did in 1945. Neither has the United States nor Russia nor indeed China won any war in 2025 for them to sit down in a Yalta-like conference to design the world for the 21st century.

Something has happened since 1945 that makes the world of 2025 very different. The US is defending its space. Russia is trying to regain its lost space and China is expanding its space. Around all of them there are countries with a mind of their own and some bargaining capacity. The notion that the Big Three can sit down and agree that Greenland belongs to the US, Ukraine belongs to Russia and Taiwan belongs to China and then the rest of the world will fall in line and clap is bereft of a sense of history.

The free peoples of post-colonial nations as well as the middle powers around the world, including Germany, France, Japan and, hopefully India, would want to know where they stand in this so-called grand bargain of a Yalta 2.0. I say hopefully, because India has conveyed mixed signals in this past month. There has been avoidable nervousness on India's part in dealing with a Trump victory. The servility of the Indian media at the Trump-Modi press meetings may have convinced many that India is willing to bend, if not crawl.

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But operating profit margin of 28.7% the best in 21 quarters

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Corporate India's struggle with subdued revenue and earnings growth persisted in the October-December quarter of 2024-25 (Q3FY25).

The combined net sales (gross interest earnings for lenders) of listed companies grew in single digits for the seventh consecutive quarter, while their combined net profit rose by a single digit for the third straight quarter. Total net earnings of 3,618 listed companies increased 6.2 per cent year-on-year (Y-o-Y) to approximately ₹3.47 trillion, while net revenue rose 7 per cent Y-o-Y to about ₹37.73 trillion in Q3FY25.

Q3 RESULTS REVIEW

With this, listed firms' combined net profit rose 4.9 per cent Y-o-Y in the first nine months of FY25 (April-December 2024), against 27.4 per cent earnings growth in FY24 (full year). Their net sales climbed 7.2 per cent Y-o-Y in 9MFY25, a slight improvement from the 6.8 per cent Y-o-Y growth in the entire FY24.

Overall earnings growth was primarily driven by improved margins, as manufacturing firms benefited from lower raw material, energy, and interest costs. However, banks and non-banking financial companies (NBFCs) saw margin compression due to rising interest expenses outpacing gross interest income.

The profit before interest, depreciation, and taxes margin (PBIDTM), or operating margin, for the entire *Business Standard* sample expanded 155 basis points Y-o-Y to 28.7 per cent of total income in Q3FY25 — the highest level in at least 21 quarters. Similarly, the profit before tax margin (PBTM) rose 76 basis points to 12.7 per cent, the second-highest in 21 quarters, while the net profit margin (PATM) increased by about 10 basis points to 8.9 per cent of total revenue from 8.8 per cent a year earlier.

Earlier, analysts expected operating margins to moderate in the current quarter from recent highs.

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GROWTH IN SLOW LANE

Net sales growth (% Y-o-Y change)



EARNINGS REMAIN MUTED

Quarterly net profit (₹ trillion)



BFSI: Banks, non-banking financial companies, insurers, and stock broking firms; capital goods includes construction & infra
Note: Based on a common sample of 3,618 companies, excluding their listed subsidiaries; includes historical numbers of HDFC that merged with HDFC Bank in July 2023
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58% of corporate profits from BFSI, oil & gas, IT services

However, companies managed to sustain margins despite weak revenue growth through cost optimisation and reductions in discretionary spending. Other operating expenses — including promotions, advertising, and overheads — declined 1.4 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25, compared with a 9.6 per cent Y-o-Y rise a year earlier and an 11.4 per cent Y-o-Y increase in Q2FY25.

The numbers also suggest efforts to optimise labour costs, as total salary and wages expenses for listed firms grew just 6.2 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — the slowest in at least 17 quarters.

The banking, financial services, and insurance and stock broking (BFSI) sector outperformed the broader corporate landscape despite contracting net interest margins (NIMs). BFSI firms' combined net profit climbed 8.3 per cent Y-o-Y to approximately ₹1.28 trillion in Q3FY25, up from around ₹1.18 trillion a year ago but down sequentially from ₹1.32 trillion in Q2FY25.

Their net sales, or gross interest income, increased 9.9 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — the slowest pace in 11 quarters — sharply decelerating from 22 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 and 13.6 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q2FY25.

BFSI firms posted combined gross interest income of approximately ₹8.19 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹7.45 trillion a year earlier and ₹8.08 trillion in Q2FY25. However, lenders' interest expenses surged 14.5 per cent Y-o-Y, rising faster than gross interest income for the third straight quarter, leading to a decline in net interest margins.



Q3 SECTORAL PERFORMANCE

% Y-o-Y change

	Net sales	Adj net profit
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Protesters hired for Dharavi rehabilitation march

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धारावी पुनर्वसन समर्थनार्थ निघालेल्या मोर्च्यात भाड्याने आणले आंदोलक

धारावी : धारावी बचाव आंदोलन चिरडून टाकण्यासाठी भाड्याने माणसे गोळा करावी लागल्याने धारावी पुनर्विकासाला धारावीकरांचे समर्थन असल्याचा अदानी समूहाचा दावा फोल ठरला आहे. यामुळे अदानी समर्थक असलेल्या काही राजकीय पक्षांसह दलालांची चांगलीच फजिती झाल्याची चर्चा धारावीत रंगली आहे. समर्थन मोर्च्यात सहभागी झालेल्या समर्थकांनी ३०० ते ५०० रुपये देऊन त्यांना सायन कोळीवाडा व धारावीबाहेरून आणल्याचा आरोप धारावी बचाव आंदोलकांनी केला आहे. अदानी समूहाच्या कंपनीने या समर्थन मोर्चाची तयारी एका आठवड्यापासून सुरू केली होती.काही राजकीय नेत्यांनी धारावीतील नाक्यानाक्यांवर पोस्टरबाजी करून धारावी पुनर्विकास समर्थनार्थ मोर्चाला प्रसिद्धी दिली होती. धारावीत अदानी समूहाला विशेष पाठिंबा नसल्याचे सर्वश्रुत असल्याने ते या मोर्चात सहभागी होतील काय, असा प्रश्न उपस्थित झाल्याने धारावीतील दलालांनी धारावी पुनर्विकास समर्थनार्थ १५ फेब्रुवारी रोजी निघणाऱ्या मोर्चाची सूत्रे हातात घेऊन माटुंगा, सायन कोळीवाडा व धारावीबाहेरील अन्य झोपडपट्ट्यांतील रहिवाशांना भाड्याने आणून धारावी कुंभारवाडा परिसरात एकत्र केले. मोर्चात बाहेरील लोकांची गर्दी पाहून काही धारावीतील तरुणांनी मोबाईल कॅमेरा चालू करून तुम्ही कुठून आलात, किती रुपये देण्याचे ठरले, असा प्रश्न केला असता जमलेल्या लोकांनी बाहेरून आल्याचे सांगत प्रत्येकी ३०० ते ५०० रुपये देण्याचे ठरल्याचे सांगितले.

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Public meeting of Dharavi Bachao protestors today

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धारावी बचाव आंदोलकांची आज जाहीर सभा

मुंबई : पुढारी वृत्तसेवा

धारावी पुनर्वसन योजनेत अदानी कंपनीने खोटारडेपणा, धोकेबाजी, फसवणूक, दबाव, दादागिरी केली आहे. तसेच सरकारची अदानीला खुली सूट असल्याचा आरोप धारावी बचाव आंदोलकांनी केला आहे. त्यामुळे याविरोधात सोमवार ता.१७ फेब्रुवारी २०२५, सायं ५.०० वाजता अभ्युदय बँकेसमोर, धारावी मेन रोडवर जाहीर सभा आयोजित केली आहे, अशी माहिती धारावी बचाव आंदोलनाचे समन्वयक ॲड. राजेंद्र कोरडे यांनी दिली.

धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाचा मास्टर प्लान जाहीर करा, घराच्या बदल्यात ५०० चौ. फुटाचे घर आणि दुकानाच्या बदल्यात दुकान धारावीतच मोफत मिळाले पाहिजे, मनपा इस्टेट डिपार्टमेंट(मालमत्ता विभाग) च्या चाळी आणि इमारतीतील घरांच्या बदल्यात ७५३ चौ. फुटापर्यंतची घरे मोफत द्या, कमर्शियल गाळ्यांच्या बदल्यात, त्यांच्या वापरात आहे तितकी जागा मोफत द्या, कुंभारवाड्याचे पुनर्वसन धारावीतच करा या आंदोलकांच्या प्रमुख मागण्या आहेत.

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Jaipur airport to start runway recarpeting work next month

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Jaipur: Jaipur International Airport will start runway recarpeting at the end of March, and the work will be completed in 90 days. Runway recarpeting is being done at Jaipur Airport for the first time since 2016.

Officials said that work will be done from 10am till 6pm to avoid disturbance to flight movement. At Jaipur airport, maximum domestic flights are in the morning and evening hours, and international flights operate at night.

"Having taken the runway upgradation work into consideration, airlines will operate scheduled flights prior to 9.30am and after 6pm for the duration of the recarpeting. During this period, the airport will implement a comprehensive plan to ensure the continuity of services and to mitigate any potential inconveniences to passengers and airlines," said a senior official from Jaipur airport.

THE MAKEOVER

- From March 30, recarpeting to be done every day between 9:30am and 6pm for 90 days
- Runway will be resurfaced and profile corrected
- Airfield Ground Lighting (AGL) to be upgraded from halogen to LED
- New rapid exit taxiway will be constructed to increase runway capacity



- A new link taxiway to be constructed for connecting the proposed apron to the runway

Officials said that the 3,407-metre-long and 45-metre-wide bituminous runway, with an additional 15-metre shoulder on either side of the runway, was last recarpeted in 2016.

The scheduled recarpeting will include milling of the existing bituminous runway, followed by bituminous inlay and overlay to meet the design parameters in line with standards specified by the regulator. A total area of 2.04 lakh square metres, including the runway, will be recarpeted.

In Jan, Jaipur airport completed commissioning of its new parallel taxiway of 3,065 metre, which will allow for simultaneous aircraft movements, reducing the wait times for take-off and landing.

An additional runway exit taxiway is also proposed to be constructed during the recarpeting period, said officials. "The runway exit taxiway is the small intersection road connecting the runway and taxiway that enables faster entry and exit of aircraft on the runway. The entire Airfield Ground Lighting (AGL) system will also be upgraded during the runway recarpeting project," added officials.

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Kalyan-Dombivli city's future move towards third Mumbai

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माणगाव तलावाच्या सुशोभीकरणाचा खासदार डॉ. श्रीकांत शिंदे यांच्या हस्ते शुभारंभ

कल्याण-डोंबिवली शहराची भविष्यातील तिसरी मुंबईकडे वाटचाल

◆ कल्याण (प्रतिनिधी) :

आधी मुंबई मग त्यानंतर नवी मुंबईप्रमाणे आता तिसरी मुंबई जर कुठे होणार असेल तर कल्याण डोंबिवलीत होणार असल्याचा विश्वास व्यक्त करत त्यादृष्टीने अधिकाधिक पायाभूत सुविधा निर्माण करण्यासाठी आपण काम करत असल्याची माहिती कल्याण लोकसभेचे खासदार डॉ. श्रीकांत शिंदे यांनी दिली आहे. कल्याण लोकसभा मतदारसंघातील कल्याण ग्रामीण विधानसभेच्या माणगाव तलाव सुशोभीकरणाच्या भूमीपूजन समारंभात ते बोलत होते.

गुलाब वझे आणि दत्ता वझे यांच्या मागणीनुसार सुमारे ५ कोटी रुपयांच्या निधीतून माणगाव तलावाचे नूतनीकरण



आणि आसपासच्या परिसराचे सुशोभीकरण करण्यात येणार आहे. तलावाच्या सुशोभीकरण प्रकल्पानंतर नागरिकांना आपल्या कुटुंबासमवेत उत्तम वेळ घालवण्यासाठी एक चांगले ठिकाण शहरातच उपलब्ध होणार आहे. निळजे तलावाचे सुशोभीकरणाचे काम देखील सुरू असून या कामाचीही पाहणी शिंदे यांनी केली. प्रकल्पाचे काम उत्तम दर्जाचे व्हावे, यासाठी संबंधितांना सूचनाही केल्या.

खिडकाळी शिवमंदिर परिसराच्या सुशोभीकरण प्रकल्पाचे काम सुरु आहे. सुमारे १० कोटी रुपयांच्या निधीच्या माध्यमातून हे काम पूर्णत्वास जात आहे. खिडकाळी येथील शिवलिंग स्वयंभू असून मंदिराला देखील प्राचीन इतिहास आहे. याच पार्श्वभूमीवर मंदिर परिसराचे पारंपरिक पद्धतीने सुशोभीकरण, घाट आणि आरतीसाठी जागा, भक्तांसाठी दर्शनाची सुविधा, मंदिर परिसरातील तलावाचे पुनरुज्जीवन यांसारखी विविध कामे सुरू आहे. या ठिकाणी असलेल्या तलावात बोटिंग सुविधा, जॉगिंग ट्रॅक यांसारख्या अनेक सुविधा उभारण्यात येत आहे. या प्रकल्पाची खासदार डॉ. श्रीकांत शिंदे यांनी पाहणी करून काम दर्जेदार आणि भाविकांना दर्शनासाठी कुठलीही गैरसोय होणार नाही या दृष्टीने करण्याच्या सूचना यावेळी सर्व पालिका अधिकाऱ्यांना दिल्या. यावेळी मंदिरात जाऊन भगवान शंकराचे दर्शन ही घेतले. यावेळी शिवसेनेचे स्थानिक पदाधिकारी, कार्यकर्ते आणि कल्याण डोंबिवली महापालिकेतील विविध विभागाचे अधिकारी उपस्थित होते.

तर कटलापूरपासून ते थेट नवी मुंबई एअरपोर्टपर्यंत ॲक्सेस कंट्रोल मार्ग बांधण्यात येत असून तो कल्याण लोकसभेतील कळवा, मुंब्रा, दिवा, डोंबिवली, कल्याण ग्रामीण, उल्हासनगर, अंबरनाथ आणि बदलापूर अशा सर्वांतर पद्धतीने उभारण्यात येणार आहे. जेणेकरून या मार्गावर राहणाऱ्या कोणत्याही व्यक्तीला शहराबाहेर जायचे असल्यास अवघ्या 15 मिनिटांमध्ये बाहेर पडता येणार आहे. भविष्यामध्ये नवी मुंबई एअरपोर्ट हेच सध्याच्या मुंबई एअरपोर्टप्रमाणे पूर्ण क्षमतेने कार्यरत होणार असल्याने कल्याण डोंबिवली परिसर हा तिसरी मुंबई म्हणूनच पुढे येणार असल्याचे खासदार डॉ. श्रीकांत शिंदे यांनी यावेळी स्पष्ट केले.

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Dangerous hoardings in Dharavi area have been removed

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धारावी : होर्डिंग हटवल्याने परिसराने मोकळा श्वास घेतला.

धारावी परिसरातील धोकादायक होर्डिंग हटवले

धारावी, ता. १६ (बातमीदार) : धारावी मुख्य रस्त्यावरील बडी मस्जिद परिसरातील धारावी रेस्टॉरंट या ठिकाणी विविध पक्षांचे व सामाजिक संघटनांचे जाहिरात करणारे अनधिकृत मोठे होर्डिंग उभारले जातात.

लटकणारे होर्डिंग कोसळून दुर्घटना घडू शकते. याबाबत 'सकाळ'च्या ६ जानेवारीच्या अंकात वृत्त प्रकाशित करण्यात आले होते. याची दखल घेत येथील धोकादायक होर्डिंग हटवण्यात आले आहेत. या परिसरात अनेकदा होर्डिंग लावलेले असतात. मात्र, यासाठी पालिकेची कोणतीही परवानगी घेतली जात नाही, असा आरोप होत आहे.

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I want a house in Dharavi itself

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घराच्या बदल्यात धारावीमध्येच हवे घर!

'धारावी बचाव'ची आज सभा

मुंबई, ता. १६ : धारावी पुनर्वसन प्रकल्पांतर्गत धारावीचा कायापालट केला जाणार असून, त्याचे सर्वेक्षण सुरू होऊन वर्ष होत आले, तरीही धारावीचा मास्टर प्लान काय आहे, याबाबत धारावीकर अंधारात आहेत. त्यामुळे धारावी पुनर्वसन प्रकल्पाने (डीआरपी) धारावी पुनर्विकासाचा मास्टर प्लान जाहीर करावा, घराच्या बदल्यात धारावीतच ५०० चौरस फुटांचे घर मिळावे, याबरोबरच दबाव, दादागिरी आणि सरकारची अदाणीला खुली सूट, याविरोधात आपला आवाज बुलंद करण्यासाठी धारावी बचाव आंदोलन समिती आक्रमक झाली असून, उद्या सोमवारी (ता. १६) धारावीत जाहीर सभेचे आयोजन केले आहे.

प्रत्येकाला घराच्या बदल्यात घर द्यावे, पात्र-अपात्रतेचा खेळ करू नये, धारावी पुनर्विकासाचा मास्टर प्लान काय आहे, तो जाहीर करावा, अशी मागणी सातत्याने धारावीकर करत आहेत, मात्र त्याबाबत अद्याप स्पष्टता नसल्याने धारावी बचाव आंदोलन समितीतर्फे नाराजी व्यक्त केली जात आहे. सरकारसह अदाणींच्या धोरणाला विरोध करण्यासाठी सोमवारी सायंकाळी पाच वाजता अभ्युदय बँकेसमोर, धारावी मेन रोड, धारावी येथे सभेचे आयोजन करण्यात आल्याचे धारावी बचाव आंदोलन समितीचे समन्वयक ॲड. राजेंद्र कोरडे यांनी सांगितले.

काय आहेत मागण्या?

- धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाचा मास्टर प्लान जाहीर करा.
- घराच्या बदल्यात ५०० चौरस फुटांचे घर आणि दुकानाच्या बदल्यात धारावीतच मोफत दुकान मिळाले पाहिजे.
- मनपा इस्टेट डिपार्टमेंट (मालमत्ता विभाग)च्या चाळी आणि इमारतीतील घरांच्या बदल्यात ७५३ चौरस फुटांपर्यंतची घरे मोफत द्या.

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Woman arrested with 84 capsules of cocaine from airport

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એરપોર્ટ પરથી કોકેનની ૮૪ કેપ્સ્યૂલ સાથે મહિલાની ધરપકડ

મુંબઈ, તા. ૧૬ : આંતરરાષ્ટ્રીય એરપોર્ટ પર કસ્ટમ વિભાગની એર ઇન્ટેલીજન્સ યુનિટ (એઆઇયુ) એ એક વિદેશી મહિલાની ધરપકડ કરી છે. જે પેટમાં કોકેઈન છૂપાવીને મુંબઈ લઈને આવી હતી. તપાસ દરમિયાન એના પેટમાં કેફી પદાર્થ હોવાની જાણકારી મળી હતી. મહિલા યુગાન્ડાથી મુંબઈ આવી હતી. કસ્ટમ અધિકારીઓએ મળેલી ગુપ્ત જાણકારીને પગલે એને રોકીને એની પૂછતાછ શરૂ કરી હતી. દરમિયાન એણે સ્વીકાર્યું કે એના પેટમાં કોકીન છૂપાવી દીધું છે.

મહિલાએ પોતાના પેટમાં કોકેઈનની ૮૪ કેપ્સૂલ છૂપાવી હતી. જે પૈકી ૩૨ જેટલા કેપ્સૂલને બહાર કાઢવામાં આવી છે. બાકી કેપ્સૂલને કાઢવામાં પોલીસને સફળતા મળી નથી. કોર્ટે પાસેથી પરવાનગી લઈને મહિલાને જે.જે હોસ્પિટલમાં લાવવામાં આવી હતી. જ્યાં એની સારવાર કરવામાં આવશે.

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Can India become a global data centre hub

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PLAIN FACTS

Can India become a global data centre hub?

BY HOWINDIALIVES.COM

Last month, Mukesh Ambani-led Reliance Industries Ltd announced plans to build what may become the world's largest data centre, at an estimated investment of $20-30 billion, marking RIL's formal entry into India's artificial intelligence (AI) infrastructure market, and aligning with the country's ambition to establish itself as a global data centre hub.

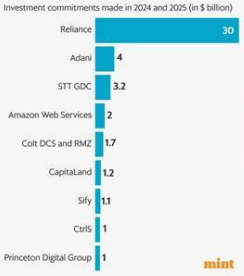
Data centres are physical facilities for storing, processing, and distributing digital data and applications. In the past few years, India has seen significant investments in data centres, driven by factors such as rising digital consumption, government initiatives, and the expansion of AI and cloud computing. According to CBRE, a global real estate consultancy, more than $60 billion in investment commitments were made between 2019 and 2024 to establish data centres, with over $19 billion in 2024 alone. Such investments could boost India's data centre capacity (expressed in megawatts and gigawatts to reflect energy dependence), which jumped from 877 MW in 2023 to an estimated 1,600 MW at the end of 2024, according to CBRE.

This will jump further as more investments pour in. Reliance alone is planning a capacity of 3 GW (1 GW = 1,000 MW). Scale aside, there are two points worth noting in the Reliance announcement. First, Reliance is building its data centre not in one of India's traditional IT hotspots, but in Jamnagar, Gujarat. And second, it has committed to using green energy to power its infrastructure. These reflect a broader trend, driven by two critical and interconnected issues facing the data centre industry: location and resources.

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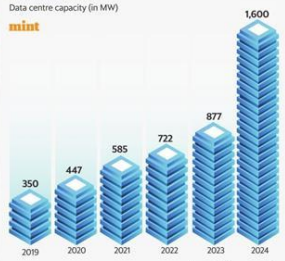
Investments worth about $45 billion are planned for data centres in India

Investment commitments made in 2024 and 2025 (in $ billion)



Data centre capacity in India nearly doubled in 2024

Data centre capacity (in MW)



Source: CBRE, news reports

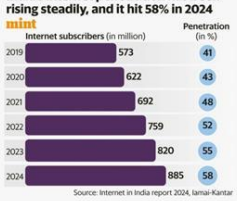
India's Digital Drive

INDIA HAS seen its digital consumption spike, driven by usage of internet and smartphones. Active internet user numbers in India rose to about 885 million in 2024 from 573 million in 2019, as per an Iamai-Kantar report. Penetration was at 58%.

India's average monthly mobile data usage may touch 33-35GB by 2025-26 from 24GB at the end of 2023-24, as per Crisil Ratings. As AI picks up in India, data usage is expected to grow further, pushing the need for more data centres.

India's push for data localization is also driving investments in domestic data centres. Reserve Bank of India has mandated that sensitive financial data be stored and processed within the country's borders, while the Personal Data Protection Bill emphasizes local data-storage requirements. Beyond regulatory compliance, local data storage also offers practical benefits, including reduced network latency and better processing speeds.

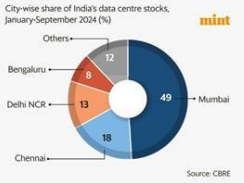
India's internet penetration has been rising steadily, and it hit 58% in 2024



Source: Internet in India report 2024, Iamai-Kantar

Mumbai and Chennai account for nearly 70% of India's data centre stocks

City-wise share of India's data centre stocks, January-September 2024 (%)



Source: CBRE

Cables vs Consumption

BIG CITIES, led by Mumbai, dominate India's data centre landscape. Mumbai has 49% of them, followed by Chennai's 18%, says CBRE. These two cities also have the highest concentration of landing points of undersea cables in India, connecting them to key cities in South-east Asia, West Asia, East Africa, and Europe, says a report by Avendus. Bengaluru and Delhi, which follow, are traditionally strong in information technology.

But India's tier-II and tier-III cities are also gaining traction, driven by lower real estate costs, improved infrastructure, and increasing digital penetration. Rural India has led urban India in active internet users since 2021, with 488 million rural versus 397 million urban users in 2024, the Iamai-Kantar report said. "While hyperscale data centres will still manage the brunt work of the cloud, the data requirements of tier II cities are on the rise on account of a decentralized workforce," Avendus said in its report.

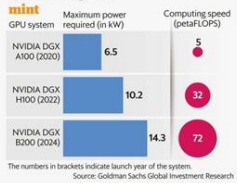
Power Plays

GLOBALLY, HIGH power consumption by data centres is a worry. The International Energy Agency said in a report last year that data centres accounted for 1-1.3% of total global power usage. India will face questions about how it will meet higher power demand, as it looks to become a global data centre hub.

Newer graphic processing units, or GPUs, and servers can help reduce power usage, but current efforts on renewable energy use on data centres may not suffice. "...scaling up AI has the potential to start a bidding war for minerals, land, and water, driving up prices for essential resources," the economic survey has said. As groups such as Reliance and Adani expand presence in the data centre ecosystem, such interplays may come into the frame.

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Compared with power usage, computing speed is rising faster



The numbers in brackets indicate launch year of the system.
Source: Goldman Sachs Global Investment Research

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Dharavi redevelopment survey crosses 50K mark

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Dharavi redevelopment survey crosses 50K mark

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Mumbai, Feb 16: The Dharavi Redevelopment Project (DRP) notched up a major milestone recently by completing over 50,000 door-to-door surveys which is the highest in Mumbai Slum Rehabilitation Authority's (SRA) history.

"This is a record milestone for Mumbai SRA. This progress is a big boost for the survey teams and Dharavi residents, who are eager for the redevelopment to move forward. Their active participation shows their commitment to Asia's largest slum rehabilitation survey," a DRP official said.

The survey is essential to decide on those eligible for rehabilitation under the Dharavi redevelopment project.

Teams are working to complete this extensive survey. The DRP CEO, SVR Srinivas, recently urged all Dharavikars to participate in the survey so that no one is left out of the housing plan. As per the latest survey figures, numbering has been completed for 85,000 tenements, while over 50,000 tenements have undergone door-to-door surveys.

The Dharavi Redevelopment Project (DRP) is India's largest slum rehabilitation initiative. Home to nearly one million people, it aims to transform Asia's biggest slum into a modern urban hub.

Around 1.5 lakh tenements will be rehabilitated, ensuring better housing, infrastructure, and economic opportunities while preserving the dignity of Dharavi's people.

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Eight deported Gujaratis arrive in Ahmedabad, sent to home towns

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Eight deported Gujaratis arrive in Ahmedabad, sent to home towns

Press Trust of India
AHMEDABAD

A plane carrying eight persons from Gujarat, who were among 116 Indians deported from the U.S. for alleged illegal immigration, landed at Ahmedabad airport from Amritsar on Sunday, officials said.

Soon after their arrival, the deportees were transported to their native places in police vehicles, Assistant Commissioner of Police (G Division) R.D. Oza said.

Out of the eight deportees, three are from Gandhinagar and one from Ahmedabad, sources said.

They are part of the second group of Indians who were sent beck from the U.S. after President Donald Trump started a crackdown on illegal immigrants.



Police escort illegal immigrants deported from the U.S. upon their arrival at the Ahmedabad airport on Sunday. PTI

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Adani withdraws from Lanka projects

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Adani withdraws from Lanka projects

The Indian conglomerate Adani Group has withdrawn from a troubled $442m wind power project in Sri Lanka after the island nation's government sought to renegotiate the deal.

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Air India strengthens international route network in Northern Summer schedule

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Air India strengthens international route network in Northern Summer schedule

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GURUGRAM, FEB 16/--/Air India announced a number of additional frequencies on key routes as part of its Northern Summer schedule effective 30 March 2025:

United Kingdom:

*Delhi-London Heathrow: Addition of 3x weekly flights, increasing from 21x to 24x weekly flights operated by a combination of Air India' flagship A350-900 and upgraded B787-9 aircraft.

*Amritsar-Birmingham: Increasing from 3x to 4x weekly flights

*Amritsar-London Gatwick: Increasing from 3x to 4x weekly flights

*Ahmedabad-London Gatwick: Increasing from 3x to 5x weekly flights

Rest of Europe:

*Delhi-Zurich: Increasing from 4x to 5x weekly flights

*Delhi-Vienna: Increasing from 3x to 4x weekly flights

Far East Asia:

*Delhi-Seoul (Incheon): Increasing from 4x to 5x weekly flights

*Delhi-Hong Kong: Switching from A321 to B787 Dreamliner on 7x weekly flights

Africa:

*Delhi-Nairobi: Increasing from 3x to 4x weekly flights

The modernisation of the Airline's narrowbody aircraft is progressing well, and will complete in mid-2025, while the first of the legacy widebodies, a Boeing 787, will commence retrofit of new seats and entertainment systems in April and re-enter service in October 2025. Thereafter, two-to-three B787s will be inducted per month until all 27 legacy aircraft have been upgraded.

Retrofit of the legacy Boeing 777 fleet with new seats and entertainment systems, originally due to commence in 2025, will now commence in early 2026 due to production constraints at the selected seat supplier. In the meantime, Air India is taking the opportunity to refresh as many other elements of the B777 interiors as feasible during 2025, ahead of the full retrofit program.

Arising from the retrofit program and consequent temporary reduction in the operational fleet, the Airline will suspend its non-stop Mumbai-Melbourne service between 30 March and 13 September 2025, and the non-stop Kochi-London Gatwick route from 30 March 2025 until further notice. Air India will continue to operate 12x weekly flights to London Gatwick from Amritsar, Ahmedabad and Goa.

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PC says 'bye bye to the wedding nails

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PC says 'bye bye to the wedding nails'

Seems like Priyanka Chopra is back to her work mode after attending her brother Siddharth Chopra's wedding in Mumbai, where she was accompanied by her husband Nick Jonas and her in-laws.

Recently, PeeCee took to the stories section of her Instagram handle and dropped a video of getting her nails done. "Bye bye wedding nails.." she wrote in the caption. It seems like the *Desi girl* is prepping to shoot for her next.

The reports suggest that PeeCee has been roped in as the leading lady in South superstar Mahesh Babu's next, titled 'SSMB29' for now. The highly-anticipated project is being helmed by 'RRR' maker SS Rajamouli.

Meanwhile, Priyanka Chopra was papped at the Mumbai airport today as she was headed to Hyderabad, most likely to shoot for *SSMB29*. IANS

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8 deported from US land in A'bad

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8 deported from US land in A'bad

Transported to their home towns and villages across Gujarat by cops, soon after arrival

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A plane carrying eight persons from Gujarat, who were among 116 Indians deported from the US for illegal immigration, landed at Ahmedabad airport from Amritsar on Sunday, officials said.

Soon after their arrival, the eight deportees were transported to their native places in Gujarat by police vehicles, Assistant Commissioner of Police, 'G' division, R D Oza said.

"The plane, carrying eight Gujarati immigrants, landed at the Ahmedabad airport at 11 am. They were transported to their native places on police vehicles. Among them is a woman and a child," Oza said. The eight persons were among 116 deportees who were brought on a US aircraft that landed at Amritsar international airport on Saturday night.



Cops cover deportees at the city airport, escort them to buses

Out of the eight deportees, three are from Gandhinagar and one from Ahmedabad, sources said.

They are part of the second group of Indians who have been sent beck from the US after President Donald Trump started a crackdown on illegal immigrants.

On February 5, a US military plane brought 104 illegal immigrants, in handcuffs and chains, to Amritsar, inviting sharp criticism from the opposition. Among them, 33 were from Gujarat.

A third plane, carrying 157 deportees, is expected to land at the Amritsar airport on Sunday.

Former Gujarat Deputy Chief Minister Nitin Patel had earlier expressed sympathy for the deported Gujaratis, underlining the fact that they went to the foreign country looking for a job or career, and said they should not be portrayed as criminals.

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Rack service started from Kandla to ICD Faridabad

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અંતરિયાળ વિસ્તારો સુધી કનેક્ટિવિટીને મજબૂત બનાવવા તરફ કદમ

કંડલાથી આઈસીડી ફરીદાબાદ સુધીની રેક સેવાનો આરંભ કરાયો

ભાસ્કર ન્યૂઝ | ગાંધીધામ

દીન દયાળ પોર્ટ ઓથોરીટી દ્વારા પોર્ટ યુઝર્સને વધુ ને વધુ સવલતો મળી રહે તે માટે સતત સકારાત્મક દીશામાં પગલા ભરવામાં આવતા રહે છે, તેની વચ્ચે અંતરિયાળ વિસ્તારો સુધી "પહેલા માઈલ, છેલ્લા માઈલ" કનેક્ટિવિટીને મજબૂત બબનાવવાની દીશામાં પોર્ટ પ્રશાસને કંડલા પોર્ટથી આઈસીડી ફરિદાબાદ વચ્ચે રેલવે રેકની સેવાનો શુભ આરંભ કરી વધુ એક મહત્વનું કદમ મુક્યું છે.

ગેટવે ડિસ્ટ્રિપાર્કસે કંડલા પોર્ટ અને ICD ફરીદાબાદ વચ્ચે રેક સેવા શરૂ કરી, જે બંદર પર કાર્ગો હિલચાલ માટે મલ્ટિમોડલ કનેક્ટિવિટી પ્રાપ્ત કરવામાં એક મહત્વપૂર્ણ સીમાચિહ્નરૂપ છે.દીનદયાળ પોર્ટ એક મુખ્ય લોજિસ્ટિક્સ હબ તરીકે તેની સ્થિતિને મજબૂત બનાવવાની દિશામાં મજબૂતી વધે તે દિશામાં સતત વિચારાધિન રહ્યું છે, જે સીમલેસ વેપારને સરળ બનાવે છે અને સપ્લાય ચેઈન ક્ષમતાઓને વધારે છે.





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Budget 2025: Infrastructure focus may propel cement stocks like UltraTech, Ambuja, ACC

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Budget 2025: Infrastructure focus may propel cement stocks like UltraTech, Ambuja, ACC

The Union Budget 2025-26 is expected to prioritize growth in core sectors by increasing budgetary allocations, introducing policy reforms, and incentivizing private sector involvement.



By Our Correspondent

The Union Budget 2025-26, scheduled on February 1, is expected to provide a substantial boost to the cement sector through increased capital expenditure on infrastructure and road development—critical measures to address the slower pace of growth, as seen in the third quarter GDP numbers.

The move will follow a year of consolidation in the cement space, marked by mergers and acquisitions by leading companies. Despite a muted show in 2024, the cement space is poised for revival, believe experts.

Shares of cement companies delivered mixed results last year - UltraTech rose 8%, Ambuja Cement edged up by 3%, while Shree Cement and ACC recorded a decline of 10% and 8%, respectively. Growth in cement demand slowed to 4.5–5.5% last year, following three years of robust expansion, as construction activity was hindered by a prolonged heatwave, a labour shortage during general and states elections, and seasonal monsoon activity.

Utilization levels of cement makers fell below 70%, leading to a 10% on year drop in net price realizations in H1CY24, a revenue decline, and a 200-basis point contraction in profitability, industry experts noted.

This downturn weighed on cement prices which dropped by 7% during 2024, with all-India average price declining to Rs 330 per 50-kg bag by September — a fall of 11% on year. However, September prices showed a modest 2% recovery on month-on-month basis.

Looking ahead, the Union Budget 2025-26 is expected to prioritize growth in core sectors by increasing budgetary allocations, introducing policy reforms, and incentivizing private sector involvement. Analysts suggest these measures could significantly impact the growth of the sector, thus moving the share performance.

Cement demand, closely linked to infrastructure and real estate, remained resilient in FY25 despite delays in highway construction and real estate projects. Nitya Shah, Co-Founder of KamayaKya anticipates an 8–10% rise in demand for FY26, fuelled by investments in road and railway projects. Additionally, the government is expected to unveil tax incentives to promote green cement technologies, as part of the sustainability agenda. Rural development is another likely priority, with higher allocations for roads, housing, and irrigation under rural infrastructure programs. Significant funding is expected through the National Infrastructure Pipeline (NIP) and Pradhan Mantri Gati Shakti initiative, with an estimated Rs 1.8 lakh crore earmarked for logistics and infrastructure.

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Top 10 Freight Forwarding Companies In India In 2025

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By Our Correspondent

When we discuss a profitable business, we must consider the active role that imports and exports play in its making. International transportation through commercial shipping has allowed businesses to trade and expand globally, create new opportunities as well as develop a global presence. However, smooth logistics requires extensive technical expertise and error-free strategies.

It is important to have complete knowledge of the standard protocols of each country, the ability to manage external crises, and at the same time, have a strong network for the supply chain. This is when shippers in India need freight forwarding companies, to execute critical tasks like customs brokerage, container tracking, cargo planning and scheduling, documentation, insurance, and much more.

In this article, we will talk about the top 10 Freight forwarding companies in India in 2025 and the type of services they provide so that you can hand over the complication of logistics for your business to the right freight forwarder.

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What is Freight Forwarding?

Freight forwarders are an entity that specializes in the arrangement, handling, and maintenance of cargo on behalf of the shippers. Freight forwarders usually operate as a firm to provide extensive services such as transportation via air or ships, cargo documentation and insurance, licenses, storage, and warehouse services, customs documentation, shipment tracking, negotiating shipping rates, and a lot more.

The global markets function due to the inevitably of the international supply chains, which are usually honed and operated by freight forwarding companies. It is safe to say that these firms are extremely reliable and allows businesses to not only grow but also focus their resources on other essential aspects.

This is why it is essential to know the top freight forwarding companies in india

Steps of Freight Forwarding

The process of freight forwarding can be broken down into several key steps:

- **Receiving the Shipment Request**

The freight forwarder initiates the process by gathering essential information about the shipment, such as the type of goods, destination, and delivery timeline. This data is used to create a tailored shipping plan that aligns with the client's requirements and budget.

- **Selecting Transport Providers**

After understanding the shipment details, the freight forwarder evaluates various transport options, including air, sea, road, or rail carriers. They negotiate freight rates, choose the most suitable provider, and ensure the safe handling of the shipment.

- **Preparing and Processing Shipping Documents**

Ensuring compliance with regulations is crucial. The freight forwarder obtains necessary documentation, prepares shipping invoices, and manages customs clearance procedures. This step guarantees that all paperwork is in order for a smooth transit.

- **Monitoring and Tracking the Shipment**

Throughout the journey, the freight forwarder keeps the client informed by utilising tracking systems to oversee the shipment's progress. Any issues that arise are promptly addressed to maintain the shipment's schedule and integrity.

- **Delivering the Shipment**

The final stage involves coordinating with the recipient to ensure timely and secure delivery. The freight forwarder manages customs procedures, oversees the final delivery, and ensures a seamless inspection process, ensuring the successful arrival of the shipment at its destination. By following these steps, freight forwarders facilitate the smooth and efficient transportation of goods, providing clients with a reliable and hassle-free shipping experience.

List of the Top Freight Forwarding Companies in India

Professional freight forwarders in India are equipped to handle any crisis at their watch; moreover, with the right freight partner, you can expect lesser complications during delivery and more time to focus on incremental aspects of your business. Let us check out the top 10 freight forwarding companies in India that are listed below.

Company Name	Description	Services	Licenses and Accreditations	Network
LORDS Freight India Pvt Ltd	Mahindra Logistics' wholly-owned subsidiary specialising in Freight Forwarding services for air and ocean exports and imports	Airfreight, ocean freight, customs brokerage, project cargo, and FCL/LCL services	IATA, FIATA, MTO, and AEO	Operates in all major Indian cities and has partnerships with over 100 network partners worldwide
Om Freight Forwarders	Third-generation versatile international logistics and freight forwarding company with over four decades of domain expertise	End-to-end, tailor-made freight forwarding services	MTO, IATA, and FIATA	Operates in all major cities, commercial hubs, airports, and seaports across the country and has international logistics partnerships in China, Hong Kong, Europe, and Singapore
Ocean Sky Logistics	Decades of experience and a solid customer base with a global operations network	Sea and Air customs clearance, LCL and FCI import/export customs clearance, advanced air and sea freight forwarding services	–	Extensive network in all major metropolitan cities and a significant global presence in International marketing
APT Logistics	Operates in over 150 countries worldwide and provides end-to-end freight forwarding solutions	Direct inbound and outbound services across all major cargo centres around the globe	–	Collaborative approach with clients and lower transportation costs
Seal Freight	One of the leading freight forwarding companies in India with a focus on customised solutions	International freight forwarding, multimodal transport operations, Sea freight Import-Export, Warehousing & Distribution, custom clearance, inhibition and trade fair, logistics, cargo handling, and more	–	Over 33 years of experience and a presence across the globe

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Addax Logistics	Provides freight forwarding services for the last 30 years in India with a special focus on custom solutions	Import/export solutions, personal cargo clearance, delivery and inhibition logistics, project cargo logistics, and more	–	Formed sustainable relationships with over 400 industries in sectors such as pharma, textiles, FMCG, etc.
Stockarea	Fastest-growing freight forwarding company in the country to offer integrated air and sea freight forwarding services	Customs clearance, freight forwarding, domestic inland transportation, warehousing, and distribution	–	A comprehensive set of services tailor-made to fulfil the customer's needs
Airborne International	One of the most respected Express Courier Services in the country to offer comprehensive and intact Logistics and courier services	State-of-the-art service offerings and strong international alliances	ISA, USA	Advanced Quality Management System and Implementation of Best practices
SVP Logistics	Specialises in Air, Sea, and Land cargo, including packaging, import-export, warehousing, import consolidation, freight forwarding, customs brokerage, drop shipment, door-to-door delivery, fragile goods handling, and a 360-degree approach to all logistics requirements for businesses	Top-tier freight forwarding solutions to major businesses across the market segment	–	Transports all kinds of items like pharmaceuticals, garments, perishable cargo, etc.
Maersk India	Provides integrated logistics solutions to businesses that can connect, protect and simplify their supply chains	Extensive range of services that ensure accurate and timely delivery to any region across the globe	–	Networks across 130 countries, stationed terminals across 36 countries, owns 700+ container vessels that deploy all kinds of cargo has a manpower of over 110,000+ employees and consists of a 7M+ SQM warehousing capacity



LORDS Freight India Pvt Ltd

Mahindra Logistics' wholly-owned subsidiary, LORDS Freight India Pvt Ltd, specializes in Freight Forwarding services for air and ocean exports and imports. LORDS provides exceptional freight services in operations related to airfreight, ocean freight, customs brokerage, project cargo, and FCL/LCL services. LORDS serves customers from diverse industries, including Automotive, Engineering, Pharmaceutical, Fashion, Retail, Telecom, Electronics, and Industrial Goods.

Mahindra Logistics is one of the best freight forwarding companies in india. The company holds IATA, FIATA, MTO, and AEO licenses and operates in all major Indian cities while having partnerships with over 100 network partners worldwide. LORDS has earned a reputable position in the industry as a member of freight forwarding networks such as the Worldwide Partner Alliance (WPA) and the World Cargo Association (WCA). The team members at LORDS are GDP trained to ensure they can handle Pharma shipments with precision.



Om Freight Forwarders

Om Freight Forwarders Pvt Ltd., which is headquartered in Mumbai, is a third-generation versatile international logistics and freight forwarding company. With an experience of over four decades of domain expertise, this agency has established its presence in continents with over 700 unique national and international locations. Om Freight Forwarders have planted their major stations in all major cities, commercial hubs, airports, and seaports across the country and have developed international logistics partnerships white China, Hong Kong, Europe, and Singapore to facilitate reliable transportation networks.

Being one of the most versatile logistics solutions companies, they adhere to stipulated custom compliance and possess accreditations like the MTO, IATA, and FIATA.

The company offers end-to-end, tailor-made freight forwarding services at reasonable packages to its clients because of its intense network and strategic associations with global trade partners.

They believe in understanding the client business and their logistical requirements before jumping in to provide their state-of-the-art legal, distribution, and warehousing solutions. Headed by able leaders and a brilliant backbone of hardworking staff, the company aims to develop long-term alliances with its clients, deploy its best and cutting-edge technology, and prioritize timely and cost-effective freight forwarding solutions.

Ocean Sky Logistics

Honing their decades of experience and strong customer base, Ocean Sky Logistics has built a business operations network across the globe and continues to do so to date. Starting from Sea and Air custom clearance, LCL and FCl import/export customs clearance to advanced air and sea freight forwarding services, the company provides a wide array of logistics solutions to its customers while maintaining their high standards and expectations.



Ocean Sky has a proud team of well-trained and dedicated professionals who cover all modes of transport – sea, air, and road and draws special attention and care to each medium. The company adheres to the complexities of the Modem Global Operations in Shipping and Freight Forwarding, and hence the representatives are trained to work according to all customer requirements. Much like other freight forwarding companies in India, ocean Sky has an extensive network in all major metropolitan cities, namely Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata, Chennai, Mundra, Bengaluru, Ahemadabad, and Tuticorin. The company also has a large global presence in International marketing since its inception in 2014 and claims to have one of the largest warehousings in India.



APT Logistics

Operating in over 150 countries worldwide and having provided an immense shipping experience to its clientele, APT Logistics preaches that they don't talk; they deliver. Their unique approach towards providing solutions is that they manage their operations directly and have proper knowledge about local ports that allows them to build deeper business networks. They believe in getting brief insights into any business before taking over their delivery project so that the clients can experience the intense care that the company provides in its freight forwarding services.

The company operates worldwide and provides end-to-end freight forwarding solutions as well as flexible services to its customers. Moreover, they share a collaborative approach with their clients so that they can deliver positive and satisfying results while lowering their transportation costs and, at the same time, managing their extensive supply chain network. Their esteemed client network includes top-of-the-line companies like TATA, Capgemini, L&T, Reliance, lupin, ONGC, Indian Oil, etc.

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Seal Freight



Founded in 1990, Seal Freight has become one of the leading freight forwarding companies in India. It associates itself with reliability and trust and has proven to be the one-stop solution for all major export and import requirements in the country. SEAL offers integrated freight forwarding services for all sea, air, and land cargo, along with direct inbound and outbound services across all major cargo centers around the globe.

Their focal point is customized solutions that suit the client's requirements bundled with innovative techniques and performance-enhancing technology. Seal provides complete logistics solutions starting from International freight forwarding, multimodal transport operations, Sea freight Import-Export, Warehousing & Distribution, custom clearance, inhibition and trade fair, logistics, cargo handling, and much more. With well-qualified networks, over 33 years of experience, and a presence across the globe, the company offers excellence to business leaders with sophisticated transportation and supply chain management system.



Established in 2011. Addax logistics has been providing freight forwarding services for the last 30 years in India.

With a special focus on custom solutions, Addax takes care of all the shipping and logistics requirements for businesses across the country. They ensure good care for your cargo right from the factory to the delivery. Addax also offers commendable consultation services that allow businesses to save time and money on international trading processes.

Starting from import/export solutions. Personal cargo clearance, delivery, and inhibition logistics to project cargo logistics, Addax offers fourteen unique freight forwarding services to major national and international businesses. The company has formed sustainable relationships with over 400 industries in sectors such as pharma, textiles, FMCG, etc., and caters to all their requirements because of its strong alliance with agents and companies across all seaports and airports.

Stockarea

Stockarea is the ultimate arena for shippers and businesses where they find the right transactional match. With over a decade of experience in logistics services, Stockarea is one of the fastest-growing freight forwarding companies in the country to offer integrated air and sea freight forwarding services that are tailor-made to fulfill the customer's needs.

The company relies on its collaborative logistics network to deliver more seamless supply chain management services to businesses. It pays special attention to all stages of operations, starting from planning, implementing, and controlling each aspect of the task at hand.



Stockarea has a presence in India's major seaports and airports and offers a comprehensive set of services, including customs clearance, freight forwarding, domestic inland transportation, warehousing, and distribution. The company makes logistics flexible, on-demand, and completely transparent so that business can reliably outsource their transportation requirements.



Airborne International

Airborne International Courier Services started in 2001 and is now considered one of the most respected Express Courier Services in the country to offer comprehensive and intact Logistics as well as courier services to medium and large enterprises across various industrial sectors. Its state-of-the-art service offering and strong international alliances allow businesses to enjoy quality service that saves time and money in this strong competitive market.

Customer satisfaction is the ultimate priority for Airborne International and because the company is backed up by highly motivated and trained professionals, the same is implemented across all their clients. Their customer care services are quick, prompt, and well-equipped to handle major customer queries and provide accurate guidance about shipment processes and information. The exact care is provided to the customers starting from the pickup points at several locations to the fleets so that the deliveries are made seamlessly. If we talk about their distribution network, Airborne International has associations with reputed overseas gateways at major sites like the UK, USA, Canada, Singapore, Dubai, Spain, Italy, etc. to name a few. The company also has an intricate domestic network spread across India, and it offers reliable and time-bound logistics to all its partners. Accredited by the ISA, the USA, and equipped with an advanced Quality Management System and Implementation of Best practices, the agency ensures that its prime objective is not just timely deliveries but quality services.

SVP Logistics

SVP Logistics specializes in Air, Sea, and Land cargo, including packaging, import-export, warehousing, import consolidation, freight forwarding, customs brokerage, drop shipment, door-to-door delivery, fragile goods handling, and a 360-degree approach to all logistics requirements for businesses. The company has utilized its expertise to provide top-tier freight forwarding solutions to major businesses across the market segment by taking care of its entire logistics supply chain and custom-building its infrastructure.

SVP was founded in 2008 and is set to be on the list of the top freight forwarding companies in India that offers extravagant solutions to expand the dependable cargo sector in the country. Be it individual transportation to large cargo projects, the company transports all kinds of



items like pharmaceuticals, garments, perishable cargo, etc. With SVP's trusted range of associations and vivid experience, you can be assured of receiving the best assistance and consultation to reduce costs and develop your business.



Maersk India

Maersk India was built with the vision to provide integrated logistics solutions to businesses that can connect, protect and simplify their supply chains. They carry forward a sustainable approach toward global economic trade so that companies can develop without impacting the environment, individuals, and communities negatively.

Maersk India offers an extensive range of services that ensure accurate and timely delivery to any region across the globe. They are one of the best freight forwarding companies in India. They have state-of-the-art and modern technologies, types of equipment, and fleets that transport cargo and safely deliver them. Maersk has networks across 130 countries, stationed terminals across 36 countries, owns 700+ container vessels that deploy all kinds of cargo, has a manpower of over 110,000+ employees, and consists of a 7M+ SQM warehousing capacity. Along with the impressive numbers, the company also handles all legal and custom procedures by itself so that businesses are saved from the hassle.

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Gwalior RIC receives proposals worth Rs 8000 Cr

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बोईसर : अदानी उद्योगसमूहाचे अध्यक्ष गौतम अदानी यांनी रविवारी तारापूर अणुऊर्जा केंद्राला भेट देऊन अणुऊर्जा आणि त्यासंदर्भातील तंत्रज्ञान याची माहिती जाणून घेतली. अदानी यांच्या भेटीचे कारण समजू शकले नसले तरी भविष्यात अदानी समूह खासगी लघु अणुऊर्जा क्षेत्रात उतरण्याची शक्यता असल्याची चर्चा आहे.

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Champions Ethical & Resilient Business Practices

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"Resilient business practices and integrity are not just ethical imperatives but competitive advantages. By fostering a culture of trust and implementing strong governance mechanisms, businesses can build long-term sustainability and credibility in the market"
Meet Goradia, Chief Operating Officer, Refex Group

"Business ethics has never been an easy conversation, but we have seen remarkable progress through consultation and collaboration. We aim to create a platform for stakeholders to address systemic issues like corruption and promote open dialogue. Collective action is the only way forward"
Neha Das, Head, Asia & Oceania, United Nations Global Compact

"Integrity begins with individual actions and must be embedded in our daily work. While governance discussions often focus on governments, the private sector has a crucial role in shaping transparency and accountability. Initiatives like the Siemens Integrity Initiative and global collaborations with GCN India are steps toward meaningful change"
Sankar Balasubramanian, Regional Compliance Officer, Siemens

"Governance is now at the centre of business conversations, and our journey in this space will continue with even greater determination. The next frontier is engaging students and future leaders. We encourage sharing knowledge within communities because ethical leadership starts with awareness and action"
Ratnesh, Executive Director, UN Global Compact Network India

"MSMEs are the backbone of India's economy, contributing over 40% to the manufacturing sector. With more than 50 million registered MSMEs, their impact is unthinkably vast. Recent budgetary boosts and policy changes provide a much-needed push, but protecting and integrating micro-industries into the ESG framework is crucial for sustainable growth"
Rajiv Chawla, Chairman, IamSMEofIndia

BUSINESS INTEGRITY CONCLAVE 2025

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The inaugural Business Integrity Conclave, hosted by the United Nations Global Compact Network India (UN GCNI) at The Leela Palace, Chennai, brought together global business leaders, policymakers, and compliance experts to foster ethical, resilient, and responsible business practices. Under the theme "Shaping the Future: Collective Action for Ethical, Resilient, and Responsible Business Practices," the conclave served as a high-impact platform for discussions on governance, risk management, ethical healthcare collaborations, and ESG integration into corporate strategies. Integrity, transparency, and sustainability are no longer regulatory obligations alone—they are the foundation of corporate resilience. In an era of increasing regulatory scrutiny and stakeholder expectations, businesses must prioritize compliance, ethical leadership, and governance frameworks to safeguard their long-term growth.

Strengthening Governance and Business Integrity

The conclave commenced with an insightful inaugural session where industry leaders emphasized the importance of corporate governance in ensuring business credibility and long-term sustainability. Chetan Goradia, COO of Refex Group, highlighted governance as a cornerstone of corporate resilience, while Neha Das, Head of Asia & Oceania, UN Global Compact, stressed the need for businesses to embrace ethical accountability. Siemens' Regional Compliance Officer, Sankar Balasubramanian, reinforced the significance of proactive integrity frameworks in mitigating corruption risks.A key milestone was the Consensus Framework Inauguration, an initiative to align pharmaceutical companies, healthcare professionals, and other stakeholders through structured integrity measures. This framework aims to enhance accountability and transparency in healthcare collaborations.

The Business Integrity Conclave 2025 concluded with a reaffirmation of UN GCNI's commitment to fostering ethical leadership and governance

Ethical Business as a Pillar of Resilience

Discussions underscored how governance and compliance are essential for managing business risks, particularly for Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs). These enterprises, vital to India's economy, often face financial fraud, corruption, and operational disruptions due to limited compliance resources. Industry experts called for structured risk management frameworks, ethical decision-making, and policy interventions to support MSMEs in fostering transparency and sustainable growth.Similarly, the healthcare industry, which heavily relies on trust, must ensure transparency in clinical trials, research, and patient advocacy. Pharmaceutical leaders and compliance officers explored ethical collaboration strategies that balance innovation with accessibility. Experts stressed the importance of consensus frameworks in promoting ethical standards, equitable healthcare and responsible research practices.

Revolutionizing Compliance: Making Training Engaging and Interactive

Anand Guruswamy, Senior General Manager - Compliance (India and Sri Lanka), Siemens Gamesa, delivered an engaging presentation highlighting that compliance can be both dynamic and engaging. He introduced innovative and interactive methods to enhance compliance training, making it more effective. By incorporating gamification and real-world scenarios, he illustrated how organizations can create an immersive and impactful compliance education experience.

Embedding Governance in ESG for Sustainable Growth

A major focus of the conclave was the role of governance in driving Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) initiatives. While environmental and social factors are crucial, governance serves as the foundation for ethical and sustainable business practices. The discussions emphasized that without robust corporate governance, businesses cannot effectively implement sustainability strategies. Experts shared real-world examples of organizations that have successfully aligned governance frameworks with sustainability goals, reinforcing the need for greater transparency, anti-corruption measures, and responsible leadership in corporate decision-making.

Moving Forward: A Culture of Integrity

The Business Integrity Conclave 2025 concluded with a reaffirmation of UN GCNI's commitment to fostering ethical leadership and governance. Ratnesh Jha, Executive Director of UN GCNI, emphasized the organization's mission to drive collective action for integrity in business. Ganesh Reddy, Joint Secretary of UN GCNI & Founder of Citizens Foundation, extended gratitude to the speakers and participants, highlighting that the insights shared will shape a future where transparency, accountability, and sustainability remain paramount.

This landmark conclave established that business integrity is not just a regulatory requirement—it is a competitive advantage. Companies prioritizing ethical governance, proactive risk management, and ESG integration will be best positioned to navigate the evolving business landscape. The discussions initiated at the conclave will serve as a crucial foundation for shaping a more responsible, transparent, and resilient corporate ecosystem.

"Policymakers must ensure a conducive environment for MSMEs to thrive. Factors like demonetization, GST, and global tariff policies have disproportionately affected small industries. India's MSMEs need collaborative efforts, better resource utilization, and strategic policy interventions to remain competitive in a rapidly evolving global market"
Prof. Sunil Ashra,
Professor of Economics & Public Policy, MDI - Gurgaon

"Quality and reputation are essential for MSME growth. Without a strong brand image, attracting talent and investment becomes difficult. Learning from global case studies, MSMEs must adopt new technologies and ensure consistency to build resilience and long-term success"
S. Santhosh, General Manager - Operations, Crescent Innovation & Incubation Council (CIIC)

"MSMEs are among the largest job creators, yet they struggle with resource access, skilled manpower retention, and operational challenges. Women entrepreneurs, in particular, face additional barriers due to gender biases. Addressing these issues through structured support and better networking opportunities is critical for inclusive economic growth"
Aparna RamMohan,
Co-Founder and Director, Srisattva Group

"Collective action is key to fostering ethical business collaborations. The United Nations Global Compact actively supports initiatives that promote transparency, accountability, and trust. True transformation happens when businesses take responsibility beyond compliance and drive ethical change at all levels"
Teresa Cantú, Partner Director, CARE Abogadas

"Patients must remain at the centre of healthcare collaborations. Doctors, pharmaceuticals, compliance professionals, and every stakeholder play a crucial role in ensuring ethical, research-driven innovation. However, challenges like clinical trial dropouts and outreach barriers must be addressed to maintain trust and transparency in the system"
Nitesh Bakshi, Senior Director - Legal, Ethics, Compliance & Quality, Novo Nordisk India

"Healthcare and pharma sectors have a moral obligation to maintain patient trust. Beyond compliance, we need strong oversight, transparent processes, and accountable leadership. Ethical research, clear regulatory principles, and patient-centric policies will shape the future of responsible healthcare"
Bratin Bag, Senior Director – Ethics & Business Integrity, South Asia, Sanofi

"Ethical healthcare must be built on affordability, accessibility, and transparency. Patient advocacy groups play a crucial role in ensuring clinical trial safety, reporting unmet medical needs, and pushing for greater accountability. Strengthening compliance frameworks will enhance trust and improve patient outcomes"
Krishnendu Biswas, Head of Ethics and Compliance, Takeda

"Effective compliance is not just about policies; it's about awareness and implementation. Engaging training methods—like game-based learning—help employees internalize ethical decision-making. To build trust, organizations must not only uphold compliance but also make it visible through action and vigilance"
Anand Guruswamy, Senior General Manager - Compliance (India and Sri Lanka), Siemens Gamesa

"Governance is the foundation upon which Environmental and Social pillars of ESG stand. ESG compliance is increasingly being driven by investors, making transparency and accountability non-negotiable. To build a truly sustainable business, companies must establish their own ESG frameworks, continuously monitor their activities, and integrate sustainability across their supply chain"
Sunila Sahasrabudhe, President (India), AuctusESG

"Without a strong governance structure, ESG efforts remain unsustainable. Profit with purpose should be the mantra of every organization. A robust governance system not only prevents integrity issues but also drives innovation, reduces risk, and ensures cost efficiency"
Gagan Pattnaik,
GM and Head ESG & Sustainability, Refex Group

"Governance and compliance have seamlessly blended with ESG. However, organizations must move beyond merely obtaining certifications to truly embracing transparency and ethical business practices. Building a strong governance structure over time is key to sustaining ESG goals"
Kalpathy G Lakshmi Vipin,
Global Head - Ethics & Business Integrity, Redington Limited

"ESG is no longer just a corporate buzzword; it is a critical business requirement. Regulatory frameworks like the BRSR have strengthened compliance, and ESG ratings are now essential for securing investments and market credibility. Transparency in public disclosures will define the success of ESG adoption in businesses"
Neeru Bansal,
Head - ESG, Cement Business, Adani Group

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मुंबई आंतरराष्ट्रीय विमानतळ टर्मिनल ३, टी-३ कडून मुंबईकडे येताना डाव्या बाजूला असलेले सुंदर असे मी मुंबईकर म्हणून दर्शवितेले त्यात छत्रपती शिवाजी महाराज यांची शिल्प कलाकृती साकारण्यात आलेली आहे. त्यात असलेल्या मी मुंबईकर म्हणून दाखविण्यात आलेल्या विविध छटा यांच्या संपूर्ण कलाकृतीला मागील काही वर्षा पासून दैनंदिन देखभाल न झाल्यामुळेच त्या वरील रंगरोटी सुद्धा उडालेली आहे. तसेच संपोकती सुक्ष्म गवतांचा साठा / कचरा जमा झाला आहे. मुंबई महानगर पालिका कन्याच केडेस अशा निसर्ग सृष्टी / शिल्पकला जोपासण्याकरता कंत्राटदार नियुक्त करते आणि त्याच्यामार्फत या संपूर्ण शिल्पकलेची / निसर्ग सृष्टीची देखरेख केली जाते. काही दिवसांवर छत्रपती शिवाजी महाराज यांची जयंती आहे. किमान छत्रपती शिवाजी महाराज यांच्या जयंतीचे औचित्य साधून सदर शिल्पकलेचे सुशोभीकरण तत्काळ करावे.

- नितीन कदम, मुंबई

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Adani Group Launches India's Largest Skill Development Initiative

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મેક ઇન ઇંડીયા'ને આધાર આપવા અદાણી ભારતનો સૌથી મોટો 'કૌશલ અને રોજગાર' કાર્યક્રમ વિકસાવશે



અમદાવાદ, તા.૧૬

અદાણી સમૂહના ચેરમેન ગૌતમઅદાણીની દિશાસૂચનાને અનુરૂપ અદાણી ગ્રૂપ હરીફરોજ,ઉત્પાદન,લાઈટેક, પ્રોજેક્ટ મેનેજમેન્ટ અને ઓપરેશન ડિજીટલ સહિતના ઉદ્યોગોની જરૂરિયાતો પૂરી પાડવા કુશળપ્રતિભાઓની હરોળ ઉભી કરવા માટે ઈન્ડસ્ટ્રીની આઈટીઆઈ એજ્યુકેશન સહિતિક સાથે ભાગીદારી કરી છે.ઉદ્યોગ માટે-સજ્જ કાર્યબળના આ પ્રતિભા પૂલનું નિર્માણ કરવા માટે અદાણી પરિવાર આંતરરાષ્ટ્રીય કક્ષાની સુવિધાઓ એકસમાનની સ્થાપના માટે રૂ.૨,૦૦૦ કરોડની સંભવત કરશે.

અદાણી ગ્રોબલ સિલ્ક એકેડેમી કર્મચારી આવનાર પેઢીની આ દરેક શાખાઓ ભારતમાં ટેકનિકલ અને વ્યાવસાયિક શિક્ષણની પાયાભૂત પરાકાષ્ઠા અને તેમના ઉદ્યોગ સાથે સંકળાન વિદ્યાર્થીઓ અને તેમની મહત્વાકાંક્ષી ભૂમિકા માટે પસંદ કરશે. આ વિદ્યાર્થીઓને એકધાર તેમની પસંદગીના અભ્યાસના સેગમાં માન્ય કરવામાં આવ્યા બાદ તેઓને પોતાની ભૂમિકા અને નાણીમના સેગના આધારે અદાણી સમૂહના વિશાળ ઔદ્યોગિક પ્રકલ્પોમાં રોજગાર આપી સમાવવામાં આવશે. આ સાથે તે સુનિશ્ચિત કરશે કે આ પ્રશિક્ષિત યુવા વ્યાવસાયિકો પ્રથમ દિવસના પ્રોજેક્ટ કામગીરી જ પ્રોત્સાહન વૈશ્વિક પોટેન્શન મેચમાર્ક સાથે ઉદ્યોગ માટે તૈયાર છે આ કાર્યક્રમના પ્રાથમિક તબક્કામાં ગુજરાતના મુંદરામાં ટેકનિકલ તાલીમ માટેની વિશ્વની સૌથી મોટી સંપૂર્ણ સજ્જ સ્થાપવાને પ્રારંભ આવશે, જેમાં ઉદ્યોગ અને સેવા સેગમાં ભૂમિકા અદા કરવાની વિશાળ શ્રેણી માટે વાર્ષિક ૨૫,૦૦૦ થી વધુ નાણીમાર્થીઓને કુશળતાથી સજ્જ કરવાનું લક્ષ્ય છે.આ નાણીમાર્થીઓ આઈટીઆઈઓસ અથવા પોલિટેકનિક તરફથી વ્યવસાયિક અને તકનીકી લાયકાત પરાકાષ્ઠા નવા સ્થાનો અને ઉદ્યોગ પાડશે અને સાથોસાથ જ સઘન ભૂતકેમ્પ અનુભવ માટે પસંદ કરવામાં આવશે.

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મહાકુંભમાં શ્રદ્ધાળુઓની આવી ચૌતરફી ઠેર-ઠેર ટ્રાફિક જામના દૃશ્યો સર્જાઈ રહ્યા છે. લોકો ૧૦-૧૦ કિલોમીટર લાંબી વાહનોની લાઈનોમાં ફસાઈ ગયા છે. ત્યારે અદાણી-ઈસ્કોનના સ્વયંસેવકોએ તેમની ભૂખ મીટાવવા સ્તુત્ય પ્રયાસો કરી રહ્યા છે. ટ્રાફિકમાં ફસાયેલા શ્રદ્ધાળુઓને સ્વયંસેવકોએ જાતે જઈ ભોજન પ્રસાદ વિતરણ કરી રહ્યા છે. હજારો શ્રદ્ધાળુઓ આ પ્રસાદ ગ્રહણ કર્યા બાદ તેમનો ખૂબ-ખૂબ આભાર માની રહ્યા છે. ત્યારે બીજાને કારણે પ્રયાગરાજ સહિત અન્ય સ્થળોમાં ટ્રાફિક પ્રભાવિત થયો છે.કરોડની ઠંડી હોય કે, ભીષણ ગરમ, બન્ને ઋતુનો નજારો હોય કે, પુનીત વાતાવરણ અદાણી-ઈસ્કોનના સ્વયંસેવકો અનેક કપરી પરિસ્થિતીઓનો સામનો કરીને લોકોને તેમના સ્થળ સુધી ભોજન પહોંચાડી ભૂખ મીટાવી રહ્યા છે. અને સેવા એજ સાધના મંત્રને વધારે કરતા અનોખો પરચો કરી રહ્યા છે.

૫ કિમુ આગોથી પ્રયાગરાજમાં અકલ્પનીય સંખ્યામાં અવાગમન વધારો થયો છે. પ્રયાગરાજ વાઈસેથી સંગમ ઘાટ સુધી ઠેર-ઠેર ટ્રાફિક જામ છે.છેલ્લા ૭૨ દિવસમાં અલગ અલગ ૧૫ લાખ વાહનો શહેરમાં પ્રવેશ્યા, પરંતુ આટલી મોટી સંખ્યામાં વાહનો તે જ તારીખે બહાર નીકળી શક્યા નહીં, જેના કારણે ટ્રાફિક જામની સ્થિતિ વધુ ખરાબ થઈ ગઈ. તેવામાં ચોતરફ દર્શોની લાગ્યા પણ દયનીય બની ગઈ છે. અદાણી-ઈસ્કોનના સ્વયંસેવકોની ટીમ સુરક્ષા દર્શોને પણ મહાપ્રસાદ તેમના કારમાં પરમ સ્વયં પહોંચાડી રહી છે.

કુંભમેળામાં આવતા શ્રદ્ધાળુઓ માટે અદાણી અને ઈસ્કોન દ્વારા આ ચોથું રસોડું સ્થાપિત કરવામાં આવ્યું છે.

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અદાણી ડિફેન્સ એન્ડ એરોસ્પેસ તથા ડી.આર.ડી.ઓ.દ્વારા એરો ઇંડીયા ૨૦૨૫માં ભારતની વેહીકલ માઉન્ટેડ કાઉન્ટર ડ્રોન સિસ્ટમનું અનાવરણ

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અદાણી ડિફેન્સ એન્ડ એરોસ્પેસએ ડિફેન્સ રિસર્ચ એન્ડ ડેવલપમેન્ટ ઓર્ગેનાઈઝેશનના સહયોગમાં એરો ઈંડીયા-૨૦૨૫માં પબ્લિક-પ્રાયવેટ પાર્ટનરશિપ (પી.પી.પી.) આધારીત ભારતની વેહીકલ-માઉન્ટેડ ડ્રોન સિસ્ટમનું આજે અનાવરણ કર્યું હતું. ડી.આર.ડી.ઓ.ની ઈલેક્ટ્રોનિક્સ એન્ડ કોમ્યુનિકેશન્સ પાંખના ડાયરેક્ટર જનરલ ડો. બી.કે.દાસ દ્વારા વિભાગના અતિથીઓ, સંરક્ષણ બાબતોના નિષ્ણાંતો અને ઉદ્યોગના ભાગીદારોની હાજરીમાં આ પ્લેટફોર્મ શરૂ કરવામાં આવ્યું હતું. જે સ્વદેશી સંરક્ષણ ક્ષમતાઓને મજબૂત કરવાની ભારતની પ્રતિબધ્ધતાને રેખાંકીત કરે છે. વધી રહેલી નીતનવી હવાઈ ધમકીઓ સામે ભારતની સંરક્ષણ સજ્જતા વધારવાની દીશામાં ડીઆરડીઓના સહયોગથી વિકસાવવામાં આવેલ આ અત્યાધુનિક સિસ્ટમ નોંધપાત્ર કદમ છે.

આધુનિક યુદ્ધમાં જાસૂસી અને આક્રમક બંને કામગીરીમાં ડ્રોનના વધી રહેલા ઉપયોગને ખાળવાના પ્રયાસમાં એક મજબૂત ડ્રોન મિકેનિઝમની આવશ્યકતા હિતાવહ બની ગઈ છે.આધુનિક સંરક્ષણ દળો માટે એક પ્રચંડ અસ્કયામત બની રહે તેવી આ વેહીકલ-માઉન્ટેડ કાઉન્ટર-ડ્રોન સિસ્ટમ લાંબા અંતરની સુરક્ષા, ચપળતા અને ચોકસાઈની ખાતરી આપવા સાથે તે સ્વચાલિત તપાસ, વર્ગીકરણ અને ડ્રોનની તટસ્થતા સહિત અદ્યતન સેન્સર ક્ષમતાઓ દ્વારા અવિરત સુરક્ષા પૂરી પાડે છે.

૪૮૪ના એક જ વાહન પર સંકલિત સતત ઘૂમતી આ સિસ્ટમ ચપળ, વિશ્વસનીય અને આત્મનિર્ભર કાઉન્ટર-ડ્રોનનો ઉકેલ પ્રદાન કરે છે. તેમાં ચોક્કસ ડ્રોન ન્યુટ્રલાઈઝેશન માટે ઉચ્ચ-એનર્જી લેસર સિસ્ટમ, ૧૦ કિ.મી.ની રેન્જમાં હવાઈ ધમકીના સામના માટે ૭.૬૨ મીમીની ગન, અને એડવાન્સ્ડ રડાર, સિગ્નિટ, ઈલેક્ટ્રો-ઓપ્ટિકલ સેન્સર અને ચોક્કસ સમય લક્ષ્ય સંપાદન સહીત ટ્રેકિંગ અને ન્યુટ્રલાઈઝેશ માટે જામર્સ આ સિસ્ટમની લાક્ષણિકતાઓ છે.

એક જ પ્લેટફોર્મમાં બહુવિધ કાઉન્ટર-ડ્રોન તકનીકીઓનું એકીકરણ ઝડપી પ્રતિસાદ અને સરળ કામકાજ સુનિશ્ચિત કરતું હોવાથી તે ભારતના સંરક્ષણની માળખાગત સુવિધાને સુરક્ષિત રાખવા માટે એક મહત્વની અસ્કયામત બનાવે છે

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અદાણી ડિફેન્સ એન્ડ એરોસ્પેસએ ડિફેન્સ રિસર્ચ એન્ડ ડેવલપમેન્ટ ઓર્ગેનાઈઝેશનના સહયોગમાં એરો ઈંડીયા-૨૦૨૫માં પબ્લિક-પ્રાયવેટ પાર્ટનરશિપ (પી.પી.પી.) આધારીત ભારતની વેહીકલ-માઉન્ટેડ ડ્રોન સિસ્ટમનું આજે અનાવરણ કર્યું હતું. ડી.આર.ડી.ઓ.ની ઈલેક્ટ્રોનિક્સ એન્ડ કોમ્યુનિકેશન્સ પાંખના ડાયરેક્ટર જનરલ ડો. બી.કે.દાસ દ્વારા વિભાગના અતિથીઓ, સંરક્ષણ બાબતોના નિષ્ણાંતો અને ઉદ્યોગના ભાગીદારોની હાજરીમાં આ પ્લેટફોર્મ શરૂ કરવામાં આવ્યું હતું. જે સ્વદેશી સંરક્ષણ ક્ષમતાઓને મજબૂત કરવાની ભારતની પ્રતિબધ્ધતાને રેખાંકીત કરે છે. વધી રહેલી નીતનવી હવાઈ ધમકીઓ સામે ભારતની સંરક્ષણ સજ્જતા વધારવાની દીશામાં ડીઆરડીઓના સહયોગથી વિકસાવવામાં આવેલ આ અત્યાધુનિક સિસ્ટમ નોંધપાત્ર કદમ છે.

આધુનિક યુદ્ધમાં જાસૂસી અને આક્રમક બંને કામગીરીમાં ડ્રોનના વધી રહેલા ઉપયોગને ખાળવાના પ્રયાસમાં એક મજબૂત ડ્રોન મિકેનિઝમની આવશ્યકતા હિતાવહ બની ગઈ છે.આધુનિક સંરક્ષણ દળો માટે એક પ્રચંડ અસ્ક્યામત બની રહે તેવી આ વેહીકલ-માઉન્ટેડ કાઉન્ટર-ડ્રોન સિસ્ટમ લાંબા અંતરની સુરક્ષા, ચપળતા અને ચોકસાઈની ખાતરી આપવા સાથે તે સ્વચાલિત તપાસ, વર્ગીકરણ અને ડ્રોનની તટસ્થતા સહિત અદ્યતન સેન્સર ક્ષમતાઓ દ્વારા અવિરત સુરક્ષા પૂરી પાડે છે.

૪૮૪ના એક જ વાહન પર સંકલિત સતત ઘૂમતી આ સિસ્ટમ ચપળ, વિશ્વસનીય અને આત્મનિર્ભર કાઉન્ટર-ડ્રોનનો ઉકેલ પ્રદાન કરે છે. તેમાં ચોક્કસ ડ્રોન ન્યુટ્રલાઈઝેશન માટે ઉચ્ચ-એનર્જી લેસર સિસ્ટમ, ૧૦ કિ.મી.ની રેન્જમાં હવાઈ ધમકીના સામના માટે ૭.૬૨ મીમીની ગન, અને એડવાન્સ્ડ રડાર, સિગ્નિટ, ઈલેક્ટ્રો-ઓપ્ટિકલ સેન્સર અને ચોક્કસ સમય લક્ષ્ય સંપાદન સહીત ટ્રેકિંગ અને ન્યુટ્રલાઈઝેશ માટે જામર્સ આ સિસ્ટમની લાક્ષણિકતાઓ છે.

એક જ પ્લેટફોર્મમાં બહુવિધ કાઉન્ટર-ડ્રોન તકનીકીઓનું એકીકરણ ઝડપી પ્રતિસાદ અને સરળ કામકાજ સુનિશ્ચિત કરતું હોવાથી તે ભારતના સંરક્ષણની માળખાગત સુવિધાને સુરક્ષિત રાખવા માટે એક મહત્વની અસ્ક્યામત બનાવે છે

અદાણી ડિફેન્સ એન્ડ એરોસ્પેસના સી.ઈ.ઓ.આશિષ રાજવંશીએ આ પ્રસંગે બોલતા જણાવ્યું હતું કે ડી.આર.ડી.ઓ.ની વિશ્વકક્ષાના સંશોધન અને વિકાસ અને ટ્રાન્સફર ઓફ ટેકનોલોજીના તેના સુદ્રઢ માળખા દ્વારા ચલિત આ સિસ્ટમનું અનાવરણ એ ભારતના સંરક્ષણ ક્ષેત્રની અભિનવ ઈકોસિસ્ટમની સક્ષમતાનો પુરાવો છે.વધી રહેલી ડ્રોનની ધમકીઓનો પ્રતિકાર કરવાની આપણા સશસ્ત્ર દળોની ક્ષમતાને એક પ્રચંડ તાકાત પૂરી પાડવાનો તૈયાર ઉકેલ હાજર રાખવામાં ડીઆરડીઓની અદ્યતન ટેકનોલોજીનું રુપાંતર કરતા અદાણી ડિફેન્સ એન્ડ એરોસ્પેસ ગૌરવ અનુભવે છે.

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90 दिनों तक हर दिन होगा रीकार्पेटिंग का काम

जयपुर एयरपोर्ट के रनवे का होगा अपग्रेडेशन साढ़े आठ घंटे नहीं होगी फ्लाइट संचालित

एयरफील्ड ग्राउंड लाइटिंग को हैलोजन से एलईडी में किया जाएगा अपग्रेड

नवज्योति, जयपुर। यात्रियों की सुरक्षा को प्राथमिकता देने और अपने परिचालन की समग्र दक्षता को बढ़ाने के लिए जयपुर एयरपोर्ट के रनवे की रीकार्पेटिंग का कार्य 30 मार्च से 30 जून तक (90 दिन) सुबह 9.30 से शाम 6 बजे तक होगा। इस दौरान विमानों का संचालन नहीं होगा।

जयपुर एयरपोर्ट के रनवे रीकार्पेटिंग का कार्य आखिरी बार वर्ष-2016 में किया गया था। जयपुर एयरपोर्ट रनवे कुल 3407 मीटर तथा 45 मीटर चौड़ा है तथा रनवे के दोनों तरफ 15 मीटर अतिरिक्त शोल्डर स्पेस है। निर्धारित रीकार्पेटिंग में मौजूदा बिटुमिनस रनवे की मिलिंग शामिल होगी। इसके बाद निर्दिष्ट मानकों के अनुरूप डिजाइन मापदंडों को पूरा करने के लिए बिटुमिनस इनले और ओवरले का उपयोग किया जाएगा। रनवे सहित कुल 2.04 लाख वर्ग मीटर क्षेत्र पर रीकार्पेटिंग का कार्य किया जाएगा।



इस बीच होता 28 विमानों का संचालन

जयपुर एयरपोर्ट पर औसतन 74 विमानों का संचालन होता है। सुबह 9.30 से शाम 6 बजे तक के बीच करीब 28 फ्लाइटें संचालित होती है। ऐसे में काफी फ्लाइट्स को एयरलाइंस की ओर से अलसुबह या रात को एडजस्ट किया जाएगा। इस दौरान करीब करीब एक दर्जन से ज्यादा फ्लाइट बंद भी हो सकती है।

नए समानांतर टैक्सी-वे की कमीशनिंग पूरी: पिछले महीने जयपुर एयरपोर्ट ने 3065 मीटर लंबे अपने नए समानांतर टैक्सी-वे की कमीशनिंग पूरी कर ली है। समानांतर टैक्सी-वे से विमान एक साथ चल सकते हैं, जिससे टेक-ऑफ और लैंडिंग के लिए प्रतीक्षा समय में काफी कमी आएगी। रीकार्पेटिंग अवधि के दौरान अतिरिक्त रनवे एग्जिट टैक्सी-वे का निर्माण करने का प्रस्ताव है। रनवे रीकार्पेटिंग परियोजना के दौरान पूरे एयरफील्ड ग्राउंड लाइटिंग सिस्टम को भी अपग्रेड किया जाएगा। मौजूदा हैलोजन लाइटिंग सिस्टम को एलईडी सिस्टम से बदला जाएगा और साथ ही एयरफील्ड साइनेज को अपग्रेड किया जाएगा। एलईडी में रूपांतरण से एयरपोर्ट के लिए 50 प्रतिशत बिजली की बचत होगी।

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धारावी पुनर्विकास परियोजना के नाम पर अडानी समूह धारावी के ५५० एकड़ भूखंड अपने कब्जे में लेनेवाली है। इतना ही नहीं, धारावीकरों का पुनर्विकास करने के लिए मुंबई के करीब दो हजार एकड़ भूखंड भी अपने कब्जे में लेने की तैयारी में है। इस असलियत से रू-बरू होने के बाद धारावीकरों ने कड़ा रुख अख्तियार करते हुए कहा है कि पुनर्विकास आर्थिक घोटाला अडानी समूह न करे। इसके साथ ही लोगों ने धारावी पुनर्विकास का विरोध किया है। हालांकि, केंद्र और राज्य सरकार के समर्थन से यह परियोजना धारावीकरों पर जबरन लादी जा रही है। इसके लिए अडानी समूह नवभारत मेगा डेवलपर प्राइवेट लिमिटेड कंपनी ने सर्वे शुरू किया है। साथ ही लोगों के इस सर्वे में शामिल होने और अडानी के पुनर्विकास परियोजना के समर्थन की झूठी कहानी फैलाई गई है। इस पृष्ठभूमि पर अडानी समूह की झूठ, धोखेबाजी, जालसाजी, दबाव, दादागीरी और सरकार के साथ मिलीभगत का पर्दाफाश करने के लिए धारावी मेन रोड पर अभ्युदय बैंक के सामने आज शाम पांच बजे धारावी बचाओ आंदोलन की ओर से प्रचंड सार्वजनिक सभा का आयोजन किया गया है। इस मौके पर शिवसेना समेत धारावी बचाओ आंदोलन, विभिन्न राजनीतिक दल, संगठन, संस्थाओं समेत कुल १८ संगठन के पदाधिकारी और कार्यकर्ता उपस्थित रहेंगे।

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धारावी पुनर्विकास परियोजना के नाम पर अडानी समूह धारावी के ५५० एकड़ भूखंड अपने कब्जे में लेनेवाली है। इतना ही नहीं, धारावीकरों का पुनर्विकास करने के लिए मुंबई के करीब दो हजार एकड़ भूखंड भी अपने कब्जे में लेने की तैयारी में है। इस असलियत से रू-बरू होने के बाद धारावीकरों ने कड़ा रुख अख्तियार करते हुए कहा है कि पुनर्विकास आर्थिक घोटाला अडानी समूह न करे। इसके साथ ही लोगों ने धारावी पुनर्विकास का विरोध किया है। हालांकि, केंद्र और राज्य सरकार के समर्थन से यह परियोजना धारावीकरों पर जबरन लादी जा रही है। इसके लिए अडानी समूह नवभारत मेगा डेवलपर प्राइवेट लिमिटेड कंपनी ने सर्वे शुरू किया है। साथ ही लोगों के इस सर्वे में शामिल होने और अडानी के पुनर्विकास परियोजना के समर्थन की झूठी कहानी फैलाई गई है। इस पृष्ठभूमि पर अडानी समूह की झूठ, धोखेबाजी, जालसाजी, दबाव, दादागीरी और सरकार के साथ मिलीभगत का पर्दाफाश करने के लिए धारावी मेन रोड पर अभ्युदय बैंक के सामने आज शाम पांच बजे धारावी बचाओ आंदोलन की ओर से प्रचंड सार्वजनिक सभा का आयोजन किया गया है। इस मौके पर शिवसेना समेत धारावी बचाओ आंदोलन, विभिन्न राजनीतिक दल, संगठन, संस्थाओं समेत कुल १८ संगठन के पदाधिकारी और कार्यकर्ता उपस्थित रहेंगे।

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Gautam Adani offers 'chadar' at Ajmer dargah

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Gautam Adani offers 'chadar' at Ajmer dargah

JAIPUR, FEB 16 /--/ Industrialist Gautam Adani on Saturday offered a 'chadar' at the 11th century Sufi shrine of Khwaja Gharib Nawaz at Ajmer Sharif. He was accompanied by wife Priti Adani, his brother Rajesh Adani and his wife Shilin. Haji Syed Salman Chishty conferred the "Global Peace Award" on Gautam Adani, recognising his leadership, contributions and philanthropic initiatives, according to a statement.

"Hazrat Khwaja Gharib Nawaz preached the message of universal love, service to humanity, and peace. Gautam Adani Ji and his blessed family have embodied these principles through their tireless commitment to the well-being of millions," Chishty said in a statement.

He said Gautam Adani expressed deep gratitude and reverence for the blessings received at Ajmer Sharif, emphasizing the importance of spiritual values in guiding ethical leadership and social responsibility. A special vegetarian langar was also prepared and served on behalf of the Adani family to hundreds of people at the shrine. The visit concluded with special Dua-e-Khair (prayers for well-being) for India's progress, global harmony, and collective prosperity, Chishty said. (PTI)

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Airport par priyanka

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ਟਵਿੰਕਲ

ਬਾਲੀਵੁੱਡ ਤੋਂ ਲੈ ਕੇ ਹਾਲੀਵੁੱਡ ਤੱਕ ਆਪਣੀ ਐਕਟਿੰਗ ਦਾ ਜਲਵਾ ਦਿਖਾਉਣ ਵਾਲੀ ਅਦਾਕਾਰਾ ਪ੍ਰਿਅੰਕਾ ਚੋਪੜਾ ਮੁੰਬਈ ਏਅਰਪੋਰਟ 'ਤੇ ਸਪਾਟ ਹੋਈ। ਪ੍ਰਿਅੰਕਾ ਚੋਪੜਾ ਇਨ੍ਹੀਂ ਦਿਨੀਂ ਮਹੇਸ਼ ਬਾਬੂ ਦੀ '1000 ਕਰੋੜੀ' ਫਿਲਮ ਨੂੰ ਲੈ ਕੇ ਚਰਚਾ ਵਿਚ ਹੈ। ਫਿਲਮ ਨੂੰ ਬਾਹੁਬਲੀ ਐੱਸ.ਐੱਸ. ਰਾਜਾਮੌਲੀ ਡਾਇਰੈਕਟ ਕਰ ਰਹੇ ਹਨ। ਉੱਥੇ ਹੀ, ਜੁਹੂ ਸਥਿਤ ਇਕ ਸੈਲੂਨ ਦੇ ਬਾਹਰ ਅਦਾਕਾਰਾ ਟਵਿੰਕਲ ਖੰਨਾ ਨੂੰ ਦੇਖਿਆ ਗਿਆ।



ਪ੍ਰਿਅੰਕਾ

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Focus on senior batters as team departs for champions trophy

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FOCUS ON SENIOR BATTERS AS TEAM DEPARTS FOR CHAMPIONS TROPHY

Mumbai: Dressed nattily in a white T-shirt and black tracks, Rohit Sharma got down from his car and walked towards his teammates at the departure lounge amid loud calls of 'Rohit bhai' and 'Rohit sir' by fans waiting near the Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj International Airport entrance. Most of the squad members arrived in the team bus, including head coach Gautam Gambhir, vice-captain Shubman Gill and star batter Virat Kohli. The stars obliged some fans by signing autographs or waving at a few of them. Soon, the team boarded an afternoon flight to Dubai for the upcoming Champions Trophy amid heightened optimism of netting another global trophy after winning the T20 World Cup last June. A Jasprit Bumrah-less India will open their campaign against Bangladesh on Feb 20 in Dubai before the much-anticipated blockbuster against traditional rivals Pakistan on Feb 23, and then the Men in Blue will take on New Zealand on March 2 to round off their league engagements.

The confidence — of the fans and the team — has been boosted by India's recent 3-0 ODI series whitewash at home over England. Those supporters assembled at the Mumbai airport will be hoping that the icons led by Rohit and Kohli will pull off another triumph like they did in the West Indies last year. If those scenes are to be repeated, then India will need runs from both Rohit and Kohli's blades. PTI

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Third U.S. aircraft lands in Amritsar with over 100 Indian deportees

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Third U.S. aircraft lands in Amritsar with over 100 Indian deportees

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A third United States aircraft carrying nearly 112 undocumented Indian migrants landed at the Amritsar International Airport on Sunday night.

According to officials, 31 of the deportees were from Punjab, 44 from Haryana, 33 from Gujarat, two from Uttar Pradesh and one each from Himachal Pradesh and Uttarakhand.

The second batch of 116 deportees who landed in Amritsar on Saturday night on a U.S. military C-17 aircraft said they were handcuffed and chained during the flight.

"We were handcuffed and our legs were chained," Daljit Singh from Kurala Kalan village in Hoshiarpur district, said in Hoshiarpur on Sunday.

Sources said women were not shackled, unlike on the first deportation flight on February 5.



Back home: The police escort U.S. deportees at the Ahmedabad airport on Sunday. They had landed in Amritsar a day earlier. PTI

The deportations follow U.S. President Donald Trump's crackdown on illegal immigrants.

The first plane brought 104 illegal migrants in handcuffs and chains to Amritsar, inviting sharp criticism, with the Opposition questioning the Union government why they had been "deported in shackles".

On Saturday night, after immigration and background checks, the deportees from Punjab were taken to their homes in police vehicles.

Two arrested

The Punjab Police arrested two young deportees, Sandeep Singh and Pradeep Singh, who hail from Rajpura in Patiala district, in connection with a murder case of 2023, Patiala's Senior Superintendent of Police Nanak Singh said.

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Mr. Daljit Singh told presspersons in Hoshiarpur that he was duped by a travel agent who, instead of directly taking him to the U.S., resorted to the *dunki* (donkey) route to illegally enter the country.

Sharing his ordeal, Sourav, 27, from Chandiwala village in Ferozepur district of Punjab, who left for the U.S. in December 2024, said the travel agent had assured him legal entry to the U.S., but instead, he had been taken to the U.S. border through Mexico, and while crossing the border, the American authorities caught him on January 27.

"They kept me along with others in a camp for several days. Two days ago, we were told that we were being sent to India on a plane," he said.

On February 15, ahead of the second flight from the U.S., senior Congress leader and Rajya Sabha member P. Chidambaram took to social media platform X to target the Union government.

"All eyes will be on the U.S. aircraft which will land today [Saturday] in Amritsar bringing back illegal immigrants. Will the deportees be handcuffed and their legs tied with ropes? It is a test for Indian diplomacy," Mr. Chidambaram said in his post.

A large number of people, especially youth from Punjab, travel abroad in the hope of a better life, including a rising trend of considerable magnitude in illegal migration. However, there is a paucity of authentic data on illegal migration in the public domain.

The Punjab Police set up a Special Investigation Team to probe illegal human trafficking and migration after the first batch landed. So far, 10 first information reports have been registered against travel agents based on the statements of deportees.

Punjab Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann urged the youth of Punjab to learn lessons from the deportation of illegal migrants, appealing to them to shun the idea of going abroad by wrong means.

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Deep state, shallow state & non-state debate

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डीप स्टेट, शैलो स्टेट नॉन-स्टेट की बहस

तमाम लोकतांत्रिक देशों में डीप स्टेट षडयंत्र सिद्धांतों को आगे बढ़ाने का काम करता है। सबसे पहले अमेरिका में ऐसा हुआ और भारत भी उसी राह पर चल रहा है।

अभी 2025 शुरू ही हुआ है और लगता है कि 'डीप स्टेट' को 'वर्ष का शब्द' करार दे दिया जाएगा। कुछ भी गलत होता है तो ठीकरा डीप स्टेट के सिर फोड़ दिया जाता है। मगर यह कोई मिथक नहीं है। यह हमारे जीवन और शासन व्यवस्था का उतना ही अंग है, जितना शैलो स्टेट और नॉन स्टेट। हमें इन परिभाषाओं की पड़ताल करके देखना चाहिए कि वे किस तरह एक-दूसरे गुंथे हुए हैं। डीप स्टेट अब तमाम लोकतांत्रिक देशों में षड्यंत्र सिद्धांतों को आगे बढ़ाने का जरिया बन गया है। सबसे पहले हमें शब्दकोश या विकीपीडिया में इसकी परिभाषा पर ध्यान देना चाहिए। इसके मुताबिक डीप स्टेट सत्ता का गोपनीय और अनधिकृत नेटवर्क है, जो देश के राजनीतिक नेतृत्व से अलग रहकर अपने एजेंडे और लक्ष्य के लिए काम करता रहता है। जाहिर है इसमें नकारात्मकता और साजिश की बू आती है। तो तीन उदाहरण देखते हैं।

1. बांग्लादेश में सत्ता परिवर्तन। यह सड़कों पर हिंसा भरा नेतृत्वविहीन और नाटकीय घटनाक्रम था। इसकी तोहमत अमेरिकी डीप स्टेट के मत्थे मढ़ दी गई। इसे अमेरिकी डीप स्टेट की कामयाबी भी बताया गया और कहा गया कि भारत में भी ऐसा ही करने की योजना है। वजह? बाइडन प्रशासन और अमेरिकी डीप स्टेट नरेंद्र मोदी को पसंद नहीं करते।

2. दो साल में अदाणी समूह के खिलाफ एक के बाद एक खुलासे। इनमें से कई खुलासे संदिग्ध से दिखने वाले शॉर्ट सेलर समूह हिंडनबर्ग ने लगाए, जो जिस तरह आया था उसी रहस्यमय तरीके से अचानक गायब हो गया। ऑर्गनाइज्ड क्राइम ऐंड करप्शन रिपोर्टिंग प्रोजेक्ट (ओसीसीआरपी) से रकम पाने वाले कई अन्य संस्थानों ने भी तमाम खबरें छापीं। इंटरनैशनल कंसोर्टियम ऑफ इन्वेस्टिगेटिव जर्नलिस्ट्स (आईसीआईजे) भी है। दोनों को ओपन सोसाइटी फाउंडेशन्स से मदद मिलती है, जिसको कुख्यात जॉर्ज सोरोस ने खड़ा किया था। सोरोस को वाम रुझान वाला अराजकतावादी कहा जाता है। उन्होंने तो 1992 में बैंक ऑफ इंग्लैंड और पाउंड को तोड़ दिया था। 1997 के दक्षिण एशिया संकट में कई पूर्वी एशियाई देशों को कमजोर करने का आरोप भी उन पर ही है। इन दोनों संगठनों ने अदाणी के खिलाफ खबरों में मदद की। इसमें साजिश का सिद्धांत कह सकते हैं कि अदाणी नहीं चाहते थे कि कोई संस्था मोदी सरकार पर यह आरोप लगाए कि उसने प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने संसद में मौजूदा बजट सत्र में कहा भी था कि कई सालों में पहली बार कोई सत्र बिना किसी हंगामे के चला है।

3. तीसरी बात कनाडा और अमेरिका में हुई, जहां भारत जासूसी करने वाले मुश्किल हालात में फंसा था। ये मामले खालिस्तान चरमपंथियों की गतिविधियों से जुड़े हैं। दोनों मामलों में अमेरिकी मीडिया ने वैसे ही बढ़ा-चढ़ाकर खबरें गलाईं, जैसे फाइनैंशियल टाइम्स ने अदाणी मामले में चलाई थीं। कहा जा रहा है कि यह सब संयोग तो नहीं है और जरूर यह डीप स्टेट का काम होगा। अब तो डोनाल्ड ट्रंप, इलॉन मस्क और उनके साथी भी यही कह रहे हैं।



राष्ट्र की बात

शेखर गुप्ता

मगर क्या बांग्लादेश में हम पक्के तौर पर कह सकते हैं कि वह 'संभाव्य गोपनीय और अनौपचारिक' समूहों का काम है, जो अमेरिका सरकार की निगरानी में काम कर रहे थे? अक्सर आपने पिछले महीने जॉर्ज सोरोस के बेटे की ये तस्वीरें देखीं, जिनमें वह बांग्लादेश के मुख्य सलाहकार मोहम्मद यूनुस से मिलने ढाका आए थे तो आपका शक पुख्ता हो जाएगा। इसके बाद वह तस्वीर भी देखें जिसमें जो बाइडन यूनुस के साथ गलबहियां करते नजर आ रहे हैं। अगर हसीना का पतन काफी अमेरिका के इशारे पर हुआ तो क्या कोई डीप स्टेट अपने दम पर काम कर रहा था? या बाइडन प्रशासन के साथ विलीनगत थी? ऐसा था तो यह डीप स्टेट की उस परिभाषा पर खरा नहीं उतरता, जो साजिश सिद्धांत के पैरोकार देते हैं।

ऐसे रहस्यमय और अस्पष्ट परिभाषा वाले संगठन होते हैं जो किसी निर्वाचित सत्ता के उपकरण के तौर पर काम करते हैं। मगर अब उलझाने वाला सवाल है कि लश्कर-ए-तैयबा और जैश-ए-मोहम्मद को आप क्या कहेंगे? नॉन-स्टेट एक्टर यानी राज्य की सत्ता से अलग ताकत या डीप स्टेट? पाकिस्तान इन दोनों परिभाषाओं को आसानी से नकार देगा। वास्तव में ये भी सत्ता से जुड़े हैं और भारत को बहुत अधिक नुकसान पहुंचाते हैं।

अदाणी का मामला जटिल हो सकता है क्योंकि हिंडनबर्ग या ओसीसीआरपी की अधिकतर खबरों में अमेरिकी सरकार की सीधी भूमिका नहीं दिखती। तो क्या डीप स्टेट काम कर रहा था? लेकिन अमेरिकी न्याय विभाग और प्रतिभूति एवं विनिमय आयोग ने जो कहा वह हिंडनबर्ग से बहुत अधिक नुकसान पहुंचाने वाला था। अब सवाल है कि हिंडनबर्ग और ओसीसीआरपी राज्य से अलग काम कर रहे थे या उसके साथ मिलकर? या इसका उलट सच है?

और आखिर में भारत को कनाडा और अमेरिका में निज्जर और पन्नुन पर जिन समस्याओं का सामना करना पड़ा, उन्हें डीप स्टेट की गतिविधि इसलिए बताया गया क्योंकि अमेरिका और कनाडा के मीडिया का कुछ हिस्सा इन पर ज्यादा सक्रिय था। मगर उसकी तमाम खबरें इन देशों के खुफिया अधिकारियों से मिली जानकारी पर ही थीं। कुछ लोग डीप स्टेट को अफसरशाही, प्रशासनिक सेवा, पुलिस, सशस्त्र बल, न्यायपालिका, निवामक, चुनाव आयोग और अन्य संस्था मान सकते हैं, जो कई सरकारों के दौरान काम करती रहती हैं। ये कायदे से काम करती हैं, निरंतरता बनाए रखती हैं और विनाश की रक्षा करती हैं। 1996 से 1999 के बीच भारत में प्रधानमंत्री बदलते रहे मगर बेहतरीन नौकरशाहों, सैन्य नेताओं और परमाणु वैज्ञानिकों ने हमारा सामरिक कार्यक्रम जारी रखा, उसकी हिफाजत की और एक शब्द भी बाहर नहीं जाने दिया।

यही व्यवस्था अलग ढंग से भी काम कर सकती है। अगर उन्होंने इतने सालों तक परमाणु परिसंपत्तियों को गोपनीय रखा, शांतिपूर्ण उद्देश्य वाली बताया तो 1998 में उन्हें सैन्य बताते हुए सबके सामने क्यों ले आए? क्योंकि वाजपेयी सरकार ने ऐसा करने के लिए कहा। जो डीप स्टेट निरंतरता देखा है और मोटे तौर पर नीतियों और संप्रभुता के प्रति निष्ठा अटूट रहने का भरोसा दिलाता है वह राजनीतिक नेतृत्व के काबू पर बदला भी जाता है। इसे हम शैलो स्टेट कहते हैं। शैलो या उथलेपन का मतलब कमजोरी नहीं बल्कि उलटा है। असली ताकत तो उन्हीं के पास होती है। राजनीतिक नेतृत्व उनका इस्तेमाल डीप स्टेट को नियंत्रण में रखने के लिए करता है। शैलो स्टेट कमजोर होता है तभी डीप स्टेट एजेंडा संचालित है। हमने परमाणु समझौते पर मनमोहन सिंह के हस्ताक्षर होने के बाद ऐसा होते देखा था। समझौते का ज्यादातर विरोध उनके दफ्तर और विदेश मंत्रालय से लीक हुई जानकारी पर आधारित था। विरोध करने वाले अमेरिका के विरोधी और ऐसे लोग थे, जिन्हें वह समझौता पच नहीं रहा था। यही वजह है कि परमाणु जवाबदेही कानून ऐसा बना जिसने समझौते के लाभ समाप्त कर दिए। मोदी सरकार के बजट में इसे बदलने का वादा किया गया है और मोदी-ट्रंप के साझा बयान में भी इसका जिक्र है। आखिर में नॉन-स्टेट कहां नजर आता है? प्राचीन काल से संप्रभु देश अपना काम निकालने के लिए नॉन-स्टेट कारकों का प्रयोग करते रहे हैं। तीसरी शताब्दी ईसा पूर्व में अशोक के समय के भिक्षुओं से लेकर मध्यकालीन सूफियों तक और अब अक्षरधाम, ओनिडा या सोरोस तक नॉन-स्टेट कारकों के पास असली शक्ति तभी होती है जब से राज्य की सत्ता के साथ मिलकर काम करते हैं।

उदाहरण के लिए यूएस एजेंसी फॉर इंटरनैशनल डेवलपमेंट (यूएसएड) क्या है? यह डीप स्टेट नहीं हो सकती है क्योंकि यह अमेरिका सरकार के हाथ में है। इतनी ज्यादा है कि अब तो मार्को रुबियो ने इसको सीधी कमान संभालकर इसे विदेश मंत्रालय में जोड़ लिया है। ट्रंप की आपत्ति है कि इस पर वामपंथी विचारकों ने कब्जा कर लिया था, जो इसका इस्तेमाल अमेरिका के हित में नहीं बल्कि अपना उल्लू सीधा करने के लिए कर रहे थे।

सहस्राब्दियों लांघकर आज के भारत में आएं और पूछें कि राष्ट्रीय स्वयंसेवक संघ क्या है? भारतीय जनता पार्टी कहेगी कि वह नॉन-स्टेट संस्था और दुनिया का सबसे बड़ा गैर सरकारी संगठन है। कांग्रेस इसे भारतीय जनता पार्टी का डीप स्टेट बताएगी। अगर आप दोनों से सहमति मांगें को राष्ट्रीय सलाहकार परिषद के बारे में पूछें तो दोनों का जवाब इसके एकदम उलट होगा। शैलो स्टेट के किसी मुद्दीवा का डीप स्टेट दूसरे मुद्दिवा के लिए नॉन-स्टेट कारक हो जाता है।

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Jaipur airport's runway will be upgraded, runway recarpeting will start from March

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यात्रियों की सुरक्षा को प्राथमिकता देने और अपने परिचालन की समग्र दक्षता को बढ़ाने के लिए जयपुर अंतरराष्ट्रीय एयरपोर्ट के रनवे 08/26 की रीकार्पेटिंग का कार्य जल्द शुरू होने जा रहा है। रिकार्पेटिंग का काम 30 मार्च से शुरू होगा। रीकार्पेटिंग सुबह 9:30 बजे से शाम 6 बजे के बीच होगी, जिसे 90 दिनों के भीतर पूरा करने का लक्ष्य रखा गया है। रनवे अपग्रेडेशन कार्य को ध्यान में रखकर सभी एयरलाइन्स अपनी निर्धारित उड़ानें का संचालन सुबह 9:30 बजे से पहले और शाम 6 बजे के बाद करेंगी। इस अवधि के दौरान, नियमित उड़न संचालन तथा निर्बाध यात्रा सुनिश्चित के लिए एयरपोर्ट द्वारा एक व्यापक योजना की रूपरेखा तैयार की



गई है। जयपुर एयरपोर्ट के रनवे रीकार्पेटिंग का कार्य आखिरी बार 2016 में किया गया था। जयपुर एयरपोर्ट रनवे कुल 3,407 मीटर तथा 45 मीटर चौड़ा है तथा रनवे के दोनों तरफ 15 मीटर अतिरिक्त शोल्डर स्पेस है। निर्धारित रीकार्पेटिंग में मौजूदा बिटुमिनस रनवे की मिलिंग शामिल होगी जिसके बाद निर्दिष्ट मानकों के अनुरूप डिजाइन मापदंडों को पूरा करने के लिए बिटुमिनस इनले और ओवरले का उपयोग किया जाएगा। रनवे सहित कुल 2.04 लाख वर्ग मीटर क्षेत्र पर रीकार्पेटिंग का कार्य किया जाएगा। बनावट, घर्षण, प्रोफ़ाइल, ताकत, परिचालन दक्षता और अन्य संबद्ध मरम्मत में सुधार करने के लिए इसे फिर से बनाया जाएगा। पिछले महीने जयपुर एयरपोर्ट ने 3065 मीटर लंबे अपने नए समानांतर टैक्सीवे की कमीशनिंग पूरी कर ली है। समानांतर टैक्सीवे से विमान एक साथ चल सकते हैं, जिससे टेकऑफ़ और लैंडिंग के लिए प्रतीक्षा समय में काफी कमी आएगी। रनवे रीकार्पेटिंग परियोजना के दौरान पूरे एयरफील्ड ग्राउंड लाइटिंग सिस्टम को भी अपग्रेड किया जाएगा।

मौजूदा हैलोजन लाइटिंग सिस्टम को एलईडी सिस्टम से बदला जाएगा और साथ ही एयरफील्ड साइनेज को अपग्रेड किया जाएगा। एलईडी में बदलने से एयरपोर्ट के लिए कम से कम 50 प्रतिशत बिजली की बचत होगी। रनवे अपग्रेडेशन परियोजना को जयपुर इंटरनेशनल एयरपोर्ट लिमिटेड ने नियामक निकायों और एयरलाइन कंपनियों सहित सभी हितधारकों के साथ परामर्श के आधार पर शुरू किया है।

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100 flights to Prayagraj

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प्रसाद कानडे : सकाळ वृत्तसेवा

पुणे, ता. १६ : प्रयागराज विमानतळावर सामान्य दिवशी ८ ते १० विमानांची वाहतूक होते. मात्र, कुंभमेळ्यात येणाऱ्या भाविकांची संख्या मोठी असल्याने विमानसेवेतदेखील मोठी वाढ झाली आहे. सद्यःस्थितीत प्रयागराज विमानतळावर दररोज शंभरहून अधिक विमानांची वाहतूक होत आहे. शिवाय 'चार्टर्ड' विमानांची संख्यादेखील जास्त आहे. आतापर्यंत 'व्हीआयपी' व्यक्तींसाठी सुमारे तीनशेहून अधिक 'चार्टर्ड' विमाने, तर सात ते आठ लाख प्रवासी विमानाने प्रयागराजला दाखल झाले आहेत.

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Eight Gujaratis deported from America reach Ahmedabad airport, leave for home with police protection

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અમેરિકાથી હાંકી કઢાયેલા આઠ ગુજરાતી અમદાવાદ એરપોર્ટ પહોંચ્યા, પોલીસ સુરક્ષા સાથે વતન જવા રવાના

(અમારા પ્રતિનિધિ તરફથી)

અમદાવાદઃ અમેરિકાના પ્રમુખ ડોનાલ્ડ ટ્રમ્પે ગેરકાયદે અમેરિકામાં ઘૂસણખોરી કરતા ગુજરાતીઓ વિરુદ્ધ આકરી કાર્યવાહી શરૂ કરી છે. જેના પગલે બીજી વખત ભારતીયોને સ્વદેશ પરત મોકલવામાં આવ્યા હતા. ગેરકાયદે ઘૂસેલા ૮ ગુજરાતી સહિત ૧૧૬ ભારતીયોની હકાલપટ્ટી કરી ૧૫ ફેબ્રુઆરીની રાત્રે ૧૧.૩૦એ અમેરિકન એરફોર્સના વિમાનમાં અમૃતસર લાવવામાં આવ્યા હતા. અહીંથી ૮ ગુજરાતી ૧૬ ફેબ્રુઆરી રવિવારે ૧૦.૪૫ની આસપાસ વિમાનમાર્ગે અમદાવાદ એરપોર્ટ પર પહોંચ્યા હતા. એરપોર્ટ પર જરૂરી કાર્યવાહી બાદ તમામને પોલીસ બંદોબસ્ત સાથે વતન રવાના કરવામાં આવ્યા હતા. કાળા પડદાવાળી ગાડીમાં મહેસાણાના બાળક સાથેના પરિવાર સહિત છ લોકોને અને ગાંધીનગરના બે લોકોને લઈ પોલીસ વતન રવાના થયા હતા.

બીજા તબક્કામાં અમેરિકાથી પરત ફરેલા આઠ ગુજરાતીનાં નામની યાદી આ પ્રમાણે છે. ધવલભાઈ કિરિટકુમાર લુહાર (કલોલ, ગાંધીનગર), રુદ્ર ધવલભાઈ લુહાર (કલોલ, ગાંધીનગર), મિહિર ઠાકોર (ગુજરાત), ધીરજકુમાર કનુભાઈ પટેલ (અમદાવાદ, ગુજરાત), કેનીસ મહેશભાઈ ચૌધરી (માણસા, ગાંધીનગર), આરોહીબેન દીપકપુરી ગોસ્વામી (ગુજરાત), દીપકપુરી બળદેવભાઈ ગોસ્વામી (ગુજરાત), પૂજાબેન દીપકપુરી ગોસ્વામી (ગુજરાત) અમદાવાદ એરપોર્ટ આવેલા ડિપોર્ટ થયેલા ગુજરાતીઓની આઈબી દ્વારા પૂછપરછ સાથે વિગતો મેળવામાં આવી હતી. તેના આધારે મહત્ત્વની અને ઊંડી તપાસ કરીને કબૂતરબાજીમાં કયા એજન્ટ દ્વારા મદદ કરવામાં આવી છે તેમના સુધી પહોંચવાના પ્રયાસ પોલીસ દ્વારા કરવામાં આવશે.

અમદાવાદ એરપોર્ટથી ડિપોર્ટ થયેલા આઠ ગુજરાતીઓ માટે મહેસાણા, ગાંધીનગર અને અમદાવાદ પોલીસ સ્ટેન્ડ બાય જોવા મળી હતી. ડિપોર્ટ થયેલા ભારતીયો પરત આવ્યા ત્યારે અમદાવાદ એરપોર્ટ પર એક ડીસીપી, બે એસીપી, સાત પીઆઈ અને ૪૦ પોલીસ કર્મચારીઓ તેમ જ ક્રાઈમ બ્રાન્ચ એસઓજી અને આઈબીની ટીમ દ્વારા તપાસ હાથ ધરવામાં આવી હતી.

અત્રે ઉલ્લેખનીય છે કે, પહેલા તબક્કામાં ૩૩ ગુજરાતી સહિત ૧૦૪ ભારતીયને ડિપોર્ટ કરી ૫ ફેબ્રુઆરી, ૨૦૨૫ના રોજ અમેરિકન એરફોર્સના વિમાનમાં અમૃતસર લાવવામાં આવ્યા હતા, જ્યાંથી ૩૩ ગુજરાતી છઠ્ઠી ફેબ્રુઆરીએ વહેલી સવારે વિમાનમાર્ગે અમદાવાદ એરપોર્ટ પર પહોંચ્યા હતા. તે સમયે ડિપોર્ટ થયેલા ગુજરાતીઓમાં ૨૮ લોકો ઉત્તર ગુજરાતના હતા, જ્યારે ૪ લોકો મધ્ય ગુજરાતના અને એક દક્ષિણ ગુજરાતનો હતો.■

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डॉ. श्रीकांत शिंदे यांचा विश्वास अधिकाधिक पायाभूत सुविधा देण्यावर भर

कल्याण, दि. १६ : प्रतिनिधी

भविष्यामध्ये नवी मुंबई विमानतळ हेच सध्याच्या मुंबई विमानतळाप्रमाणे पूर्ण क्षमतेने कार्यरत होणार असल्याने कल्याण-डोंबिवली परिसर हा तिसरी मुंबई म्हणून नावारूपाला येणार असल्याचा विश्वास खा. डॉ. श्रीकांत शिंदे यांनी सांगितले.

कल्याण ग्रामीण विधानसभेच्या मांगरुळ तलाव सुशोभीकरणाच्या भूमीपूजन समारंभात ते बोलत होते. मांगरुळ, निळजे तलावासह खिडकाळी शिवमंदिर सुशोभीकरण कामाची त्यांनी पाहणी केली.

डॉ. शिंदे म्हणाले, "आधी मुंबई, त्यानंतर नवी मुंबईप्रमाणे आता तिसरी मुंबई जर कुठे होणार असेल, तर कल्याण-डोंबिवलीत होणार आहे. त्यादृष्टीने अधिकाधिक पायाभूत सुविधा निर्माण करण्यासाठी आपण काम करत आहे. बदलापूरपासून ते थेट नवी मुंबई विमानतळापर्यंत ॲक्सेस कंट्रोल मार्ग बांधण्यात येत असून, तो कल्याण लोकसभेतील कळवा, मुंब्रा, दिवा, डोंबिवली, कल्याण ग्रामीण, उल्हासनगर, अंबरनाथ आणि बदलापूर असा समांतर पद्धतीने उभारण्यात येणार आहे. जेणेकरून या मार्गावर राहणाऱ्या कोणत्याही व्यक्तीला शहराबाहेर जायचे असल्यास अवघ्या १५ मिनिटांमध्ये बाहेर पडता येणार आहे."



मेट्रोमुळे वाहतुकीचा त्रास कमी होणार

कल्याण लोकसभा मतदारसंघात एकीकडे मेट्रोचे काम सुरू असून नागरिकांना काही काळ त्याचा त्रास सहन करावा लागणार आहे. एकदा ही मेट्रो सुरू झाली की, वाहतुककोंडीचा त्रास संपून अगदी सहजपणे ठाणे, मुंबई आणि नवी मुंबईच्या दिशेने आपण जाऊ शकतो. गेल्या अडीच वर्षांमध्ये राज्य शासनाने येथील २७ गावांच्या मालमत्ता कराचा प्रश्न असो, २७ गावांतील कर्मचाऱ्यांचा प्रश्न असो की, १९६० सालापासून रखडलेल्या मोबदल्याचा, संत सावळाराम महाराज स्मारक, आगरी कोळी भवन हे सर्व प्रश्न अत्यंत कमी वेळेमध्ये सोडवून आपल्याला दिलासा दिल्याचे त्यांनी सांगितले. तसेच, लोकांना वायफळ चर्चा आणि बडबड नको असते, तर काम पाहिजे असते, अशा शब्दांत विरोधकांना टोला लगावला.

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मुंबई, दि. १६ (प्रतिनिधी) - धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाच्या आडून मुंबईतील राज्य सरकार, मुंबई महापालिका, कलेक्टर लॅण्ड आणि मिठागरांचे सुमारे दोन हजार एकर भूखंड घशात घालण्याचे षड्यंत्र रचण्यात आले आहे. अदानीची ही धोकेबाजी जाहीरपणे उघड करू, असा इशारा देत धारावीकरांचा पुनर्विकास धारावीतच झाला पाहिजे यासाठी सोमवारी संध्याकाळी धारावी बचाव आंदोलनाच्या वतीने भव्य जाहीर सभा घेण्यात येणार आहे. यावेळी शिवसेना नेते खासदार अनिल देसाई उपस्थितांना मार्गदर्शन करणार आहेत.

धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाच्या नावाखाली अदानी समूह धारावीतील ५५० एकरची जागा ताब्यात घेणार असून धारावीतील रहिवाशांचे पुनर्वसन करण्यासाठी मुंबईतील सुमारे २ हजार एकरच्या जागा आणि भूखंड ताब्यात घेण्यात येणार आहेत. धारावीचा पुनर्विकास आर्थिक घोटाळा करणाऱ्या अदानी समूहाने करू नये, अशी ठाम भूमिका धारावीकरांनी घेतली, असून अदानीच्या धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाला विरोध केला आहे. मात्र, केंद्र आणि राज्य सरकारच्या पाठिंब्याने हा प्रकल्प धारावीकरांवर जबरदस्तीने लादण्यात येत आहे. त्यासाठी अदानी समूहाच्या नवभारत मेगा डेव्हलपर प्रायव्हेट लिमिटेड (एनएमडीपीएल) कंपनीने सर्वेक्षण सुरू असून लोक या सर्वेक्षणात सहभागी होत असल्याचा आणि अदानीच्या पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाला पाठिंबा असल्याचा बनाव करण्यात येत आहे. त्या पार्श्वभूमीवर अदानी समूहाचा खोटारडेपणा, धोकेबाजी, फसवणूक, दबाव, दादागिरी आणि सरकारबरोबर असलेली मिलीभगत याचा पर्दाफाश करण्यासाठी धारावी मेन रोडवरील अभ्युदय बँकेसमोर, सोमवार, १६ फेब्रुवारीला संध्याकाळी ५ वाजता धारावी बचाव आंदोलनाच्या वतीने प्रचंड जाहीर सभा घेण्यात येणार आहे. यावेळी शिवसेनेसह धारावी बचाव आंदोलन, विविध राजकीय पक्ष, संघटना, संस्था अशा एकूण १८ संघटनांचे पदाधिकारी, कार्यकर्ते उपस्थित राहणार आहेत.

या आहेत मागण्या...

- धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाचा मास्टर प्लान जाहीर करा.
- घराच्या बदल्यात ५०० चौरस फुटांचे घर आणि दुकानाच्या बदल्यात दुकान धारावीतच मोफत मिळाले पाहिजे.
- मुंबई महापालिकेच्या इस्टेट डिपार्टमेंट (मालमत्ता विभाग) च्या चाळी आणि इमारतीतील घरांच्या बदल्यात ७५३ चौरस फुटांपर्यंतची घरे मोफत द्या.
- व्यावसायिक गाळ्यांच्या बदल्यात, त्यांच्या वापरात आहे तितकी जागा मोफत द्या.
- कुंभारवाड्याचे पुनर्वसन धारावीतच करा.

अदानीच्या समर्थनार्थ भिकाऱ्यांची मदत

अदानी समूहाच्या धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाला सर्व धारावीकरांचा ठाम विरोध आहे. त्यामुळे सर्वेक्षण धीम्या गतीने सुरू असतानाही सर्वेक्षणाचे आकडे फुगवून सांगितले जात आहेत. त्याचबरोबर प्रकल्पाला लोकांचा विरोध नाही हे दाखवण्यासाठी चक्क माहीम दर्ग्याजवळील भिकाऱ्यांना एसी गाड्यांनी धारावीत आणले गेले आणि अदानीच्या समर्थनार्थ घोषणाबाजी द्यायला लावून त्यांचे व्हिडीओ आणि फोटो काढण्यात आले. मात्र, अदानीचा बनाव धारावीकरांना माहीत असून भूलथापांना ते बळी पडणार नाहीत, असा इशारा धारावी बचाव आंदोलनाचे समन्वयक बाबुराव माने यांनी दिला.

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मुंबई, दि. १६ (प्रतिनिधी) - धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाच्या आडून मुंबईतील राज्य सरकार, मुंबई महापालिका, कलेक्टर लॅण्ड आणि मिठागरांचे सुमारे दोन हजार एकर भूखंड घशात घालण्याचे षड्यंत्र रचण्यात आले आहे. अदानीची ही धोकेबाजी जाहीरपणे उघड करू, असा इशारा देत धारावीकरांचा पुनर्विकास धारावीतच झाला पाहिजे यासाठी सोमवारी संध्याकाळी धारावी बचाव आंदोलनाच्या वतीने भव्य जाहीर सभा घेण्यात येणार आहे. यावेळी शिवसेना नेते खासदार अनिल देसाई उपस्थितांना मार्गदर्शन करणार आहेत.

धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाच्या नावाखाली अदानी समूह धारावीतील ५५० एकरची जागा ताब्यात घेणार असून धारावीतील रहिवाशांचे पुनर्वसन करण्यासाठी मुंबईतील सुमारे २ हजार एकरच्या जागा आणि भूखंड ताब्यात घेण्यात येणार आहेत. धारावीचा पुनर्विकास आर्थिक घोटाळा करणाऱ्या अदानी समूहाने करू नये, अशी ठाम भूमिका धारावीकरांनी घेतली, असून अदानीच्या धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाला विरोध केला आहे. मात्र, केंद्र आणि राज्य सरकारच्या पाठिंब्याने हा प्रकल्प धारावीकरांवर जबरदस्तीने लादण्यात येत आहे. त्यासाठी अदानी समूहाच्या नवभारत मेगा डेव्हलपर प्रायव्हेट लिमिटेड (एनएमडीपीएल) कंपनीने सर्वेक्षण सुरू असून लोक या सर्वेक्षणात सहभागी होत असल्याचा आणि अदानीच्या पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाला पाठिंबा असल्याचा बनाव करण्यात येत आहे. त्या पार्श्वभूमीवर अदानी समूहाचा खोटारडेपणा, धोकेबाजी, फसवणूक, दबाव, दादागिरी आणि सरकारबरोबर असलेली मिलीभगत याचा पर्दाफाश करण्यासाठी धारावी मेन रोडवरील अभ्युदय बँकेसमोर, सोमवार, १६ फेब्रुवारीला संध्याकाळी ५ वाजता धारावी बचाव आंदोलनाच्या वतीने प्रचंड जाहीर सभा घेण्यात येणार आहे. यावेळी शिवसेनेसह धारावी बचाव आंदोलन, विविध राजकीय पक्ष, संघटना, संस्था अशा एकूण १८ संघटनांचे पदाधिकारी, कार्यकर्ते उपस्थित राहणार आहेत.

या आहेत मागण्या...

- धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाचा मास्टर प्लान जाहीर करा.
- घराच्या बदल्यात ५०० चौरस फुटांचे घर आणि दुकानाच्या बदल्यात दुकान धारावीतच मोफत मिळाले पाहिजे.
- मुंबई महापालिकेच्या इस्टेट डिपार्टमेंट (मालमत्ता विभाग) च्या चाळी आणि इमारतीतील घरांच्या बदल्यात ७५३ चौरस फुटांपर्यंतची घरे मोफत द्या.
- व्यावसायिक गाळ्यांच्या बदल्यात, त्यांच्या वापरात आहे तितकी जागा मोफत द्या.
- कुंभारवाड्याचे पुनर्वसन धारावीतच करा.

अदानीच्या समर्थनार्थ भिकाऱ्यांची मदत

अदानी समूहाच्या धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाला सर्व धारावीकरांचा ठाम विरोध आहे. त्यामुळे सर्वेक्षण धीम्या गतीने सुरू असतानाही सर्वेक्षणाचे आकडे फुगवून सांगितले जात आहेत. त्याचबरोबर प्रकल्पाला लोकांचा विरोध नाही हे दाखवण्यासाठी चक्क माहीम दर्ग्याजवळील भिकाऱ्यांना एसी गाड्यांनी धारावीत आणले गेले आणि अदानीच्या समर्थनार्थ घोषणाबाजी द्यायला लावून त्यांचे व्हिडीओ आणि फोटो काढण्यात आले. मात्र, अदानीचा बनाव धारावीकरांना माहीत असून भूलथापांना ते बळी पडणार नाहीत, असा इशारा धारावी बचाव आंदोलनाचे समन्वयक बाबुराव माने यांनी दिला.

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Erosion of Rs 25.31 lakh crore in investor wealth

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રોકાણકારોની સંપત્તિમાં ₹ ૨૫.૩૧ લાખ કરોડનું ધોવાણ

મુંબઇઃ વૈશ્વિક અને સ્તાનિક પરિબળોને કારણે શેરબજારમાં હાલ સતત મંદીનો માહોલ જામ્યો છે. દલાલ સ્ટ્રીટ પર મંદીવાળાની પકડ સતત મજબૂત બનતી જાય છે. એકધારી પીછેહઠને કારણે રોકાણકારોને પાછલા આઠ સત્રમાં રૂ. ૨૫.૩૧ લાખ કરોડનું સંપત્તિ ધોવાણ થયુ છે.

વિદેશી સંસ્થાકીય રોકાણકારોની એકધારી વેચવાલીને કારણે સર્જાયેલી ચિંતા, કોર્પોરેટ ક્ષેત્રના અપેક્ષા કરતા નબળા ત્રિમાસિક પરિણામ અને વૈશ્વિક ટ્રેડ વોર વકરવાના સંકેતને કારણે શેરબજાર માટે સર્જાયેલી અનિશ્ચિતતાને કારણે બેન્ચમાર્ક સેન્સેક્સમાં ત્રણ ટકાથી મોટો કડાકો જોવા મળ્યો છે.

પાછલા આઠ ટ્રેડિંગ દિવસોમાં બીએસઇ બેન્ચમાર્ક સેન્સેક્સ ૨,૬૪૪.૬ પોઈન્ટ અથવા ૩.૩૬ ટકા તૂટ્યો હતો અને એનએસઇના બેન્ચમાર્ક નિફ્ટી ઇન્ડેક્સમાં ૮૧૦ પોઈન્ટ અથવા ૩.૪૧ ટકાનો જોરદાર કડાકો જોવા મળ્યો હતો.

સમીક્ષા હેઠળના પાછલા સપ્તાહ દરમિયાન રિયલ્ટી, હેલ્થકેર અને કંઝ્યુર ડ્યુરેબ્લસ ઈન્ડેક્સ સૌથી અધિક ઘટ્યા હતા અને માર્કેટ કેપમાં તોંતિંગ રૂ.૨૩.૭૪ લાખ કરોડનો ઘટાડો નોંધાયો હતો. ૧૪ ફેબ્રુઆરીએ પૂરા થયેલા સમાહે બીએસઈ સેન્સેક્સ પાછલા સમાહના શુક્રવારના ૭૭,૮૬૦.૧૯ના બંધથી ૧,૯૨૦.૦૮ પોઈન્ટ્સ (૨.૪૭ ટકા) ઘટ્યો હતો. સેન્સેક્સ ૧૦ ફેબ્રુઆરી અને સોમવારે ૭૭,૭૮૯.૩૦ ખૂલી એ જ દિવસે ઊંચામાં ૭૭,૮૪૯.૫૮ અને ૧૨ ફેબ્રુઆરી અને બુધવારે નીચામાં ૭૫,૯૩૯.૨૧ સુધી જઈ અંતે ૭૫,૯૩૯.૨૧ પોઈન્ટ્સ પર બંધ રહ્યો હતો.

આ સમાહના અંતે માર્કેટ કેપ રૂ.૪૦૦.૧૯ લાખ કરોડ રહ્યું હતું, જે પાછલા સમાહના અંતે રૂ.૪૨૩.૯૩ લાખ કરોડ હતું. આમ માર્કેટ કેપમાં માત્ર રૂ.૨૩.૭૪ લાખ કરોડનો ઘટાડો થયો હતો. બ્રોડ બેઝ્ડ ઈન્ડેક્સમાં બીએસઈ-૧૦૦ ઈન્ડેક્સ ૩.૫૧ ટકા, બીએસઈ-૨૦૦ ઈન્ડેક્સ ૩.૯૭ ટકા, બીએસઈ-૫૦૦ ઈન્ડેક્સ ૪.૬૫ ટકા ઘટ્યા હતા. બીએસઈ મિડકેપ ૭.૭૧ ટકા ઘટ્યો અને બીએસઈ સ્મોલકેપ ૯.૪૭ ટકા ઘટ્યો હતો. બીએસઈ આઈપીઓ ૧.૬૯ ટકા વધ્યો અને એસએમઈ આઈપીઓ ૮.૩૦ ટકા ઘટ્યો હતો.

સેકટરલ ઈન્ડાયસીસમાં સમાહ દરમિયાન બધા ઈન્ડેક્સ ઘટ્યા હતા, જેમાં રિયલ્ટી ૯.૩૯ ટકા, હેલ્થકેર ૭.૫૬ ટકા, કંઝ્યુમર ડ્યુરેબલ્સ ૭.૪ ટકા, ઈન્ફાસ્ટ્રકચર ૭.૩૧ ટકા, પાવર ૬.૯૯ ટકા, પીએસયુ ૬.૬૨ ટકા, ઓટો ૬.૩૮ ટકા, ઓઈલ એન્ડ ગેસ ૬.૨૫ ટકા, કેપિટલ ગુડ્સ ૬.૧ ટકા, મેટલ ૪.૪૭ ટકા, એફએમસીજી ૪.૦૮ ટકા, આઈટી ૩.૯૨ ટકા, ટેક ૨.૫૮ ટકા અને બેન્કેક્સ ૧.૬૮ ટકા ઘટ્યા હતા

સેન્સેક્સ સમાવિષ્ટ શેરોમાં સૌથી અધિક વધેલા માત્ર ચાર શેરમાં બજાજ ફિન સર્વ ૨.૩૩ ટકા, ભારતી એરટેલ ૨.૨૯ ટકા, કોટક બેન્ક ૦.૮૨ ટકા અને આઈસીઆઈસીઆઈ બેન્ક ૦.૧૨ ટકા આગળ વધ્યો હતો.

જ્યારે સેન્સેક્સ સમાવિષ્ટ કંપનીઓમાંથી સૌથી અધિક ઘટેલી પાંચ શેરોમાં મહિન્દ્ર એન્ડ મહિન્દ્ર ૮.૭૪ ટકા, ઝોમેટો ૮.૨૬ ટકા, પાવર ગ્રીડ ૮.૧૪ ટકા, અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ ૭.૮૭ ટકા અને ટાઈટન ઈન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ ૬.૬૦ ટકા ગબડ્યો હતો. નએથ ગ્રુપની ૭૧૭ કંપનીઓમાંથી ૨૯ કંપનીઓના ભાવ વધ્યા, ૬૮૮ કંપનીઓના ભાવ ઘટ્યા હતા. જ્યારે નબીથ ગ્રુપની ૧૨૬૯ કંપનીઓમાંથી ૫૭ કંપનીઓના ભાવ વધ્યા, ૧,૨૧૧ કંપનીઓના ભાવ ઘટ્યા અને એકનો ભાવ સ્થિર રહ્યો હતો.

બીએસઈ ૧૦૦માં ૮ કંપનીઓ વધી, ૯૨ કંપનીઓ ઘટી. બીએસઈ ૨૦૦માં ૧૨ કંપનીઓ વધી, ૧૮૮ કંપનીઓ ઘટી. બીએસઈ ૩૦માં ચાર કંપનીઓ વધી, ૨૬ કંપનીઓ ઘટી. બીએસઈ ૫૦૦માં ૨૨ કંપનીઓ વધી, ૪૭૮ કંપનીઓ ઘટી અને એક સ્થિર રહી હતી. મિડકેપની ચાર કંપનીઓ વધી, ૧૨૮ કંપનીઓ ઘટી હતી. સ્મોલ કેપની ૨૯ કંપનીઓ વધી, ૯૦૮ કંપનીઓ ઘટી હતી.

સપ્તાહ દરમિયાન સ્થાનિક સંસ્થાકીય રોકાણકારોની (ડીઆઈઆઈ) રૂ. ૧૯,૧૯૯.૨૨ કરોડની ચોખ્ખી લેવાલી અને વિદેશી સંસ્થાકીય રોકાણકારોની (એફઆઈઆઈ) રૂ. ૧૧૯,૪૭૪.૪૨ કરોડની ચોખ્ખી વેચવાલી રહી હતી.

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Adani group to teach youth skills for emplyoment

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अदानी ग्रूप शिकयतलो तरणाट्यांक रोजगारा खातीरची कुशळटाय

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पणजी: उद्देगा खातीर कर्मचारी तयार करपाच्या उद्देशान अदानी ग्रुपान सिंगापूरांतल्या आयटीई ॲज्युकेशन सर्विसेस (आयटीईईएस)च्या सहकार्यान भारतांतल्या सगल्यांत व्हड 'कुशळटाय आनी रोजगारक्षमता उपक्रम' सुरू केला. अदानी कुटूंब फिनिशींग स्कुलाची स्थापणूक करपा खातीर 2000 कोटी रुपयां परस चड देणगी दितलें.

अदानी ग्रुपाच्या म्हणण्या प्रमाण ह्या उपक्रमाखाला अदानी ग्लोबल स्किल अकादमी भारतांत तंत्रीक आनी वेवसायीक शिक्षण घेतिल्ल्या तरणाट्यांची आनी विद्यार्थ्यांची निवड करतले, जे मुंद्रा हांगा आशिल्ले संस्थेच्या फिनिशींग स्कुलांत तंत्रीक शिक्षण घेवपाक शकतले. दर वर्सा सुमार 25 हजार विद्यार्थ्यांक कुशळटाय शिकयतले. एकदा ह्या विद्यार्थ्यांनी तांणी वेंचून काडिल्ल्या विशयांचेर आदारीत तंत्रीक गिन्यान आनी कुशळटाय आत्मसात केली की, तांकां संबंदीत रोजगार उपलब्ध करून दितले. ह्या उपक्रमाक लागून प्रशिक्षीत वेवसायीक संवसारीक मानकां प्रमाण उद्देगा खातीर सज्ज जातले हाची खात्री मेळटली अशें तांणी उजवाडायिल्ल्या पत्रकांत म्हणलां.

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Modhwadia's praise of Adani seen as move to enter cabinet

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2	English	84	N/A	Middle Center	23561	206.9K

Modhwadia's praise of Adani seen as move to enter cabinet

BJP leader and former Congress stalwart Arjun Modhwadia created a stir at a public meeting when he openly expressed his admiration for the Adani Group. He heaped praise on Gautam Adani for choosing to donate crores of rupees to hospitals and charitable causes instead of splurging on his son's wedding. Modhwadia's affinity for Adani is not new. Since joining the BJP, he has been eyeing a ministerial berth, but even after more than ten months, there has been no movement. With no signs of an immediate cabinet expansion, a senior leader commented that Modhwadia, a seasoned politician, appears to be taking the 'Adani route' in his bid to secure a place in the ministry.



Arjun Modhwadia

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Third U.S. aircraft lands in Amritsar with over 100 Indian deportees

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1, 10	English	311	N/A	Middle Left	55933	117.58K

Third U.S. aircraft lands in Amritsar with over 100 Indian deportees

Vikas Vasudeva
CHANDIGARH

A United States aircraft carrying 112 undocumented Indian immigrants landed at the Amritsar International Airport on Sunday night.

According to officials, 31 of the deportees were from Punjab, 44 from Haryana, 33 from Gujarat, two from Uttar Pradesh and one each from Himachal Pradesh and Uttarakhand.

The second batch of 116 undocumented Indian migrants who landed in Amritsar on Saturday night on a U.S. military C-17 aircraft said they were handcuffed and chained during the flight. "We were handcuffed and our legs were chained," Daljit Singh from Kurala Kalan village in Hoshiarpur district, one of the deportees, said in Hoshiarpur on Sunday.



Back home: The police escort U.S. deportees at the Ahmedabad airport on Sunday. They had landed in Amritsar a day earlier. PTI

Sources said women were not shackled, unlike on the previous deportation flight on February 5.

The deportations follow U.S. President Donald Trump's crackdown on illegal immigrants. The first plane brought 104 illegal immigrants in handcuffs and chains to Amritsar, inviting sharp criticism, with the Opposition questioning the Union government why they had been "deported in shackles".

On Saturday night, after immigration and background checks, the deportees from Punjab were taken to their homes in police vehicles.

Two arrested

The Punjab Police arrested two young deportees, Sandeep Singh and Pradeep Singh, who hail from Rajpura in Patiala district, in connection with a murder case of 2023, Patiala's Senior Superintendent of Police Nanak Singh said.

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Mr. Daljit Singh told presspersons in Hoshiarpur that he was duped by a travel agent who, instead of directly taking him to the U.S., resorted to the *dunki* (donkey) route to illegally enter the country.

Sharing his ordeal, Sourav, 27, from Chandiwala village in Ferozepur district of Punjab, who left for the U.S. in December 2024, said the travel agent had assured him legal entry to the U.S., but instead, he had been taken to the U.S. border through Mexico, and while crossing the border, the American authorities caught him on January 27.

"They kept me along with others in a camp for several days. Two days ago, we were told that we were being sent to India on a plane," he said.

On February 15, ahead of the second flight from the U.S., senior Congress leader and Rajya Sabha member P. Chidambaram took to social media platform X to target the Union government.

"All eyes will be on the U.S. aircraft which will land today [Saturday] in Amritsar bringing back illegal immigrants. Will the deportees be handcuffed and their legs tied with ropes? It is a test for Indian diplomacy," Mr. Chidambaram said in his post.

A large number of people, especially youth from Punjab, travel abroad in the hope of a better life, including a rising trend of considerable magnitude in illegal migration. However, there is a paucity of authentic data on illegal migration in the public domain.

The Punjab Police set up a Special Investigation Team to probe illegal human trafficking and migration after the first batch landed. So far, 10 first information reports have been registered against travel agents based on the statements of deportees.

Punjab Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann urged the youth of Punjab to learn lessons from the deportation of illegal migrants, appealing to them to shun the idea of going abroad by wrong means.

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No flights from 9:30 am to 6:00 pm for 90 days from March 30

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2	Hindi	492	N/A	Bottom Center	1771501	2.21M

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जयपुर. जयपुर इंटरनेशनल एयरपोर्ट पर 30 मार्च से रनवे की री-कारपेंटिंग कार्य समेत कई तकनीकी कार्य शुरू होंगे। ये तीन महीने तक चलेंगे। इस दौरान यहां फ्लाइट्स के ऑपरेशन प्रभावित होंगे। एयरपोर्ट पर रनवे के मेंटीनेंस, नए एप्रन निर्माण और नया लिंक टैक्सी-वे बनाने का काम शुरू होगा।

दरअसल, जयपुर इंटरनेशनल एयरपोर्ट पर यात्री भार में लगातार वृद्धि हो रही है। इसके साथ ही फ्लाइट्स की संख्या भी सालाना बढ़ रही है। यह देखते हुए एयरपोर्ट प्रबंधन ने यहां यात्री सुविधाओं में विस्तार के साथ ही सुरक्षा और परिचालन की दक्षता को बढ़ाने का भी निर्णय किया है। इसके तहत अगले महीने से एयरपोर्ट के 3.5 किलोमीटर रनवे की री-कारपेंटिंग का काम शुरू होगा। यह तीन महीने तक चलेगा। यह काम रोजाना सुबह 9.30 से शाम 6 बजे तक होगा। इसमें रनवे की सतह को फिर से बनाया जाएगा। बताया जा रहा है कि इससे 15 से 20 फीसदी तक फ्लाइट्स का संचालन प्रभावित रहेगा क्योंकि ज्यादातर डोमेस्टिक फ्लाइट की आवाजाही सुबह 6 से 10 बजे तक व शाम को 6 से रात 11 बजे तक होती है। ऐसे ही ज्यादातर अंतरराष्ट्रीय फ्लाइट्स भी देर रात से अल सुबह तक ही आती हैं। कुछ फ्लाइट्स कैंसल भी होंगी। हालांकि एयरलाइन कंपनियों ने अभी इसके बारे में कोई सूचना जारी नहीं की है।



10 साल बाद हो रहा रनवे का री-कारपेंटिंग काम

एयरपोर्ट प्रबंधन अधिकारियों का कहना है कि रनवे की री-कारपेंटिंग का काम एक दशक बाद हो रहा है। रनवे कुल 3,407 मीटर लंबा व 45 मीटर चौड़ा है। इसके दोनों ओर 15 मीटर अतिरिक्त शोल्डर स्पेस है। रनवे समेत कुल 2.4 लाख वर्गमीटर क्षेत्र में री-कारपेटिंग कार्य होगा। फ्लाइट ऑपरेशन ज्यादा प्रभावित नहीं हो, इसके लिए रोजाना 50 से 100 मीटर ही काम किया जाएगा।

यात्रियों के लिए सलाह

- यात्रा से पहले अपनी फ्लाइट का शेड्यूल एयरलाइन कंपनी से जरूर चेक करें।
- अगर आपकी फ्लाइट प्रभावित होती है, तो एयरलाइन की री-बुकिंग और रीफंड पॉलिसी की जानकारी लें।
- यदि संभव हो, तो अपनी यात्रा की तारीख में बदलाव करने का विकल्प रखें।

नया एप्रन बनने के बाद बढ़ सकेंगी फ्लाइट्स

टर्मिनल एक पर नया एप्रन भी बनाया जा रहा है। यह एएआइ आवासीय कॉलोनी के स्थान पर प्रस्तावित है। दावा किया जा रहा है कि यह भी मई के अंत या जून के पहले सप्ताह में बनकर तैयार हो जाएगा। इस एप्रन को रनवे से जोड़ने के लिए एक नया लिंक टैक्सी-वे भी बनाया जाएगा। इसके लिए एक छोटी सड़क बनेगी, जो विमानों की आवाजाही में मदद करेगी। इसके साथ ही एयरफील्ड ग्राउंड लाइटिंग सिस्टम को भी अपग्रेड किया जा रहा है। इसमें परिसर में लगी हैलोजन लाइटिंग को एलईडी में बदला जाएगा।

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The illegal school in Dharavi was given letter of intent by the Mumbai department itself

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3	Gujarati	39	N/A	Bottom Left	46734	1.05M



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શિક્ષણ ખાતાએ મુંબઈ વિભાગ ઉપસંચાલકને શાળા ગેરકાયદે હોવાનું જણાવ્યું હોવા છતાં ઈરાદાપત્રક આપવા સામે પ્રશ્નો ઉઠ્યા

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Jaipur Airport's runway 08/26 will undergo a major upgrade

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जयपुर एयरपोर्ट के रनवे 08/26 का होगा बड़ा अपग्रेडेशन

समाचार जगत न्यूज



जयपुर. यात्रियों की सुरक्षा को प्राथमिकता देने और अपने परिचालन की समग्र दक्षता को बढ़ाने के लिए, जयपुर अंतर्राष्ट्रीय एयरपोर्ट के रनवे 08/26 की रीकार्पेटिंग का कार्य जल्द शुरू होने जा रहा है। विमानन सुरक्षा और सेवा के उच्चतम मानकों को बनाए रखने की प्रतिबद्धता के साथ, यह महत्वपूर्ण परियोजना 30 मार्च 2025 को शुरू होने वाली है। रीकार्पेटिंग सुबह 9:30 बजे से शाम 06:S00 बजे के बीच होगी, जिसे 90 दिनों के भीतर पूरा करने का लक्ष्य रखा गया है। रनवे अपग्रेडेशन कार्य को ध्यान में रखते हुए, सभी एयरलाइन्स अपनी निर्धारित उड़ानें का सञ्चालन सुबहे 0930 बजे से पहले और शाम 1800 बजे के बाद करेंगी। इस अवधि के दौरान, नियमित उड़न संचालन तथा निर्बाध यात्रा सुनिश्चित हेतु एयरपोर्ट द्वारा एक व्यापक योजना की रूपरेखा तैयार की गयी है। जयपुर एयरपोर्ट के रनवे रीकार्पेटिंग का कार्य आखिरी बार 2016 में किया गया था। जयपुर एयरपोर्ट रनवे कुल 3,407 मीटर तथा 45 मीटर चौड़ा है तथा रनवे के दोनों तरफ 15 मीटर अतिरिक्त शोल्डर स्पेस है। निर्धारित रीकार्पेटिंग में मौजूदा बिटुमिनस रनवे की मिलिंग शामिल होगी जिसके बाद निर्दिष्ट मानकों के अनुरूप डिजाइन मापदंडों को पूरा करने के लिए बिटुमिनस इनले और ओवरले का उपयोग किया जाएगा। रनवे सहित कुल 2.04 लाख वर्ग मीटर क्षेत्र पर रीकार्पेटिंग का कार्य किया जायेगा। मौजूदा रनवे, जिसने वर्षों से हवाई अड्डे और उसके यात्रियों की अच्छी सेवा की है, को इष्टतम प्रदर्शन और विश्वसनीयता बनाए रखने के लिए अपग्रेड किया जाना है। बनावट, घर्षण, प्रोफ़ाइल, ताकत, परिचालन दक्षता और अन्य संबद्ध मरम्मत में सुधार करने के लिए इसे फिर से बनाया जाएगा, जिसकी अवधारणा वर्षों से की जा रही है। पिछले महीने जयपुर एयरपोर्ट ने 3065 मीटर लंबे अपने नए समानांतर टैक्सीवे की कमीशनिंग पूरी कर ली है। समानांतर टैक्सीवे से विमान एक साथ चल सकते हैं, जिससे टेकऑफ़ और लैंडिंग के लिए प्रतीक्षा समय में काफ़ी कमी आएगी। एक कदम और आगे बढ़ते हुए, रीकार्पेटिंग अवधि के दौरान अतिरिक्त रनवे एग्जिट टैक्सीवे का निर्माण करने का प्रस्ताव है। रनवे एग्जिट टैक्सीवे रनवे और टैक्सीवे को जोड़ने वाली छोटी सड़क है जो रनवे पर विमानों के तेज प्रवेश और निकास को सक्षम बनाती है। रनवे रीकार्पेटिंग परियोजना के दौरान पूरे एयरफील्ड ग्राउंड लाइटिंग सिस्टम को भी अपग्रेड किया जाएगा। मौजूदा हैलोजन लाइटिंग सिस्टम को एलईडी सिस्टम से बदला जाएगा और साथ ही एयरफील्ड साइनेज को अपग्रेड किया जाएगा। एलईडी में रूपांतरण से एयरपोर्ट के लिए कम से कम 50 प्रतिशत बिजली की बचत होगी।

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Advice necessary for M.F. investment

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8 Gujaratis deported from US arrive in Ahmedabad, sent to ...

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અમેરિકાથી ડીપોર્ટ કરવામાં આવેલા વધુ લોકો ને અમેરિકાથી સેના વિમાન દ્વારા અમૃતસર લઈ આવ્યા પછી ગુજરાત ના આઠ જેટલા લોકોને પોલીસે ચુસ્ત કોર્ડન કરી અમદાવાદ એરપોર્ટ થી ડિટેઈન કર્યા હતા. (તસ્વીર સુરેશ મિસ્ત્રી)

ડિપોર્ટ કરાયેલા લોકોમાં બે મહિલા અને એક બાળકનો સમાવેશ

અમેરિકાથી ડિપોર્ટ કરાયેલા આઠ ગુજરાતીઓને વતનમાં પરત મોકલાયા

અમદાવાદ,રવિવાર

અમેરિકામાં ગેરકાયદે ગયેલા ભારતીયોને પરત મોકલવામાં આવેલા બીજા જથ્થામાં ૧૧૯ ભારતીયોમાં આઠ ગુજરાતીઓનો સમાવેશ થતો હતો. આ તમામ ગુજરાતીઓને લઈને રવિવારે સવારે ફ્લાઈટ અમૃતસરથી અમદાવાદ પહોંચી હતી. જ્યાં ગાંધીનગર, મહેસાણા અને અમદાવાદ પોલીસના સ્ટાફે તમામને એસ્કોર્ટ કરીને તેમના ઘરે પરત મોકલ્યા હતા. એરપોર્ટ પર આવેલા ગુજરાતીઓ અને તેમના પરિવારજનોએ કરી એકવાર પોલીસની હાજરી હોવાથી વાત કરવાનું ટાળ્યું હતું.

એજન્ટોને ૨૫ લાખની માંડીને ૪૫ લાખ આપીને ગેરકાયદે પહોંચ્યા હતાઃ પોલીસ એરપોર્ટથી કવર કરી વાનમાં બેસાડીને લઈ રવાના

એજન્ટોને લાખો રૂપિયા આપીને અમેરિકામાં ગેરકાયદે ઘુસણખોરી કરનારા ભારતીયોને ભારત મોકલવાની કાર્યવાહીના ભાગરૂપે યુએસ આર્મીનું બીજુ વિમાન રવિવારે વહેલી સવારે અમૃતસર એરપોર્ટ પર ૧૧૯ જેટલા ભારતીયોને લઈને આવ્યું હતું. જેમાં આઠ જેટલા ગુજરાતીઓનો સમાવેશ થતો હતો. આ તમામ લોકોને અમૃતસરથી સવારે ૧૧ વાગે અમદાવાદ ડોમેસ્ટીક એરપોર્ટ પર લાવવામાં આવ્યા હતા. જ્યાંથી તેમને સઘન પોલીસ બંદોબસ્ત વચ્ચે તેમના વતનમાં લઈ જવાયા હતા. આ અંગે જી ડીવીઝનના એસીપી આર ડી ઓડાએ જણાવ્યું કે આઠ ગુજરાતીઓમાં બે મહિલા અને બાળકનો સમાવેશ થાય છે. જેમાં બે લોકો ગાંધીનગર કલોલના, એક માણસાના , એક અમદાવાદના અને અન્ય ચાર મહેસાણાના વતની છે.તમામ લોકો અમેરિકામાં ડિટેન્શન સેન્ટર હતા. તમામ લોકો પૈકી પુરૂષોને યુએસ આર્મીના વિમાનમાં બેઠીનથી બાંધીને બેસાડવામાં આવ્યા હતા અને તેમની સાથે આતંકીઓ જેવો વ્યવહાર કરવામાં આવ્યો હતો. જો કે વધુ પુછતા પોલીસની હાજરી હોવાથી તેમના પરિવારજનોએ વાત કરવાનું ટાળ્યું હતું.

ઉલ્લેખનીય છે કે પ્રથમ ફ્લાઈટમાં ૧૦૪ લોકોનો લાવવામાં આવ્યા હતા. જેમાં ૩૩ લોકો ગુજરાતના હતા. ત્યારે રવિવારે રાતના યુ એસ આર્મીની ત્રીજી ફ્લાઈટ ૧૧૭ જેટલા ભારતીયોને લઈને પહોંચી શકે છે. જેમાં મોટાપ્રમાણમાં ગુજરાતીઓ હોવાનો સમાવેશ થાય છે.

ડિપોર્ટ કરાયેલા ગુજરાતીઓના નામ અને શહેર

ક્રમ	નામ	શહેર
૧.	આરોહી દિપકકુમાર ગોસ્વામી	મહેસાણા
૨.	દિપકકુમાર બળદેવગીરી ગોસ્વામી	મહેસાણા
૩.	પુજા દિપકકુમાર ગોસ્વામી	મહેસાણા
૪.	વીરજકુમાર કનુભાઈ પટેલ	મહેસાણા
૫.	મિહીર ઠાકોર	અમદાવાદ
૬.	પવન કિરીટભાઈ સુથાર	ગાંધીનગર (કલોલ)
૭.	રૂદ પવનભાઈ સુથાર	ગાંધીનગર (કલોલ)
૮.	કેનિશ મહેશભાઈ ચૌધરી	ગાંધીનગર (માણસા)

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Gautam Adani Property down

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गौतम अडानी की संपत्ति में बड़ी गिरावट दुनिया के अमीरों की सूची में 23वें स्थान पर

मुंबई

देश के प्रमुख रईसों में से एक अडानी ग्रुप के चेयरमैन गौतम अडानी की संपत्ति में बड़ी गिरावट दर्ज की गई है। ब्लूमबर्ग बिलियनेयर इंडेक्स के अनुसार, उनकी नेटवर्थ 2.73 अरब डॉलर घटकर 66.1 अरब डॉलर रह गई है। इसके चलते वे दुनिया के अमीरों की सूची में 23वें स्थान पर खिसक गए हैं। अडानी के साथ ही भारतीय रईसों की नेटवर्थ में गिरावट देखने को मिल रही है। रिलायंस इंडस्ट्रीज के चेयरमैन मुकेश अंबानी की संपत्ति में भी 4.55 अरब डॉलर की गिरावट आई है। इससे एशिया के सबसे बड़े रईस के स्थान पर सवाल खड़े हैं। भारतीय रईसों के बीच संपत्ति में गिरावट के कारण घरेलू शेयर बाजार में लगातार गिरावट आ रही है। इससे नामी उद्योगपतियों जैसे शिव नाडर, शापूरजी मिस्त्री, अजीम प्रेमजी, सावित्री जिंदल और दिलीप सांघवी की नेटवर्थ में भी गिरावट देखने को मिल रही है।

विश्व के सबसे अमीर व्यक्ति एलेन मस्क की नेटवर्थ में भी गिरावट दर्ज की गई है, जबकि मार्क जुकरबर्ग सबसे अच्छे कमाई वाले रईस बने हुए हैं। रिलायंस इंडस्ट्रीज के चेयरमैन और एशिया के सबसे बड़े रईस मुकेश अंबानी की नेटवर्थ में इस साल 4.55 अरब डॉलर की गिरावट आई है। वह



86.1 अरब डॉलर की नेटवर्थ के साथ दुनिया के अमीरों की लिस्ट में 17वें नंबर पर बने हुए हैं। एचसीएल के शिव नाडर ने इस साल 4.14 अरब डॉलर, शापूरजी मिस्त्री ने 2.18 अरब डॉलर, अजीम प्रेमजी ने 18.8 करोड़ डॉलर, सावित्री जिंदल ने 5.20 अरब डॉलर और सन फार्मा के दिलीप सांघवी ने 3.40 अरब डॉलर गंवाए हैं। दुनिया में सबसे ज्यादा नेटवर्थ गंवाने के मामले में एलन मस्क पहले नंबर पर हैं जबकि सबसे ज्यादा कमाई करने में मार्क जुकरबर्ग सबसे आगे हैं। दुनिया के सबसे बड़े रईस मस्क की नेटवर्थ में इस साल 34.1 अरब डॉलर गंवाए हैं। अब उनकी नेटवर्थ 398 अरब डॉलर रह गई है। दूसरी तरफ फेसबुक की पेरेंट कंपनी मेटा प्लेटफॉर्म्स के सीईओ जुकरबर्ग की नेटवर्थ में इस साल 52 अरब डॉलर की तेजी आई है। वह 259 अरब डॉलर की नेटवर्थ के साथ दुनिया के अमीरों की लिस्ट में मस्क के बाद दूसरे नंबर पर हैं।

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Sold 2 acres, took Rs 45L loan, and now back to square one

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8	English	101	N/A	Top Center	185059	1.2M



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Bathinda: Paramjit Singh, aka Saurav, set off from his native village of Chandiwala in Punjab's Ferozepur on Dec 17 last year, his mind a welter of emotions. The 23-year-old's family had sold two acres and taken a loan to raise the Rs 45 lakh he needed to pay an immigration agent for illegal passage to US, reports **Neel Kamal**. They knew the journey was fraught with peril, but promise of a prosperous life was too strong to resist.

As he bade goodbye to his loved ones, Saurav told himself he couldn't fail them. Two months later, he is back in Chandiwala, a physical and mental wreck. The money is gone, and his illusions lie shattered. "The last 40 days were the toughest. I saw how a life choice you make can become your biggest enemy," said Saurav, among the 116 illegal Indian immigrants on the second deportation flight from an American city to Amritsar in 10 days.

"I was hoping to somehow reach the US, and life would finally be easy." The two-month ordeal started with him first landing in Malaysia, where he spent a week before his immigration agent put him back on a flight to Mumbai. After 10 days there, Saurav was taken to Amsterdam and then to Panama.

Saurav and other illegal immigrants were made to walk from Panama, passing through jungles, to reach Mexico City, where they were made to wait another three days. Thegroup was taken to a spot near the US border and asked to cross the border on their own, only to be spotted by guards and arrested.

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The execution of this order, scheduled between January 2026 and March 2027, will leverage TRSL's advanced manufacturing facilities and engineering capabilities to ensure the highest standards of quality and timely delivery.

Commenting on the order, Mr. Anil Kumar Agarwal, Deputy Managing Director, Titagarh Rail Systems Ltd, said: "At Titagarh Rail Systems, we are proud to partner with Ambuja Cements and ACC Limited in their commitment to enhance logistics efficiency through rail-based freight solutions. This contract further strengthens our order book and highlights the industry's confidence in our ability to deliver high-performance, specialized wagons. With our advanced manufacturing capabilities, we are committed to ensuring efficient and seamless transportation solutions while contributing to the progress of India's infrastructure."

The Company is committed to delivering these rakes with top-notch quality, ensuring smooth integration into Adani Cement's operations. TRSL continues to play a key role in advancing the more efficient movement of goods and facilitate flow of benefits thereof to the society while participating in the modernization of India's rail infrastructure.

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अर्थवार्ता

● गतसप्ताहात निफ्टी व सेन्सेक्स निर्देशांकांमध्ये एकूण अनुक्रमे ६३०.७० अंक आणि १९२०.९८ अंकांची घसरण होऊन दोन्ही निर्देशांक २२,९२९.२५ अंक तसेच ७५,९३९.२१ अंकांच्या पातळीवर बंद झाले. निफ्टीमध्ये २.६८ टक्के तर सेन्सेक्समध्ये २.४७ टक्क्यांची घसरण नोंदवली गेली. सर्वाधिक याद होणाऱ्या समभागामध्ये भारती एअरटेल (२.४ टक्के), बजाज फिनसर्व्ह (२.२ टक्के), ब्रिटानिया इंडस्ट्रीज (१.४ टक्के), कोटक महिंद्रा बँक (१.२ टक्के), टाटा कन्झ्युमर प्रॉडक्ट्स (०.१ टक्के) या कंपन्यांचा समावेश झाला. त्याचप्रमाणे



सर्वाधिक घट झालेल्या कंपन्यांमध्ये आयशर मोटर्स (-१२.५ टक्के), हिरोमोटोकॉर्प (-९.६ टक्के), भारत इलेक्ट्रॉनिक्स (-९.६ टक्के), महिंद्रा अँड महिंद्रा (-८.० टक्के), अदानी एन्टरप्राईझेस (-८ टक्के) या कंपन्यांचा समावेश झाला. या आठवड्यात भांडवलबाजाराचे प्रामुख्याने लक्ष हे मोदी आणि ट्रम्प यांच्या भेटीकडे लागले होते. मोदी आणि ट्रम्प यांच्या संयुक्त पत्रकार परिषदेत जशास तसली करनीती अवलंबण्याचा ट्रम्प यांनी पुनरुच्चार केला. इतर देश अमेरिकेतून येणाऱ्या उत्पादनांवर जेवढे कर आकारतील तेवढाच कर त्या देशातून येणाऱ्या उत्पादनावर अमेरिका लावणार (रेसिप्रोकल टॅक्स), अशी ट्रम्प यांची भूमिका आहे. सेन्सेक्स आपल्या सर्वकालीन उच्चांकापासून (लाईफ टाईम हायपासून) सुमारे १० हजार अंकांनी खाली आला आहे. मागील आठ दिवसांत भांडवल बाजाराचे मूल्य २५.३१ लाख कोटींनी कमी झाले. नुकतीच झालेली व्याजदर कपात तसेच कमी झालेली महागाई बाजाराला उभारी देण्यास असमर्थ ठरली.

● रिझर्व्ह बँकेकडून न्यू इंडिया को-ऑपरेटिव्ह बँकेवर कारवाईचा बडगा : या सहकारी बँकेवर नवीन कर्जवाटप करण्यास बंदी चालण्यात आली असून, पुढील सहा महिन्यांसाठी ठेवीदारांना बँकेतील ठेवी काढता येणार नाही. बँकेचे संचालक मंडळ पुढील १२ महिन्यांसाठी बरखास्त करण्यात आले आहे. न्यू इंडिया को-ऑपरेटिव्ह बँकेच्या मुंबई, ठाणे, पुणे, सूरत या ठिकाणी ३० शाखा आहेत. १३ फेब्रुवारी २०२५ पासून पूर्वमंजुरीशिवाय कोणतेही कर्ज नूतनीकरण, नवीन गुंतवणूक करण्यास बंदी चालण्यात आली आहे. कर्मचारी पगार, भाडे, वीज तसेच दैनंदिन अत्यावश्यक खर्च यासाठी खर्च करण्यास परवानगी देण्यात आली आहे. बँकेमध्ये ५ लाखांपर्यंत ठेवी असणाऱ्या गुंतवणूकदारांच्या ठेवी रिझर्व्ह बँकेच्या नियमानुसार सुरक्षित असून, एकूण ठेवींपैकी ९० टक्के ठेवी या पाच लाखांपेक्षा कमी रकमेच्या आहेत. अर्ज केल्यानंतर काही दिवसांच्या अवधीत या ठेवी परत मिळू शकतील.

● २००० नंतर प्रथमच सरकारी दूरसंचार कंपनी 'बीएसएनएल' नम्यामध्ये आली. ऑक्टोबर ते डिसेंबर तिमाही दरम्यान बीएसएनएल कंपनीला २६२ कोटींचा फायदा झाला. मागील वर्षी याच तिमाहीत कंपनीला १,५६९ कोटींचा तोटा झाला होता. आर्थिक वर्ष २०२४ मध्ये कंपनीचा महसूल १९,३४४ कोटी इतका होता.

● सोन्या-चांदीच्या दरात उसळी : १४ फेब्रुवारीच्या आकडेवारीनुसार १० ग्रॅम २४ कॅरेट सोन्याच्या भावाने ८६,३३० रुपयांची उच्चांकी पातळी गाठली. तसेच चांदीचा भाव ९७,७५० रुपयांवर पोहोचला. डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प यांनी विविध वक्तव्यांद्वारे जगभर व्यापारयुद्ध छेडण्याचे संकेत दिले आहेत. त्यामुळे जगातील भांडवल बाजार अस्थिर झाले. अशावेळी सुरक्षित गुंतवणूक म्हणून गुंतवणूकदारांचा ओढा पुन्हा सोने-चांदी खरेदीकडे वळल्याचे अर्थ विश्लेषकांचे मत.

● जपानच्या दोन प्रमुख चारचाकी उत्पादक कंपन्या निस्सान, होंडा, मित्सुबिशी यांच्यामधील एकत्रिकरणाच्या चर्चांना विराम, वाटाघाटी फिसकटल्या. चौन्समधील चारचाकी उत्पादकांकडून असणाऱ्या वाढत्या स्पर्धेमुळे या जपानच्या तीन बड्या कंपन्यांनी एकत्र येण्याचे ठरवले होते. या तिन्ही कंपन्या एकत्र आल्यास तब्बल ६० अब्ज डॉलर्सची (सुमारे ५ लाख कोटी रुपये) अवाढव्य कंपनी तयार झाली असती; परंतु विविध आर्थिक तसेच धोरणात्मक बाबींवर एकमत न झाल्याने वाटाघाटी अखेर रद्द झाल्या.

● डिमॅट खात्यांशी संबंधित सेवा पुरवणारी मध्यवर्ती यंत्रणा 'सेंट्रल डिपॉझिटरी सर्व्हिसेस' (सीडीएसएल)च्या आकडेवारीनुसार भारतातील डिमॅट खात्यांची संख्या १५ कोटींवर पोहोचली. मागील पाच वर्षांत डिमॅट खाते संख्या तब्बल ६ पटींनी वाढल्याचे आकडेवारीतून स्पष्ट होते. दरम्यान एसआरबीच्या माध्यमातून भांडवल बाजारात केल्या जाणाऱ्या गुंतवणुकीमध्येदेखील सर्वकालीन उच्चांक गाठला. जानेवारी महिन्यात एसआयपीच्या माध्यमातून तब्बल २६,४०० कोटींची गुंतवणूक भारतीय भांडवल बाजारात करण्यात आली.

● जानेवारी महिन्यात भारतातील किरकोळ महागाई दराने (रिटेल इन्फ्लेशन) मागील ५ महिन्यांचा तळ गाठला. डिसेंबरमध्ये ५.२२ टक्क्यांवर असलेला किरकोळ महागाई दर जानेवारीमध्ये ४.३१ टक्क्यांवर खाली आला. याआधी ऑगस्टमध्ये हा महागाई दर ३.६५ टक्के इतका खाली गेला होता. तुर्कीच रिझर्व्ह बँकेने आपल्या रेपो दरात पाव टक्क्यांची कपात करून रेपो रेट ६.५ टक्क्यांवरून ६.२५ टक्क्यांवर आणला. परंतु, आता महागाईमध्ये झालेली घसरण पाहता आगामी एक व्याज दर कपात एप्रिलमधील रिझर्व्ह बँकेच्या द्वैमासिक बैठकीत होण्याची आशा बळावली आहे. किरकोळ महागाई दरामधील महत्त्वाचा घटक असणाऱ्या अन्नधान्य महागाई दराने सुद्धा ८.३९ टक्क्यांवरून ६.०२ टक्क्यांची घसरण दर्शवली. देशाच्या औद्योगिक प्रगतीचे निदर्शक असणाऱ्या 'औद्योगिक उत्पादन निर्देशांक' (आयआयपी) ने डिसेंबरमध्ये मागील तीन महिन्यांचा तळ गाठला. आयआयपी निर्देशांक नोव्हेंबरमध्ये असणाऱ्या ५ टक्क्यांवरून ३.२ टक्के झाला.

● सरकारी कंपनी एनटीपीसी ग्रीन आणि ओएनजीसी एका पेढून अयाना रिन्यूएबल एनर्जी कंपनी खरेदी करण्यासाठी करार केला. अयाना एनर्जी खरेदी करण्यासाठी एकूण १९,५०० कोटी (२.३ अब्ज डॉलर्स) मोजले जाणार आहेत. नॅशनल इन्वेस्टमेंट अँड इन्फ्रास्ट्रक्चर फंड (एआयआयएफ), ब्रिटिश इंटरनॅशनल इन्वेस्टमेंट, एन्व्हरसेस कॅपिटल या अयाना कॅपिटलमधील हिस्सेदाराकडून हिस्साविक्री सध्या केली जाणार आहे.

● १० फेब्रुवारीच्या आकडेवारीनुसार या चालू आर्थिक वर्षात थेट निव्वळ करसंकलन (नेट डायरेक्ट टॅक्स कलेक्शन) मागील वर्षीच्या तुलनेत १९ टक्के वधारून २१.८८ लाख कोटींवर पोहोचले. सरासरा पात करण्यापूर्वीचे (रिफंड) एकूण थेट करसंकलन १९.०६ टक्के वधारून १८.३८ लाख कोटींवरून २१.८८ लाख कोटी झाले. या करसंकलनामधील प्रमुख घटक असलेले वैयक्तिक (उत्पन्न) प्राप्तिकर करसंकलन (Individual Income Tax) ९.३० लाख कोटींवरून ११.२८ लाख कोटी झाले. कंपन्यांकडून होणारे करसंकलन (कॉर्पोरेट टॅक्स रिसिट) ८.७४ लाख कोटींवरून १०.०८ लाख कोटींवर गेले. भांडवल बाजारातील व्यवहार कर (एसटीटी) म्हणजेच सिक्युरिटी ट्रान्सॅक्शन टॅक्स २९,८०८ कोटींवरून ४९,२०१ कोटींवर पोहोचला.

● आदित्य बिर्ला समूहाची अल्युमिनिअम उत्पादक कंपनी 'हिंडाल्को'चा चालू आर्थिक वर्षाच्या तिसऱ्या तिमाहीचा नफा तब्बल ६० टक्के वधारून ३,७३५ कोटींवर पोहोचला. कंपनीच्या महसुलात देखील मागील वर्षीच्या तिमाहीच्या तुलनेत १०.६ टक्के वाढ.

● ७ फेब्रुवारीअखेर भारताची विदेशचलन गंगाजळी तब्बल ७.६५ अब्ज डॉलर्सनी वधारून ६३८.२६१ अब्ज डॉलर्सवर पोहोचली. मागील तीन आठवडे गंगाजळीत सातत्याने भर पडत असल्याचे पाहायवास मिळते.

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या पुरवणीत देण्यात येणारे गुंतवणुकीचे सल्ले लेखक अभ्यास करून देत असतात; पण गुंतवणुकीत जोखीम ही असतेच. ती लक्षात घेऊनच गुंतवणूकदारांनी गुंतवणुकीचा निर्णय आपल्या जबाबदारीवर घ्यावा.

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बड़ाबाजार. प्रयागराज में महाकुंभ मेला के दौरान बेहतरीन कारोबार के बाद अब विमान कंपनियों और ट्रैवल्स एजेंसियों की नजर होली पर्व पर हैं। इस उद्योग से जुड़े लोगों का मानना हैं कि मार्च के दूसरे सप्ताह में होली हैं, इसलिए कारोबार में एकबार फिर उछाल आएगा।

कारोबारियों के अनुसार इस समय एक तरफ जहां बड़ी संख्या में लोग छुट्टी लेकर अपने घरों की ओर रुख करेंगे, वहीं दूसरी ओर प्रदेश से लाखों लोग खाटू श्याम के लक्खी मेला में शामिल होने जयपुर और दिल्ली की यात्रा करेंगे। हालांकि ऐसे यात्रियों का बड़ा तबका ट्रेन यात्रा को प्राथमिकता देता हैं। लेकिन अपने गंतव्य तक पहुंचने वाले लोगों में हवाई यात्रा का चयन करने वालों की संख्या भी अच्छी खासी हैं। ट्रैवल एजेंट संपत हरितवाल ने कहा कि यहां से खाटू जाने के लिए हवाई यात्रा के विकल्प के तौर पर जयपुर और दिल्ली प्रमुख हैं। इसके अलावा होली में हर साल प्रदेश से बिहार, झारखंड और उत्तर प्रदेश जाने वाले लोगों की तादात भी काफी रहती हैं। मुसाफिरों की संख्या के अनुपात में पर्याप्त ट्रेनें नहीं होने के कारण स्वाभाविक है कि हवाई मार्ग पर यात्री भार बढ़ेगा। उन्होंने बताया कि समय की बचत तथा ट्रेनों में आरक्षण की उपलब्धता जैसे कई विषयों को



ध्यान में रखते हुए लोग अपनी सुविधानुसार हवाई मार्ग को प्राथमिकता देते हैं। इससे जैसे जैसे यात्रा का समय नजदीक आएगा टिकटों की बुकिंग बढ़ेगी और विमान कंपनियों में फ्लेक्सिबल फेयर पॉलिसी लागू रहने के कारण उसी अनुपात में किराया भी बढ़ता जाएगा। ट्रेवेल एजेंट नरेश अग्रवाल ने बताया कि 20 प्रतिशत से अधिक लोगों ने अपनी यात्रा के लिए पूर्वनिर्धारित योजना के अनुसार टिकट खरीद लिया हैं। जिनका ट्रेन में टिकट अभी तक आरक्षित नहीं हुआ वे नजदीकी समय में तत्काल कोटा से टिकट लेने अथवा फ्लाइट से यात्रा करने के विकल्प का चयन करेंगे।

अब कोलकाता से जयपुर व दिल्ली मार्ग पर बढ़ेगा दबाव

हवाई मार्ग पर पिछले साल की तुलना में इस बार यात्री भार और अधिक बढने की सम्भावना है। ट्रेवल एजेंट फेडरेशन ऑफ इंडिया के राष्ट्रीय समिति सदस्य अनिल पंजाबी ने बताया कि बंगाल से लाखों लोगों के खाटू श्याम के फाल्गुन मेला में शामिल होने से कोलकाता जयपुर और दिल्ली मार्ग पर दबाव बढ़ेगा। जबकि देश के विभिन्न राज्यों और खासकर हिंदी भाषी राज्यों से काम के सिलसिले में प्रदेश आये काफी प्रवासी भी त्योहार मनाने अपने पैतृक गांव जाएंगे। इस कारण मार्च के दूसरे और तीसरे पखवाड़े में कोलकाता से पटना और लखनऊ जैसे सेक्टर पर भी आवागमन बढ़ेगा। उन्होंने इस साल होली के एक सप्ताह पहले से लेकर एक सप्ताह बाद तक की अवधि के बीच हवाई मार्ग पर पिछले साल के मुकाबले इस साल यात्री भार में लगभग 15 से 20 प्रतिशत वृद्धि रहने की सम्भावना जताई हैं।

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अमेरिका से निर्वासित गुजरात के आठ लोग अहमदाबाद पहुंचे

नई दिल्ली, 16 फरवरी (ब्यूरो)।

अमेरिका से अवैध प्रवास के कारण निर्वासित किए गए 116 भारतीयों में शामिल गुजरात के आठ लोगों को लेकर एक विमान रविवार को अमृतसर से अहमदाबाद हवाई अड्डे पर उतरा। अधिकारियों ने बताया कि हवाई अड्डे पर उतरने के बाद उन्हें पुलिस वाहनों से उनके गृह जिलों में भेज दिया गया।

सहायक पुलिस आयुक्त ('जी' डिवीजन) आरडी ओझा ने बताया कि गुजरात के आठ निर्वासित प्रवासी रविवार सुबह 11 बजे अहमदाबाद हवाई अड्डे पर पहुंचे। इनमें एक महिला और एक बच्चा भी शामिल था। पुलिस वाहनों के जरिए निर्वासितों को उनके गृह जिले भेज दिया गया। अमेरिका से 116 अवैध प्रवासी भारतीयों को लेकर एक विमान शनिवार देर रात अमृतसर अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाई अड्डे पर उतरा था। ये आठ लोग उन 116 भारतीयों में शामिल थे। सूत्रों के अनुसार, इन आठ लोगों में से तीन गांधीनगर और एक अहमदाबाद का निवासी है। यह आठ लोग अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति द्वारा अवैध प्रवासियों पर कार्रवाई के तहत निर्वासित किए गए भारतीयों के दूसरे जत्थे का हिस्सा हैं।

इससे पहले, पांच फरवरी को एक अमेरिकी सैन्य विमान 104 अवैध प्रवासियों को हथकड़ियों और बेड़ियों में जकड़कर अमृतसर लाया था। निर्वासितों को हथकड़ी पहनाने पर विपक्ष ने तीखी आलोचना की थी। इनमें से 33 निर्वासित गुजरात से थे। अमृतसर हवाई अड्डे पर रविवार को एक और विमान के उतरने की संभावना है जिसमें 157 और निर्वासित भारतीयों को लाया जाएगा।

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निर्वासन अहमदाबाद हवाई अड्डे पर अमेरिका से निर्वासित प्रवासियों को ले जाती पुलिस। वे एक दिन पहले ही अमृतसर पहुंचे थे।

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Adani offers chadar to Ajmer Sharif Dargah

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■ अजमेर

सुप्रसिद्ध उद्योगपती गौतम अदानी व त्यांच्या पत्नी प्रिती अदानी यांनी काल अजमेर शरीफच्या दर्ग्यावर चादर अर्पण केली. अदानी कुटुंबिय एका लग्नासाठी अजमेरला आले असता काल त्यांनी सपत्निक अजमेरच्या दर्ग्यावर चादर चढवली. अदानी यांचा मुलगा जीत याचा ७ फेब्रुवारी रोजी दिवा शहा हिच्याशी विवाह झाला होता. कोणताही गाजावाजा न करता केवळ कुटुंबियांच्या उपस्थितीत हा विवाह सोहळा पार पडला होता.



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'एनपीसीआरएल'च्या अधिकाऱ्यांशी तंत्रज्ञानावर चर्चा



पालघर : अदानी समुहाचे अध्यक्ष गौतम अदानी यांच्यासह ऊर्जा क्षेत्रातील त्यांच्या कंपन्यांच्या अधिकाऱ्यांनी रविवारी तारापूर अणुऊर्जा प्रकल्पाला भेट दिली. यावेळी त्यांनी प्रकल्पातील अधिकाऱ्यांकडून संबंधित तंत्रज्ञान आणि अन्य बाबींची माहिती घेतली.

गौतम अदानी यांच्यासह अदानी एनर्जी, अदानी ग्रीन व एनर्जी स्ट्रॅटेजी या कंपन्यांचे अधिकारी सकाळी साडे दहाच्या सुमारास हेलिकॉप्टरने तारापूरला दाखल झाले. भेटीदरम्यान देशाचा अणुऊर्जा कार्यक्रम, सद्यस्थिती व भविष्यासाठीचा दृष्टिकोन याबाबत न्यूक्लियर पावर कॉर्पोरेशन ऑफ इंडिया (एनपीसीआयएल) तारापूर व मुख्यालय येथील वरिष्ठ अधिकाऱ्यांनी *(पान २ वर)*

अदानी यांची अणुऊर्जा प्रकल्पाला भेट

(पान १ वरून)

त्यांना माहिती दिली तसेच अदानी समूहाच्या शिष्टमंडळाने अणुऊर्जा प्रकल्प तीन व चारला प्रत्यक्ष भेटही दिली. अदानींसह त्यांच्या समुहाचे अधिकारी दुपारी ३ वाजेपर्यंत तारापूर प्रकल्पात होते. यंदाच्या अर्थसंकल्पात अणुऊर्जा उत्पादनाला चालना देण्यासाठी भरघोस तरतूद केली आहे. या पार्श्वभूमीवर अदानी यांच्या या भेटीला महत्त्व प्राप्त झाले आहे.

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Ambuja Cements reports 03 net profit of Rs.2,620 crore

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Ambuja Cements reports Q3 net profit of Rs.2,620 crore

(Agency) New Delhi: Adani Group firm Ambuja Cements Ltd (ACL) reported a consolidated net profit of Rs.2,620.09 crore for the third quarter ended December 2024. The company had reported a net profit of Rs.1,090.73 crore a year ago, according to a regulatory filing by ACL. Its consolidated revenue from operations was Rs.8,415.31 crore during the December 2024 quarter. It was Rs.8,052.42 crore in the year-ago period.

The country's second-largest cement manufacturer's consolidated sales volume stood at 16.5 million tonnes during the quarter. This is the highest-ever cement sales volume in a quarter, Ambuja Cements said in its earnings.The consolidated financial results of Ambuja Cements for the December quarter are not comparable due to the acquisition of several companies, including Gujarat-based Sanghi Industries, Hyderabad-based Penna Industries, and Tamil Nadu-based MY Home Industries, whose results are included in it. Besides, its subsidiary ACC acquired Asian Concretes and Cements Ltd.



Accordingly, the results for the current quarter and nine months ended December 31, 2024, are not comparable with quarter and nine months ended December 31, 2023, to that extent, it said. ACL's total expenses in the December quarter were Rs.8,347.68 crore.

The total Income of ACL, which includes other income, was Rs.10,680.80 crore in the third quarter. The consolidated results of Ambuja Cements include the financial performance of it along with Sanghi Industries and Penna Industries.On a standalone basis, Ambuja Cements reported a profit after tax of Rs.1,758.03 crore in the December quarter.

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Public meeting against Dharavi redevelopment project

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आज धारावीच्या पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाविरोधात जाहीर सभा

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धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाच्या विरोधात उद्या संध्याकाळी ५ वाजता धारावी मेन रोड येथे अभ्युदय बँकेसमोर जाहीर सभेचे आयोजन करण्यात आले आहे. सरकारने अदानीला खुली सूट दिल्याने अदानी लोकांची फसवणूक करत आहे. लोकांवर दबाव टाकत आहे. अदानीची धारावीत दादागिरी सुरू आहे, असा आरोप धारावीकरांचा आहे.

या प्रकल्पाचा मास्टर प्लान जाहीर करावा, घराच्या बदल्यात घर आणि दुकानाच्या बदल्यात दुकान धारावीतच मोफत मिळाले पाहिजे. व्यावसायिक गाळ्याची जेवढी जागा आहे तेवढी मोफत जागा द्यावी. कुंभारवाड्याचे पुनर्वसन धारावीतच करा या धारावी बचाव आंदोलनाच्या प्रमुख मागण्या आहेत. धारावी बचाव आंदोलन समन्वयक ॲड. राजेंद्र कोरडे यांनी नागरिकांनी या जाहीर सभेत सहभागी होण्याचे आवाहन केले आहे.

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अदानी यांची अणुऊर्जा प्रकल्पाला भेट

(पान १ वरून)

त्यांना माहिती दिली तसेच अदानी समूहाच्या शिष्टमंडळाने अणुऊर्जा प्रकल्प तीन व चारला प्रत्यक्ष भेटही दिली. अदानींसह त्यांच्या समुहाचे अधिकारी दुपारी ३ वाजेपर्यंत तारापूर प्रकल्पात होते. यंदाच्या अर्थसंकल्पात अणुऊर्जा उत्पादनाला चालना देण्यासाठी भरघोस तरतूद केली आहे. या पार्श्वभूमीवर अदानी यांच्या या भेटीला महत्त्व प्राप्त झाले आहे.

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आज धारावीच्या पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाविरोधात जाहीर सभा

■ मुंबई

धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाच्या विरोधात उद्या संध्याकाळी ५ वाजता धारावी मेन रोड येथे अभ्युदय बँकेसमोर जाहीर सभेचे आयोजन करण्यात आले आहे. सरकारने अदानीला खुली सूट दिल्याने अदानी लोकांची फसवणूक करत आहे. लोकांवर दबाव टाकत आहे. अदानीची धारावीत दादागिरी सुरू आहे, असा आरोप धारावीकरांचा आहे.

या प्रकल्पाचा मास्टर प्लान जाहीर करावा, घराच्या बदल्यात घर आणि दुकानाच्या बदल्यात दुकान धारावीतच मोफत मिळाले पाहिजे. व्यावसायिक गाळ्याची जेवढी जागा आहे तेवढी मोफत जागा द्यावी. कुंभारवाड्याचे पुनर्वसन धारावीतच करा या धारावी बचाव आंदोलनाच्या प्रमुख मागण्या आहेत. धारावी बचाव आंदोलन समन्वयक ॲड. राजेंद्र कोरडे यांनी नागरिकांनी या जाहीर सभेत सहभागी होण्याचे आवाहन केले आहे.

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Eight Gujarati deportees arrive in Ahmedabad, whisked away by cops

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Were To Be Questioned At G'nagar And Mehsana

TIMES NEWS NETWORK

Ahmedabad: Eight US deportees of Gujarati domicile arrived at the Ahmedabad domestic airport on a private flight on Sunday morning. They were part of the 116 Indians who landed in Amritsar around 11.30pm on Saturday after being deported.

Nearly all of them emerged out of the arrival gate wearing masks and hoodies. Not allowed to stop or interact with the media at the airport, the eight were whisked away into waiting police vehicles with black curtains. The two vehicles of Gandhinagar and Mehsana police had been deployed at the airport from early morning besides more than 40 police personnel inside and outside the airport.

The vehicles zoomed off the airport premises almost immediately after all had boarded. Police officials present cited security and debriefing as reasons for the action.

A senior city police official said that Sunday's flight from Amritsar arrived at 10.45am after which the eight were escorted out by a police team. R G Oza, ACP, G Division of Ahmedabad city police, said that the eight include six men, a woman and a child. "The people have domiciles in North Gujarat. They will be escorted to their residences by police teams," he said.

Sources said they were driven straight to their hometowns mainly in Mehsana and Gandhinagar districts. At the district headquarters, they were to be questioned before being sent to their homes by police escort, the sources said.

"The crime branch (LCB) of district police along with CID (IB) of the state police are entrusted with questioning the persons who arrived from the US to understand the route they took, the camps they were kept in and the agents they were in contact with for the journey. Prima facie, almost all were caught from the border in the past month or so while attempting to cross over into the US," said a senior police official. "Further details will be ascertained only after questioning."

This was the second batch of illegal migrants from Gujarat that arrived after identification and deportation by US authorities in a drive against undocumented immigrants.

On Sunday, another airplane from the US is expected to arrive at Amritsar with 157 deportees.

However, the number of Gujaratis on this flight is not yet known, said police authorities.

The names accessed by authorities include a father-son duo from Kalol in Gandhinagar, and a couple with a child from Mehsana.

The first batch of 33 from Gujarat, who were among the 104 illegal immigrants of Indian origin deported this year, arrived on Feb 6.

Most of them, barring a few, have not spoken to the media and several have left their home temporarily to avoid social scrutiny.

DEADLY US DREAMS



Pics: Yogesh Chawda



The deportees were escorted into police vehicles waiting at the Ahmedabad airport on Sunday

Deportees part of the previous group of 33

Ahmedabad: Sources close to the development said that most of the eight deportees who reached SVPI airport on Sunday morning were part of the same group of illegal Indian immigrants that included the 33 from Gujarat. They had arrived about 10 days ago. "It is very likely that the deportees who landed in the city on Sunday share the same agents and route as the previous batch of deportees. They also are primarily from the North Gujarat districts and have similar socioeconomic backgrounds. They too went to a Central American country from a European airport and then took the Mexico route to reach the US border," said a senior official. TNN

Youth duped of ₹6L in Oz work visa scam

Ahmedabad: A 25-year-old resident of Keshod in Junagadh lodged a complaint on Saturday against multiple individuals for allegedly defrauding him of Rs 6,00,000 on the pretext of facilitating his migration to Australia for work purposes.

The complainant, Chirag Parmar, said that he met Jay Dharmesh Hadiya, a resident of Keshod, on Nov 20, 2024.

Hadiya assured Parmar that he could arrange for his work visa and travel to Australia for a total cost of Rs 12 lakh, with an initial advance payment of Rs 6 lakh.

Subsequently, on Nov 25, 2024, Parmar visited Ahmedabad as instructed by Hadiya. He was directed to Balaji Enterprise, located at Shop No 109, Sahajanand Complex, CG Road. There, he met a man named Kuldeep Parbat Vala, who claimed to be Hadiya's partner. Following Hadiya's telephonic instructions, Parmar handed over Rs 6 lakh to Vala, who provided a token receipt on a Rs 10 note.

The next day, Parmar attempted to contact Hadiya and Vala, but their phones were switched off. On Nov 27, Parmar revisited the Ahmedabad office, only to find it closed.

Later, Parmar claimed that the accused passed the money to his associates, Kripal Bhattu and DivyeshBaria. Despite assurances, Parmar has not received his money back. Suspecting a coordinated fraud, Parmar approached the cops, naming Jay Hadiya, Kuldeep Vala, Kripal Bhattu and Divyesh Baria as the accused. Navrangpura police have registered a case. TNN

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Prayagraj' completes century of flights

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'प्रयागराज'ला विमानांचे शतक पार

दररोज शंभरहून अधिक उड्डाणे : विमानतळाच्या क्षेत्रात दुपटीने वाढ

■ **प्रसाद कानडे** : सकाळ वृत्तसेवा

पुणे, ता. १६ : प्रयागराज विमानतळावर सामान्य दिवशी ८ ते १० विमानांची वाहतूक होते. मात्र, कुंभमेळ्यात येणाऱ्या भाविकांची संख्या मोठी असल्याने विमानसेवेतदेखील मोठी वाढ झाली आहे. सद्यःस्थितीत प्रयागराज विमानतळावर दररोज शंभरहून अधिक विमानांची वाहतूक होत आहे. शिवाय 'चार्टर्ड' विमानांची संख्यादेखील जास्त आहे. आतापर्यंत 'व्हीआयपी' व्यक्तींसाठी सुमारे तीनशेहून अधिक 'चार्टर्ड' विमाने, तर सात ते आठ लाख प्रवासी विमानाने प्रयागराजला दाखल झाले आहेत.

भाविक मिळेल त्या मागनि प्रयागराजमध्ये दाखल होत आहेत. त्यामुळे प्रयागराज विमानतळ व्यग्र विमानतळाच्या श्रेणीत पोहोचले आहे. या विमानतळावरून दररोज सुमारे २० ते २२ हजार प्रवाशांची वाहतूक होत आहे.



ही शहरे जोडली...

मुंबई, दिल्ली, रायपूर, लखनौ, भुवनेश्वर, बंगळूर, हैदराबाद, बिलासपूर, अहमदाबाद, चंडीगड, कोलकता, जयपूर, जबलपूर, गुवाहाटी व डेहराडून.

"कुंभमेळ्यासाठी येणाऱ्या प्रवाशांची गैरसोय होऊ नये, याकरिता सूक्ष्म स्तरावर नियोजन केले. विमानतळावरील सुविधेत वाढ केली. शिवाय विमान कंपन्यांनी तिकीट दरात वाढ केली आहे. तेव्हा विमान कंपन्यांना आदेश देत तिकीट दर कमी केले. याचा मोठा फायदा प्रवाशांना झाला.

- मुरलीधर मोहोळ,
केंद्रीय नागरी हवाई वाहतूक राज्यमंत्री



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'नोकरी द्या... नशा नको'च्या घोषणांनी काँग्रेस भवन परिसर दणाणला

पुणे : पुढारी वृत्तसेवा

वाढती बेरोजगारी आणि ड्रग्ज तस्करी विरोधात युवक काँग्रेसच्या वतीने रविवारी हल्लाबोल आंदोलन करण्यात आले होते. 'नोकरी द्या, नशा नको' अशा घोषणा देत कार्यकर्ते काँग्रेस भवन येथून डेक्कनकडे निघाले. मात्र, बालगंधर्व रंगमंदिरासमोरील झाशीची राणी चौक येथे पोलिसांनी आंदोलनकर्त्यांना अडविले. या वेळी आंदोलनकर्ते चांगलेच आक्रमक झाले होते.



झाशीची राणी चौकात आंदोलन करणाऱ्या युवक काँग्रेसचे राष्ट्रीय अध्यक्ष उदय भानु चिब यांना पोलिसांनी ताब्यात घेतले.

बॅरीकेटिंगवरून पुढे जाण्याचा प्रयत्न करणाऱ्या युवक काँग्रेसच्या प्रमुख पदाधिकाऱ्यांना पकडून पोलिसांनी ताब्यात घेतले. आंदोलनकर्त्यांनी घोषणाबाजी करीत परिसर दणाणून सोडला होता.

आंदोलनात युवक काँग्रेसचे राष्ट्रीय अध्यक्ष उदय भानु चिब, महाराष्ट्र युवक अध्यक्ष कुणाल राऊत, प्रभारी अजय चिकारा, सहप्रभारी एहसान खान, कार्याध्यक्ष शिवराज मोरे, शहराध्यक्ष सौरभ आमराळे, कुमार रोहित यांच्यासह शेकडो कार्यकर्ते सहभागी झाले होते. आंदोलनापूर्वी काँग्रेस भवन येथे सभा झाली. या वेळी प्रमुख पदाधिकाऱ्यांनी आंदोलनामागील भूमिका सांगितली. या वेळी व्यासपीठावर काँग्रेसचे ज्येष्ठ नेते उल्हास पवार, ॲड. अभय छाजेड आदी उपस्थित होते.

या वेळी उदय भानू चिब म्हणाले, मागच्या दहा वर्षांत देशात कधी नव्हती तेवढी बेरोजगारी आणि ड्रग्सचे प्रमाण वाढले आहे. देशात सध्या बेरोजगारी आणि नशेखोरी या दोन समस्या मोठ्या प्रमाणात आहेत. गुजरातमधील अदाणी यांच्या मुंद्रा पोर्टमध्ये हजारो कोटी रुपयांचे ड्रग्स पकडले गेले. त्याचे पुढे काय झाले ? असा सवाल करीत देशात हजारो कोटी रुपयांचे ड्रग्स येत असल्याचे त्यांनी नमूद केले. मात्र, पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी हे त्यांचे मित्र अदानी यांना वाचविण्याचा प्रयत्न करीत आहेत. ड्रग्जमुळे अनेक कुटुंब उद्ध्वस्त होत असून, या विरोधात युवक काँग्रेसने देशभरात 'नोकरी द्या, नशा नाही,' ही मोहीम सुरू केली असल्याचे त्यांनी सांगितले. याचसाठी आज पुण्यात आम्ही जमलो आहोत. पिंपरी-चिंचवडमध्ये घरे पाडून लोकांना बेरोजगार केले जात आहे. या विरोधात आम्ही आवाज उठवणार असल्याचे त्यांनी सांगितले.

कुणाल राऊत म्हणाले, आम्ही निवडणुकीत हरलो नाहीत. आम्हाला हरविण्यात आले आहे. बोगस मतदान करून राज्यात काँग्रेसला हरविण्यात आले आणि हे सरकार सत्तेत आले आहे. आज राज्यात खून, किडनॅपिंगसारखे प्रकार वाढले असून, राज्याला बिहारच्या दिशेने घेऊन चालल्याची टिका त्यांनी केली. या वेळी कार्याध्यक्ष शिवराज मोरे, शहराध्यक्ष सौरभ आमराळे यांचेही भाषण झाले.

आंदोलनकर्त्यांची धरपकड

काँग्रेस भवन येथून युवक काँग्रेसचे शेकडो कार्यकर्ते घोषणाबाजी करीत डेक्कनच्या दिशेने निघाले होते. आंदोलनकर्ते बालगंधर्व रंगमंदिर समोरील झाशीची राणी चौक येथे आल्यानंतर पोलिसांनी बॅरीकेटिंग करीत त्यांना अडविले. पुढे जाऊ न दिल्याने आंदोलनकर्ते चांगलेच आक्रमक झाले. आंदोलनकर्त्यांनी मोठ्या प्रमाणात घोषणाबाजी केली. पोलिसांच्या आदेशाला झुगारून पुढे जाण्याच्या प्रयत्न करणाऱ्या काही आंदोलकांना पोलिसांनी पकडून व्हॅनमध्ये बसविले. त्यानंतर त्यांना पोलिस ठाण्यात नेण्यात आले.

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'नोकरी द्या... नशा नको'च्या घोषणांनी काँग्रेस भवन परिसर दणाणला

पुणे : पुढारी वृत्तसेवा

वाढती बेरोजगारी आणि ड्रग्ज तस्करी विरोधात युवक काँग्रेसच्या वतीने रविवारी हल्लाबोल आंदोलन करण्यात आले होते. 'नोकरी द्या, नशा नको' अशा घोषणा देत कार्यकर्ते काँग्रेस भवन येथून डेक्कनकडे निघाले. मात्र, बालगंधर्व रंगमंदिरासमोरील झाशीची राणी चौक येथे पोलिसांनी आंदोलनकर्त्यांना अडविले. या वेळी आंदोलनकर्ते चांगलेच आक्रमक झाले होते.



झाशीची राणी चौकात आंदोलन करणाऱ्या युवक काँग्रेसचे राष्ट्रीय अध्यक्ष उदय भानु चिब यांना पोलिसांनी ताब्यात घेतले.

बॅरीकेटिंगवरून पुढे जाण्याचा प्रयत्न करणाऱ्या युवक काँग्रेसच्या प्रमुख पदाधिकाऱ्यांना पकडून पोलिसांनी ताब्यात घेतले. आंदोलनकर्त्यांनी घोषणाबाजी करीत परिसर दणाणून सोडला होता.

आंदोलनात युवक काँग्रेसचे राष्ट्रीय अध्यक्ष उदय भानु चिब, महाराष्ट्र युवक अध्यक्ष कुणाल राऊत, प्रभारी अजय चिकारा, सहप्रभारी एहसान खान, कार्याध्यक्ष शिवराज मोरे, शहराध्यक्ष सौरभ आमराळे, कुमार रोहित यांच्यासह शेकडो कार्यकर्ते सहभागी झाले होते. आंदोलनापूर्वी काँग्रेस भवन येथे सभा झाली. या वेळी प्रमुख पदाधिकाऱ्यांनी आंदोलनामागील भूमिका सांगितली. या वेळी व्यासपीठावर काँग्रेसचे ज्येष्ठ नेते उल्हास पवार, ॲड. अभय छाजेड आदी उपस्थित होते.

या वेळी उदय भानू चिब म्हणाले, मागच्या दहा वर्षांत देशात कधी नव्हती तेवढी बेरोजगारी आणि ड्रग्सचे प्रमाण वाढले आहे. देशात सध्या बेरोजगारी आणि नशेखोरी या दोन समस्या मोठ्या प्रमाणात आहेत. गुजरातमधील अदाणी यांच्या मुंद्रा पोर्टमध्ये हजारो कोटी रुपयांचे ड्रग्स पकडले गेले. त्याचे पुढे काय झाले ? असा सवाल करीत देशात हजारो कोटी रुपयांचे ड्रग्स येत असल्याचे त्यांनी नमूद केले. मात्र, पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी हे त्यांचे मित्र अदानी यांना वाचविण्याचा प्रयत्न करीत आहेत. ड्रग्जमुळे अनेक कुटुंब उद्ध्वस्त होत असून, या विरोधात युवक काँग्रेसने देशभरात 'नोकरी द्या, नशा नाही,' ही मोहीम सुरू केली असल्याचे त्यांनी सांगितले. याचसाठी आज पुण्यात आम्ही जमलो आहोत. पिंपरी-चिंचवडमध्ये घरे पाडून लोकांना बेरोजगार केले जात आहे. या विरोधात आम्ही आवाज उठवणार असल्याचे त्यांनी सांगितले.

कुणाल राऊत म्हणाले, आम्ही निवडणुकीत हरलो नाहीत. आम्हाला हरविण्यात आले आहे. बोगस मतदान करून राज्यात काँग्रेसला हरविण्यात आले आणि हे सरकार सत्तेत आले आहे. आज राज्यात खून, किडनॅपिंगसारखे प्रकार वाढले असून, राज्याला बिहारच्या दिशेने घेऊन चालल्याची टिका त्यांनी केली. या वेळी कार्याध्यक्ष शिवराज मोरे, शहराध्यक्ष सौरभ आमराळे यांचेही भाषण झाले.

आंदोलनकर्त्यांची धरपकड

काँग्रेस भवन येथून युवक काँग्रेसचे शेकडो कार्यकर्ते घोषणाबाजी करीत डेक्कनच्या दिशेने निघाले होते. आंदोलनकर्ते बालगंधर्व रंगमंदिर समोरील झाशीची राणी चौक येथे आल्यानंतर पोलिसांनी बॅरीकेटिंग करीत त्यांना अडविले. पुढे जाऊ न दिल्याने आंदोलनकर्ते चांगलेच आक्रमक झाले. आंदोलनकर्त्यांनी मोठ्या प्रमाणात घोषणाबाजी केली. पोलिसांच्या आदेशाला झुगारून पुढे जाण्याच्या प्रयत्न करणाऱ्या काही आंदोलकांना पोलिसांनी पकडून व्हॅनमध्ये बसविले. त्यानंतर त्यांना पोलिस ठाण्यात नेण्यात आले.

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୮ ମାସରେ ରାଜ୍ୟରୁ ୫୫.୪ ହଜାର କୋଟିର ରପ୍ତାନି

ଭୁବନେଶ୍ୱର,୧୬।୨(ବ୍ୟୁରୋ): ଚଳିତ ଆର୍ଥିକ ବର୍ଷ ଏପ୍ରିଲ-ନଭେମ୍ବର ଅବଧିରେ ରାଜ୍ୟରୁ ୫୫.୪ ହଜାର କୋଟିର ରପ୍ତାନି ହୋଇଛି। ୨୦୨୩-୨୪ ଆର୍ଥିକ ବର୍ଷରେ ରାଜ୍ୟରୁ ମୋଟ ରପ୍ତାନି ୧.୧୨ ଲକ୍ଷ କୋଟି ଟଙ୍କା ରହିଥିଲା। ରପ୍ତାନିରେ ମେଟାଲର୍ଜିକାଲ ଉତ୍ପାଦର ଅଂଶ ୫୨.୩ ରହିଥିବା ବେଳେ ଖଣିଜ ୨୩.୧%, ଇଞ୍ଜିନିୟରିଂ, କେମିକାଲ ଏବଂ ଅନ୍ୟଶ୍ରେଣିର ଉତ୍ପାଦ ୮.୨%, ଇଲେକଟ୍ରୋନିକ୍ସ ଏବଂ ସଫ୍ଟୱେର ୧୧.୬% ଏବଂ ପାମ୍ପୁଡ଼ିକ ଉତ୍ପାଦର ଅଂଶ ୩.୫% ରହିଥିବା ରାଜ୍ୟ ଶିଳ୍ প ବିଭାଗ ପକ୍ଷରୁ ସୂଚନା ମିଳିଛି।

ଏବେ ରାଜ୍ୟରୁ ରପ୍ତାନିକୁ ବୃଦ୍ଧି କରିବା ଲାଗି ବିଭିନ୍ନ ପଦକ୍ଷେପ ଗ୍ରହଣ କରାଯାଉଛି। ୨୦୨୬-୨୭ ସୁଦ୍ଧା ରାଜ୍ୟରୁ ୩.୫ ଲକ୍ଷ କୋଟିର ରପ୍ତାନି ନେଇ ଲକ୍ଷ୍ୟ ଧାର୍ଯ୍ୟ କରିଛନ୍ତି ରାଜ୍ୟ ସରକାର। ଏ ନେଇ ରାଜ୍ୟ ରପ୍ତାନି ପ୍ରୋତ୍ସାହନ କମିଟି ଏବଂ ଜିଲା ସ୍ତରରେ କମିଟି ଗଠନ ହୋଇଛି। ରପ୍ତାନି ବୃଦ୍ଧି କରିବା ଦିଗରେ ନୂଆ କୌଶଳ ମାନ ଆଣିବା ଦିଗରେ ଏହି କମିଟି ଗୁଡିକ ବିଭିନ୍ନ ଦିଗ ଉପରେ ଆଲୋଚନା କରୁଛନ୍ତି।

ଏ ଦିଗରେ ରାଜ୍ୟ ଏକ୍ସପୋର୍ଟ ଅକ୍ସନ ପ୍ଲାନ ଆଣିବାକୁ ଯୋଜନା ରଖିଛି। ଏଥିରେ ବିଭିନ୍ନ କ୍ଷେତ୍ର ଉପରେ ଫୋକସ କରାଯିବାର କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ରମ ରହିଛି। ରପ୍ତାନିର ବିସ୍ତୃତୀକରଣ ଦିଗରେ କ୍ଷେତ୍ର ଭିତ୍ତିକ ଭୌଶଳ ଉପରେ ରାଜ୍ୟ ଏବେ ଧ୍ୟାନ କେନ୍ଦ୍ରିତ କରିଛି। ଏ ଦିଗରେ ଚର୍ଚ୍ଚିତ ମଣ୍ଡି ମୋଡାଲ କନେକ୍ଟିଭିଟି ଉପରେ ବିଭିନ୍ନ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ରମ ଗ୍ରହଣ କରାଯାଇଛି।

ପାରାଦୀପ, ଧାମରା ଏବଂ ଗୋପାଳପୁର ବନ୍ଦରରେ କ୍ଷମତା ବୃଦ୍ଧି କରାଯାଇଛି। ଏହାବ୍ୟତ ଭୁବନେଶ୍ୱର ସ୍ଥିତ ବିଜୁ ପଟ୍ଟନାୟକ ବିମାନ ବନ୍ଦରର କ୍ଷମତା ବୃଦ୍ଧି ଉପରେ ଫୋକସ କରାଯାଇଛି। ରାଜ୍ୟରେ ରିଗିଭୂମି ଦୃଢ଼ୀକରଣ ସହ ସଡକ ନେଟୱର୍କର ସମ୍ପ୍ରସାରଣ କରାଯାଇଛି।



- ଆଗରେ ରହିଛି ମେଟାଲର୍ଜି କ୍ଷେତ୍ର
- ୨୦୨୭ ସୁଦ୍ଧା ୩.୫ ଲକ୍ଷ କୋଟିର ରପ୍ତାନି ଲକ୍ଷ୍ୟ
- ରାଜ୍ୟ ଆଣିବ ରପ୍ତାନି ଆକ୍ସନ ପ୍ଲାନ
- ଏମ୍‌ଏସ୍‌ଏମ୍‌ଇର ଯୋଗଦାନ ତ୍ୱରାନ୍ୱିତ ହେବ

ଏବେ ରାଜ୍ୟ କେବଳ ବଡ ଶିଳ୍ପ ଗୁଡିକ ଉପରେ ଫୋକସ ନ କରି ନିଯୁକ୍ତି ଭୈତ୍ତିକ ଶିଳ୍ପ ଗୁଡିକର ବିକାଶ ଦିଗରେ ଧ୍ୟାନ କେନ୍ଦ୍ରୀତ କରିଛି। ବଡ ଶିଳ୍ପ ଗୁଡିକ ଟେକ୍ନୋଲୋଜି ଏବଂ ଉତ୍ପାଦନ କ୍ଷେତ୍ରରେ ଆଗରେ ରହିଥିବା ବେଳେ ଏବେ ରାଜ୍ୟର ଅଣୁ, କ୍ଷୁଦ୍ର ଏବଂ ମଧ୍ୟମ ଉଦ୍ୟୋଗ (ଏମ୍‌ଏମ୍‌ଏସ୍‌ଇ) ଗୁଡିକୁ ଦୃଢ଼ୀକରଣ ଦିଗରେ ମଧ୍ୟ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ରମ ଗ୍ରହଣ କରାଯାଉଛି। ନିଯୁକ୍ତି ସୃଷ୍ଟିରେ ଏମ୍‌ଏସ୍‌ଏମ୍‌ଇ ଏକ ପ୍ରମୁଖ ଭୂମିକା ଗ୍ରହଣ କରିଥିବାରୁ ଏଭଳି କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ରମ ଗ୍ରହଣ କରାଯାଉଥିବା ଜଣିକଇର ଜଣେ ଜଣେ ଅଧିକାରୀ କହିଛନ୍ତି।

ସୂଚନା ମୁତାବକ, ୨୦୨୫ ଜାନୁଆରି ସୁଦ୍ଧା ଉଦ୍ୟମ ରେଜିଷ୍ଟ୍ରେଶନ ପୋର୍ଟାଲରେ ୧୮.୭ ଲକ୍ଷ ଏମ୍‌ଏସ୍‌ଏମ୍‌ଇ ପଞ୍ଜୀକୃତ ହୋଇଛନ୍ତି। ଏହା ମଧ୍ୟରେ ଉଦ୍ୟମ ଆସିଷ୍ଟ ପ୍ରୋଗ୍ରାମ (ୟୁଏପି)ରେ ସୂଚୀଭୁକ୍ତ ହୋଇଥିବା ଅଣ ସଙ୍ଗଠିତ ଅଣୁ ଉଦ୍ୟୋଗ ଗୁଡିକ ସାମିଲ ରହିଛନ୍ତି। ଏମ୍‌ଏସ୍‌ଏମ୍‌ଇ ଗୁଡିକୁ ଉତ୍ସାହିତ କରିବା ଲାଗି ପ୍ରମୁଖ ପ୍ଲାନ ଗୁଡିକରେ ଅତ୍ୟାଧୁନିକ ମଣ୍ଡି ସେକ୍ଟର ଶିଳ୍ପ ପାର୍କ ଏବେ ପ୍ରସ୍ତାବନା ଉପରେ ଫୋକସ କରାଯାଉଛି।

ଏବେ ରାଜ୍ୟ ସରକାର ୧୧ ନୂଆ ଏମ୍‌ଏସ୍‌ଏମ୍‌ଇ ପାର୍କ ସ୍ଥାପନ କରୁଛନ୍ତି। ଏହା ସହ ଏବେ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକ୍ଷମ ଥିବା ପାର୍କ ଗୁଡିକୁ ମଧ୍ୟ ଆଧୁନିକିକରଣ କରାଯାଉଛି। ଏହି ପାର୍କ ଗୁଡିକରେ ଶିଳ୍ପ ଗୁଡିକର ପରିଚାଳନା ଆବଶ୍ୟକତାକୁ ବିଚାର କରି ବ୍ୟାପକ ସୁବିଧା ଯୋଗାଣ ଉପରେ ଧ୍ୟାନ ରଖାଯିବ। ଏହା ଦ୍ୱାରା ଏମ୍‌ଏସ୍‌ଏମ୍‌ଇ ଗୁଡିକର ବିକାଶ ତ୍ୱରାନ୍ୱିତ ହେବ ବୋଲି କହିଛନ୍ତି ଅଧିକାରୀ।

କ୍ଷୁଦ୍ର ଶିଳ୍ପ ସଂସ୍ଥ ଓମ୍ପିର ମହାସଚିବ ସାଲ୍ମିକ ସାହି କହିଛନ୍ତି, ଏମ୍‌ଏସ୍‌ଏମ୍‌ଇ ଗୁଡିକ ନିଯୁକ୍ତି ସୃଷ୍ଟି ଏବଂ ରପ୍ତାନିରେ ଏକ ପ୍ରମୁଖ ଭୂମିକା ଗ୍ରହଣ କରୁଛନ୍ତି। ରପ୍ତାନି ବୃଦ୍ଧିର ସମ୍ଭାବ୍ୟ ଦିଗ ନେଇ ସେମାନଙ୍କୁ ସଚେତନ କରାଇବାର ଆବଶ୍ୟକତା ରହିଛି। ଏ ହାଡତ ନୂଆ ଟେକ୍ନୋଲୋଜି ଗ୍ରହଣ, ବଜାର ନିପର୍ଚ୍ଚ ଏବଂ ମାର୍ଗଦର୍ଶନ ରହିଲେ ରାଜ୍ୟର ଏମ୍‌ଏସ୍‌ଏମ୍‌ଇ ଗୁଡିକ ଆହୁରୀ ପ୍ରତିଯୋଗୀ ମନୋଭାବ ରଖି ଆଗ କରିବେ।

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Modi buys 'white elephant' from friend to save Adani

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আদানিকে বাঁচাতে বন্ধুর থেকে ‘সাদা হাতি’ কিনছেন মোদী

নয়াদিল্লি, ১৬ ফেব্রুয়ারি– আদানিকে বাঁচাতে দেশের জনগণের স্বার্থের বিরুদ্ধে গিয়ে, একাধিক অস্ত্র বাণিজ্য চুক্তিতে ভারতকে মার্কিন বলয়ে আরও বেশি আবদ্ধ করে দিলেন মোদী। আমেরিকা সফরে গিয়ে বন্ধু ট্রাম্পের সঙ্গে একাধিক সামরিক চুক্তি স্বাক্ষর করেছেন মোদী। তার মধ্যে ভারতের বায়ু সেনাকে মার্কিন যুদ্ধবিমান এফ-৩৫ বিক্রি করতে সম্মত হয়েছে আমেরিকা। যথারীতি উন্নত প্রযুক্তির এই ‘স্টেল্থ ফাইটার’ দেশে আসবে ভেবে উগ্র প্রচারে নেমেছে বিজেপি আইটি সেল। এই বিমানে করে একদিনেই পাকিস্তান ও চীনকে শায়েস্তা করার জিগির তুলেছে বিজেপি’র সোশাল মিডিয়া বাহিনী। এদিকে খোদ আমেরিকা সহ বিভিন্ন দেশের প্রতিরক্ষা মহল থেকে শুরু করে ডোনাল্ড ট্রাম্পের বিশেষ উপদেষ্টা এলন মাস্ক পর্যন্ত এই বিমানকে ‘মান্ধাতার আমলের’ বলে কটাক্ষ করেছেন। ইতিমধ্যে মার্কিন সামরিক জোটের শরিক এমন বহু দেশ এই বিমান কিনতে অস্বীকার করেছেন।

এদিকে ভারতের সামরিক বিশেষজ্ঞদের এক বড় অংশ মনে করছেন, এফ-৩৫ কিনে তার রক্ষণাবেক্ষণ করা রীতিমত সাদা হাতি পোষার সমান। মার্কিন অস্ত্র নির্মাণকারী সংস্থা ‘লকহিড মার্টিন’-র তৈরি এই বিমান সামরিক পরিভাষায় পঞ্চম প্রজন্মের যুদ্ধবিমান হিসেবে চিহ্নিত। বর্তমানে ভারতের কাছে পঞ্চম প্রজন্মের কোন বিমান নেই। ভারতের বায়ুসেনার ঝুলিতে ঠান্ডা যুদ্ধের আমলের রাফায়েল, মিগ-২৯ ও এসইউ-৩০’র মতো তৃতীয় প্রজন্মের কিছু যুদ্ধবিমান রয়েছে। নতুন তৈরি তেজসও চতুর্থ প্রজন্মের বিমান। যদিও তেজসের ইঞ্জিনের বেশ কিছু গুরুত্বপূর্ণ অংশবিশেষ এখনও আমদানি করা যায়নি বলে বায়ুসেনা তা এখনও সামরিক ভাবে মোতায়েন করতে পারেনি।

অন্যদিকে পঞ্চম প্রজন্মের জে-২০ বিমান তৈরি করে, বিশ্বের প্রথম ষষ্ঠ প্রজন্মের যুদ্ধবিমান নিয়ে গবেষণা শুরু করেছে চীন। তুরস্কের সঙ্গে যৌথ ভাবে পঞ্চম প্রজন্মের যুদ্ধবিমান তৈরি করতে গবেষণা শুরু করেছে পাকিস্তান। এমতাবস্থায় স্বঘোষিত ‘বিশ্বগুরু’-র খেতাব ধরে রাখতে মরিয়া হয়ে উঠেছেন মোদী। একই সঙ্গে তাঁর গলায় ‘আদানি কাঁটা’ বিঁধে রয়েছে বলে আঁচ করে, ভারতকে এফ-৩৫ বিক্রি করতে উঠে পড়ে লেগেছেন ট্রাম্প।

প্রসঙ্গত, একটি ‘এফ-৩৫’ বিমানের মূল্য ৯৯৬ কোটি টাকা। এক ঘন্টার উড়ানে তার পিছনে অন্তত ৩২ লক্ষ টাকা খরচ হয়। একটি বিমানের সার্বিক রক্ষাবেক্ষণে অন্তত ১৫০ লক্ষ কোটি টাকা খরচ হয়।



মার্কিন যুদ্ধবিমান এফ-৩৫

বিভিন্ন সমীক্ষক জানিয়েছেন ভারতের বায়ুসেনা যদি অন্তত এক স্কোয়াড্রন এফ-৩৫ কেনে, তার রক্ষণাবেক্ষণ করতে যা অর্থের প্রয়োজন পড়বে, তা ভারতের বর্তমান জাতীয় আয়ের অন্তত দশ গুণ। যদি অন্তত ৫০ বছর একটি স্কোয়াড্রন রক্ষণাবেক্ষণ করা হয়, তার পিছনে প্রতি বছর দেশের গড় অভ্যন্তরীণ উৎপাদনের অন্তত ১৭ শতাংশ ব্যয় করতে হবে। ভারতের বর্তমান প্রতিরক্ষা বাজেটের থেকে তা অন্তত আট গুণ বেশি।

শুধু তাই নয়, এফ-৩৫ সহ যে কোন যুদ্ধবিমানের সময়োপযোগিতা নিয়েও প্রশ্ন তুলেছেন সামরিক বিশ্লেষক ও প্রযুক্তিবিদদের বড় অংশ। খোদ এলন মাস্ক বলেছেন, ড্রোন এবং অন্যান্য রিমোট পরিচালিত যুদ্ধাস্ত্র চলে আসার পর পাইলট চালিত যুদ্ধবিমানের লোপ পাওয়া কার্যত সময়ে অপেক্ষা। তারই সঙ্গে রয়েছে, দেশে বিদেশে এফ-৩৫’র নানারকম ব্যর্থতার প্রমাণ। এবছরের ২৮ জানুয়ারি আলাস্কার এক প্রশিক্ষণ শিবিরে হঠাৎ ভেঙে পড়ে এক এফ-৩৫ বিমান। এর আগেও বহুবার নিরাপত্তার অভাব রয়েছে বলে অভিযোগ করে এফ-৩৫’কে কাঠগড়ায় দাঁড় করান বহু সামরিক বিশ্লেষক। গত ২০১৮ থেকে বিশ্বের বিভিন্ন প্রান্তে এই বিমান ভেঙে পড়ার অন্তত ১২টি ঘটনা ঘটেছে। পাশাপাশি, বিমানের বিভিন্ন যন্ত্রপাতি কয়েক মাসের মধ্যে ক্ষয়ে যায় বলে অভিযোগ। বিমানে ছোটখাট মেরামতির জন্য প্রায় ছয় মাস লাগে বলে জানা গেছে।

এমন যাবতীয় বিপর্যয়ের তদন্ত করে জানা গেছে, এই বিমান একেবারেই পাইলটদের জন্য উপযুক্ত নয়। ককপিটে অক্সিজেনের অভাব, রক্ষনাবেক্ষণের সমস্যা, ইঞ্জিন থেকে তেল লিক করা এবং মাঝ আকাশে কন্ট্রোল সিস্টেম ‘হ্যাক’ হয়ে যাওয়ার সম্ভাবনা, এমন একাধিক সমস্যার অভিযোগ করা হয়েছে। তার জেরে বহু মার্কিন জোটসঙ্গী এই বিমান আর কিনতে চাইছে না। আমেরিকার বায়ুসেনাও আর এই বিমান নিতে চাইছে না। ফলে লকহিড মার্টিনের গুদামে সারি সারি এফ-৩৫ পড়ে থেকে নষ্ট হচ্ছে।

সৌদি আরব, মিশর ও ন্যাটো’র সঙ্গে যুক্ত পূর্ব ইউরোপের কিছু দেশের কাছে এফ-৩৫ বিক্রি করার চেষ্টা করেও ব্যর্থ রয়েছে মার্কিন কূটনীতিক ও অস্ত্র ব্যবসায়ীরা। বাজারে এই বিমানের অন্তত পঞ্চাশ ভাগ কম দামে, সাশ্রয়ী ড্রোন প্রযুক্তি চলে আসায় আপামর ভাবে যুদ্ধবিমানে চাহিদায় হ্রাস লক্ষ্য করা গেছে। এই রপ্তানি সঙ্কটে সমাধানের আশায় লকহিড মার্টিন এবারের রাষ্ট্রপতি ভোটে ট্রাম্পের প্রচারে অন্তত ১০ লক্ষ ডলার অর্থ সাহায্য করে। ফলে ভোটে জিতে হোয়াইট হাউসে ফিরতেই, কৃতজ্ঞতা বশত তাদের তৈরি এই ‘মান্ধাতার আমলের’ বিমান ভারতকে বিক্রি করার জন্য মরিয়া হয়ে উঠেছেন ট্রাম্প। উপযুক্ত ছোট শরিকের মতো ট্রাম্পের এই ‘হুকুম’ মেনে, দেশের সুরক্ষা ও অর্থনৈতিক উন্নয়ন জলাঞ্জলি দিতে রাজি হয়ে গিয়েছেন মোদী।

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Gautam Adani and his wife in Ajmer Sharif

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আজমির শরীফে গৌতম আদানি ও তাঁর স্ত্রী



স্বাগত জানানোর সময় দরগাহর খাদেমের সঙ্গে দু'হাত তুলেছেন গৌতম আদানী।

নয়াদিল্লি, ১৬ ফেব্রুয়ারি: নয়াদিল্লি, ১৬ ফেব্রুয়ারি: গৌতম আদানি এবং তাঁর স্ত্রী প্রীতি আদানি রবিবার আজমির শরীফ পরিদর্শনে যান। এ সময় তারা খাজা মইনুদ্দিন চিশতির সমাধিতে ফুল বিছিয়ে দেওয়ার পাশাপাশি মখমলের চাদর উপহার দেন। আদানি পরিবারকে স্বাগত জানান আজমির শরীফ এবং চিশতি ফাউন্ডেশনের চেয়ারম্যান হাজী সৈয়দ সালমান চিশতি। তিনি বলেন, 'গৌতম আদানি সারাদেশের জন্য প্রার্থনা করেছেন।' এ ছাড়াও হাজী সৈয়দ সালমান চিশতি গৌতম আদানিকে তার দূরদর্শী নেতৃত্ব, জনহিতকর কাজ এবং মানবিক সেবায় অবদানের জন্য 'গ্লোবাল পিস অ্যাওয়ার্ড' দিয়ে সম্মানিত করেন। গৌতম আদানি বলেন 'আজমের শরীফের মতো পবিত্র স্থানে এসে আমরা অপরিসীম শান্তি এবং ইতিবাচকতা অনুভব করেছি। আধ্যাত্মিকতা আমাদের সমাজের প্রতি আমাদের দায়িত্ব পালন করতে শেখায়।' দরগাহ শরীফে আগত হাজার হাজার মানুষের জন্য তিনি নিরামিষ খাওয়া-দাওয়ার ব্যবস্থাও করেন এ দিন। উল্লেখ্য যে, গতমাসে প্রধানমন্ত্রী নরেন্দ্র মোদি খাজা মইনুদ্দিন চিস্তির উরস উৎসবে চাদর পাঠান। এ বছর নিয়ে মোট ১১ বার চাদর চড়াতে চলেছেন মোদি।

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8 Gujaratis deported from US arrive in Ahmedabad,

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3	Gujarati	88	N/A	Top Left	41704	2.7M



એરપોર્ટ પરથી ૮ ગુજરાતી પ્રવાસીઓને પોલીસની ગાડીમાં તેમના ઘર સુધી પહોંચાડી દેવાયા

અમેરિકાથી ડિપોર્ટ કરીને બીજી ફ્લાઈટમાં ૧૧૬ પૈકીના ૮ ગુજરાતીઓ અમદાવાદ આવ્યા, રાત્રે ત્રીજી ફ્લાઈટ પહોંચી

પડઘાવાળી પોલીસની ગાડીમાં મહેસાણાના ૬ અને ગાંધીનગરના ૨ લોકોને લઈ ગઈ

રવિવારે ગેરકાયદે ભારતીય ઈમિગ્રન્ટ્સનો વધુ ત્રીજો કાફલો અમૃતસર એરપોર્ટ પર પહોંચ્યો, કુલ ૩૩૨ ડિપોર્ટ કરાયા

ગેરકાનૂની પરત મોકલવાની પ્રક્રિયા કડક

અમેરિકાથી ડિપોર્ટ કરાયેલા ગુજરાતીઓની વાત

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Ahmedabad: 6 flights to and from Prayagraj delayed by an hour

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7	Gujarati	27	N/A	Middle Center	12738	2.7M



બેફામ ભાડાં વસૂલ્યા બાદ પણ સર્વિસમાં ઠાગાઠૈયા

પ્રયાગરાજ આવતી-જતી અડધો ડઝન ફ્લાઇટો ત્રણેક કલાક સુધી મોડી પડી

રવિવારે ૨૬ ફ્લાઇટો મોડી પડી, મુસાફરો એરપોર્ટ ટર્મિનલમાં અટવાઇ રહ્યા

અમદાવાદ એરપોર્ટ પર રવિવારે પ્રયાગરાજથી આવતી ૪ અને પ્રયાગરાજ જતી ૩ ફ્લાઇટો ત્રણેક કલાક સુધી મોડી પડતા મુસાફરો અને વાલીઓ મુંઝાયા હતા. એ ઉપરાંત આઠ મુસાફરોએ એરપોર્ટ પર ફ્લાઇટો સુધી રાહ જોઇ બેસી રહેવાની મજબૂરી વેઠવી પડી હતી. બીજી તરફ રવિવારે ઘુમ્મટવાળા ડિસિ-નેશનથી આવતી-જતી કુલ ૨૯ ફ્લાઇટોના શિડ્યૂલ ખોરવાયા હતા.

રવિવારે અમદાવાદ આવતી આકાસા એરની જેટ્સ, મુંબઇ, ચેન્નાઇ, ગોવા, સિલિગુડીની ફ્લાઇટો આઠથી એક કલાક સુધી મોડી આવી હતી. જ્યારે એર ઇન્ડિયાની કોચ્ચિ, પ્રયાગરાજ, દિલ્હીની, સ્પાઇસ જેટની પ્રયાગરાજની બે ફ્લાઇટો, ઇન્ડિગોની દિલ્હી, ચેન્નાઇ, બેન્ગલૂરુની ફ્લાઇટો મોડી આવી હતી.

અમદાવાદથી ઉપડતી કોચ્ચિ તેમજ અયોધ્યા એરપોર્ટ-ની કુલ્લાલ ગુમ્મર, આકાસાની મુંબઇ, ગોવા, સિલિગુડી, ચેન્નાઇ, એર ઇન્ડિયા-ની દિલ્હી ઇન્ડિગો-ની દિલ્હી, ચેન્નાઇ, પ્રયાગરાજ, બેન્ગલૂરુ, સ્પાઇસ જેટની પ્રયાગરાજની ફ્લાઇટો લેટ ઉપડી હતી. હાલ પ્રયાગરાજમાં ખૂબ ટ્રાફિકની સિચિ પ્રવર્તી રહી છે. ડમરોકાટ અને કમોસમી ફ્લાઇટોની ભારે અસર-જવાબ વર્ષે ફ્લાઇટોના નિર્ધારિત શિડ્યૂલ પણ ખોરવાઇ રહ્યા છે. જેના કારણે વિવિધ એરપોર્ટ પર મુસાફરોને ત્રણેક કલાક સુધી ફ્લાઇટની રાહ જોવા બેસી રહેવું પડી રહ્યું છે.

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8 Gujaratis Deported From America In Second Phase

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સવારે 10.45એ એરપોર્ટ પરથી જ કાળા પડદા લગાવેલી પોલીસવાનમાં બેસાડી દેવામાં આવ્યા હતા

USથી ડિપોર્ટ થયેલા 8 ગુજરાતીને વતન મોકલી દેવાયા

5 મહેસાણા જિલ્લાના અને 3 ગાંધીનગર જિલ્લાના છે, દેશમાં પરત આવેલામાં 6 પુરુષ અને 2 મહિલાનો સમાવેશ થાય છે

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અમેરિકામાં ગેરકાયદે વસતા 8 ગુજરાતીને ડિપોર્ટ કરાયા હતા. બે બાળક સહિત આઠેય લોકોને અમેરિકન એરફોર્સના વિમાનમાં 15 ફેબ્રુઆરીએ રાત્રે અમૃતસર ઉતારાયા હતા અને 16 ફેબ્રુઆરીએ સવારે 10.45 અમદાવાદ એરપોર્ટ પર ઉતારાયા હતા. ડિપોર્ટ કરાયેલા 8માંથી 5 મહેસાણા જિલ્લાના, 3 ગાંધીનગર જિલ્લાના વતની છે. તમામ 7થી માંડી 34 વર્ષ સુધીના છે.

આ લોકો રવિવારે અમદાવાદ એરપોર્ટ પર ઉતરે તે પહેલા ચુસ્ત બંદોબસ્ત ગોઠવવામાં આવ્યો હતો. એરપોર્ટ પર જ તમામના ડોક્યુમેન્ટ ચેક કરવાની પ્રક્રિયા કરાઈ હતી. લગભગ અડધો કલાકની કાર્યવાહી બાદ તમામને રાવલ ગેટને બદલે સ્ટાફના ગેટથી બહાર લાવવામાં આવ્યા હતા. એ પછી 3 લોકોને ગાંધીનગરની જ્યારે બાકીના 5ને મહેસાણા પોલીસની વાનમાં બેસાડી દેવાયા હતા. ઓળખ ન થઈ શકે તે માટે વાન પર કાળા પડદા લગાવવામાં આવ્યા હતા. બંદોબસ્તને કારણે ડિપોર્ટ કરાયેલા કોઈની સાથે વાત થઈ શકી ન હતી.

પરત આવેલા 8માં બે મહિલા અને 6 પુરુષનો સમાવેશ થાય છે. અગાઉ પહેલા તબક્કામાં 5 ફેબ્રુઆરીએ 33 ગુજરાતી સહિત 104 ભારતીયોને અમેરિકાએ ડિપોર્ટ કર્યા હતા. બીજા તબક્કામાં કુલ 116 લોકોને પરત મોકલવામાં આવ્યા છે. હજુ પણ અમેરિકામાં ગેરકાયદે વસતા ગુજરાતીઓ સહિતના ભારતીયોને ડિપોર્ટ કરવાની કાર્યવાહી ચાલુ રહે તેવી શક્યતા છે.



એરપોર્ટ પર ઉતર્યા પછી ડિપોર્ટ થયેલા લોકોએ હુડી પહેરી ચહેરો છુપાવ્યો હતો.

અમેરિકાથી પરત મોકલાયેલા 8 ગુજરાતીઓ

(1) ધવલ લુહાર (34) કલોલ
(2) રુદ્ર લુહાર (8) કલોલ
(3) ભિહિર ઠાકોર (20) મહેસાણા
(4) વીરજ પટેલ (28) મહેસાણા
(5) ડેનિશ ચૌધરી (21) માણસા
(6) આરોહી ગોસ્વામી (7) મહેસાણા
(7) દીપક ગોસ્વામી (31) મહેસાણા
(8) પૂજા ગોસ્વામી (28) મહેસાણા

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Big decline in Gautam Adani's wealth, he ranks 23rd in the list of world's richest people.

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1	Hindi	145	N/A	Middle Right	50596	140.76K

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दुनिया के अमीरों की सूची में 23वें स्थान पर



मुंबई । देश के प्रमुख रईसों में से एक अडानी ग्रुप के चेयरमैन गौतम अडानी की संपत्ति में बड़ी गिरावट दर्ज की गई है। ब्लूमबर्ग बिलियनेयर इंडेक्स के अनुसार, उनकी नेटवर्थ 2.73 अरब डॉलर घटकर 66.1 अरब डॉलर रह गई है। इसके चलते वे दुनिया के अमीरों की सूची में 23वें स्थान पर खिसक गए हैं। अडानी के साथ ही भारतीय रईसों की नेटवर्थ में गिरावट देखने को मिल रही है। रिलायंस इंडस्ट्रीज के चेयरमैन मुकेश अंबानी की संपत्ति में भी 4.55 अरब डॉलर की गिरावट आई है। इससे एशिया के सबसे बड़े रईस के स्थान पर सवाल खड़े हैं। भारतीय रईसों के बीच संपत्ति में गिरावट के कारण घरेलू शेयर बाजार में लगातार गिरावट आ रही है। इससे नामी उद्योगपतियों जैसे शिव नाडर, शापूरजी मिस्त्री, अजीम प्रेमजी, सावित्री जिंदल और दिलीप सांघवी की नेटवर्थ में भी गिरावट देखने को मिल रही है। विश्व के सबसे अमीर व्यक्ति एलेन मस्क की नेटवर्थ में भी गिरावट दर्ज की गई है, जबकि मार्क जुकरबर्ग सबसे अच्छे कमाई वाले रईस बने हुए हैं। रिलायंस इंडस्ट्रीज के चेयरमैन और एशिया के सबसे बड़े रईस मुकेश अंबानी की नेटवर्थ में इस साल 4.55 अरब डॉलर की गिरावट आई है। वह 86.1 अरब डॉलर की नेटवर्थ के साथ दुनिया के अमीरों की लिस्ट में 17वें नंबर पर बने हुए हैं। एचसीएल के शिव नाडर ने इस साल 4.14 अरब डॉलर, शापूरजी मिस्त्री ने 2.18 अरब डॉलर, अजीम प्रेमजी ने 18.8 करोड़ डॉलर, सावित्री जिंदल ने 5.20 अरब डॉलर और सन फार्मा के दिलीप सांघवी ने 3.40 अरब डॉलर गंवाए हैं।

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India Inc profits crawl as sales stay sluggish

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But operating profit margin of 28.7% the best in 21 quarters

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Corporate India's struggle with subdued revenue and earnings growth persisted in the October-December quarter of 2024-25 (Q3FY25).

The combined net sales (gross interest earnings for lenders) of listed companies grew in single digits for the seventh consecutive quarter, while their combined net profit rose by a single digit for the third straight quarter. Total net earnings of 3,618 listed companies increased 6.2 per cent year-on-year (Y-o-Y) to approximately ₹3.47 trillion, while net revenue rose 7 per cent Y-o-Y to about ₹37.73 trillion in Q3FY25.

Q3 RESULTS REVIEW

With this, listed firms' combined net profit rose 4.9 per cent Y-o-Y in the first nine months of FY25 (April-December 2024), against 27.4 per cent earnings growth in FY24 (full year). Their net sales climbed 7.2 per cent Y-o-Y in 9MFY25, a slight improvement from the 6.8 per cent Y-o-Y growth in the entire FY24.

Overall earnings growth was primarily driven by improved margins, as manufacturing firms benefited from lower raw material, energy, and interest costs. However, banks and non-banking financial companies (NBFCs) saw margin compression due to rising interest expenses outpacing gross interest income.

The profit before interest, depreciation, and taxes margin (PBIDTM), or operating margin, for the entire *Business Standard* sample expanded 155 basis points Y-o-Y to 28.7 per cent of total income in Q3FY25 — the highest level in at least 21 quarters. Similarly, the profit before tax margin (PBTM) rose 76 basis points to 12.7 per cent, the second-highest in 21 quarters, while the net profit margin (PATM) increased by about 10 basis points to 8.9 per cent of total revenue from 8.8 per cent a year earlier.

Earlier, analysts expected operating margins to moderate in the current quarter from recent highs.

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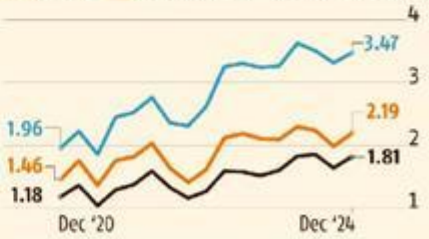
GROWTH IN SLOW LANE

Net sales growth (% Y-o-Y change)



EARNINGS REMAIN MUTED

Quarterly net profit (₹ trillion)



BFSI: Banks, non-banking financial companies, insurers, and stock broking firms; capital goods includes construction & infra
Note: Based on a common sample of 3,618 companies, excluding their listed subsidiaries; includes historical numbers of HDFC that merged with HDFC Bank in July 2023
Source: Capitaline; compiled by BS Research Bureau

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58% of corporate profits from BFSI, oil & gas, IT services

However, companies managed to sustain margins despite weak revenue growth through cost optimisation and reductions in discretionary spending. Other operating expenses — including promotions, advertising, and overheads — declined 1.4 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25, compared with a 9.6 per cent Y-o-Y rise a year earlier and an 11.4 per cent Y-o-Y increase in Q2FY25.

The numbers also suggest efforts to optimise labour costs, as total salary and wages expenses for listed firms grew just 6.2 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — the slowest in at least 17 quarters.

The banking, financial services, and insurance and stock broking (BFSI) sector outperformed the broader corporate landscape despite contracting net interest margins (NIMs). BFSI firms' combined net profit climbed 8.3 per cent Y-o-Y to approximately ₹1.28 trillion in Q3FY25, up from around ₹1.18 trillion a year ago but down sequentially from ₹1.32 trillion in Q2FY25.

Their net sales, or gross interest income, increased 9.9 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — the slowest pace in 11 quarters — sharply decelerating from 22 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 and 13.6 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q2FY25.

BFSI firms posted combined gross interest income of approximately ₹8.19 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹7.45 trillion a year earlier and ₹8.08 trillion in Q2FY25. However, lenders' interest expenses surged 14.5 per cent Y-o-Y, rising faster than gross interest income for the third straight quarter, leading to a decline in net interest margins.



Q3 SECTORAL PERFORMANCE

% Y-o-Y change

	Net sales	Adj net profit
BFSI	9.9	8.3
Oil & Gas	0.6	-21.2
IT-Software	6.4	9.4
Mining & Metals	4.0	0.1
Automotive	8.2	0.6
Power	4.8	18.5
Pharmaceutical	9.8	22.7
FMCG	7.0	-3.8
Capital Goods	11.9	28.8
Cement	-1.4	-11.4
All firms	**7.0**	**6.2**

BFSI: Banking, financial services, and insurance

Source: Capitaline, compiled by BS Research Bureau

Non-financial companies underperformed. Their combined net profit grew 5 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25 — down from 29.5 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 but a rebound from a 5.6 per cent Y-o-Y decline in Q2FY25.

These firms reported a combined net profit of approximately ₹2.19 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹2.09 trillion in Q3FY24 and ₹1.99 trillion in Q2FY25.

The combined net sales of non-BFSI companies rose 6.2 per cent Y-o-Y in Q3FY25, an improvement from 4.2 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q3FY24 and 4.5 per cent Y-o-Y growth in Q2FY25. These firms recorded total net sales of about ₹29.3 trillion in Q3FY25, up from ₹27.56 trillion a year earlier and ₹27.99 trillion in the preceding quarter.

Among key sectors, telecom, capital goods & construction, pharmaceuticals, power, and IT services delivered double-digit earnings growth in Q3FY25. Meanwhile, oil & gas, cement, FMCG, mining & metals, and automobiles lagged, posting little to no earnings growth.

Notably, 58 per cent of total corporate profits in Q3FY25 came from BFSI, oil & gas, and IT services. Among individual companies, Bharti Airtel, State Bank of India, and Indus Towers were the biggest contributors to earnings growth, accounting for half of the incremental rise in profits in Q3FY25. Conversely, Indian Oil Corp, ONGC, and Adani Enterprises were the biggest laggards, reporting sharp Y-o-Y declines in net profit for the quarter.

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A PLANE carrying eight people from Gujarat, who were among 116 Indians deported from the US for illegal immigration, landed at Ahmedabad airport from Amritsar on Sunday, officials familiar with the matter said.

Soon after their arrival, the eight deportees were transported to their native places in Gujarat by police vehicles, Assistant Commissioner of Police, 'G'division, R D Oza said.

"The plane, carrying eight Gujarati immigrants, landed at the Ahmedabad airport at 11 am. They were transported to their native places on police vehicles. Among them is a woman and a child," Oza said.

The eight people were among 116 deportees who were brought on a US aircraft that landed at Amritsar international airport on Saturday night.



Police escort the immigrants deported from the US upon their arrival at Ahmedabad airport, on Sunday. *PTI*

Out of the eight deportees, three are from Gandhinagar and one from Ahmedabad, sources said.

They are part of the second group of Indians who have been sent beck from the US after President Donald Trump started a crackdown on illegal immigrants.

On February 5, a US military plane brought 104 illegal immigrants, in handcuffs and chains, to Amritsar, inviting sharp criticism from the opposition. Among them, 33 were from Gujarat. A third plane, carrying 157 deportees, is expected to land at the Amritsar airport on Sunday.

Former Gujarat Deputy Chief Minister Nitin Patel had earlier expressed sympathy for the deported Gujaratis, underlining the fact that they went to the foreign country looking for a job or career, and said they should not be portrayed as criminals.

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એજન્સી દ્વારા

નવો ચીલો ચાતરતાં અને સમાવેશકતાના કાજને ઉપાડી લેતાં સોની લાઈવ દ્વારા શાર્ક ટેન્ક ઈન્ડિયાનો સ્પેશિયલ એપિસોડ- ગેટવે ટુ શાર્ક ટેન્ક: દિવ્યાંગ સ્પેશિયલ પ્રસ્તુત કરાશે, જે પહેલ દિવ્યાંગ નાગરિકો અથવા તેમને સશક્ત બનાવવા માટે કામ કરનારમાં ઈનોવેશન અને વેપાર સાહસિકતા ફૂલેફાલે તે માટે સમર્પિત છે. આ સ્પેશિયલ એપિસોડ પથદર્શક આઈડિયા અને સમાધાન પર ભાર આપશે, જેને અદાણી એરપોર્ટસના ડાયરેક્ટર જીત અદાણી દ્વારા ટેકો અપાશે. જીત અદાણી ગ્રુપનું ડિજિટલ પરિવર્તન પ્રેરિત કરવા સાથે ગ્રુપના સંરક્ષણ, પેટ્રોકેમિકલ્સ અને કોપર વેપારોનું ધ્યાન રાખે છે.

ગેટવે ટુ શાર્ક ટેન્ક- દિવ્યાંગ સ્પેશિયલ ૧૫મી ફેબ્રુઆરી, ૨૦૨૫ સુધી એન્ટ્રીઓ મગાવી રહી છે, જે પછી શોર્ટલિસ્ટ કરવામાં આવનારી પિચ ખાસ એપિસોડ માટે ચૂંટવામાં આવશે. આ પહેલ થકી શાર્ક ટેક ઈન્ડિયા અને જીત અદાણીનું લક્ષ્ય વેપાર સાહસિકોને મેન્ટર અને સપોર્ટ કરને વિકલાંગ- સમાવેશક ઈનોવેશન પ્રેરિત કરીને પહોંચક્ષમતા અને પ્રગતિ પ્રોત્સાહિત કરવાનું છે.

ગેટવે ટ શાર્ક ટેન્ક- દિવ્યાંગ સ્પેશિયલ ટૂંક સમયમાં જ ખાસ સોની લાઈવ પર પ્રસારિત કરાશે, જે રોચક વેપાર સાહસિકતાની વાર્તાઓ અને સમાધાન સામે લાવશે, જે સમાવેશક પ્રગતિ પ્રેરિત કરવા માટે તૈયાર કરાયો છે.

ટિપ્પણી

રંજના મંગલા, એડ સેલ્સ રેવેન્યુનાં હેડ, સોની લાઈવ

શાર્ક ટેન્ક ઈન્ડિયા દરેક ઈચ્છુક ભારતીયોને તેની ઈચ્છાશક્તિ સુધી પહોંચવા માટે આશાનું કિરણ છે. અમે સતત દિવ્યાંગ વેપાર સાહસિકો અથવા તેમને સશક્ત બનાવતી પ્રોડક્ટો અને સેવાઓ માટે પહેલોને ટેકો આપવા માટે સમાવેશક મંચ બનવાનું લક્ષ્ય રાખ્યું છે. અદાણી એરપોર્ટસના ડાયરેક્ટર જીત અદાણી જેવ સ્થાપિત હસ્તીઓ પણ આ કાજમાં ટેકો આપે છે તે જોઈને ખુશી થાય છે, જેનો એકંદર પ્રભાવ પડવા સાથે શાર્ક ટેક ઈન્ડિયા અને અમે ટેકો આપીએ તે કજની પહોંચ ઓર વિસ્તરશે.

જીત અદાણી, ડાયરેક્ટર, અદાણી એરપોર્ટસ

આ અવકાશમાં નવીનતા લાવવાની સંભાવના છે. આપણને દિવ્યાંગો દ્વારા સામનો કરાતી સમસ્યાઓ માટે સમાધાન નિર્માણ કરવા વધુ જોશીલા લોકોની જરૂર છે. મને શાર્ટ ટેક ઈન્ડિયા સાથે ભાગીદારી કરવાની અને જે પણ રીતે શક્ય બને તેમ આ પરિવર્તન લાવવામાં મદદરૂપ થવા માટે વેપાર સાહસિકોને ટેકો આપવાની ખુશી છે.

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એજન્સી દ્વારા

નવો ચીલો ચાતરતાં અને સમાવેશકતાના કાજને ઉપાડી લેતાં સોની લાઈવ દ્વારા શાર્ક ટેન્ક ઈન્ડિયાનો સ્પેશિયલ એપિસોડ- ગેટવે ટુ શાર્ક ટેન્ક: દિવ્યાંગ સ્પેશિયલ પ્રસ્તુત કરાશે, જે પહેલ દિવ્યાંગ નાગરિકો અથવા તેમને સશક્ત બનાવવા માટે કામ કરનારમાં ઈનોવેશન અને વેપાર સાહસિકતા ફૂલેફાલે તે માટે સમર્પિત છે. આ સ્પેશિયલ એપિસોડ પથદર્શક આઈડિયા અને સમાધાન પર ભાર આપશે, જેને અદાણી એરપોર્ટસના ડાયરેક્ટર જીત અદાણી દ્વારા ટેકો અપાશે. જીત અદાણી ગ્રુપનું ડિજિટલ પરિવર્તન પ્રેરિત કરવા સાથે ગ્રુપના સંરક્ષણ, પેટ્રોકેમિકલ્સ અને કોપર વેપારોનું ધ્યાન રાખે છે.

ગેટવે ટુ શાર્ક ટેન્ક- દિવ્યાંગ સ્પેશિયલ ૧૫મી ફેબ્રુઆરી, ૨૦૨૫ સુધી એન્ટ્રીઓ મગાવી રહી છે, જે પછી શોર્ટલિસ્ટ કરવામાં આવનારી પિચ ખાસ એપિસોડ માટે ચૂંટવામાં આવશે. આ પહેલ થકી શાર્ક ટેક ઈન્ડિયા અને જીત અદાણીનું લક્ષ્ય વેપાર સાહસિકોને મેન્ટર અને સપોર્ટ કરને વિકલાંગ- સમાવેશક ઈનોવેશન પ્રેરિત કરીને પહોંચક્ષમતા અને પ્રગતિ પ્રોત્સાહિત કરવાનું છે.

ગેટવે ટ શાર્ક ટેન્ક- દિવ્યાંગ સ્પેશિયલ ટૂંક સમયમાં જ ખાસ સોની લાઈવ પર પ્રસારિત કરાશે, જે રોચક વેપાર સાહસિકતાની વાર્તાઓ અને સમાધાન સામે લાવશે, જે સમાવેશક પ્રગતિ પ્રેરિત કરવા માટે તૈયાર કરાયો છે.

ટિપ્પણી

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বাংলাদেশকে বিদ্যুতে কোনো ছাড় নয়: আদানি

দিল্লি, ১৫ ফেব্রুয়ারি— বাংলাদেশকে আর বিদ্যুতের জন্য কোনও ছাড় দিতে রাজি নয় ভারতের আদানি গোষ্ঠী। সংবাদ সংস্থা সূত্রে খবর, বিদ্যুৎ সংক্রান্ত টাকা আরও কিছুদিন বকেয়া রাখতে আদানি গোষ্ঠীর কাছে অনুরোধ জানিয়েছিল বাংলাদেশ সরকার। তবে মুহাম্মদ ইউনুসের সরকারের সেই আবেদন সম্পূর্ণভাবে খারিজ করে দিয়েছে আদানি গোষ্ঠী। বিদ্যুৎ বকেয়া মাসিক কিস্তিতে পরিশোধ করা হচ্ছে। এই দাবি জানিয়েই ভারতের আদানি গোষ্ঠীকে দুই ইউনিট থেকে সম্পূর্ণ বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহের আহ্বান জানিয়েছিল বাংলাদেশ। সেইসঙ্গে অনুরোধ ছিল, বিদ্যুতে বাড়তি ছাড় দেওয়ার। সূত্রের খবর, বাংলাদেশে সম্পূর্ণ বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহে রাজি হলেও কোনওরকম বাড়তি ছাড় দিতে রাজি নয় ভারতের বিদ্যুৎ সংস্থা আদানি পাওয়ার।

ঝাড়খণ্ডের বিদ্যুৎ উৎপাদন কেন্দ্র থেকে সমগ্র বাংলাদেশে বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহ করে থাকে আদানি পাওয়ার। ২০১৭ সালের বিদ্যুৎ চুক্তি অনুযায়ী, বাংলাদেশকে ১৬০০ মেগাওয়াট বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহ করত আদানি। তবে দীর্ঘদিনের বিদ্যুৎ বাবদ বকেয়ার কথা মাথায় রেখে গত বছরের অক্টোবরে আমদানিকৃত বিদ্যুতের পরিমাণ অনেকটাই কমিয়ে দেয় বাংলাদেশের অন্তর্বর্তীকালীন সরকার। বাংলাদেশের কাছে আদানিদের বিদ্যুতের খরচ বাবদ বকেয়া রয়েছে সাড়ে পাঁচ হাজার কোটি টাকার বেশি।

বিশাল অঙ্কের বকেয়া এবং শীত্র মরশুমে বিদ্যুতের চাহিদা কম থাকায় বাংলাদেশের সিদ্ধান্তে ঝাড়খণ্ডের একটি ইউনিট থেকে অর্ধেকেরও কম পরিমাণ বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহ করে আসছে আদানি। তবে সম্প্রতি গরম বাড়তে থাকায় মাসিক কিস্তিতে বকেয়া মেটানোর প্রতিশ্রুতি দিয়ে ফের দুই ইউনিট থেকে বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহের আহ্বান জানিয়েছে বাংলাদেশ। সেই সঙ্গে বাড়তি কর ছাড় এবং মোট বকেয়া অর্থে ছাড়ের অনুরোধ করেছিল ঢাকা। বাংলাদেশের বিদ্যুৎ সংস্থা বাংলাদেশ পাওয়ার ডেভেলপমেন্ট বোর্ড আদানি পাওয়ার কর্তৃপক্ষের কাছে অনুরোধ জানিয়েছিল। কিন্তু তা খারিজ করা হয়েছে।

আদানি পাওয়ার জানিয়েছে, বাংলাদেশে সম্পূর্ণ বিদ্যুৎ পাঠানো হবে ঠিকই কিন্তু বকেয়া অর্থের পুরোটাই বাংলাদেশকে শোধ করতে হবে। অতিরিক্ত কোনও ছাড়ও দেওয়া যাবে না। সূত্রের খবর, আদানিরা এবার বিদ্যুতের দামের উপর বাংলাদেশকে ন্যূনতম ছাড় দিতেও রাজি নয়। বিপিডিবি-র তরফে আদানি সংস্থাকে বার বার বোঝানো হলেও ছাড় দিতে রাজি নয় তারা।

পাশাপাশি বিপুল পরিমাণ বকেয়া শোধ করার জন্য আদানি গোষ্ঠী তাড়া দিয়েছে বাংলাদেশকে। অক্টোবরে তারা একটি চিঠি দেয় বিপিডিবি-কে। জানানো হয়, টাকা না মেটালে চুক্তির শর্ত মেনে বাংলাদেশে বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহ বন্ধ করে দেওয়া হবে। তিন মাস অর্ধেক বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহ বন্ধ রইল। আবার সম্পূর্ণ সরবরাহ চালু হচ্ছে। গত মঙ্গলবার এ বিষয়ে বিপিডিবি-র সঙ্গে আদানি পাওয়ারের আধিকারিকদের বৈঠক হয় বলে জানা গিয়েছে।

এক বিবৃতিতে বিপিডিবি-র চেয়ারম্যান মহম্মদ রেজাউল করিম জানিয়েছিলেন, , মাসিক কিস্তিতে ভারতের আদানি গোষ্ঠীর বিদ্যুৎ বকেয়া মেটানোর পথে হাঁটছে বাংলাদেশ। আগামী দিনে মাসিক কিস্তির অর্থের পরিমাণ আরও বাড়িয়ে দ্রুত ভারতের বিদ্যুৎ ঋণ শোধ করবে তারা।

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Team India went to Dubai, eyes will be on Rohit Sharma and Virat Kohli

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टीम इंडिया दुबई पहुंची, रोहित और कोहली पर रहेंगी निगाहें

23 फरवरी को चिर प्रतिद्वंद्वी पाकिस्तान से होगा सामना

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भारतीय टीम 19 फरवरी से शुरू हो रही आईसीसी चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी के लिए शनिवार को दुबई पहुंच गयी. भारत ने पिछली बार 2013 में महेंद्र सिंह धोनी की कप्तानी में चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी जीती थी. भारतीय खिलाड़ी और सहयोगी स्टाफ प्रतीक्षारत बस में बैठ कर होटल रवाना हो गये. इससे पहले सफेद टी-शर्ट और काली ट्रैक पहने रोहित शर्मा जब शनिवार को यहां चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी के लिए दुबई जाने के लिए अपनी कार से उतरे, तो छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाईअड्डे के प्रवेश द्वार के पास इंतजार कर रहे प्रशंसकों ने जोर-जोर से रोहित भाई और रोहित सर कह कर उनका ध्यान अपनी तरफ खींचा. भारतीय कप्तान मुस्कुराते हुए प्रस्थान लाउंज में अपने साथियों की ओर बढ़े. मुख्य कोच गौतम गंभीर, उप-कप्तान शुभमन गिल और स्टार बल्लेबाज विराट कोहली सहित टीम के अधिकतर सदस्य टीम बस में हवाई अड्डे पहुंचे. इनमें से कुछ खिलाड़ियों ने कुछ प्रशंसकों को ऑटोग्राफ देकर या हाथ हिला कर उनका आभार व्यक्त किया.

भारतीय टीम पिछले साल जून में टी-20 विश्व कप जीतने के बाद एक और वैश्विक ट्रॉफी हासिल करने की उम्मीदों के बीच आगामी चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी के लिए दुबई के लिए दोपहर की उड़ान में सवार हो गयी. भारतीय टीम स्टार तेज गेंदबाज जसप्रीत बुमराह के बिना चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में खेलने के लिए गयी है. बुमराह चोटिल होने के कारण इस टूर्नामेंट से बाहर हैं. भारत लीग चरण में अपना पहला मैच 20 फरवरी को बांग्लादेश के खिलाफ खेलेगा, जबकि 23 फरवरी को उसका सामना चिर प्रतिद्वंद्वी पाकिस्तान से होगा. भारत अपना आखिरी लीग मैच दो मार्च को न्यूजीलैंड के खिलाफ खेलेगा.



इतिहास रचने से 34 रन दूर हैं कोहली

कोहली को वनडे इतिहास में 14,000 रन बनाने वाले तीसरे बल्लेबाज बनने के लिए 37 रन की जरूरत है, जबकि रोहित 11,000 रन पूरे करने वाले 10वें बल्लेबाज बनने से केवल 12 रन दूर हैं, लेकिन ट्रॉफी के बिना इन आंकड़ों पर कोई गौर नहीं करेगा. भारतीय टीम में शामिल कुछ युवा खिलाड़ी अच्छा प्रदर्शन करके अपनी जगह मजबूत करना चाहेंगे. उप कप्तान गिल अपनी शानदार फॉर्म जारी रख कर उन्हें यह महत्वपूर्ण जिम्मेदारी सौंपने के चयन समिति के फैसले को सही साबित करना चाहेंगे. चोट के कारण बुमराह की अनुपस्थिति अर्शदीप सिंह और हर्षित राणा जैसे खिलाड़ियों के लिए यह एक अवसर है, जबकि वरुण चक्रवर्ती साबित करना चाहेंगे कि वह टीम के मारक हथियार हैं.

रोहित-कोहली को अच्छा प्रदर्शन करना होगा

भारत को अगर चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में टी-20 विश्व कप की कहानी दोहरानी है, तो उसके दोनों स्टार बल्लेबाज रोहित और कोहली को अच्छा प्रदर्शन करना होगा. टेस्ट क्रिकेट में विफल रहने के कारण इन दोनों को हाल में आलोचनाओं का सामना भी करना पड़ा. इंग्लैंड के खिलाफ वनडे सीरीज में इन दोनों ने हालांकि फॉर्म में वापसी करने के संकेत दिये. रोहित ने कटक में खेले गये दूसरे वनडे में 90 गेंद पर 119 रन बनाये, जबकि कोहली ने अहमदाबाद में तीसरे वनडे में अर्धशतक लगाया था. चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में इन दोनों खिलाड़ियों के प्रदर्शन पर अजीत अगरकर की अगुवाई वाली चयन समिति की करीबी नजर रहेगी. अपने करियर के ढलान पर खड़े रोहित और कोहली का चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में प्रदर्शन उनके भविष्य के लिए भी काफी मायने रखेगा.

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Adani restores power supply to Bangladesh

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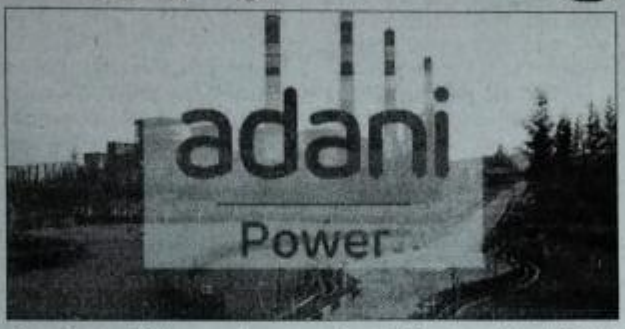
Adani to restore full 1,600 MW power supply to Bangladesh

ZAKIR HOSSAIN

DHAKA: Adani Power has agreed to fully restore its 1,600 MW power supply to Bangladesh within the next few days, ending a three-month-long reduction due to payment delays. However, the company has refused Dhaka's requests for discounts and tax benefits, sources informed.

Adani had cut power supply by 50% on October 31 last year, citing delayed payments as Bangladesh struggled with a foreign exchange shortage. One unit of the plant was shut down on November 1, and Bangladesh requested continued supply at half capacity, citing lower winter demand and ongoing payment issues.

With summer approaching, the Bangladesh Power Development Board (BPDB) urged Adani to resume full supply, to which the company has now agreed. However, despite multiple meetings, Adani has refused to offer any financial concessions, including a discount program that ended in May and tax benefits worth millions of dollars.



"They don't want to give up on anything, even $1 million," one source said, highlighting Adani's firm stance on the power purchase agreement (PPA).

The pricing dispute revolves around tariff calculations, with Adani previously stating that BPDB owed $900 million, while BPDB Chair Rezaul Karim estimated it at $650 million.

Karim insisted that "there is no big issue with Adani" and that full supply would resume as BPDB increases payments beyond $85 million per month. Adani Power has yet to issue an official statement but previously clarified that power dispatch depends on procurement requirements. The two sides are expected to continue discussions in the coming weeks to address outstanding financial issues.

Starlink to BD

Bangladesh's interim leader Muhammad Yunus and Elon Musk have discussed introducing Starlink satellite internet in Bangladesh, aiming to bridge the digital divide and boost connectivity for rural youth, women, and remote communities.

During a virtual meeting, Yunus highlighted Starlink's potential to strengthen education, healthcare, and economic growth, calling it an extension of Grameen Bank and Grameenphone's efforts to connect rural populations. "They would become global women and kids, and global entrepreneurs," he said.

Musk praised the Grameen Bank microfinance model, acknowledging its global impact on poverty alleviation. "I look forward to it," he said when Yunus invited him to Bangladesh for the potential launch of Starlink services.

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Long Wait to Take Off

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Long Wait to Take Off

As Chennai finally embarks on a journey to construct a new airport, it is worth reminiscing how the traditional gateway to South India got left behind

Dia Rekhi



In 1993, when Dun & Bradstreet, a leading information research company, wanted to set up its in-house technology centre in India, it was a toss-up between Madras and Bangalore.

Back then, the pendulum swung in favour of the former.

What helped was that the city had high-quality talent, a US consulate, a service-oriented work culture and an international airport—something Karnataka's capital city could not boast of at the time.

"This in-house technology centre, which later became Cognizant, emerged as one of the top three employers in the private sector in the state and the country," says Ramkumar Ramamoorthy, partner, Catalincs, and former CMD, Cognizant India.

Time passed.

In 1996, Madras became Chennai. In 2014, Bangalore became Bengaluru.

Here's a thought exercise. If there was a race today between Bengaluru and Chennai for a human capital-intensive, mega foreign investment, how would it play out?

Likely, very differently.

The one thing you can be certain of is that Chennai's airport will not tip the scales in its favour. In fact, in Bengaluru's case, the city's airport has become a talking point, especially with the swanky new Terminal 2.

For a country where foreign investment over the past few decades has been key to catalysing the economy, having a half-decent introduction on arrival can swing things dramatically.

It isn't that Tamil Nadu has done shabbily in these last couple of decades. Far from it, since it boasts the second highest gross state domestic product (GSDP) in India. The question is what could have been if it had an airport that matched its stature as the traditional gateway to the south of India, and that is certainly one area where the city could have done better.

It wasn't always like this.

The Tamil Nadu government is making moves to establish a second airport in the city. The location is Parandur, 75 km outside Chennai. The state also has big plans for the proposed Hosur airport

GLORIOUS PAST

Madras was one of the earliest cities in the country to get an airport. Businessman Alagappa Chettiar's Jupiter Airways operated a Madras-Delhi service out of the airstrip near St Thomas Mount, which was later expanded into Meenambakkam aerodrome, named after the nearby village.

With aircraft services being few and far between, the runway was also used for the races conducted by the Madras Motor Sports Club, before it shifted to Sholavaram in 1955, says Sriram V, writer and city chronicler, in a blog post.

It was political push that changed the status of the airport in the 1950s. "Air facilities to Madras owed much to K Kamaraj who kept fighting for them during the 1950s and 1960s," writes Sriram. Thanks to that, Madras was connected to Colombo, Hyderabad, Bombay, Delhi, Calcutta, Bangalore, Coimbatore, Cochin, Trivandrum, Madurai and Trichy.

Over the years, according to Sriram, Air India started operating more international routes, with Madras getting connected to cities in Egypt, Greece, Italy, France, England, Burma, Malaya, Singapore, Australia, Hong Kong and Japan.

In the 1950s and '60s, the only overseas operator flying out of Madras was Air Ceylon. By the time the '70s hit, more foreign airlines began touching down at Madras.

J Krishnan, former president of an industry association, says historically, Chennai airport was the hub for the entire South —undivided Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Kerala and even parts of Odisha.

"That was the premium position the Madras airport enjoyed logistically," says Krishnan. "Compared with Mumbai and Delhi's Safdarjung airport, it was a very efficient airport. And in the '80s and even till the early '90s, many flights would land in Chennai and not Bangalore. So Chennai thought it had an invincible monopoly. It was hubris."

While there was a period when progress of our airport slowed, this government has recognised the critical role airports play in driving industrial growth and investment, and we have taken decisive steps to catch up and surpass expectations"
T.R.B. RAJAA,
Industries Minister, Tamil Nadu

BIG SHIFT

Then Bangalore happened.

In the noughties, Bangalore upped the ante. Following the likes of the Narita airport in Japan, it established an ultra-modern facility way outside the city, with room to grow.

This has made a huge difference. In 2023, a team of senior executives from Foxconn led by CEO and Chairman Young Liu began a walkthrough of Terminal 2, followed by a detailed presentation by senior executives from the Bengaluru International Airport Ltd (BIAL) on cargo infrastructure and facilities at the airport.

Liu and his team were seemingly impressed by what they saw, particularly the cargo handling. "The efficiency of cargo handling at the airport does have a significant bearing on our operations and metrics, as we rely on air freight for our multiple products, to a considerable extent," Liu said in a letter to the then Karnataka CM Basavaraj Bommai.

Krishnan says that model was picked up by Hyderabad. "The Chennai airport remained an anchored ship. It never moved forward. Today, many people prefer to bring cargo to Bengaluru where the Customs clear it and, within eight hours, they bring it to the factories in Sriperumbudur," says Krishnan, adding, "This takes less time than what it takes to get it cleared from Chennai airport."

"What was a competitive advantage for the state in the nineties is not even a competitive parity today," laments Ramamoorthy.

What complicates this are issues such as parking spaces—many wide-bodied cargo aircraft are diverted to Bengaluru because there is inadequate parking at Chennai—and dwindling international connectivity, especially after the pandemic.

Ravichandran Purushothaman, president of Danfoss India, says there should be more direct connections from Chennai to Europe, especially the Nordic countries. "Daily flights to Amsterdam or Copenhagen will enhance trade and commerce. India's engineering services and IT exports are increasing to the Nordic nations and other countries in Europe so it will be highly productive if direct flights are operated," he says.

Krishnan reckons the airport suffered from a sense of general apathy. "When Nokia was at its peak, they had to take an appointment with the PMO and give a representation that Chennai airport needs a covered area for cargo because the phones were lying outside, getting wet in the rain," he says.

The changing nature of politics through the 1990s didn't help.

Krishnan says, "The neglect of the infrastructure can be attributed to the airport being centrally ruled and the state being an opposition-ruled one."

That contributed to Chennai not following Bengaluru and Hyderabad in going for greenfield airports and privatisation. Existing airports in Mumbai and Delhi were privatised, leaving behind Kolkata and Chennai as the odd ones out.

Such apathy meant a critical opportunity to find ideal parcels of land at a relatively cheap rate was lost, even though vast tracts were easily available outside the city.

"The Airports Authority of India (AAI) thought the airport was going to be privatised so they washed their hands of it," says Krishnan, adding. "Capital expenditure almost came to a standstill, which added to the fall. Now they realise that things are not going to head towards privatisation of this facility so they are getting some investment done to upgrade the facility from horrible to ugly."

Things reached the nadir in 2015, when much of the airport got submerged in the flood. Images of aircraft stranded in flood waters were shared across the world.

THE PARANDUR PROMISE

It was clear that if all these go unaddressed, it could impact economic growth

Madras Airport: Flight Down Memory Lane

- Madras was one of the first cities in India to get an airport
- Alagappa Chettiar's Jupiter Airways operated a Madras-Delhi service from an airstrip
- The airstrip expanded to become the Meenambakkam aerodrome
- By 1959, Madras was connected to Hyderabad, Bombay, Delhi and Calcutta; plus the Bombay-Colombo flight stopped at Madras
- Air Ceylon was the only overseas operator from Madras in early years
- Then Air India operated international routes, connecting Madras to cities in Egypt, Greece, Italy, France, England, Burma, Malaya, Singapore, Australia, Hong Kong and Japan
- By the 1970s, more foreign airlines began touching down at Madras
- With a new passenger terminal coming up in the 1980s near Tirusulam, the old Meenambakkam terminal was dedicated to cargo

Source: V Sriram, writer & Chennai chronicler



and employment generation in the state.

That is probably why the Tamil Nadu government is finally making moves to establish a second airport in the city.

The location is Parandur, 75 km outside the city.

Reportedly, tenders for concessionaires —private entities who will build and operate the airport, like in Bengaluru—will be out by March.

Already, this has become a political hot potato, with protests intensifying against the displacement of villages at the proposed site. The newly established political party, Tamilaga Vettri Kazhagam (TVK) and its chief, actor Vijay, are among those who have voiced their concerns.

Chennai airport is hobbled by issues like parking spaces—many wide-bodied cargo aircraft are diverted to Bengaluru because there is inadequate parking at Chennai—and dwindling international connectivity, especially after the pandemic

The state's industries minister, TRB Rajaa, says Tamil Nadu is fully committed to the plan. "While there was a period when progress of our airports slowed, this government has recognised the critical role airports play in driving industrial growth and investment, and we have taken decisive steps to catch up and surpass expectations," he says. This, he adds, is not limited to Chennai and that the government has spent more than ₹2,100 crore to acquire land in Coimbatore as well, and is looking forward to "swift action" from AAI.

He says the state also has big plans for the proposed Hosur airport which, he says, will be a game-changer, not least because of its proximity to Bengaluru.

Karnataka, worried of the effect this will have on the preeminence of Bengaluru, has moved to announce a second airport which, in effect, will mean three civilian airports in relatively close proximity to the city.

Some would call it overkill, but it could trigger more growth in the region. It is also a symbol of the spirit of competitive federalism that could underpin the next cycle of India's economic engine.

That is a rosy picture for the future.

Until then, however, it will be a few more years of the same drudgery.

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Dharavikar on road for redevelopment

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पुनर्विकासात खोडा घालणाऱ्यांवर कारवाईची मागणी; डीआरपीच्या अधिकाऱ्यांना निवेदन

पुनर्विकासासाठी धारावीकर रस्त्यावर

मुंबई, (वा.) स्वार्थी राजकारण आणि लालफितीच्या कारभारामुळे अनेक दशकांपासून रखडलेला धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्प लवकरात लवकर पूर्ण करावा, तसेच या प्रकल्पात खोडा घालणाऱ्यांवर शासनाने कठोर कारवाई करावी, या प्रमुख मागण्यांसाठी हजारो धारावीकर शनिवारी सकाळी रस्त्यावर उतरले. सुमारे ५००० आबालवृद्ध स्थानिकांच्या या मोर्चाने धारावीतील रहिवाशांची भूमिका अधोरेखित करत प्रकल्पाला विरोध करणाऱ्यांना थेट चपराक लगावली आहे. महाराष्ट्र हाऊसिंग अँड एरिया डेव्हलपमेंट अथॉरिटी (म्हाडा) कार्यालयाबाहेर या मोर्चाची सांगता झाल्यावर शिष्टमंडळाने धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाच्या (डीआरपी) वरिष्ठ अधिकाऱ्यांची भेट घेऊन त्यांना निवेदन सादर केले. धारावीतील रहिवाशांनी डीआरपी अधिकाऱ्यांना दिलेल्या निवेदनात, पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाला गती देण्याची मागणी केली आहे. तसेच धारावीकरांच्या सर्वांगीण विकासासाठी

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विविध फलकांसह धारावीकरांची घोषणाबाजी

पहिल्यांदाच, अशा प्रकारे धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाला समर्थन देण्यासाठी काढण्यात आलेल्या या जनमोर्चाला, सकाळी सुमारे ११.३० वाजता शीव रेल्वे स्थानकाबाहेरील सिग्नल जवळून सुरुवात झाली. सर्व वयोगटांतील रहिवाशांनी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाच्या समर्थनार्थ घोषणाबाजी केली. 'गरिबी और गंदगी से दूर, धारावी का विकास जरूर', 'धारावी का विकास, अभी नहीं - तो कभी नहीं', 'घर घर में बोले नारी, अब धारावी के सुधार की बारी', 'मेरे बच्चो का पक्का घर, मेरा सपना' अशा विविध संदेशांचे फलक देखील मोर्चात सामील झालेल्या धारावीकरांच्या हाती होते.

विरोध करणाऱ्यांचे दणाणले धाबे

रहिवाशांनी या मोर्चाच्या माध्यमातून आपले हक्काचे घर, मूलभूत पायाभूत सुविधा, अद्ययावत आरोग्य सुविधा, दर्जेदार शैक्षणिक संस्था, रोजगाराच्या संधी यासाठी आवाज उठवला. धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्प लवकर पूर्ण करावा, या मागणीसाठी रहिवाशांनी उत्स्फूर्तपणे काढलेल्या या मोर्चामुळे संपूर्ण धारावीत एक वेगळा संदेश गेला असून यामुळे या प्रकल्पाला विरोध करणाऱ्या लोकांचे धाबे दणाणले आहेत.

शासनाच्या मागे ठामपणे उभे राहू

गेल्या अनेक वर्षांपासून आम्ही आमच्या नव्या हक्काच्या घरांच्या प्रतीक्षेत आहोत. या नव्या घरांमध्ये स्वच्छतागृह आणि इतर सुविधा असतील. मात्र काही राजकारणी विशेषत: गायकवाड भगिनी स्वत:च्या राजकीय स्वार्थासाठी धारावी पुनर्विकासाला विरोध करत आहेत. अशा सर्व लोकांना धारावीकरांच्या मनातली भावना जाहीरपणे सांगण्यासाठी हा मोर्चा आयोजित करण्यात आला होता. आमच्या हक्कांच्या घरासाठी आम्ही शासनाच्या मागे ठामपणे उभे राहून हा प्रकल्प पूर्णत्वास नेऊ, याची मला खात्री आहे.

- स्थानिक रहिवासी

जनता पुन्हा एकदा मोठ्या संख्येने रस्त्यावर उतरेल

देशाची आर्थिक राजधानी उभी करण्यात मोलाचे योगदान असणाऱ्या कामगार आणि कष्टकऱ्यांची धारावी आहे. आजवर गप्प बसून पुनर्विकासाचा तमाशा बघणाऱ्या धारावीकरांना आता जाग आली आहे. धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्प रोखणाऱ्या लोकांवर शासनाने कठोर कारवाई केली नाही, तर धारावीची जनता पुन्हा एकदा मोठ्या संख्येने रस्त्यावर उतरेल.

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The meeting on the sidelines of the Indian Ocean Conference to be held at Muscat is particularly significant as it comes at a time of tensions between the Modi government and the caretaker government in Dhaka led by Muhammad Yunus

Suhasini Haidar
MUSCAT

Amid troubled ties with Bangladesh, External Affairs Minister S. Jaishankar will meet Bangladesh Foreign Affairs Adviser Touhid Hossain on the sidelines of the eighth Indian Ocean Conference here on Sunday, sources said.

Mr. Jaishankar, who will inaugurate the regional conference co-hosted by the Ministry of External Affairs and the Omani government, and organised by the India Foundation, will also meet with a number of other Foreign Ministers from 27 countries that are taking part. The Foreign Ministers of Bhutan, Sri Lanka, the Maldives, Nepal and Bangladesh will be attending the annual conference.

In a sign of the government's normalisation process of ties with China after the October agreement between the militaries at the Line of Actual Control, China's Special Envoy for Middle East Affairs Zhai Jun will attend, marking the first time an official from the country has been invited since the conference held in 2019.



Regional issues: Last year, S. Jaishankar had addressed the Indian Ocean Conference that was held in Perth, Australia. FILE PHOTO

Iranian Foreign Minister Abbas Araghchi, Singapore's Foreign Minister Vivian Balakrishnan and Australian Foreign Minister Penny Wong will address the grouping. Mr. Jaishankar, who accompanied Prime Minister Narendra Modi to Paris and Washington this week, attended the Munich Security Conference on Saturday before arriving in Muscat.

Mr. Jaishankar will address the inaugural session of the Indian Ocean Conference on Sunday along with Omani Foreign Minister Sayyid Badr bin Hamad Al Busaidi and Mr. Balakrishnan.

Modi-Trump talks

Mr. Jaishankar's meeting with the Bangladesh Foreign Affairs Adviser is particularly significant as it comes amidst spiralling ties between the Modi government and the caretaker government in Dhaka led by Muhammad Yunus, and deep concerns that Mr. Modi even raised with U.S. President Donald Trump during his visit to Washington.

While India has expressed alarm over the attacks on minorities after the ouster of former Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina in August 2024, as well as the treatment of Indian businesses by the new government, the Yunus government has demanded that India ensure that Ms. Hasina, who has taken shelter in Delhi, does not make political statements or address public rallies of the Awami League via video conference. A number of other irritants, over border security, water sharing and flood management, trade issues, the release of radicals and those accused on terror charges in Bangladesh have also been discussed between both sides, including during a visit by Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri to Dhaka in December.

Mr. Jaishankar and Mr. Hossain will be tasked with taking forward the talks on resolving issues, as well preparing for a possible meeting between Mr. Modi and Mr. Yunus, as both are expected to attend the BIMSTEC regional conference in Bangkok on April 2-4.

Mr. Jaishankar will also have a chance to interact with other counterparts from the region, and tackle issues testing ties with them.

Sri Lankan Minister of Foreign Affairs Vijitha Herath will be in Muscat days after the Adani Group pulled out of a renewable energy contract after the Dissanayake government ordered a second review against it.

Maldives' Foreign Minister Abdulla Khaleel is expected to discuss talks for a Free Trade Agreement with India, after the Muizzu government has already operationalized an FTA with China.

Nepal's Foreign Minister Arzu Deuba is expected to discuss dates for a bilateral visit by Nepal's Prime Minister K.P. Sharma Oli, who was sworn in in July last year, but has not so far received an invitation.

In December, Mr. Oli travelled to Beijing for a bilateral visit, one of the first times India was not the first stop for a Nepali PM.

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Members free to air opinion, but party is paramount: Congress

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Members free to air opinion, but party is paramount: Congress

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The Congress on Saturday said its members had absolute freedom of speech to express their views but the party's view was paramount.

"The Indian National Congress is our country's ONLY political party where there is absolute freedom of speech as well as freedom after speech," Congress communications chief Jairam Ramesh said on the social media platform X.

"Members give their views on issues which are, on occasion, their own and that do not reflect the opinion of the party as a collective entity. It is the party's stance that is paramount," Mr. Ramesh said.

Though he did not name any particular leader, the party's statement comes a day after senior leader and Lok Sabha member Shashi Tharoor's comments on Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visit to the U.S. and joint press conference with U.S. President Donald Trump.


Jairam Ramesh

Tharoor's comments

Mr. Tharoor had hailed the PM's visit as "a significant development since Mr. Modi was the fourth head of government to have been given an appointment by President Trump".

His comments on Friday were at odds with the position taken by Leader of the Opposition in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi, who has said that Mr. Modi was covering up the alleged corruption of industrialist Gautam Adani.

Defending his position, Mr. Tharoor asserted that he could not always speak only in terms of the party's interest. He said that he had spoken in national interest and as a "responsible stakeholder in Indian democracy and an elected representative of Thiruvananthapuram".

Mr. Tharoor said he believes that India had done well in terms of getting the U.S. to the negotiating table on tariffs, while raising concerns about the manner in which illegal immigrants were treated.

He said in his 16-year-long political career, he had applauded when a government, be it a Congress government or some other party's, did the right thing.

On Friday, welcoming the Prime Minister's visit, the Thiruvananthapuram MP had said: "The press statements by both the Prime Minister and President Trump are very encouraging. The big concerns we all had have been addressed."

On the illegal immigration issue, Mr. Tharoor said: "The only thing missing there from what Prime Minister Modi said was the question of the manner in which these people were treated and sent back. I think his stand was absolutely correct. I hope some things were said behind closed doors and not in the press conference."

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Expectations high as India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy

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Expectations high as India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy

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DUBAI

The Indian team touched down in the city on Saturday, hoping to bag the ICC Champions Trophy, starting Wednesday, for the second time since 2013.

India had last won the ICC marquee event in England 12 years back under M.S. Dhoni.

The players and support staff trooped into a waiting bus, in line with the new BCCI diktat of travelling as a group, before proceeding to the designated team hotel.

Earlier, dressed nattily in a white T-shirt and black tracks, Rohit Sharma got down from his car, and walked towards his teammates at the departure lounge amid loud calls of 'Rohit bhai' and 'Rohit sir' by fans waiting near the Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj International Airport entrance.

Most of the squad arrived in the team bus, including head coach Gautam Gambhir, vice-captain Shubman Gill and ace batter Virat Kohli and the stars obliged some fans by signing autographs or waving at a few of them. Soon, the team boarded an afternoon flight to Dubai amid heightened optimism of clinching another global trophy after winning the T20 World Cup last June.

Group fixtures

A Jasprit Bumrah-less India will open its campaign against Bangladesh on Thursday in Dubai before the much-anticipated blockbuster against traditional rivals Pakistan February 23 (Sunday). The Men in Blue will take on New Zealand on March 2 (Sunday) to round off their league engagements.

The expectations of the fans have been boosted by India's recent 3-0 ODI series whitewash at home over England.

Focus on Rohit, Kohli

Those supporters assembled at the Mumbai airport will be hoping that the icons Rohit and Kohli will help the team pull off another triumph like it did in the West Indies last year.

India will need big runs from Rohit and Kohli who have copped heavy criticism after repeated failures in Test cricket.

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Adani letter...Seci sign !

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అదానీ లేఖ.. సెకి సంతకం!

- సెకి విద్యుత్ ఇస్తుందట!
- ఏప్రిల్ నుంచి సిద్ధం కావాలంటూ ఒత్తిడి
- పదేపదే ఇంధన శాఖకు లేఖలు

ఈనాడు, అమరావతి: విద్యుత్ తీసుకోవాలంటూ అదానీ సంస్థ.. సోలార్ ఎనర్జీ కార్పొరేషన్ (సెకి) ద్వారా రాష్ట్ర ప్రభుత్వానికి పదేపదే లేఖలు పంపుతోంది. విద్యుత్ సరఫరా నెట్‌వర్క్ సిద్ధం కాకముందే విద్యుత్‌ను తీసుకునేందుకు సిద్ధం కావాలని తొందర పెడుతోంది. ఇందుకు సంబంధించి సెకి నుంచి ప్రతి రెండు మూడు రోజులకు ఓ లేఖ వస్తూనే ఉంది. జనవరిలోనే సుమారు 10 లేఖలు ఇంధన శాఖకు అందాయి. 'ఏప్రిల్ నుంచి సౌర విద్యుత్‌ను సరఫరా చేసేందుకు సిద్ధంగా ఉన్నాం. ఆ విద్యుత్‌ను గ్రిడ్‌కు అనుసంధానించేందుకు నెట్‌వర్క్‌ను అభివృద్ధి చేయాల్సి ఉంది. మార్చి నాటికి అది సిద్ధం అవుతుంది' అనేది ఆ లేఖల సారాంశం. ఈ లేఖలకు స్పందించే అంశంపై అధికారులు మల్లగుల్లాలు పడుతున్నారు. సెకి లేఖలకు ప్రతిస్పందనగా జవాబు రాస్తే ఏమవుతుందనే దానిపై న్యాయ నిపుణుల సూచనలు తీసుకుంటున్నారు. సెకి నుంచి లేఖలు వస్తున్న విషయాన్ని ఇంధన శాఖకు చెందిన ఉన్నతాధికారి ఒకరు ధ్రువీకరించారు.

మొత్తం విద్యుత్ ఇస్తాం: అదానీ సంస్థ

'అదానీ సంస్థ గుజరాత్, రాజస్థాన్‌లలో సుమారు 2,450 మెగావాట్ల సౌర విద్యుత్ ప్లాంట్ల నిర్మాణాన్ని పూర్తి చేసింది. రాష్ట్ర ప్రభుత్వంతో కుదుర్చుకున్న విద్యుత్ విక్రయ ఒప్పందం (పీఎస్‌ఏ) ప్రకారం 2024 సెప్టెంబరు నుంచే మొదటి దశలో 3 వేల మెగావాట్ల విద్యుత్‌ను సరఫరా చేయాల్సి ఉంది. వివిధ కారణాల రీత్యా ఇవ్వలేకపోయాం. ఇప్పుడు అదానీ సంస్థ ప్లాంట్లు ఉత్పత్తిలోకి వచ్చాయి. ఆ విద్యుత్తును మొత్తం ఇచ్చేందుకు సిద్ధంగా ఉన్నాం. అయితే, ఆ కరెంటును గ్రిడ్‌కు కనెక్ట్ చేసేందుకు వీలుగా పీజీసీఐఎల్ సంస్థ నెట్‌వర్క్ సిద్ధంగా లేదు. అది మార్చి నాటికి పూర్తవుతుంది. ఏప్రిల్ నుంచి ఒప్పందం ప్రకారం విద్యుత్ ఇస్తాం. ప్రస్తుతం నెట్‌వర్క్ అందుబాటులో లేని కారణంగా ఉత్పత్తి చేసిన విద్యుత్‌ను అదానీ సంస్థ మార్కెట్‌లో అమ్ముకుంటోంది' అని పలు దఫాలుగా ఇంధన శాఖకు రాసిన లేఖల్లో సెకి పేర్కొంది. అదానీ సంస్థతో 7 వేల మెగావాట్ల విద్యుత్ కొనుగోలు ఒప్పందాన్ని (పీపీఏ) సెకి కుదుర్చుకుంది. ఆ మేరకు కరెంటును తీసుకోవాలంటూ సెకికి అదానీ సంస్థ లేఖలు రాస్తోంది. వాటిని కూడా సెకి జత చేసినట్లు సమాచారం.

నెట్‌వర్క్ ఇంకా సిద్ధం కాలేదు

అదానీ సంస్థ గుజరాత్, రాజస్థాన్‌లలో వివిధ సామర్థ్యాలతోగల ప్లాంట్లను ఏర్పాటు చేసింది. వాటి నుంచి వచ్చే విద్యుత్‌ను గ్రిడ్‌కు కనెక్ట్ చేసేందుకు రెండు రాష్ట్రాల్లోనూ నెట్‌వర్క్‌ను పీజీసీఐఎల్ అభివృద్ధి చేయాలి. అక్కడి నుంచి కరెంటును అనంతపురం జిల్లాలోని గుత్తి దగ్గర ట్రాన్స్‌కో 400 కేవీ సబ్‌స్టేషన్‌కు అనుసంధానించాలి. అప్పటి వరకు అదానీ సంస్థదే బాధ్యత. నెట్‌వర్క్ సిద్ధం కాకముందే అదానీ సంస్థ ఎందుకు తొందర చేస్తోందిఁ దీనివెనుక ఆంతర్యం ఏమిటనేది అధికారులకు కూడా అంతుపట్టడం లేదు. అదానీ తరపున సిబ్బంది తరచూ ఇంధన శాఖకు చెందిన ఉన్నతాధికారులను కలిసి విద్యుత్ తీసుకునే విషయమై ఒత్తిడి పెంచుతున్నట్లు తెలిసింది.

✦ ఆ కరెంటు ఎంత వస్తుందనేది తెలుసుకునేందుకు అవసరమైన మీటర్లు, ట్రాన్స్‌కో నెట్‌వర్క్ ద్వారా ఆ విద్యుత్‌ను తీసుకునేందుకు అవసరమైన పనులను ఇంధన శాఖ పూర్తి చేయాల్సి ఉంది. దీనికి కనీసం నెల రోజుల వ్యవధి పడుతుందని అధికారులు భావిస్తున్నారు.

మూడు దఫాలు.. 7 వేల మెగావాట్లు

గత ప్రభుత్వం సెకితో కుదుర్చుకున్న పీఎస్‌ఏ ప్రకారం మూడు విడతల్లో 7 వేల మెగావాట్ల సౌర విద్యుత్ తీసుకోవాలి. 2024 సెప్టెంబరులో మొదటి విడత 3 వేల మెగావాట్లు, 2025 సెప్టెంబరులో రెండో విడత 3 వేల మెగావాట్లు, 2026 సెప్టెంబరులో మిగిలిన 1,000 మెగావాట్లు తీసుకునేందుకు జగన్ ప్రభుత్వం ఒప్పందం చేసుకుంది. సెకి ట్రేడ్ మార్జిన్‌తో కలిపి యూనిట్‌కు రూ. 2.49 చొప్పున చెల్లించాలి. ఈ ఒప్పందం అమలైతే ఏపీఎస్‌పీడీసీఎల్ చార్జీల రూపేణా పీఎస్‌ఏ వ్యవధి 25 ఏళ్లలో రూ. 1.10 లక్షల కోట్ల అదనపు భారం పడే అవకాశం ఉందని కూటమి ప్రభుత్వం భావిస్తోంది. దీంతో సెకి నుంచి పదేపదే వస్తున్న లేఖలకు ఎలా స్పందించాలనే సందిగ్ధతలో అధికారులు ఉన్నారు.

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ગ્રીન ફિલ્ડ એરપોર્ટ શૂન્યમાંથી સર્જાઈ રહેલાં હવાઈમથક

યુપીએસસીએ જ્યારથી સિવિલ સેલની પ્રારંભિક પરીક્ષાઓમાં સી-સેટનો પ્રારૂપ સામિલ કર્યો છે ત્યારથી જનરલ સ્ટડીઝનો વ્યાપ વધુ વિસ્તૃત થયો છે. હવે ફક્ત આઇએએસની પરીક્ષામાં જ નહીં, પણ અંદાજે દરેક પરીક્ષાઓમાં જનરલ સ્ટડીઝના સવાલો પૂછવામાં આવે છે. પહેલી ફેબ્રુઆરી, ૨૦૨૫માં કેન્દ્રીય બજેટ રજૂ કરતી વખતે નાણાં પ્રધાન નિર્મલા સીતારામને ગ્રીન ફિલ્ડ એરપોર્ટની વાત ઉચ્ચારી ત્યારે ઘણાને આ અંગે કંઇ ખબર જ નહોતી. ઘણાએ આ અંગે જાણવા માટે ગૂગલનો પણ સહારો લીધો હતો. આજે આપણે આ ગ્રીન ફિલ્ડ એરપોર્ટ અંગે જ જાણવાના છીએ.





ગ્રીન ફિલ્ડ એરપોર્ટ એ એરપોર્ટ છે જે તદ્દન નવી જમીન, નવા સ્થાને અને આંતરરાષ્ટ્રીય માપદંડ અને આર્કિટેક્ચર પ્રમાણે બનાવવામાં આવે છે. એમ કહી શકાય કે શૂન્યમાંથી બનાવવું. એવી જમીન જેના પર કંઇ પણ સુવિધા ઉપલબ્ધ ન હોય અને તેના પર શરૂઆતથી કામ કરીને રનવે, ઇન્ફ્રાસ્ટ્રકચર તથા અન્ય સુવિધાઓ બનાવવામાં આવે તેને ગ્રીન ફિલ્ડ એરપોર્ટ કહેવામાં આવે છે. પટણા જે હાલનું એરપોર્ટ છે તેનાથી અલગ જે એરપોર્ટ બનવાનું છે તે ગ્રીન ફિલ્ડ એરપોર્ટ હશે. ભારતમાં હાલમાં ૩૪ આંતરરાષ્ટ્રીય એરપોર્ટ સહિત કુલ ૪૮૭ એરપોર્ટ છે. તેમાં અમુક ગ્રીન ફિલ્ડ એરપોર્ટનો પણ સમાવેશ થાય છે જેમાંથી અમુક મુખ્ય એરપોર્ટ છે....

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આ સિવાય પણ ગ્રીન ફિલ્ડ એરપોર્ટ છે. સૌથી પહેલું ગ્રીન ફિલ્ડ એરપોર્ટ રાજીવ ગાંધી આંતરરાષ્ટ્રીય એરપોર્ટ, હૈદરાબાદ છે જેની શરૂઆત ૨૦૦૮માં થઇ હતી. વિશ્વના પ્રથમ ગ્રીન ફિલ્ડ એરપોર્ટની વાત કરીએ તે આર્ટિફિશિયલ ઇન્ટેલિજન્સ (એઆઇ) પ્રમાણે જાપાનના ઓસાકાનું કંસાઇ ઇન્ટરનેશનલ એરપોર્ટ છે. તેને ઓસાકાના એક કૃત્રિમ દ્વીપ પર બનાવવામાં આવ્યું હતું અને ૧૯૯૪માં ખુલ્લું મુકાયું હતું. ગ્રીન ફિલ્ડ એરપોર્ટ એરપોર્ટનો સૌથી પહેલો વિચાર વીસમી સદીના ઉતરાર્ધમાં આવ્યો હતો. જ્યાં હવાઇ પ્રવાસીઓ વધવાને કારણે વધુ એરપોર્ટની જરૂર જણાઇ હતી. હાલમાં વિશ્વમાં ૩૦૦થી વધુ ગ્રીન ફિલ્ડ એરપોર્ટ છે અને ૨૦૩૦ સુધી આ સંખ્યા ૫૦૦ સુધી પહોંચવાની શક્યતા છે.

ભારતના પ્રથમ ગ્રીન ફિલ્ડ એરપોર્ટની ઘણી એવી વિશેષતાઓ છે જે અન્ય ગ્રીન ફિલ્ડ એરપોર્ટ કરતા તેને અલગ પાડે છે. ભારતના પ્રથમ રાજીવ ગાંધી આંતરરાષ્ટ્રીય એરપોર્ટ, હૈદરાબાદ એ એરપોર્ટનું નિર્માણ આધુનિક ટેક્નોલોજી અને ઇન્ફ્રાસ્ટકચર સાથે કરવામાં આવ્યું છે. તેને વિવિધ સુવિધાઓ સાથે ડિઝાઇન કરવામાં આવ્યુ છે જે તેને પારંપરિક એરપોર્ટથી અલગ કરે છે. હૈદરાબાદના શમશાબાદ ક્ષેત્રમાં સ્થિત આ એરપોર્ટ ક્ષેત્રફળના હિસાબે પણ દેશનું સૌથી મોટું એરપોર્ટ છે. તે ૫,૯૪૮ એકરમાં ફેલાયેલુ છે. તેમાં ડિસેમ્બર, ૨૦૧૫થી જ ઇ-બોર્ડિંગની સુવિધા ઉપલબ્ધ છે. ઇ-બોર્ડિંગ એવી સુવિધા છે જેમાં પ્રવાસી ભૌતિક દસ્તાવેજો વગર જ સુરક્ષા તપાસ, ચેક-ઇન અને બોર્ડિંગ કરી શકે છે. તેમાં પ્રવાસીઓ મોબાઇલમાં એર દ્વારા પણ સંપૂર્ણ પ્રક્રિયા કરીને પણ બોર્ડિંગ કરી શકે છે. તેમાં પ્રવાસીને એક બારકોડ આપવામાં આવે છે તેનો ઉપયોગ ચેક-ઇન કરતી વખતે કરી શકાય છે.

એએઆઇની વેબસાઇટ પર ઉપલબ્ધ આંકડા અનુસાર હાલમાં ભારતમાં ૪૮૭ એરપોર્ટ છે જેમાંથી ૧૩૭ એરપોર્ટનું સંચાલન એએઆઇ કરે છે. તેમાં ૧૦૩ ડોમેસ્ટિક, ૨૪ આંતરરાષ્ટ્રીય એરપોર્ટ છે. ■

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Synthetic diamonds worth Rs 5 crore seized at airport

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6	Hindi	41	N/A	Middle Left	54513	675K

एयरपोर्ट पर 5 करोड़ के सिंथेटिक हीरे जब्त



मुंबई. मुंबई के छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज अंतरराष्ट्रीय एयरपोर्ट पर तैनात सीआईएसएफ के जवानों ने 4.93 करोड़ रुपये के सिंथेटिक हीरों की तस्करी करने वाले शख्स को पकड़ा है. 12 फरवरी की रात 1:18 बजे एक भारतीय यात्री भरतभाई नथानी बैंकॉक जाने के लिए एनओके एयरलाइंस की फ्लाइट पकड़ने के लिए एयरपोर्ट पहुंचा था. यह फ्लाइट 2:50 बजे टर्मिनल 2 से उड़ान भरने वाली थी. आवश्यक चेक-इन औपचारिकताओं को पूरा करने के बाद, वह अपने हैंड बैग के साथ सुरक्षा जांच क्षेत्र में पहुंचे.

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Marol: Routes of many buses changed

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1	Hindi	51	Mumbai Plus	Top Right	38047	675K

मरोल: कई बसों के रूट बदले

बिछाई जा रही अदाणी इलेक्ट्रिसिटी की केबल

■ मुंबई (सं). कृष्णलाल मारवाह रोड पर अदाणी इलेक्ट्रिसिटी की केबल बिछाई जा रही है. इसलिए इस रूट पर चलने वाली बेस्ट की कई बसों का रूट बदल दिया गया है. केबल बिछाने का काम लगभग दो से ढाई महीने तक चलेगा. तब तक दोनों दिशाओं की बसों की आवाजाही में बदलाव जारी रहेगा. कृष्णलाल मारवाह रोड के बस रूट संख्या ए.498 पर अदाणी की केबल बिछाने का काम शुरू किया गया है. बसें अब मरोल मरोशी बस स्टेशन से मरोशी होते हुए अंधेरी कुर्ला लिंक रोड से मित्तल एस्टेट से स्टेट बैंक बस स्टॉप होते हुए आगे अपने रूट पर चलेंगी.

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OLD WHINE

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18	English	623	N/A	Top Left	2323529	2.55M

OLD WHINE

Focus on Rohit & Kohli as Team India departs for CT

Mumbai, Feb. 15: Dressed nattily in a white T-shirt and black tracks, Rohit Sharma got down from his car, and walked towards his teammates at the departure lounge amid loud calls of 'Rohit *bhai*' and 'Rohit sir' by fans waiting near the Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj International Airport entrance.

Most of the squad members arrived in the team bus including head coach Gautam Gambhir, vice-captain Shubman Gill and star batter Virat Kohli and the stars obliged some fans by signing autographs or waving at a few of them.

Soon, the team boarded an afternoon flight to Dubai for the upcoming Champions Trophy amid heightened optimism of netting another global trophy after winning the T20 World Cup last June.

A Jasprit Bumrah-less India will open their campaign against Bangladesh on February 20 in Dubai before the much-anticipated blockbuster against traditional rivals Pakistan February 23.

The confidence — of the fans and the team — has been boosted by India's recent 3-0 ODI series whitewash at home over England.

Those supporters assembled at the Mumbai airport will be hoping that the icons led by Rohit and Kohli will pull off another triumph like they did in the West Indies last year.

ONE LAST OPPORTUNITY FOR GREATS?

Few months ago, Hardik Pandya had walked out with the T20 World Cup trophy hoisted on his shoulders to join a sea of passionate fans on the streets near the Wankhede Stadium for an open bus parade.

If those scenes are to be repeated next month, then India will need some runs from Rohit and Kohli, who have copped heavy criticism after repeated failures in Test cricket. But they replied in kind, as Rohit made a characteristically fluent hundred — a 90-ball 119 in Cuttack ODI against England — and Kohli his 73rd fifty in Ahmedabad.

This might have brought them a temporary relief but a productive outing in the Champions Trophy is mandatory in the context of the duo's future in top-flight cricket.



With the emphasis firmly on hitting the next World Test Championship cycle from June and building a team for the 2027 50-over World Cup the Ajit Agarkar-chaired selection panel will closely observe how the two veterans — Rohit Sharma and Virat Kohli — fare during the Champions Trophy starting in Dubai from February 19. — *PTI*

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Kohli needs 37 runs to become the third batter ever in ODI history to make 14,000 runs while Rohit is only 12 runs away from becoming the 10th batter to complete 11,000 runs. But without a trophy, those numbers will lose some heaviness around them.

A big promotion came young Gill's way when he was named the ODI vice-captain, and the batter who averages nearly 61 in the format will be keen to stamp his authority with a fruitful outing in the Champions Trophy.

The absence of Bumrah is an opportunity for the likes of Arshdeep Singh and Harshit Rana, while Varun Chakravarthy would want to prove himself as the surprise strike weapon. — *PTI*

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Passenger load at Jaipur airport increased by 13%

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9	Hindi	287	N/A	Middle Right	249449	1.11M

अंतरराष्ट्रीय यात्री भार में 49% की वृद्धि

जयपुर एयरपोर्ट पर यात्री भार 13% बढ़ा

समाचार जगत न्यूज

जयपुर. जयपुर अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाई अड्डा (JAI) जनवरी 2025 के दौरान यात्री यातायात में अपनी प्रभावशाली वृद्धि जारी रखेगा। JAI हवाई अड्डे पर 5.68 लाख से अधिक यात्री भार दर्ज किया गया, जो जनवरी 2024 की तुलना में लगभग 13 प्रतिशत की वृद्धि दर्शाता है। जनवरी 2025 में हवाई अड्डे से 53,093 अंतरराष्ट्रीय यात्री गुजरे जो 2024 की इसी अवधि की तुलना में 49 प्रतिशत अधिक है।

इस तरहे घरेलू यात्री की संख्या 5.15 लाख रही, जो पिछले वर्ष की तुलना में 10 प्रतिशत की वृद्धि दर्शाता है। साल की शुरुवात में ही एयरपोर्ट के नाम एक और कीर्तिमान दर्ज हुआ। 10 फरवरी 2025 को, जयपुर अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाई अड्डे ने एक दिन में अब तक सबसे अधिक 21,565 यात्रियों को संभाला।

यात्रियों की बढ़ती संख्या और नए रूट खुलने के साथ ही एयरलाइंस ने विभिन्न घरेलू और अंतरराष्ट्रीय गंतव्यों के लिए नयी उड़ानें शुरू की।

हाल ही में दो एयरलाइंस ने जयपुर से प्रयागराज को जोड़ने वाली उड़ानें शुरू कीं, जबकि लंबे समय से प्रतीक्षित भुवनेश्वर रूट को भी फिर से खोल दिया गया।

इसके अलावा, एतिहाद एयरवेज द्वारा अबू धाबी के लिए 10 अतिरिक्त साप्ताहिक मूवमेंट शुरू करने से अंतरराष्ट्रीय यात्रियों की संख्या में भी वृद्धि हुई है। इससे पिछले साल जनवरी 2024 की तुलना में जनवरी 2025 में एयर ट्रैफिक मूवमेंट (एटीएम) में 10 प्रतिशत की वृद्धि हुई है।

वर्तमान में, जयपुर अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाई अड्डा 26 घरेलू शहरों और छह अंतरराष्ट्रीय गंतव्यों के लिए सीधी कनेक्टिविटी प्रदान करता है।

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Three Iranians arrested at Mumbai airport with seven kg of gold worth 6.28 crores

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3	Gujarati	19	N/A	Middle Center	22920	1.05M



મુંબઈ એરપોર્ટ પર ૬.૨૮ કરોડના સાત કિલો સોના સાથે ત્રણ ઈરાનીની ધરપકડ

(પ્રતિનિધિ દ્વારા)

મુંબઈ, તા.૧૫

મુંબઈ આંતરરાષ્ટ્રીય એરપોર્ટ પર રૂા.૬.૨૮ કરોડના ૭.૧૪૩ કિલોગ્રામ સોના સાથે ત્રણ ઈરાનીઓની ધરપકડ કરવામાં આવી હોવાનું ડિરેક્ટોરેટ ઓફ રેવન્યુ ઈન્ટેલિજન્સ (ડિઆરઆઈ)ના અધિકારીએ જણાવ્યું હતું.

કપડા નીચે પહેરેલી કમરની બેગમાં સોનું છુપાવવામાં આવ્યું હતું

ગુપ્તચરી મુંબઈ એરપોર્ટ પર આવેલા ત્રણ ઈરાની નાગરિકોને ચોક્કસ બાતમીના આધારે ડિરેક્ટરેટની ટીમે અટકાવ્યા હતા. તેમની તપાસ કરવામાં આવી હતી. દરમિયાન બે પ્રવાસીએ કપડા નીચે પહેરેલી કમરની બેગમાં સંતાડી રાખેલી ૭ કિલો સોનાની પેસ્ટ મળી હતી. પેસ્ટનું વજન અંદાજે ૭ કિલો જેવા થતું.

બંને પ્રવાસીએ પૂછપરછમાં બીજા સાથીદારની માહિતી આપી હતી. તેના આધારે ત્રીજા આરોપીની ધરપકડ કરવાની કાર્યવાહી કરી હતી. આ ત્રીજા આરોપીએ પણ પુરાવામાં તેની કબૂલાત નોંધાવી હતી.

આરોપી ત્રણેયની કસ્ટમ એક્ટ હેઠળ ધરપકડ કરવામાં આવી હતી. કોર્ટમાં રજા રજૂ કરવામાં આવતા તે બધા આરોપીને જામીન મંજૂર કરવામાં આવ્યા હતા.

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Adani's 'Navbharat' increases tension among Dharavi residents

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Residents took to the streets for the redevelopment of Dharavi

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धारावीच्या पुनर्विकासासाठी रहिवासी उतरले रस्त्यावर

लोकमत न्यूज नेटवर्क

मुंबई : धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्प लवकर पूर्ण करावा, या मागणीसाठी शनिवारी सकाळी धारावीकर रस्त्यावर उतरले. सुमारे तीन हजार स्थानिक या मोर्चात सहभागी झाले होते.

शीव रेल्वेस्थानकाबाहेरील सिग्नलजवळून सुरुवात झालेल्या मोर्चात 'गरिबी और गंदगी से दूर, धारावी का विकास जरूर', 'धारावी का विकास, अभी नही - तो कभी नहीं', अशा घोषणा त्यांनी दिल्या.



उद्या देणार निवेदन

म्हाडा कार्यालयाबाहेर या मोर्चाची सांगता झाली. मोर्चातील शिष्टमंडळ धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाच्या वरिष्ठ अधिकाऱ्यांची सोमवारी भेट घेऊन त्यांना निवेदन देणार आहेत.

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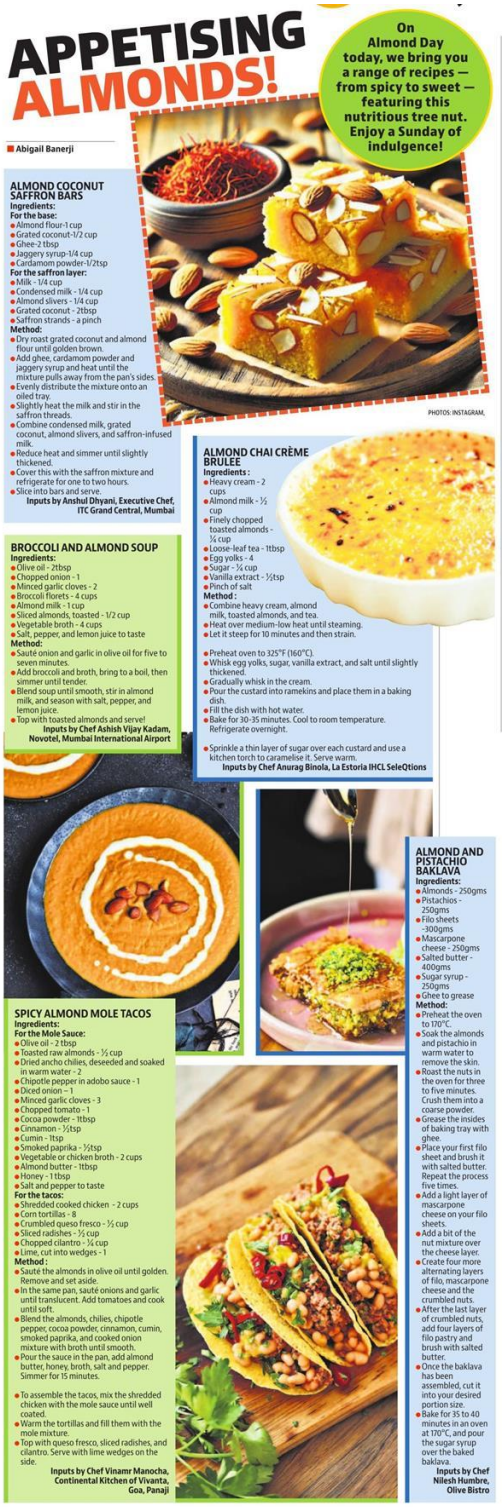
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Appetising almonds!

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APPETISING ALMONDS!

On Almond Day today, we bring you a range of recipes — from spicy to sweet — featuring this nutritious tree nut. Enjoy a Sunday of indulgence!

Abigail Banerji

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ALMOND COCONUT SAFFRON BARS

Ingredients:

For the base:
- Almond flour-1 cup
- Grated coconut-1/2 cup
- Ghee-2 tbsp
- Jaggery syrup-1/4 cup
- Cardamom powder-1/2tsp

For the saffron layer:
- Milk - 1/4 cup
- Condensed milk - 1/4 cup
- Almond slivers - 1/4 cup
- Grated coconut - 2tbsp
- Saffron strands - a pinch

Method:
- Dry roast grated coconut and almond flour until golden brown.
- Add ghee, cardamom powder and jaggery syrup and heat until the mixture pulls away from the pan's sides.
- Evenly distribute the mixture onto an oiled tray.
- Slightly heat the milk and stir in the saffron threads.
- Combine condensed milk, grated coconut, almond slivers, and saffron-infused milk.
- Reduce heat and simmer until slightly thickened.
- Cover this with the saffron mixture and refrigerate for one to two hours.
- Slice into bars and serve.

Inputs by Anshul Dhyani, Executive Chef, ITC Grand Central, Mumbai

ALMOND CHAI CRÈME BRULEE

Ingredients :
- Heavy cream - 2 cups
- Almond milk - ½ cup
- Finely chopped toasted almonds - ¼ cup
- Loose-leaf tea - 1tbsp
- Egg yolks - 4
- Sugar - ¼ cup
- Vanilla extract - ½tsp
- Pinch of salt

Method :
- Combine heavy cream, almond milk, toasted almonds, and tea.
- Heat over medium-low heat until steaming.
- Let it steep for 10 minutes and then strain.
- Preheat oven to 325°F (160°C).
- Whisk egg yolks, sugar, vanilla extract, and salt until slightly thickened.
- Gradually whisk in the cream.
- Pour the custard into ramekins and place them in a baking dish.
- Fill the dish with hot water.
- Bake for 30-35 minutes. Cool to room temperature. Refrigerate overnight.
- Sprinkle a thin layer of sugar over each custard and use a kitchen torch to caramelise it. Serve warm.

Inputs by Chef Anurag Binola, La Estoria IHCL SeleQtions

BROCCOLI AND ALMOND SOUP

Ingredients:
- Olive oil - 2tbsp
- Chopped onion - 1
- Minced garlic cloves - 2
- Broccoli florets - 4 cups
- Almond milk - 1 cup
- Sliced almonds, toasted - 1/2 cup
- Vegetable broth - 4 cups
- Salt, pepper, and lemon juice to taste

Method:
- Sauté onion and garlic in olive oil for five to seven minutes.
- Add broccoli and broth, bring to a boil, then simmer until tender.
- Blend soup until smooth, stir in almond milk, and season with salt, pepper, and lemon juice.
- Top with toasted almonds and serve!

Inputs by Chef Ashish Vijay Kadam, Novotel, Mumbai International Airport

ALMOND AND PISTACHIO BAKLAVA

Ingredients:
- Almonds - 250gms
- Pistachios - 250gms
- Filo sheets -300gms
- Mascarpone cheese - 250gms
- Salted butter - 400gms
- Sugar syrup - 250gms
- Ghee to grease

Method:
- Preheat the oven to 170°C.
- Soak the almonds and pistachio in warm water to remove the skin.
- Roast the nuts in the oven for three to five minutes. Crush them into a coarse powder.
- Grease the insides of baking tray with ghee.
- Place your first filo sheet and brush it with salted butter. Repeat the process five times.
- Add a light layer of mascarpone cheese on your filo sheets.
- Add a bit of the nut mixture over the cheese layer.
- Create four more alternating layers of filo, mascarpone cheese and the crumbled nuts.
- After the last layer of crumbled nuts, add four layers of filo pastry and brush with salted butter.
- Once the baklava has been assembled, cut it into your desired portion size.
- Bake for 35 to 40 minutes in an oven at 170°C, and pour the sugar syrup over the baked baklava.

Inputs by Chef Nilesh Humbre, Olive Bistro

SPICY ALMOND MOLE TACOS

Ingredients:

For the Mole Sauce:
- Olive oil - 2 tbsp
- Toasted raw almonds - ½ cup
- Dried ancho chilies, deseeded and soaked in warm water - 2
- Chipotle pepper in adobo sauce - 1
- Diced onion – 1
- Minced garlic cloves - 3
- Chopped tomato - 1
- Cocoa powder - 1tbsp
- Cinnamon - ½tsp
- Cumin - 1tsp
- Smoked paprika - ½tsp
- Vegetable or chicken broth - 2 cups
- Almond butter - 1tbsp
- Honey - 1 tbsp
- Salt and pepper to taste

For the tacos:
- Shredded cooked chicken - 2 cups
- Corn tortillas - 8
- Crumbled queso fresco - ½ cup
- Sliced radishes - ½ cup
- Chopped cilantro - ¼ cup
- Lime, cut into wedges - 1

Method :
- Sauté the almonds in olive oil until golden. Remove and set aside.
- In the same pan, sauté onions and garlic until translucent. Add tomatoes and cook until soft.
- Blend the almonds, chilies, chipotle pepper, cocoa powder, cinnamon, cumin, smoked paprika, and cooked onion mixture with broth until smooth.
- Pour the sauce in the pan, add almond butter, honey, broth, salt and pepper. Simmer for 15 minutes.
- To assemble the tacos, mix the shredded chicken with the mole sauce until well coated.
- Warm the tortillas and fill them with the mole mixture.
- Top with queso fresco, sliced radishes, and cilantro. Serve with lime wedges on the side.

Inputs by Chef Vinamr Manocha, Continental Kitchen of Vivanta, Goa, Panaji

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Indian team leaves for Champions Trophy

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चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी के लिए भारतीय टीम रवाना

▸▸ रोहित कार से तो गंभीर-कोहली बस में एयरपोर्ट पहुंचे, दिग्गजों के लिए चुनौती

नई दिल्ली। सफेद टीशर्ट और कार्गो ट्रैकपैंट पहने रोहित शर्मा शनिवार, 15 फरवरी को अपनी कार से उतरे और छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाई अड्डे के डिपार्चर लाउंज में अपने साथियों की ओर चले गए। इस दौरान एंट्री गेट के पास मौजूद प्रशंसक 'रोहित भाई' और 'रोहित सर' के जोरदार नारे लगाते दिखे। भारतीय टीम के अधिकांश सदस्य टीम बस में



एयरपोर्ट पहुंचे। इनमें मुख्य कोच गौतम गंभीर, उपकप्तान शुभमन गिल और स्टार बल्लेबाज विराट कोहली शामिल थे। हार्दिक पंड्या सबसे देर से एयरपोर्ट पहुंचे। खिलाड़ियों ने कुछ प्रशंसकों को ऑटोग्राफ देकर या हाथ हिलाकर उनका आभार व्यक्त किया। मुंबई एयरपोर्ट पर जमा हुए प्रशंसक उम्मीद कर रहे होंगे कि रोहित और कोहली की मौजूदगी में टीम एक और आईसीसी ट्रॉफी जीते।

इंग्लैंड के खिलाफ क्लीन स्वीप से बढ़ा होगा आत्मविश्वास

- जून 2025 में टी20 विश्व कप जीतने के बाद एक और आईसीसी ट्रॉफी जीतने की बढ़ी हुई आशा के बीच भारतीय टीम चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी के लिए दुबई रवाना हो गई। जसप्रीत बुमराह के बिना भारत 20 फरवरी को दुबई में बांग्लादेश के खिलाफ अपने अभियान की शुरुआत करेगा। प्रशंसकों और भारतीय टीम का आत्मविश्वास हाल ही में घरेलू सरजमीं पर इंग्लैंड के खिलाफ 3-0 की वनडे सीरीज में क्लीन स्वीप से बढ़ा होगा।

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Karan wore a sweater worth one and a half lakh, but people considered it a beggar's look

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કરણે પહેર્યું દોઢ લાખનું સ્વેટર પણ લોકોએ ગણાવ્યો એને ભિખારી લુક

પ્રોડ્યુસરે છેલ્લા કેટલાક દિવસોમાં ઘણું વજન ઘટાડ્યું છે અને આ કારણે લેટેસ્ટ લુક લોકો માટે આશ્ચર્યનું કારણ બની રહ્યો છે



કરણ જોહરે તેની કરીઅર દરમ્યાન અનેક સુપરહિટ અને બ્લૉકબસ્ટર ફિલ્મો આપી છે. તે પોતાની ફિલ્મો સિવાય નેપોટિઝમના વિવાદ સહિત બીજા અનેક મુદ્દાઓને કારણે ચર્ચામાં રહે છે. છેલ્લા કેટલાક સમયથી તે પોતાના ટ્રાન્સફૉર્મેશનને કારણે પણ ચર્ચામાં છે. બાવન વર્ષના કરણ જોહરને હાલમાં મુંબઈ એરપોર્ટ પર સ્પૉટ કરવામાં આવ્યો હતો જ્યાં તેના લુકને જોઈને લોકો આશ્ચર્યચકિત થઈ ગયા.

ફિલ્મમેકરે Doublet બ્રૅન્ડનું સ્વેટર અને પૅન્ટ પહેર્યાં હતાં. આ આઉટફિટનો લુક એકદમ ચીથરેહાલ હતો. જોકે આ સ્વેટરની કિંમત અંદાજે દોઢ લાખ રૂપિયા છે. કરણનું આ સ્વેટર અને પૅન્ટ ઘણી જગ્યાએથી ફાટેલાં હતાં જેને જોઈને યુઝર્સે મજાક શરૂ કરી દીધી. એક યુઝરે કરણને ટ્રોલ કરીને લખ્યું, 'બિલ્યનેરનો ભિખારી લુક.' કરણના લુક પર યુઝર્સ કમેન્ટ કરીને તેમનું આશ્ચર્ય વ્યક્ત કરી રહ્યા છે.

આ પહેલાં કરણ જોહર તેના ટ્રાન્સફૉર્મેશનને કારણે ચર્ચામાં છે. પ્રોડ્યુસરે છેલ્લા કેટલાક દિવસોમાં ઘણું વજન ઘટાડ્યું છે, જેના કારણે તેનો લેટેસ્ટ લુક લોકો માટે આશ્ચર્યનું કારણ બની રહ્યો છે.

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Team India reached Dubai: Match against Bangladesh on 20th

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7	Gujarati	128	N/A	Middle Center	51121	34.89K

ટીમ ઈન્ડિયા પહોંચી દુબઈ : ૨૦મીએ બાંગ્લાદેશ સામે મુકાબલો



દુબઈ, તા.૧૫ : ચેમ્પિયન્સ ટ્રોફી રમવા ભારતીય ક્રિકેટ ટીમ શનિવારે દુબઈ જવા રવાના થઈ હતી. પાકિસ્તાનની મેજબાનીમાં ચેમ્પિયન્સ ટ્રોફીનું આયોજન કરાયું છે અને ભારતીય ટીમ પાકિસ્તાન જવાને બદલે પોતાના તમામ મેચ દુબઈમાં રમશે. સુકાની રોહિત શર્મા પોતાની પર્સનલ કારમાં એરપોર્ટ પહોંચ્યો હતો જે સાથે બીસીસીઆઈના નિયમનું શું ? તેવો સવાલ ઉઠ્યો છે.

૧૯ ફેબ્રુઆરીથી ચેમ્પિયન્સ ટ્રોફીનો પ્રારંભ થવાનો છે અને ભારતનો પહેલો મુકાબલો ૨૦મીએ બાંગ્લાદેશ સામે છે. ૨૩મીએ પાકિસ્તાન સામે મુકાબલો છે. ૨ માર્ચે લીગ રાઉન્ડનો છેલ્લો મેચ ન્યુઝીલેન્ડ સામે રમશે. જો રોહિત સેના સેમી ફાઈનલ અને ફાઈનલમાં પહોંચશે તો તે મુકાબલા પણ દુબઈ ઈન્ટરનેશનલ ક્રિકેટ સ્ટેડિયમમાં જ રમાશે. દુબઈ પહોંચ્યા બાદ ભારતીય ટીમ કોઈ પ્રેક્ટિસ મેચ નહીં રમે. શનિવારે ભારતીય ટીમના ખેલાડીઓ મુંબઈ ઈન્ટરનેશનલ એરપોર્ટથી દુબઈ જવા રવાના થયા હતા.

ટીમમાં ૫ સ્પીનર

સ્ટાર બોલર બૂમરાહ ઈજાને કારણે ટીમમાંથી બહાર થયો છે. તેના સ્થાને હર્ષિત રાણાને તક મળી છે. યશસ્વી જયસ્વાલના સ્થાને વરુણ ચક્રવર્તીનો અંતિમ ૧૫માં સમાવેશ કરાયો છે. જે સાથે ભારતીય સ્કવોડમાં કુલ ૫ સ્પીનર થયા છે.

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Three foreigners arrested with 7.14 kg gold at airport

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3	Marathi	58	N/A	Bottom Center	24291	482K

एयरपोर्ट पर 7.14 किलो सोने के साथ तीन विदेशी गिरफ्तार

यशोभूमि / एजेंसी, मुंबई। छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज अंतरराष्ट्रीय एयरपोर्ट पर राजस्व खुफिया निदेशालय (डीआरआई) की टीम ने शुक्रवार रात 7.14 किलोग्राम सोने के साथ तीन विदेशी नागरिकों को गिरफ्तार किया।



बरामद सोने की कीमत अंतरराष्ट्रीय बाजार में 6.28 करोड़ आंकी गई है। डीआरआई सूत्रों ने शनिवार को मीडिया को बताया कि उनकी टीम को दुबई से मुंबई तस्करी के सोने सहित कुछ यात्रियों के आने की गोपनीय जानकारी मिली थी। इसी जानकारी के आधार पर शुक्रवार रात को डीआरआई टीम ने निगरानी रखी थी। रात को जैसे ही तीन ईरानी नागरिक मुंबई एयरपोर्ट पर लैंड हुए, डीआरआई की टीम ने इन तीनों को शक के आधार पर रोक लिया और उनकी तलाशी के दौरान सात सोने की छड़ें और उसका एक टुकड़ा बरामद हुआ। तीनों से गहन पूछताछ जारी है।

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Adani Group chairman Gautam Adani along with his wife Priti offered chadar at Ajmer Sharif Dargah on...

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15	Marathi	444	N/A	Middle Center	1010013	1.3M



अदानी समूहाचे अध्यक्ष गौतम अदानी यांनी पत्नी प्रिती यांच्यासह अजमेर शरीफ दर्ग्यावर शनिवारी चादर चढवली.

Navakal • Mumbai • 16 Feb, 2025

Adani's entry into space is the creation of a satellite launch vehicle

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1	Marathi	141	N/A	Top Left	70350	273.62K

अदानीचा अंतराळ क्षेत्रात शिरकाव उपग्रह प्रक्षेपण यानाची निर्मिती

दिवसागणिक उद्योगाचे एक एक क्षेत्र पादाक्रांत करत असलेला गौतम अदानी यांचा उद्योग समूह लवकरच अंतराळ क्षेत्रात प्रवेश करण्याची शक्यता आहे. भारतीय अवकाश संशोधन संस्था इस्त्रोने छोट्या उपग्रहांचे प्रक्षेपण करण्यासाठी किफायतशीर किमतीत यानाची निर्मिती करण्याचे कंत्राट खासगी कंपन्यांना देण्याचा निर्णय घेतला असून, त्यासाठी निवडलेल्या तीन कंपन्यांमध्ये अदानी समूहाचा समावेश आहे.

■ मुंबई

इस्त्रोने ५०० ग्रॅम वजनापर्यंतचे छोटे उपग्रह पृथ्वीच्या निम्न कक्षेत (लोअर अर्थ ऑर्बिट) स्थापित करण्यासाठी इस्त्रोने एसएसएलव्हीचे तंत्रज्ञान खासगी कंपन्यांकडे सोपवण्याचा निर्णय घेतला आहे.

त्यासाठी इस्त्रोने निविदा प्रक्रिया राबविली होती.



एसएसएलव्ही हे प्रक्षेपक यान विकसित केले आहे. या छोट्या उपग्रहांच्या प्रक्षेपक यानांना जगभरातून सर्वाधिक मागणी आहे. इस्त्रोने एसएसएलव्हीची २०२३ मध्ये यशस्वी चाचणी केली. त्यानंतर अवकाश क्षेत्रातील आपला आवाका वाढविण्याच्या उद्देशाने त्यामध्ये २० कंपन्यांनी निविदा भरल्या होत्या. त्यापैकी तीन कंपन्यांची नावे अंतिम निर्णयासाठी निश्चित करण्यात आली आहेत. त्यात अदानी समूहातील एक कंपनी आणि सार्वजनिक क्षेत्रातील दोन कंपन्यांचा समावेश आहे.

Loksatta • Mumbai • 16 Feb, 2025

Dharavikar on road for redevelopment

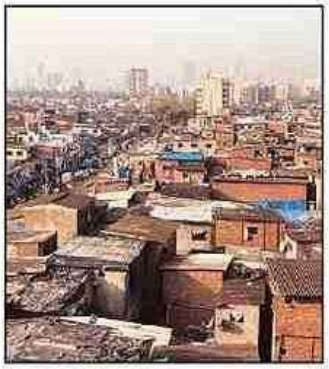
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3	Marathi	712	N/A	Bottom Left	2792650	784.32K

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लोकसत्ता प्रतिनिधी

मुंबई : आशियातील सर्वात मोठ्या झोपडपट्टीचा कायापालट करण्यासाठी राज्य सरकारने धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्प हाती घेतला आहे. त्यादृष्टीने कार्यवाही सुरू आहे, मात्र या पुनर्विकासाला मोठ्या संख्येने धारावीकरांचा विरोध असून, हा विरोध वेळोवेळी आंदोलनाच्या माध्यमातून समोर येतो. तर दुसरीकडे धारावी पुनर्विकासाला समर्थन देणाऱ्या धारावीकरांचाही एक गट आहे. याच समर्थक गटाने शनिवारी धारावीचा पुनर्विकास वेगाने मार्गी लागावा यासाठी मार्चा काढला होता. पुनर्विकासाच्या समर्थनार्थ मोठ्या संख्येने धारावीकर या मोर्चात सहभागी झाले होते. धारावी पुनर्विकासात खोडा घालणाऱ्यांविरोधात कठोर कारवाईची मागणी यावेळी पुनर्विकास समर्थक धारावीकरांनी केली. तर यासंबंधीचे निवेदन लवकरच धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पास (डीआरपी) देण्यात येणार असल्याचे पुनर्विकास समर्थकांकडून सांगण्यात आले.



धारावी पुनर्विकासाअंतर्गत सध्या नवभारत मेगा डेव्हल्पर्स प्रायव्हेट लिमिटेडकडून (एनएमडीपीएल) सर्वेक्षणाचे काम सुरू आहे. या सर्वेक्षणाद्वारे धारावीकरांची पात्र-अपात्रता निश्चिती केली जाणार आहे. अपात्र धारावीकरांना धारावीबाहेर घरे दिली जाणार आहेत. याला धारावीकरांचा विरोध असून सर्व धारावीकर पात्र आहेत, त्यांना धारावीतच घरे मिळायला हवी, अशी मागणी धारावी बचाव आंदोलनाच्या माध्यमातून मोठ्या संख्येने धारावीकरांकडून करण्यात येत आहे. याच मागणीच्या अनुषंगाने धारावीकरांकडून सर्वेक्षणाला, पुनर्विकासाला विरोध होत आहे.

शीव रेल्वे स्थानकाबाहेरून सकाळी ११.३० च्या सुमारास या मोर्चाला सुरुवात झाली आणि या मोर्चाची सांगता वांद्रे पूर्व येथे म्हाडा मुख्यालयाजवळ झाली. यावेळी समर्थकांनी धारावी पुनर्विकास अत्यंत गरजेचा असल्याने तो वेगाने मार्गी लावण्याची मागणी केली. तर, धारावी समर्थनार्थ काढण्यात आलेल्या मोर्चात धारावीकरांऐवजी धारावीबाहेरील नागरिकांचाच अधिक सहभाग होता. हा मोर्चा अदानी पुरस्कृत होता, असा आरोप धारावी बचाव आंदोलनाचे समन्वयक ॲड राजू कोरडे यांनी केला.

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Gautam Adani slipped to 23rd place in the list of world's richest people

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गौतम अडानी विश्व के अमीरों की सूची में 23वें स्थान पर फिसले



एशिया में तीसरे नंबर पर हैं। घरेलू शेयर बाजार में लगातार आठ सत्र से गिरावट आ रही है। इस कारण भारतीय रईसों की नेटवर्थ में गिरावट आई है। रिलायंस इंडस्ट्रीज के चेयरमैन और एशिया के सबसे बड़े रईस मुकेश अंबानी की नेटवर्थ में इस साल 4.55 अरब डॉलर की गिरावट आई है। वह 86.1 अरब डॉलर की नेटवर्थ के साथ दुनिया के अमीरों की लिस्ट में 17वें नंबर पर बने हुए हैं। एचसीएल के शिव नाडर ने इस साल 4.14 अरब डॉलर, शापूरजी मिस्त्री ने 2.18 अरब डॉलर, अजीम प्रेमजी ने 18.8 करोड़ डॉलर, सावित्री जिंदल ने 5.20 अरब डॉलर और सन फार्मा के दिलीप सांघवी ने 3.40 अरब डॉलर गंवाए हैं। दुनिया में सबसे ज्यादा नेटवर्थ गंवाने के मामले में एलन मस्क पहले नंबर पर हैं जबकि सबसे ज्यादा कमाई करने में मार्क जकरबर्ग सबसे आगे हैं। दुनिया के सबसे बड़े रईस मस्क की नेटवर्थ में इस साल 34.1 अरब डॉलर गंवाए हैं। अब उनकी नेटवर्थ 398 अरब डॉलर रह गई है। दूसरी तरफ फेसबुक की पेरेंट कंपनी मेटा प्लेटफॉर्म्स के सीईओ जकरबर्ग की नेटवर्थ में इस साल 52 अरब डॉलर की तेजी आई है। वह 259 अरब डॉलर की नेटवर्थ के साथ दुनिया के अमीरों की लिस्ट में मस्क के बाद दूसरे नंबर पर हैं।

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Gave 25,000 of jobs, will add 27,000 more people with new investment: Pranav Adani

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बिहार की राजधानी में ग्लोबल इन्वेस्टर्स समिट के बहाने देश-विदेश के करीब 800 बिजनेसमैन जुटे। बिहार बिजनेस कनेक्ट 2024 के नाम से पटना के ज्ञान भवन में आयोजित इस कार्यक्रम में देश के मशहूर उद्योगपति प्रणव अदाणी ने बिहार सरकार और बिहार के माहौल की खुले मन से प्रशंस की। उन्होंने कहा कि मुख्यमंत्री नीतीश कुमार के दृष्टिकोण से पूरे देश के लिए लाभकारी विकास का एक मॉडल तैयार हुआ है। यही कारण है कि अदाणी समूह ने अबतक यहां 25 हजार रोजगार दिए हैं और नए निवेश के जरिए 27 हजार लोगों को अवसर देने की तैयारी है। उन्होंने बिहार में 20,000 करोड़ रुपये का निवेश कर एक अल्ट्रा-सुपरक्रिटिकल थर्मल पावर प्लांट स्थापित करने योजना की जानकारी देकर एक बड़ी उम्मीद भी जताई।

प्रसिद्ध उद्योगपति प्रणव अदाणी ने बिहार के माहौल को लेकर कहा- मैं बिहार सरकार को बधाई देना चाहूंगा, जिन्होंने अर्थव्यवस्था के हर क्षेत्र से इतने प्रभावशाली लोगों को एक मंच पर लाने का काम किया है। बिहार के माननीय मुख्यमंत्री के नेतृत्व में राज्य के हर क्षेत्र में बदलाव हो रहा है, विशेष रूप से शासन व्यवस्था, व्यापार करने में आसानी, स्वास्थ्य सेवाओं तक आसान पहुंच, सामाजिक सुधार, कानून और व्यवस्था, शिक्षा और साक्षरता, महिलाओं और वंचितों का सशक्तिकरण के क्षेत्र में। और इस आयोजन के संदर्भ में, इंफ्रास्ट्रक्चर का तेजी से विकास आपके नेतृत्व की खास पहचान बन चुका है। माननीय मुख्यमंत्री के दृष्टिकोण से पूरे देश के लिए लाभकारी विकास का एक मॉडल तैयार हुआ है। मुझे यह कहते हुए गर्व हो रहा है कि अदाणी ग्रुप, बिहार के लिए आपके दृष्टिकोण से बहुत प्रेरित है। इसका सबसे बड़ा प्रमाण यह है कि हम बिहार के सबसे बड़े निजी निवेशक हैं।

प्रणव अदाणी ने अपने अनुभवों का जिक्र करते हुए बताया कि अबतक क्या किया है और आगे क्या करेंगे। उन्होंने कहा- पिछले साल आयोजित हुए बिहार बिजनेस कनेक्ट में, मैंने आपसे वादा किया था कि मैं बिहार में हमारी प्रगति के बारे में आपको जानकारी देता रहूंगा। आज मैं आपको हमारे मौजूदा और भविष्य की निवेश योजनाओं के बारे में बताना चाहता हूं। पांच महीने पहले, जुलाई के अंत में, हमने बिहार में एक और नए क्षेत्र में प्रवेश किया था जब आपने दो साल पहले एसीसी और अंबुजा सीमेंट्स के अधिग्रहण के बाद, हमारी पहली ग्रीनफील्ड सीमेंट परियोजना की नींव रखी थी। यह परियोजना वारिसलीगंज में एक सीमेंट ग्राइंडिंग यूनिट है। हमारी योजना बिहार में 2,500 करोड़ रुपये का निवेश कर, कई चरणों में 10 एमएमटीपीए क्षमता का सीमेंट उत्पादन स्थापित करने की है। इससे बिहार के नागरिकों के लिए प्रत्यक्ष और अप्रत्यक्ष रूप से करीब 9,000 रोजगार के अवसर पैदा होंगे।

उन्होंने बताया- हमने तीन क्षेत्रों, लॉजिस्टिक्स, गैस डिस्ट्रीब्यूशन और एग्री-लॉजिस्टिक्स में, अब तक लगभग 850 करोड़ रुपये का निवेश किया है और प्रत्यक्ष तथा अप्रत्यक्ष रूप से करीब 25,000 लोगों को रोजगार दिया है। अब हम इन क्षेत्रों में 2,300 करोड़ रुपये का अतिरिक्त निवेश करने जा रहे हैं। इससे न केवल हमारी भंडारण और प्रबंधन क्षमता बढ़ेगी, बल्कि ईवी, सीजीडी और सीबीजी क्षेत्रों में भी हमारी उपस्थिति बेहतर होगी। इसके साथ ही इससे प्रत्यक्ष और अप्रत्यक्ष रूप से करीब 27,000 अतिरिक्त स्थानीय रोजगार के अवसर भी पैदा होंगे। हम बिहार में गति शक्ति रेलवे टर्मिनल, आईसीडी (इनलैंड कंटेनर डिपो) और इंडस्ट्रियल वेयरहाउसिंग पार्क जैसे रणनीतिक इंफ्रास्ट्रक्चर के विकास में संभावित रूप से 1,000 करोड़ रुपये का निवेश करने के लिए आपकी सरकार के साथ मिलकर काम कर रहे हैं। एक अन्य क्षेत्र जिसमें हम निवेश कर रहे हैं वह स्मार्ट मीटर मैन्युफैक्चरिंग है। जैसे-जैसे बिहार पारंपरिक बिजली मीटर से स्मार्ट मीटर की ओर बढ़ रहा है, हम पांच शहरों - सिवान, गोपालगंज, वैशाली, सारण और समस्तीपुर में बिजली की खपत-निगरानी को ऑटोमेट करने के लिए 28 लाख से अधिक स्मार्ट मीटर बनाने और स्थापित करने के लिए 2,100 करोड़ रुपये का निवेश करेंगे। इस प्रकार हम प्रौद्योगिकी क्षेत्र में कम से कम 4,000 स्थानीय नौकरियां पैदा करेंगे।

उन्होंने कुछ ऐसी बातें भी बताईं, जो बिहार में बाकी निवेशकों को भी उत्साहित करेगी और राज्य सरकार के लिए भी मायने रखती है। उन्होंने कहा- हम बिहार के ऊर्जा क्षेत्र में भी निवेश के रास्ते तलाश रहे हैं। हमारी योजना 20,000 करोड़ रुपये का निवेश कर एक अल्ट्रा-सुपरक्रिटिकल थर्मल पावर प्लांट स्थापित करने की है।

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Take an aggressive stance against Adani!

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'अदानी'विरोधात आक्रमक भूमिका घ्यावी!



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'वॉटर, गटर आणि मीटरमुळे मुंबईकर त्रासले आहेत. अदानी वीज कंपनीविरोधात असंतोष वाढत असून, त्याविरोधात पक्षाने ठाम भूमिका घ्यायला हवी', अशी जोरकस भूमिका राष्ट्रवादी काँग्रेस (शरदचंद्र पवार) पक्षाच्या बैठकीत पक्षनेत्यांनी शनिवारी मांडली. यावर, 'जनतेचा रोष व्यक्त व्हायलाच हवा. त्यासाठी जी भूमिका घ्यायला हवी ती नेत्यांनी घ्यावी', असा सकारात्मक प्रतिसाद पक्षाच्या राष्ट्रीय कार्याध्यक्ष सुप्रिया सुळे यांनी दिला.

मुंबई महापालिकेच्या आगामी निवडणुकीच्या पार्श्वभूमीवर राष्ट्रवादी (शप) पक्षाची रणनीती आखण्यासाठी सुळे यांच्या अध्यक्षतेखाली प्रदेश कार्यालयात बैठकीचे आयोजन करण्यात आले होते. यात निवडणुकीची तयारी कशाप्रकारे करावी, याविषयी चर्चा करण्यात आली. मुंबईत असलेले विविध नागरी प्रश्न आणि त्यांची निवडणुकांमध्ये कशी मांडणी करायची, याविषयीसुद्धा बैठकीत खल करण्यात आला.

'अदानी वीज कंपनीकडून येणाऱ्या बिलांमुळे नागरिक त्रस्त असून, त्याविरोधात आंदोलन करायला हवे', अशी सूचना माजी आमदार आणि मुंबई जिल्हाध्यक्ष मिलिंद कांबळे यांनी केली. 'महापालिकेत प्रतिनिधित्व मिळावे यासाठी पक्षाला आक्रमक व्हायला हवे', असेही ते म्हणाले. त्यांच्या मताला बैठकीतील इतर नेत्यांनी पाठिंबा देत, 'विजेचा प्रश्न गंभीर असून त्यावर आवाज उठवावा', असा दुजोरा दिला.

'अदानी'च्या महागड्या विजेच्या मुद्द्यावर गांभीर्याने चर्चा करण्यात आली. जनतेच्या मनातील राग व्यक्त करण्यासाठी आंदोलन करणे आवश्यक असेल तर ते करावे. नागरिकांचे प्रश्न जोरकसपणे मांडावेत. नेत्यांच्या पाठीशी पक्ष उभा राहील, असे सुप्रिया सुळे यांनी सांगितल्याचे पक्षाच्या मुंबई अध्यक्ष राखी जाधव यांनी 'मटा'ला सांगितले. निवडणुकीला सामोरे जाताना पक्षात काय संघटनात्मक बदल करावेत, याविषयीसुद्धा बैठकीत चर्चा झाल्याचे त्या म्हणाल्या.

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Dharavikar on road for redevelopment

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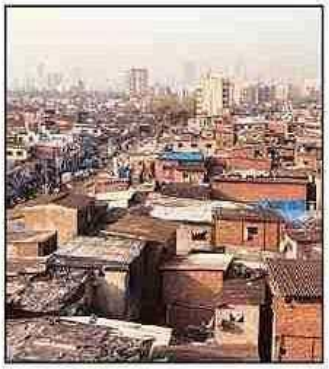
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लोकसत्ता प्रतिनिधी

मुंबई : आशियातील सर्वात मोठ्या झोपडपट्टीचा कायापालट करण्यासाठी राज्य सरकारने धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्प हाती घेतला आहे. त्यादृष्टीने कार्यवाही सुरू आहे, मात्र या पुनर्विकासाला मोठ्या संख्येने धारावीकरांचा विरोध असून, हा विरोध वेळोवेळी आंदोलनाच्या माध्यमातून समोर येतो. तर दुसरीकडे धारावी पुनर्विकासाला समर्थन देणाऱ्या धारावीकरांचाही एक गट आहे. याच समर्थक गटाने शनिवारी धारावीचा पुनर्विकास वेगाने मार्गी लागावा यासाठी मार्चा काढला होता. पुनर्विकासाच्या समर्थनार्थ मोठ्या संख्येने धारावीकर या मोर्चात सहभागी झाले होते. धारावी पुनर्विकासात खोडा घालणाऱ्यांविरोधात कठोर कारवाईची मागणी यावेळी पुनर्विकास समर्थक धारावीकरांनी केली. तर यासंबंधीचे निवेदन लवकरच धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पास (डीआरपी) देण्यात येणार असल्याचे पुनर्विकास समर्थकांकडून सांगण्यात आले.

शीव रेल्वे स्थानकाबाहेरून सकाळी ११.३० च्या सुमारास या मोर्चाला सुरुवात झाली आणि या मोर्चाची सांगता वांद्रे पूर्व येथे म्हाडा मुख्यालयाजवळ झाली. यावेळी समर्थकांनी धारावी पुनर्विकास अत्यंत गरजेचा असल्याने तो वेगाने मार्गी लावण्याची मागणी केली. तर, धारावी समर्थनार्थ काढण्यात आलेल्या मोर्चात धारावीकरांऐवजी धारावीबाहेरील नागरिकांचाच अधिक सहभाग होता. हा मोर्चा अदानी पुरस्कृत होता, असा आरोप धारावी बचाव आंदोलनाचे समन्वयक ॲड राजू कोरडे यांनी केला.



धारावी पुनर्विकासाअंतर्गत सध्या नवभारत मेगा डेव्हल्पर्स प्रायव्हेट लिमिटेडकडून (एनएमडीपीएल) सर्वेक्षणाचे काम सुरू आहे. या सर्वेक्षणाद्वारे धारावीकरांची पात्र-अपात्रता निश्चिती केली जाणार आहे. अपात्र धारावीकरांना धारावीबाहेर घरे दिली जाणार आहेत. याला धारावीकरांचा विरोध असून सर्व धारावीकर पात्र आहेत, त्यांना धारावीतच घरे मिळायला हवी, अशी मागणी धारावी बचाव आंदोलनाच्या माध्यमातून मोठ्या संख्येने धारावीकरांकडून करण्यात येत आहे. याच मागणीच्या अनुषंगाने धारावीकरांकडून सर्वेक्षणाला, पुनर्विकासाला विरोध होत आहे.

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चॅम्पियन्स ट्रॉफी वनडे स्पर्धेसाठी भारतीय संघ दुबईला रवाना

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रोहित रोहित रोहित सर रोहित भाई या घोषणांनी छत्रपती शिवाजी महाराज आंतरराष्ट्रीय विमानतळाचा परिसर अचानक दुमदुमला. भारतीय क्रिकेट संघ चॅम्पियन्स ट्रॉफी वनडे क्रिकेट स्पर्धेसाठी रवाना होत आहे हे पाहिल्यावर चाहत्यांनी रोहितच्या नावाचा गजर केला. अर्थात, या सर्व चाहत्यांना रोहित चॅम्पियन्स ट्रॉफी घेऊनच मायदेशी परतेल, अशी आशा आहे. त्यासाठी अर्थातच आशा रोहित आणि विराट कोहलीवर असतील.

दुबईस रवाना होण्यासाठी भारतीय संघातील जवळपास सर्व सदस्य संघाच्या बसमधून आले. रोहित शर्मा, प्रशिक्षक गौतम गंभीर यांच्यापाठोपाठ उपकर्णधार शुभमन गिल, विराट कोहली होते. आपल्याला प्रोत्साहित करणाऱ्या चाहत्यांचे खेळाडूंनी हात उंचावून आभार मानले; तसेच काहींना स्वाक्षरीही दिली. दुपारच्या विमानाने दुबईला रवाना झालेल्या संघाकडून चाहत्यांच्या अपेक्षा खूपच उंचावलेल्या आहेत. टी-२० वर्ल्ड कप विजेतेपद त्यातच इंग्लंडविरुद्धच्या मालिकेतील धवल यशामुळे हे घडले आहे. भारतीय संघाची स्पर्धेतील पहिली लढत २० फेब्रुवारीस बांगलादेशविरुद्ध होईल. त्यानंतर पाकिस्तान (२३ फेब्रुवारी) आणि न्यूझीलंड (२ मार्च) यांचे आव्हान असेल.



रोहित, विराटला अखेरची संधी

काही महिन्यांपूर्वी रोहित शर्मा टी-२० वर्ल्ड कप स्पर्धेतील विजेतेपदाचा करंडक घेऊन मुंबईत आला. त्या वेळी चाहत्यांचा जनसागर उसळला होता. याच यशाची पुनरावृत्ती होण्यासाठी रोहित आणि विराटने बहरात येण्याची आवश्यकता आहे. दोघेही न्यूझीलंड आणि ऑस्ट्रेलियाविरुद्धच्या मालिकेत अपयशी ठरले आहेत. रोहितने इंग्लंडविरुद्धच्या वन-डे मालिकेतील दुसऱ्या लढतीत आक्रमक शतक केले होते. त्याच वेळी विराट कोहलीने तिसऱ्या सामन्यांत ५२ धावांची खेळी केली होती.

निवड समितीचे लक्ष २०२७च्या वर्ल्ड कप वनडे स्पर्धेसाठी; तसेच जागतिक कसोटी विजेतेपद स्पर्धेसाठी संघ तयार करण्याचे असेल. या दोन्ही स्पर्धांपर्यंत विराट आणि रोहित खेळण्याची शक्यता कमी आहे. त्यामुळे या दोघांच्या कामगिरीवर निवड समितीचे जास्त लक्ष असेल.

विराट कोहलीला वनडेमधील १४ हजार धावा पूर्ण करण्यासाठी ३७ धावांची गरज आहे, तर रोहित ११ हजार धावांच्या टप्प्यापासून १२ धावा दूर आहे. चॅम्पियन्स ट्रॉफी जिंकून संघ परत आला नाही, तर चाहते वैयक्तिक कामगिरीस फारसे महत्त्व देत नाहीत, हे दोघेही जाणतात.

नवोदितांना संधी

चॅम्पियन्स स्पर्धेसाठी शुभमन गिलची उपकर्णधारपदी निवड करून निवड समितीने आपण भविष्यावर लक्ष केंद्रित केले आहे हे दाखवून दिले. गिलची वन-डेतील सरासरी ६१ आहे. आता उपकर्णधार असतानाही धावांचा ओघ कायम ठेवण्याचा त्याचा प्रयत्न असेल. जसप्रीत बुमराह जायबंदी असल्यामुळे भारतीय संघासमोरील आव्हान जास्त खडतर झाले आहे. मात्र, त्याच वेळी अर्शदीपसिंग आणि हर्षित राणासाठी ही चांगली संधी आहे. वरुण चक्रवर्तीही आपली उपयुक्तता सिद्ध करण्यास आतूर असेल. भारतीय संघ विजयी होऊन पुन्हा मुंबईत परतणार का याचे उत्तर संघ आपली कामगिरी किती उंचावतो यावरच अवलंबून असणार आहे.

रोहित कसोटी संघाबाहेर?

नवी दिल्ली : रोहित शर्माला कसोटीसाठी निरोप देण्याचा निर्णय घेतला असल्याची चर्चा आहे. इंग्लंडमधील मालिकेत नेतृत्व करण्यासाठी जसप्रीत बुमराह तंदुरुस्त असावा, यासाठी त्याला चॅम्पियन्स करंडक स्पर्धेत खेळवण्याचा धोका पत्करण्यात आलेला नाही, असेही सूत्रांनी सांगितले. ऑस्ट्रेलियातील १-३ पराभवामुळे रोहितची कसोटी कारकीर्द संपली असल्याचे मानले जात आहे. जसप्रीत आयपीएलमध्ये मुंबई इंडियन्सकडून खेळण्याची शक्यता आहे. एवढेच नव्हे, तर इंग्लंडमधील कसोटी मालिकेसाठीही त्याची कर्णधारपदी निवड होईल. रोहितची कसोटी संघात आता निवड होण्याची शक्यता नाही, असे या सूत्रांनी सांगितले. बुमराह अजूनही पूर्ण तंदुरुस्त नाही. त्याने पूर्ण जोषात मारा सुरू केलेला नाही. तो चॅम्पियन्स स्पर्धेतील साखळी लढतीपूर्वी पूर्ण तंदुरुस्त होण्याची शक्यता कमी आहे. तो बाद फेरीच्या सामन्यासाठी उपलब्ध होऊ शकला असता. मात्र, त्याबाबत धोका पत्करण्याची तयारी नाही, असेही त्यांनी सांगितले.

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In the Champions Trophy, Team India reached Dubai to become champions

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ચેમ્પિયન્સ ટ્રોફીમાં ચેમ્પિયન બનવા દુબઈ પહોંચી ગઈ ટીમ ઇન્ડિયા



ગઈ કાલે મુંબઈના છત્રપતિ શિવાજી મહારાજ ઈન્ટરનેશનલ એરપોર્ટથી ભારતીય મેન્સ ક્રિકેટ-ટીમ ચેમ્પિયન્સ ટ્રોફી માટે યુનાઇટેડ આરબ એમિરેટ્સ (UAE) માટે રવાના થઈને દુબઈ પહોંચી ગઈ હતી. હેડ કોચ ગૌતમ ગંભીર સહિતનો કોચિંગ સ્ટાફ, વાઇસ-કૅપ્ટન શુભમન ગિલ અને સ્ટાર બૅટ્સમૅન વિરાટ કોહલી સહિતના પ્લેયર્સ એકસાથે બસથી એરપોર્ટ પહોંચ્યા હતા, જ્યારે કૅપ્ટન રોહિત શર્મા પછીથી પોતાની કાર દ્વારા એરપોર્ટ પહોંચ્યો હતો. મહત્ત્વની વાત એ હતી કે ટીમ ઇન્ડિયા અલગ-અલગ બૅચમાં નહીં પણ એકસાથે દુબઈ જવા રવાના થઈ હતી. ટીમના દરેક સભ્યએ ભારતીય ટીમની ટ્રાવેલ-કિટનું સફેદ ટી-શર્ટ પણ પહેર્યું હતું. ૨૦ ફેબ્રુઆરીથી ચેમ્પિયન્સ ટ્રોફી અભિયાન શરૂ કરવા આતુર ભારતીય પ્લેયર્સને શુભકામના આપવા માટે કેટલાક ઉત્સાહી ક્રિકેટ-ફૅન્સ એરપોર્ટ પર હાજર રહ્યા હતા.



દુબઈ એરપોર્ટ પર રોહિત શર્મા, વિરાટ કોહલી, શુભમન ગિલ અને અર્શદીપ સિંહ.

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Team India enters Dubai

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चॅम्पियन्स करंडक : मुंबई विमानतळावरही उत्साहाचे वातावरण

सकाळ वृत्तसेवा

मुंबई, ता. १५ : पांढऱ्या रंगाचा टीशर्ट आणि काळ्या रंगाचा ट्रॅक परिधान करून भारतीय संघ आज दुपारी रुबाबात चॅम्पियन्स करंडक स्पर्धेसाठी दुबईला दाखल झाला. छत्रपती शिवाजी आंतरराष्ट्रीय विमानतळावर रोहित भाई... असा नारा तेथे उपस्थित असलेले प्रवासी आणि चाहत्यांनी दिला.

प्रशिक्षक गौतम गंभीर यांच्यासह बहुतेक खेळाडू संघाच्या बसमधून विमानतळावर आले. उपकर्णधार शुभमन गिल, विराट कोहली असे काही काही खेळाडू पाठीराख्यांना स्वाक्षरी देत होते आणि शुभेच्छांचा स्वीकार करीत होते.

मायदेशात नुकत्याच झालेल्या इंग्लंडविरुद्धच्या मालिकेतील तिन्ही सामने जिंकल्यामुळे भारतीय खेळाडूंच्या चेहऱ्यावर आत्मविश्वास झळकत होता.



रोहित शर्मा



विराट कोहली

काही महिन्यांपूर्वी रोहित शर्माच्या संघाचे ट्वेन्टी-२० विश्वकरंडक जिंकल्यानंतरचे अभूतपूर्व स्वागत याच विमानतळावर करण्यात आले होते. आताही तशीच संधी मिळावी, अशी अपेक्षा येथे उपस्थित असलेले पाठीराखे करीत होते; मात्र जसप्रीत बुमराची अनुपस्थिती आज प्रकर्षाने जाणवत होती.

भारताला यशस्वी व्हायचे असेल तर रोहित शर्मा आणि विराट कोहली यांच्या बॅटमधून धावा होणे आवश्यक आहे. कटक येथील सामन्यात रोहित शर्माने ९० चेंडूत ११९ धावांची खेळी करून प्रदीर्घ काळ सुरू असलेला धावांचा दुष्काळ संपवला होता तर अहमदाबाद येथे झालेल्या तिसऱ्या आणि अखेरच्या सामन्यात विराट कोहलीने आपले ७३वे अर्धशतक केले होते. आता या दोघांकडून हाच फॉर्म कायम ठेवण्याची अपेक्षा आहे. यानंतर २०२७ मध्ये एकदिवसीय विश्वकरंडक स्पर्धा होणार आहे, त्यामुळे रोहित आणि विराटसाठी एकदिवसीय प्रकारातील चॅम्पियन्स करंडक ही सर्वांत मोठी स्पर्धा असेल.

एकीकडे रोहित-विराटवर फलंदाजीची प्रमुख भिस्त असली तरी उपकर्णधार शुभमन गिलकडूनही मोठ्या अपेक्षा आहेत. एकदिवसीय प्रकारात

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एकदिवसीय प्रकारात १४ हजार धावा करणारा तिसरा फलंदाज ठरण्यासाठी विराट कोहलीला ३७ धावांची गरज आहे तर ११ हजार धावा पूर्ण करण्यासाठी रोहितला १२ धावांची आवश्यकता आहे.

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'अदानी'विरोधात आक्रमक भूमिका घ्यावी!



म. टा. खास प्रतिनिधी, मुंबई

'वॉटर, गटर आणि मीटरमुळे मुंबईकर त्रासले आहेत. अदानी वीज कंपनीविरोधात असंतोष वाढत असून, त्याविरोधात पक्षाने ठाम भूमिका घ्यायला हवी', अशी जोरकस भूमिका राष्ट्रवादी काँग्रेस (शरदचंद्र पवार) पक्षाच्या बैठकीत पक्षनेत्यांनी शनिवारी मांडली. यावर, 'जनतेचा रोष व्यक्त व्हायलाच हवा. त्यासाठी जी भूमिका घ्यायला हवी ती नेत्यांनी घ्यावी', असा सकारात्मक प्रतिसाद पक्षाच्या राष्ट्रीय कार्याध्यक्ष सुप्रिया सुळे यांनी दिला.

मुंबई महापालिकेच्या आगामी निवडणुकीच्या पार्श्वभूमीवर राष्ट्रवादी (शप) पक्षाची रणनीती आखण्यासाठी सुळे यांच्या अध्यक्षतेखाली प्रदेश कार्यालयात बैठकीचे आयोजन करण्यात आले होते. यात निवडणुकीची तयारी कशाप्रकारे करावी, याविषयी चर्चा करण्यात आली. मुंबईत असलेले विविध नागरी प्रश्न आणि त्यांची निवडणुकांमध्ये कशी मांडणी करायची, याविषयीसुद्धा बैठकीत खल करण्यात आला.

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'अदानी'च्या महागड्या विजेच्या मुद्द्यावर गांभीर्याने चर्चा करण्यात आली. जनतेच्या मनातील राग व्यक्त करण्यासाठी आंदोलन करणे आवश्यक असेल तर ते करावे. नागरिकांचे प्रश्न जोरकसपणे मांडावेत. नेत्यांच्या पाठीशी पक्ष उभा राहील, असे सुप्रिया सुळे यांनी सांगितल्याचे पक्षाच्या मुंबई अध्यक्ष राखी जाधव यांनी 'मटा'ला सांगितले. निवडणुकीला सामोरे जाताना पक्षात काय संघटनात्मक बदल करावेत, याविषयीसुद्धा बैठकीत चर्चा झाल्याचे त्या म्हणाल्या.

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MUMBAI

Thousands of residents from Dharavi took to the streets on Saturday, staging demonstrations and protests over the unhygienic and pitiable situation in the city's densely populated slum.

The protesters voiced their concerns over scarcity of clean water, poor sanitation and the unhygienic conditions in Asia's largest slum and also engaged in sloganeering against the local public representative Varsha Eknath Gaikwad.

They blamed Congress leader Varsha Eknath Gaikwad, representing Mumbai North-Central constituency, for poor living conditions in the area and demanded that the administration addresses their problems urgently.

Protesters voiced their concerns over scarcity of water, poor sanitation, unhygienic conditions

The locals protested for hours, expressing anger over the ignorance of their region and warned of intensifying the stir if their demand goes unheard. They also raised slogans like "Varsha Gaikwad... Hai Tauba".

The residents of Dharavi, long plagued by issues such as overflowing toilets, filthy streets, and contaminated water stood united in their demands for change. The demonstration saw more than 5,000 residents hitting the streets. The protesters made it clear that they are not aligned with any political party and their stir is centred around a single cause — securing basic development and a better quality of life for the people of Dharavi.

One protester said, "We challenge Varsha Gaikwad or any of her family members to spend a month in Dharavi's slums. If they oppose development after that, we will accept their stance. But if they continue to allow us to live in these horrible conditions, we will take to the streets again."

Another woman added, "The situation here is so bad that I can't even let my children out after 8 pm. If development happens, our children will be safer." A third protester called for a thorough investigation into the ongoing surveys in the area, saying, "If anyone tries to stop the survey, the police should act immediately."

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Rohit, Kohli lead India's charge as Men in Blue arrive in Dubai

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DUBAI

The Indian team made its touchdown in the city on Saturday, hoping to bag the ICC Champions Trophy, starting from February 18, for the second time since 2013.

India had last won the ICC marquee event in England 12 years back under the legendary MS Dhoni. The players and support staff trooped into a waiting bus, in line with the new BCCI diktat of travelling as a group, before proceeding to the designated team hotel.

Earlier, dressed nattily in a white T-shirt and black tracks, Rohit Sharma got down from his car and walked towards his teammates at the departure lounge amid loud calls of 'Rohit bhai' and 'Rohit sir' by fans waiting near the Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj International Airport entrance in Mumbai.

Most of the squad members arrived in the team bus including head coach Gautam Gambhir, vice-captain Shubman Gill and star batter Virat Kohli and the stars obliged some fans by signing autographs or waving at a few of them.

A Jasprit Bumrah-less India will open their campaign against Bangladesh on February 20 in Dubai before the much-anticipated blockbuster against traditional rivals Pakistan on February 23, and then the Men in Blue will take on New Zealand on March 2 to round off their league engagements.

The confidence — of the fans and the team — has been boosted by India's recent 3-0 ODI series whitewash at home over England. Those supporters assembled at the Mumbai airport will be hoping that the icons, led by Rohit and Kohli, will pull off another triumph like they did in the West Indies last year.





Rohit silenced critics with a 90-ball 119 in Cuttack, while Virat hit his 73rd fifty in Ahmedabad in the recently concluded England ODIs.

One last opportunity for greats?

Few months ago, Hardik Pandya had walked out with the T20 World Cup trophy hoisted on his shoulders to join a sea of passionate fans on the streets near the Wankhede Stadium for an open bus parade.If those scenes are to be repeated next month, then India will need some runs from Rohit and Kohli, who have copped heavy criticism after repeated failures in Test cricket. But they replied in kind, as Rohit made a characteristically fluent hundred — a 90-ball 119 in Cuttack ODI against England — and Kohli his 73rd fifty in Ahmedabad.

This might have brought them a temporary relief but a productive outing in the Champions Trophy is mandatory in the context of the duo's future in top-flight cricket. With the emphasis firmly on hitting the next World Test Championship cycle from June and building a team for the 2027 50-over World Cup the Ajit Agarkar-chaired selection panel will closely observe how the two veterans fare in Dubai.

Kohli needs 37 runs to become the third batter ever in ODI history to make 14,000 runs while Rohit is only 12 runs away from becoming the 10th batter to complete 11,000 runs. But without a trophy, those numbers will lose some heaviness.

A chance for young turks

A big promotion came young Shubman Gill's way when he was named the ODI vice-captain, and the batter who averages nearly 61 in the format will be keen to stamp his authority with a fruitful outing in the Champions Trophy.

The injury-enforced absence of Bumrah is an opportunity for the likes of Arshdeep Singh and Harshit Rana, while Varun Chakravarthy would want to prove himself as the surprise strike weapon in the championship.

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GURBIR SINGH

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While an Adani group statement calls it a 'withdrawal', the fact is the Sri Lankan government cancelled the deal. The wind power project, signed in May 2024 by former president Ranil Wickremesinghe's government, was slated to generate 484 MW for coastal belt of Mannar and Pooneryn. However, it was found power purchase rate of $0.0826 Kwh was far higher than offered by local companies.

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However, there was trouble soon after a new Islamist government led by former banker, Mohammed Yunus, took power on August 5, last year. From October 31, Adani Power cut supply by half after the failure of BPDP to repay its mounting dues. Currently, Bangladesh had asked Adani to restore full generation claiming it is clearing its dues and repaying $85 million a month. Yet the chasm seems to be widening. Adani Power has claimed dues of $900 million, while Bangladesh says it is $650 million.

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SOURAV ROY

Ruto cancelled a separate 30-year, $736 million public-private partnership with the Group to construct power transmission lines. Public perception saw these contracts as 'exploitative'. It was, therefore, no surprise that the Kenyan President's announcements in Parliament drew thunderous applause.

Far away in Queensland, Australia, an Adani subsidiary Bravus Mining & Resources, has faced environmental protests ever since its Carmichael mines were approved for mining coal in 2014. Shipments of coal destined for Asian hubs started from 2021 but the mine has drawn huge criticism for the possible impact of the Great Barrier Reef, water usage and carbon emissions. More recently, in November last year, Adani's Bravus Mining faced accusations of racism against aboriginal groups. Representatives from the Nagana Yarrbayn Wangan and Jagalingou Cultural Custodians have filed complaints alleging they were "verbally and physically obstructed and prevented" from performing their cultural rites in the springs near the mining area.

While the Carmichael mine is functional and profitable, Myanmar's Sittwe Port, on the Arakan coast of Myanmar's Rakhine state, turned out to be a wild goose chase. Initially the port was developed under a $120 million project with an Indian government line of credit, and was to be a trading link between Kolkata Port and the Myanmar-controlled maritime routes.

MYANMAR EXIT

However, since 2021, after the military coup in Myanmar, Sittwe Port's development, in the works since 2008, has stalled in the crossfire between the Myanmar Army and Arakan rebels. Before the civil war broke out, Adanis, sensing an opportunity, in May 2019, forged a 50-year pact valued at $150 million to construct and manage a container terminal at Yangon Port.

Later, as the Myanmar civil war hotted up and the US imposed sanctions on Myanmar-junta owned businesses, the project stalled. The Group exited in May 2023 selling the terminal project to a local firm, Solar Energy, for $30 million, a major haircut to the original investment of $120 million.

On balance, the ambitions of the Group to become a multinational powerhouse have not gone well. The fact that US prosecutors charged Gautam Adani in November 2024 for participating in a ₹2,100 crore bribery scheme in exchange for solar power contracts has not helped the situation. Perceptions are important and the series of reverses and bad business practices will go into international memory as 'neo-colonialist' forays. Big conglomerates like the Adani Group wear the nation's badge when they do business on foreign soil. It is therefore imperative they not only do their due diligence; but they should also be seen as ethical and above board in their dealings.

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INFRA SETBACKS UNDER NEW REGIMES

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ADANI Green Energy's withdrawal from its wind power project from Sri Lanka follows months of stout opposition by local communities. The exit was also fueled by the new left-leaning government of Anura Kumara Dissanayake's unhappiness with the deal. While most companies face reviews of their projects, the Sri Lankan rebuff comes as a reminder that most Adani offshore forays have seen controversy and push backs because they have sought to impose onerous terms.

While an Adani group statement calls it a 'withdrawal', the fact is the Sri Lankan government cancelled the deal. The wind power project, signed in May 2024 by former president Ranil Wickremesinghe's government, was slated to generate 484 MW for coastal belt of Mannar and Pooneryn. However, it was found power purchase rate of $0.0826 Kwh was far higher than offered by local companies.

The ongoing skirmish between Adani Power and the state-owned Bangladesh Power Development Board (BPDB) for the supply of power from the former's Jharkhand plant has followed a similar trajectory.

A contract was signed in 2017 between the former Bangladesh Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina and Adani Power to supply 800 MW of power generated for Bangladesh by the Godda plant in Jharkhand.

However, there was trouble soon after a new Islamist government led by former banker, Mohammed Yunus, took power on August 5, last year. From October 31, Adani Power cut supply by half after the failure of BPDP to repay its mounting dues. Currently, Bangladesh had asked Adani to restore full generation claiming it is clearing its dues and repaying $85 million a month. Yet the chasm seems to be widening. Adani Power has claimed dues of $900 million, while Bangladesh says it is $650 million.

Underlying the immediate dispute is the Bangladesh charge that Adani's power costs Bangladesh 55 percent more that sold by other Indian entities to Dhaka. The new government is smarting and has promised to review the Sheikh Hasina contract.

DEALS THAT WENT WRONG

What is common to the Sri Lanka and Bangladesh is the charge that the Adani Group had forced the two host countries to sign PPAs above market value. In both cases there are allegations of arm-twisting by New Delhi.

The recent calendar of botched up Adani offshore projects is pretty crowded. In a state-of-the-nation address on November 21, 2024, Kenyan President William Ruto ordered the cancellation of a procurement process for a 30-year lease to the Adani Group for Nairobi's Jomo Kenyata International Airport. The award was in exchange for a $2-billion upgradation including a second runaway and refurbishing passenger terminal.



SOURAV ROY

Ruto cancelled a separate 30-year, $736 million public-private partnership with the Group to construct power transmission lines. Public perception saw these contracts as 'exploitative'. It was, therefore, no surprise that the Kenyan President's announcements in Parliament drew thunderous applause.

Far away in Queensland, Australia, an Adani subsidiary Bravus Mining & Resources, has faced environmental protests ever since its Carmichael mines were approved for mining coal in 2014. Shipments of coal destined for Asian hubs started from 2021 but the mine has drawn huge criticism for the possible impact of the Great Barrier Reef, water usage and carbon emissions. More recently, in November last year, Adani's Bravus Mining faced accusations of racism against aboriginal groups. Representatives from the Nagana Yarrbayn Wangan and Jagalingou Cultural Custodians have filed complaints alleging they were "verbally and physically obstructed and prevented" from performing their cultural rites in the springs near the mining area.

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Singrauli, MP: Two persons were killed after a coal-laden dumper truck overturned on their motorcycle in Madhya Pradesh's Singrauli district, and angered by the accident, locals staged a road blockade and set fire to some buses and trucks in the area, police said on Saturday. The accident occurred near Amilia Ghati under the Mada police station limits around 3 pm on Friday. Amilia Ghati is about 35 km from the district headquarters Talking to reporters, Superintendent of Police Manish Khatri said a dumper associated with the Adani Group's mines overturned on a motorcycle, killing two riders. He said the dumper was transporting coal from the Gajra Bahra yard when the accident occurred. The official said angry villagers later protested in the Suhera, Gada Khad and Amilia Ghati areas and torched five buses and three dumpers. He said they tried to enter factory area, but the police stopped them and dispersed them. — *PTI*

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Focus on Rohit & Kohli as Team India departs for CT

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Soon, the team boarded an afternoon flight to Dubai for the upcoming Champions Trophy amid heightened optimism of netting another global trophy after winning the T20 World Cup last June.

A Jasprit Bumrah-less India will open their campaign against Bangladesh on February 20 in Dubai before the much-anticipated blockbuster against traditional rivals Pakistan February 23.

The confidence — of the fans and the team — has been boosted by India's recent 3-0 ODI series whitewash at home over England.

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ONE LAST OPPORTUNITY FOR GREATS?

Few months ago, Hardik Pandya had walked out with the T20 World Cup trophy hoisted on his shoulders to join a sea of passionate fans on the streets near the Wankhede Stadium for an open bus parade.

If those scenes are to be repeated next month, then India will need some runs from Rohit and Kohli, who have copped heavy criticism after repeated failures in Test cricket. But they replied in kind, as Rohit made a characteristically fluent hundred — a 90-ball 119 in Cuttack ODI against England — and Kohli his 73rd fifty in Ahmedabad.

This might have brought them a temporary relief but a productive outing in the Champions Trophy is mandatory in the context of the duo's future in top-flight cricket.

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Kohli needs 37 runs to become the third batter ever in ODI history to make 14,000 runs while Rohit is only 12 runs away from becoming the 10th batter to complete 11,000 runs. But without a trophy, those numbers will lose some heaviness around them.

A big promotion came young Gill's way when he was named the ODI vice-captain, and the batter who averages nearly 61 in the format will be keen to stamp his authority with a fruitful outing in the Champions Trophy.

The absence of Bumrah is an opportunity for the likes of Arshdeep Singh and Harshit Rana, while Varun Chakravarthy would want to prove himself as the surprise strike weapon. — PTI



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CHAMPIONS TROPHY 2025 - PAKISTAN — India in Champions Trophy

India in League Fixtures 2025

Date	Time (IST)	Versus	Venue
Feb 20	2:30 pm	Bangladesh	Dubai International Cricket Stadium
Feb 23	2:30 pm	Pakistan	
Mar 2	2:30 pm	New Zealand	

ODI Rank: 1 (As on Feb 15, 2025)
Group: A
Captain: Rohit Sharma
Coach: Gautam Gambhir

Past Championship Record

Winner: 2002 * 2013

In Each Edition

	Played	Won	Lost	NR
1998	2	1	1	0
2000	4	3	1	0
2002	5	3	0	2
2004	2	1	1	0
2006	3	1	2	0
2009	3	1	1	1
2013	5	5	0	0
2017	5	3	2	0

Overall Performance Against Each Team

Versus	Played	Won	Lost	NR
South Africa	4	4	0	0
England	3	3	0	0
Australia	4	2	1	1
Kenya	2	2	0	0
Pakistan	5	2	3	0
West Indies	4	2	2	0
Bangladesh	1	1	0	0
Sri Lanka	4	1	1	2
Zimbabwe	1	1	0	0
New Zealand	1	0	1	0
Total	29	18	8	3

*In 2002 India and Sri Lanka were joint winners of Champions Trophy

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Indian team reached Dubai

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The Indian team touched down in the city on Saturday, hoping to bag the ICC Champions Trophy, starting Wednesday, for the second time since 2013.

India had last won the ICC marquee event in England 12 years back under M.S. Dhoni.

The players and support staff trooped into a waiting bus, in line with the new BCCI diktat of travelling as a group, before proceeding to the designated team hotel.

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Suhasini Haidar
MUSCAT

Amid troubled ties with Bangladesh, External Affairs Minister S. Jaishankar will meet Bangladesh Foreign Affairs Adviser Touhid Hossain on the sidelines of the eighth Indian Ocean Conference here on Sunday, sources said.

Mr. Jaishankar, who will inaugurate the regional conference co-hosted by the Ministry of External Affairs and the Omani government, and organised by the India Foundation, will also meet with a number of other Foreign Ministers from 27 countries that are taking part. The Foreign Ministers of Bhutan, Sri Lanka, the Maldives, Nepal and Bangladesh will be attending the annual conference.

In a sign of the government's normalisation process of ties with China after the October agreement between the militaries at the Line of Actual Control, China's Special Envoy for Middle East Affairs Zhai Jun will attend, marking the first time an official from the country has been invited since the conference held in 2019.



Regional issues: Last year, S. Jaishankar had addressed the Indian Ocean Conference that was held in Perth, Australia. FILE PHOTO

Iranian Foreign Minister Abbas Araghchi, Singapore's Foreign Minister Vivian Balakrishnan and Australian Foreign Minister Penny Wong will address the grouping. Mr. Jaishankar, who accompanied Prime Minister Narendra Modi to Paris and Washington this week, attended the Munich Security Conference on Saturday before arriving in Muscat.

Mr. Jaishankar will address the inaugural session of the Indian Ocean Conference on Sunday along with Omani Foreign Minister Sayyid Badr bin Hamad Al Busaidi and Mr. Balakrishnan.

Modi-Trump talks

Mr. Jaishankar's meeting with the Bangladesh Foreign Affairs Adviser is particularly significant as it comes amidst spiralling ties between the Modi government and the caretaker government in Dhaka led by Muhammad Yunus, and deep concerns that Mr. Modi even raised with U.S. President Donald Trump during his visit to Washington.

While India has expressed alarm over the attacks on minorities after the ouster of former Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina in August 2024, as well as the treatment of Indian businesses by the new government, the Yunus government has demanded that India ensure that Ms. Hasina, who has taken shelter in Delhi, does not make political statements or address public rallies of the Awami League via video conference. A number of other irritants, over border security, water sharing and flood management, trade issues, the release of radicals and those accused on terror charges in Bangladesh have also been discussed between both sides, including during a visit by Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri to Dhaka in December.

Mr. Jaishankar and Mr. Hossain will be tasked with taking forward the talks on resolving issues, as well preparing for a possible meeting between Mr. Modi and Mr. Yunus, as both are expected to attend the BIMSTEC regional conference in Bangkok on April 2-4.

Mr. Jaishankar will also have a chance to interact with other counterparts from the region, and tackle issues testing ties with them.

Sri Lankan Minister of Foreign Affairs Vijitha Herath will be in Muscat days after the Adani Group pulled out of a renewable energy contract after the Dissanayake government ordered a second review against it.

Maldives' Foreign Minister Abdulla Khaleel is expected to discuss talks for a Free Trade Agreement with India, after the Muizzu government has already operationalized an FTA with China.

Nepal's Foreign Minister Arzu Deuba is expected to discuss dates for a bilateral visit by Nepal's Prime Minister K.P. Sharma Oli, who was sworn in in July last year, but has not so far received an invitation.

In December, Mr. Oli travelled to Beijing for a bilateral visit, one of the first times India was not the first stop for a Nepali PM.

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Members free to air opinion, but party is paramount: Congress

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The Congress on Saturday said its members had absolute freedom of speech to express their views but the party's view was paramount.

"The Indian National Congress is our country's ONLY political party where there is absolute freedom of speech as well as freedom after speech," Congress communications chief Jairam Ramesh said on the social media platform X.

"Members give their views on issues which are, on occasion, their own and that do not reflect the opinion of the party as a collective entity. It is the party's stance that is paramount," Mr. Ramesh said.

Though he did not name any particular leader, the party's statement comes a day after senior leader and Lok Sabha member Shashi Tharoor's comments on Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visit to the U.S. and joint press conference with U.S. President Donald Trump.

Tharoor's comments

Mr. Tharoor had hailed the PM's visit as "a significant development since Mr. Modi was the fourth head of government to have been given an appointment by President Trump".

His comments on Friday were at odds with the position taken by Leader of the Opposition in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi, who has said that Mr. Modi was covering up the alleged corruption of industrialist Gautam Adani.

Defending his position, Mr. Tharoor asserted that he could not always speak only in terms of the party's interest. He said that he had spoken in national interest and as a "responsible stakeholder in Indian democracy and an elected representative of Thiruvananthapuram".



Jairam Ramesh

Mr. Tharoor said he believes that India had done well in terms of getting the U.S. to the negotiating table on tariffs, while raising concerns about the manner in which illegal immigrants were treated.

He said in his 16-year-long political career, he had applauded when a government, be it a Congress government or some other party's, did the right thing.

On Friday, welcoming the Prime Minister's visit, the Thiruvananthapuram MP had said: "The press statements by both the Prime Minister and President Trump are very encouraging. The big concerns we all had have been addressed."

On the illegal immigration issue, Mr. Tharoor said: "The only thing missing there from what Prime Minister Modi said was the question of the manner in which these people were treated and sent back. I think his stand was absolutely correct. I hope some things were said behind closed doors and not in the press conference."

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सवेरा न्यूज/स.ह. चंडीगढ़ : प्रयागराज महाकुंभ स्थानीय किसानों के लिए किसी सुनहरे अवसर से कम नहीं है। श्रद्धालुओं के लिए हर दिन बनाई जा रही महाप्रसादी के लिए प्रयागराज और आसपास के इलाकों से बड़ी मात्रा में सब्जियां, अनाज, दूध और अन्य आवश्यक सामग्रियां खरीदी जा रही हैं। इससे किसानों को लाखों रुपए की आमदनी हो रही है, जो उनके आर्थिक सशक्तिकरण की दिशा में एक बड़ी उपलब्धि है। इस बार महाकुंभ में अदाणी समूह और इस्कॉन के सहयोग से की जा रही नारायण सेवा ने न सिर्फ लाखों श्रद्धालुओं को भोजन उपलब्ध कराया है, बल्कि स्थानीय व्यापार और कृषि क्षेत्र को भी नई ऊंचाइयां दी हैं।

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While the Carmichael mine is functional and profitable, Myanmar's Sittwe Port, on the Arakan coast of Myanmar's Rakhine state, turned out to be a wild goose chase. Initially the port was developed under a $120 million project with an Indian government line of credit, and was to be a trading link between Kolkata Port and the Myanmar-controlled maritime routes.

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However, since 2021, after the military coup in Myanmar, Sittwe Port's development, in the works since 2008, has stalled in the crossfire between the Myanmar Army and Arakan rebels. Before the civil war broke out, Adanis, sensing an opportunity, in May 2019, forged a 50-year pact valued at $150 million to construct and manage a container terminal at Yangon Port.

Later, as the Myanmar civil war hotted up and the US imposed sanctions on Myanmar-junta owned businesses, the project stalled. The Group exited in May 2023 selling the terminal project to a local firm, Solar Energy, for $30 million, a major haircut to the original investment of $120 million.

On balance, the ambitions of the Group to become a multinational powerhouse have not gone well. The fact that US prosecutors charged Gautam Adani in November 2024 for participating in a ₹2,100 crore bribery scheme in exchange for solar power contracts has not helped the situation. Perceptions are important and the series of reverses and bad business practices will go into international memory as 'neo-colonialist' forays. Big conglomerates like the Adani Group wear the nation's badge when they do business on foreign soil. It is therefore imperative they not only do their due diligence; but they should also be seen as ethical and above board in their dealings.

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DUBAI

The Indian team touched down in the city on Saturday, hoping to bag the ICC Champions Trophy, starting Wednesday, for the second time since 2013.

India had last won the ICC marquee event in England 12 years back under M.S. Dhoni.

The players and support staff trooped into a waiting bus, in line with the new BCCI diktat of travelling as a group, before proceeding to the designated team hotel.

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India will need big runs from Rohit and Kohli who have copped heavy criticism after repeated failures in Test cricket.

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Aisa de sab toh aamir 20 parivara cho ambani shikhar te

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ਏਸ਼ੀਆ ਦੇ ਸਭ ਤੋਂ ਅਮੀਰ 20 ਪਰਿਵਾਰਾਂ 'ਚੋਂ ਅੰਬਾਨੀ ਸਿਖ਼ਰ 'ਤੇ

ਸੂਚੀ 'ਚ ਹਨ 6 ਭਾਰਤੀ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ, ਅਡਾਨੀ ਸ਼ਾਮਿਲ ਨਹੀਂ

ਨਵੀਂ ਦਿੱਲੀ, 15 ਫਰਵਰੀ (ਏਜੰਸੀ)-ਬਲੂਮਬਰਗ ਵਲੋਂ ਏਸ਼ੀਆ ਦੇ ਸਭ ਤੋਂ ਅਮੀਰ ਪਰਿਵਾਰਾਂ ਦੀ ਸੂਚੀ ਜਾਰੀ ਕੀਤੀ ਗਈ ਹੈ, ਜਿਸ 'ਚ ਅੰਬਾਨੀ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ ਪਹਿਲੇ ਸਥਾਨ 'ਤੇ ਹੈ। ਅੰਬਾਨੀ ਦੇ ਨਾਲ ਕੁੱਲ 6 ਭਾਰਤੀ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ ਇਸ ਸੂਚੀ 'ਚ ਸ਼ਾਮਿਲ ਹਨ। ਇਸ ਸੂਚੀ 'ਚ ਸਭ ਤੋਂ ਹੈਰਾਨ ਕਰਨ ਵਾਲਾ ਤੱਥ ਇਹ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਇਸ ਸੂਚੀ 'ਚ ਅਡਾਨੀ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ ਦਾ ਨਾਅ ਸ਼ਾਮਿਲ ਨਹੀਂ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਦੀ ਵਜ੍ਹਾ ਇਹ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਗੌਤਮ ਅਡਾਨੀ ਪਹਿਲੀ ਪੀੜ੍ਹੀ ਦੇ ਕਾਰੋਬਾਰੀ ਹਨ। ਇਸ ਲਈ ਉਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਸੂਚੀ 'ਚ ਸ਼ਾਮਿਲ ਨਹੀਂ ਕੀਤਾ ਗਿਆ ਹੈ। ਇਹ ਸੂਚੀ ਖ਼ਾਨਦਾਨਾਂ 'ਤੇ ਆਧਾਰਿਤ ਹੈ। ਇਸ 'ਚ ਸਿਰਫ ਉਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਪਰਿਵਾਰਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਸ਼ਾਮਿਲ ਕੀਤਾ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ, ਜਿਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਦਾ ਕਾਰੋਬਾਰ ਪੀੜ੍ਹੀਆਂ ਤੋਂ ਚਲਿਆ ਆ ਰਿਹਾ ਹੈ। ਅੰਬਾਨੀ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ 90.5 ਅਰਬ ਡਾਲਰ ਦੀ ਸੰਪਤੀ ਨਾਲ ਪਹਿਲੇ ਸਥਾਨ 'ਤੇ ਹੈ, ਦੂਜੇ ਨੰਬਰ 'ਤੇ ਥਾਈਲੈਂਡ ਦਾ ਚੇਵਰਨਾਟ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ ਹੈ, ਜਿਸ ਦੀ ਕੁੱਲ ਜਾਇਦਾਦ 42.6 ਅਰਬ ਡਾਲਰ ਹੈ। ਤੀਜੇ ਨੰਬਰ 'ਤੇ ਇੰਡੋਨੇਸ਼ੀਆ ਦਾ ਹਾਰਤਨੋ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ ਹੈ, ਜਿਸ ਦੀ ਕੁੱਲ ਸੰਪਤੀ 42.2 ਅਰਬ ਡਾਲਰ ਹੈ। ਚੌਥੇ ਨੰਬਰ 'ਤੇ ਭਾਰਤ ਦਾ ਮਿਸਤਰੀ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ ਹੈ, ਜਿਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਦੀ ਕੁੱਲ ਸੰਪਤੀ 37.5 ਅਰਬ ਡਾਲਰ ਹੈ। 5ਵੇਂ ਨੰਬਰ 'ਤੇ ਹਾਂਗਕਾਂਗ ਦਾ ਕਵੋਕ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ ਹੈ, ਜਿਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਦੀ ਕੁੱਲ ਸੰਪਤੀ 35.6 ਅਰਬ ਡਾਲਰ ਹੈ। 6ਵੇਂ ਨੰਬਰ 'ਤੇ ਤਾਇਵਾਨ ਦਾ ਤਸਾਈ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ ਹੈ, ਜਿਸ ਦੀ ਕੁੱਲ ਸੰਪਤੀ 30.9 ਅਰਬ ਡਾਲਰ ਹੈ। 7ਵੇਂ ਨੰਬਰ 'ਤੇ ਭਾਰਤ ਦਾ ਜਿੰਦਰ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ ਹੈ, ਜਿਸ ਦੀ ਕੁੱਲ ਸੰਪਤੀ 28.1 ਅਰਬ ਡਾਲਰ ਹੈ। 8ਵੇਂ ਨੰਬਰ 'ਤੇ ਥਾਈਲੈਂਡ ਦਾ ਯੋਵੀਧਿਆ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ ਹੈ, ਜਿਸ ਦੀ ਕੁੱਲ ਸੰਪਤੀ 25.7 ਅਰਬ ਡਾਲਰ ਹੈ। 9ਵੇਂ ਨੰਬਰ 'ਤੇ ਭਾਰਤ ਦਾ ਬਿਰਲਾ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ ਹੈ, ਜਿਸ ਦੀ ਕੁੱਲ ਸੰਪਤੀ 23.0 ਅਰਬ ਡਾਲਰ ਹੈ। ਇਸ ਤੋਂ ਇਲਾਵਾ ਭਾਰਤ ਦਾ ਬਜਾਜ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ 20.1 ਅਰਬ ਡਾਲਰ ਨਾਲ 13ਵੇਂ ਸਥਾਨ 'ਤੇ, ਜਦੋਂਕਿ ਹਿੰਦੂਜਾ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ 15.2 ਅਰਬ ਡਾਲਰ ਨਾਲ ਸੂਚੀ 'ਚ 18ਵੇਂ ਸਥਾਨ 'ਤੇ ਹੈ।

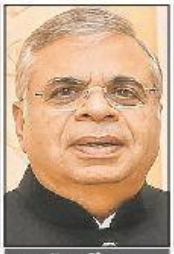

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An exclusive quality of Indians living in India is the ability to look the other way when we ourselves are severely inconvenienced or presented with irrefutable evidence of social evils inflicted upon others. That is why we suck it up when freshly paved roads in residential areas are torn up to accommodate open drains on either side where stray pups drown and people toss rubbish, leading to clogging and the exacerbation of an already untenable situation. We grit our teeth and move on, ignoring the potholed roads groaning under the weight of endless vehicles as we make perilous trips to our destinations, determinedly ignoring shouted insults, traffic jams, and inexcusable driving as people chat on their mobile phones and drive on the wrong side.

It is best to ignore these things. Like we ignore stray dogs that pose a rabies risk and cows wandering around and inevitably ending up spattered across the windshields of truck drivers with rage issues brought on by haemorrhoids, which they can't afford to treat. Kids are getting abducted, and somebody is being raped and set alight in public and in broad daylight? Ignore. Pilgrims undertaking *padayatras* or thronging to immerse themselves in the confluence of sacred rivers feel free to behave as badly as they please, discarding trash over every inch of available space, causing stampedes, and blaming the government when devotees are crushed to death. Any criticism is not welcome because this is a religious matter, and we ought to be sensitive as opposed to sensible. So why bother? Besides, unlike in Gaza, we are not enabling genocide and the slaughter of children over religious claims and disputed holy lands, are we? India is better than that!



What about the poor? Those wretched folks who live in unsightly slums and practice open defecation when not begging, their umpteen babies with runny noses in tow, or sleeping on pavements to be killed beneath imported wheels. They are everywhere, ruining the reputation of our country in front of those white tourists who click pictures and make award-winning films about slumdogs who are unlikely to become millionaires in this or subsequent lifetimes.

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We have our own problems. Most of us are neither Ambani nor Adani, and we need to find maids who will work for a pittance, send our kids to a school that does not charge an arm and a leg and both kidneys, make enough in this depressing economy to allow us to holiday at some exotic locale guaranteed to make the Insta fam jealous and buy more expensive trifles we don't need. We carry on, uncaring that we can't afford to go on this way. Ignoring pressing issues is a hard feat, but we manage it. Because that much at least, we can do.

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That contributed to Chennai not following Bengaluru and Hyderabad in going for greenfield airports and privatisation. Existing airports in Mumbai and Delhi were privatised, leaving behind Kolkata and Chennai as the odd ones out.

Such apathy meant a critical opportunity to find ideal parcels of land at a relatively cheap rate was lost, even though vast tracts were easily available outside the city.

"The Airports Authority of India (AAI) thought the airport was going to be privatised so they washed their hands of it," says Krishnan, adding. "Capital expenditure almost came to a standstill, which added to the fall. Now they realise that things are not going to head towards privatisation of this facility so they are getting some investment done to upgrade the facility from horrible to ugly."

Things reached the nadir in 2015, when much of the airport got submerged in the flood. Images of aircraft stranded in flood waters were shared across the world.

THE PARANDUR PROMISE

It was clear that if all these go unaddressed, it could impact economic growth and employment generation in the state.

That is probably why the Tamil Nadu government is finally making moves to establish a second airport in the city.

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Reportedly, tenders for concessionaires —private entities who will build and operate the airport, like in Bengaluru—will be out by March.

Already, this has become a political hot potato, with protests intensifying against the displacement of villages at the proposed site. The newly established political party, Tamilaga Vettri Kazhagam (TVK) and its chief, actor Vijay, are among those who have voiced their concerns.

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He says the state also has big plans for the proposed Hosur airport which, he says, will be a game-changer, not least because of its proximity to Bengaluru.

Karnataka, worried of the effect this will have on the preeminence of Bengaluru, has moved to announce a second airport which, in effect, will mean three civilian airports in relatively close proximity to the city.

Some would call it overkill, but it could trigger more growth in the region. It is also a symbol of the spirit of competitive federalism that could underpin the next cycle of India's economic engine.

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Source: V Sriram, writer & Chennai chronicler

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India had last won the ICC marquee event in England 12 years back under M.S. Dhoni.

The players and support staff trooped into a waiting bus, in line with the new BCCI diktat of travelling as a group, before proceeding to the designated team hotel.

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Group fixtures

A Jasprit Bumrah-less India will open its campaign against Bangladesh on Thursday in Dubai before the much-anticipated blockbuster against traditional rivals Pakistan February 23 (Sunday). The Men in Blue will take on New Zealand on March 2 (Sunday) to round off their league engagements.

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Focus on Rohit, Kohli

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That contributed to Chennai not following Bengaluru and Hyderabad in going for greenfield airports and privatisation. Existing airports in Mumbai and Delhi were privatised, leaving behind Kolkata and Chennai as the odd ones out.

Such apathy meant a critical opportunity to find ideal parcels of land at a relatively cheap rate was lost, even though vast tracts were easily available outside the city.

"The Airports Authority of India (AAI) thought the airport was going to be privatised so they washed their hands of it," says Krishnan, adding, "Capital expenditure almost came to a standstill, which added to the fall. Now they realise that things are not going to head towards privatisation of this facility so they are getting some investment done to upgrade the facility from horrible to ugly."

Things reached the nadir in 2015, when much of the airport got submerged in the flood. Images of aircraft stranded in flood waters were shared across the world.

THE PARANDUR PROMISE

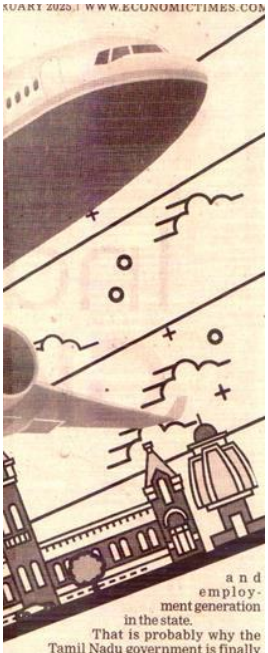
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Madras Airport: Flight Down Memory Lane

- Madras was one of the first cities in India to get an airport
- Alagappa Chettiar's Jupiter Airways operated a Madras-Delhi service from an airstrip
- The airstrip expanded to become the Meenambakkam aerodrome
- By 1959, Madras was connected to Hyderabad, Bombay, Delhi and Calcutta; plus the Bombay-Colombo flight stopped at Madras
- Air Ceylon was the only overseas operator from Madras in early years
- Then Air India operated international routes, connecting Madras to cities in Egypt, Greece, Italy, France, England, Burma, Malaya, Singapore, Australia, Hong Kong and Japan
- By the 1970s, more foreign airlines began touching down at Madras
- With a new passenger terminal coming up in the 1980s near Tirusulam, the old Meenambakkam terminal was dedicated to cargo

Source: V Sriram, writer & Chennai chronicler



and employment generation in the state.

That is probably why the Tamil Nadu government is finally making moves to establish a second airport in the city.

The location is Parandur, 75 km outside the city.

Reportedly, tenders for concessionaires —private entities who will build and operate the airport, like in Bengaluru—will be out by March.

Already, this has become a political hot potato, with protests intensifying against the displacement of villages at the proposed site. The newly established political party, Tamilaga Vettri Kazhagam (TVK) and its chief, actor Vijay, are among those who have voiced their concerns.

Chennai airport is hobbled by issues like parking spaces—many wide-bodied cargo aircraft are diverted to Bengaluru because there is inadequate parking at Chennai—and dwindling international connectivity, especially after the pandemic

The state's industries minister, TRB Rajaa, says Tamil Nadu is fully committed to the plan. "While there was a period when progress of our airports slowed, this government has recognised the critical role airports play in driving industrial growth and investment, and we have taken decisive steps to catch up and surpass expectations," he says. This, he adds, is not limited to Chennai and that the government has spent more than ₹2,100 crore to acquire land in Coimbatore as well, and is looking forward to "swift action" from AAI.

He says the state also has big plans for the proposed Hosur airport which, he says, will be a game-changer, not least because of its proximity to Bengaluru.

Karnataka, worried of the effect this will have on the preeminence of Bengaluru, has moved to announce a second airport which, in effect, will mean three civilian airports in relatively close proximity to the city.

Some would call it overkill, but it could trigger more growth in the region. It is also a symbol of the spirit of competitive federalism that could underpin the next cycle of India's economic engine.

That is a rosy picture for the future.

Until then, however, it will be a few more years of the same drudgery.

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DUBAI



THE Indian team made its touch down in the city on Saturday, hoping to bag the ICC Champions Trophy, starting from February 18, for the second time since 2013. India had last won the ICC marquee event in England 12 years back under the legendary MS Dhoni.

All Group A matches of the Indian team will be held at the Dubai International Stadium, while the rest of the games will take place in Pakistan.

A Jasprit Bumrah-less India will open their campaign against Bangladesh on February 20 in Dubai before the much-anticipated blockbuster against traditional rivals Pakistan on February 23, and then the Men in Blue will take on New Zealand on March 2 to round off their league engagements.

The confidence -- of the fans and the team -- has been boosted by India's recent 3-0 ODI series whitewash at home over England.

Those supporters assembled at the Mumbai airport will be hoping that the icons, led by Rohit and Kohli, will pull off another triumph like they did in the West Indies last year.

One last opportunity for greats?

Few months ago, Hardik Pandya had walked out with the T20 World Cup trophy hoisted on his shoulders to join a sea of passionate fans on the streets near the Wankhede Stadium for an open bus parade.

If those scenes are to be repeated next month, then India will need some runs from Rohit and Kohli, who have copped heavy criticism after repeated failures in Test cricket.

But they replied in kind, as Rohit made a characteristically fluent hundred — a 90-ball 119 in Cuttack ODI against England — and Kohli his 73rd fifty in Ahmedabad.

This might have brought them a temporary relief but a productive outing in the Champions Trophy is mandatory in the context of the duo's future in top-flight cricket.

With the emphasis firmly on hitting the next World Test Championship cycle from June and building a team for the 2027 50-over World Cup the Ajit Agarkar-chaired selection panel will closely observe how the two veterans fare in Dubai.

Kohli needs 37 runs to become the third batter ever in ODI history to make 14,000 runs while Rohit is only 12 runs away from becoming the 10th batter to complete 11,000 runs. But without a trophy, those numbers will lose some heaviness around them.

A chance for young turks:

A big promotion came young Gill's way when he was named the ODI vice-captain, and the batter who averages nearly 61 in the format will be keen to stamp his authority with a fruitful outing in the Champions Trophy. The injury-enforced absence of Bumrah is an opportunity for the likes of Arshdeep Singh and Harshit Rana, while Varun Chakravarthy would want to prove himself as the surprise strike weapon. A coming together of all these factors will determine whether India will touch back in Mumbai as a boisterous winning group sometime next month. Till then fans can immerse themselves in joyous optimism. (PTI)

India's squad for the ICC Champions Trophy: Rohit Sharma (c), Shubman Gill, Virat Kohli, Shreyas Iyer, KL Rahul, Rishabh Pant, Hardik Pandya, Axar Patel, Washington Sundar, Kuldeep Yadav, Harshit Rana, Mohammad Shami, Arshdeep Singh, Ravindra Jadeja, Varun Chakravarthy.

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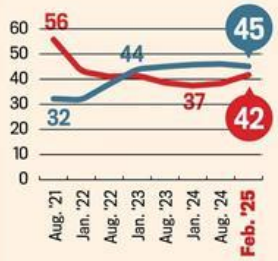
However, in a strange paradox, despite the economic woes, a majority trusts the Modi government to handle the economy. Respondents are also appreciative of the budget, especially its focus on growth and agriculture, besides the income tax concessions to the middle class, though a fourth beg to differ. The imperatives for Modi 3.0, therefore, are clear—hard focus on economic growth rather than dissipate energies elsewhere. There is concern over the focus on temple-mosques disputes and the deterioration of communal relations, for which the BJP and RSS are seen as responsible.

Anxieties over such as women's safety and a sense of democracy being in danger are other indications of that unease. There is disapproval over the perceived misuse of central investigating agencies like the Enforcement Directorate for political purposes and the deterioration of judicial independence under Modi rule. There is endorsement for enforcing a uniform civil code as well as for the abolition of Article 370, but a majority want statehood restored in Jammu and Kashmir.

On foreign policy, while Modi gets a thumbs up, a majority believe that relations with neighbours have plummeted, and that India should resume peace talks with Pakistan and restart cultural exchanges. With China, given the thaw in relations, the view is to proceed with diplomatic dialogue and enhance trade relations but ensure that border security is strengthened. Surprisingly, a majority believe the Trump presidency to be good for India despite the brouhaha over deportations and tariffs.

Regarding the INDIA bloc, their demand for a national caste census gets a big thumbs up, with 69 per cent endorsing it. Despite the setbacks in the assembly polls, more than two-thirds believe INDIA should continue as they want a strong opposition. And whatever

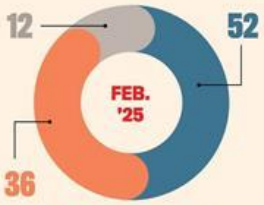
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Yes — No, governments of all parties misuse these agencies

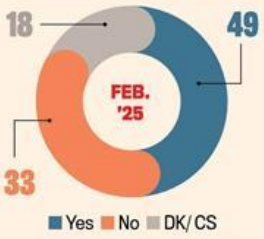
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Q. Now that assembly polls have been held in J&K, should the Union government restore statehood?



A majority backs the restoration of statehood in Jammu & Kashmir

Q. Do you think the Modi government is supporting the Adani Group amid allegations of bribery by a US court?



Nearly half the respondents believe the Centre is backing the Adani Group

Q. Do you support the government's legislation proposing to take back land owned by Waqf boards across the country?



Just one-fourth of the respondents are against the new Waqf legislation

All figures in % and rounded off

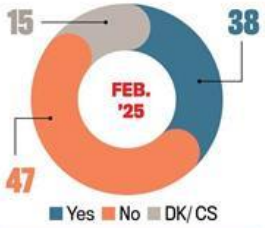
The perception that the BJP government misuses central agencies like the ED, CBI and the I-T department more than other governments in the past persists

the rumblings among INDIA partners about the Congress leading the alliance, a majority believe that the Grand Old Party is the real Opposition party to challenge the BJP. Rahul Gandhi continues to be the best suited to lead the Opposition though the support has dropped by eight percentage points compared to the August 2024 MOTN. Despite the clamour for the West Bengal chief minister to lead INDIA, she is rated far below Rahul in this role, as are Arvind Kejriwal and Akhilesh Yadav. Rahul's rating as a leader of the Opposition continues to be high, with 49 per cent endorsing it as good or outstanding. Rahul is also seen as the best to lead the Congress at a high 36.4 per cent, with Priyanka coming second, followed by Sachin Pilot and Mallikarjun Kharge.

When it comes to leadership in the BJP, Modi's ratings remain stratospheric, and Amit Shah still leads over Yogi Adityanath as the best suited to succeed the prime minister. Both are well ahead of the others, namely Nitin Gadkari, Rajnath Singh and Shivraj Singh Chouhan. Yogi Adityanath emerges as the most popular chief minister in the country, though MOTN findings show that he needs to improve his personal ratings in his home state.

Overall, the MOTN reflects an impressive comeback for Modi and the BJP after the jolt in the general election. It gives them a full mandate to execute bold reforms and ensure speedy economic growth while ensuring internal security and communal harmony. As Nelson Mandela once remarked, "The greatest glory in living lies not in never failing, but in rising every time we fall." ■

Q. Do you agree with the BJP's allegation about the Congress taking funds from George Soros for anti-India activities?



Most respondents reject the BJP's allegation about a Congress-Soros nexus

Methodology

The India Today Mood of the Nation (MOTN) poll was conducted by CVoter, a globally renowned name in the field of socio-economic research, between January 2, 2025, and February 9, 2025, interviewing 54,418 respondents covering all Lok Sabha segments across all states. In addition to these samples, 70,705 interviews from CVoter's regular tracker data over the past 24 weeks were also analysed for the long-term trendline projections of votes and seats. Thus, the opinion of a total of 125,123 respondents was considered for this MOTN report. The margin of error is +/- 3 per cent at macro level and +/- 5 per cent at the micro level of reporting with 95 per cent confidence level.

From May 2009 onwards, the CVoter Tracker has been carried out each week, 52 waves in a calendar year, in 11 national languages, across all states and UTs in India, with a target sample size of 60,000 samples each quarter. The average response rate is 55 per cent. Starting January 1, 2019, CVoter has been carrying the tracker on a daily basis, using the rollover sample of seven days for tracker analysis.

All these polls are based on a random probability sample as used in the globally standardised methodology, carried out by trained researchers across all geographic and demographic segments. This survey is based on Computer Assisted Telephone Interviews (CATI) of adult respondents across all segments. Standard Random Digit Dialing (RDD) is used to draw random numbers covering all frequency series allocated to all operators across all telecom circles in India.

CVoter ensures proper representative analysis by statistical weighing of the data to make it representative of the local population as per the latest census figures. The data is weighted to the known census profile, including gender, age, education, income, religion, caste, urban/rural and vote recalls for the past Lok Sabha and Vidhan Sabha elections. For the analytics, CVoter uses its proprietary algorithm to calculate the provincial and regional vote share based on the split-voter phenomenon.

CVoter follows the code of professional ethics and practices drafted by the World Association of Public Opinion Research and the official guidelines on opinion polling as instructed by the Press Council of India. ■



GOING STRONG
PM Narendra Modi at a public meeting ahead of the Maharashtra election in Mumbai, Nov. 2024



MOOD OF THE NATION POLL

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BACK WITH A BANG

THE BJP HAS RECOVERED ELECTORALLY AND WOULD WIN A MAJORITY ON ITS OWN AFTER THE SETBACK IN THE 2024 GENERAL ELECTION. BUT THE ECONOMY CONTINUES TO BE A CAUSE OF WORRY FOR THE MODI GOVERNMENT

By RAJ CHENGAPPA

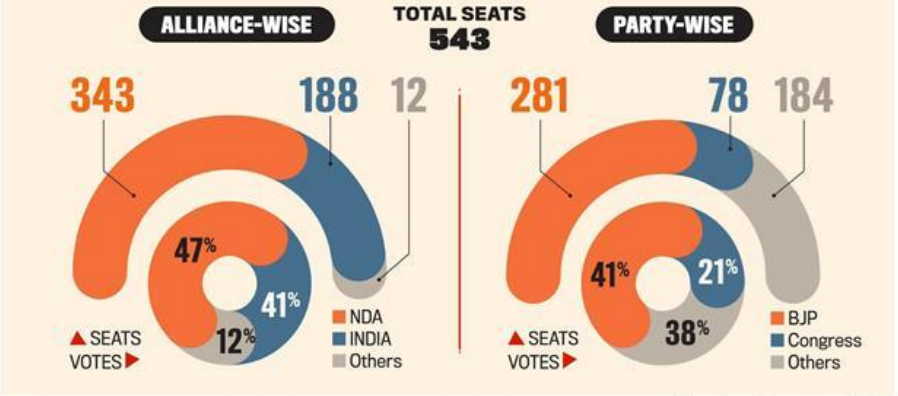
Resilience. Originating from a Latin root, the word once described the quality of materials to resist deformation under stress. In later years, psychologists and sociologists came to apply the concept to characterise individuals who could cope better with adversity than others or had the special ability to bounce back from difficult challenges, stress or trauma. It is a word that aptly sums up Prime Minister Narendra Modi's rare ability to withstand setbacks and grow even stronger, as has been evident in the recent past.

In the 2024 Lok Sabha election, the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) led by Modi received a rude shock when it won only 240 out of 543 seats, which was 32 short of the 272 seats needed for a simple majority to form a government on its own. But along with its National Democratic Alliance (NDA) partners, the overall tally of 293 allowed them to coast to a third consecutive term at the Centre. For Modi, however, who had pitched for a win of more than 350 seats for his party, about 50 more than

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INDIA TODAY MOOD OF THE NATION (MOTN) POLL, FEB. 2025

PROJECTED RESULTS IF THE LOK SABHA ELECTION WERE TO BE HELD TODAY



Vote share figures rounded off

NDA: Bharatiya Janata Party, Janata Dal (United), Telugu Desam Party, Rashtriya Lok Janshakti Party, Lok Janshakti Party (Ram Vilas), Apna Dal (Soneylal), National People's Party, Nationalist Democratic Progressive Party, Naga People's Front, Mizo National Front, Sikkim Krantikari Morcha, All Jharkhand Students Union, Indigenous People's Front of Tripura, Republican Party of India (Athawale), Asom Gana Parishad, Pattali Makkal Katchi, Tamil Maanila Congress, United People's Party Liberal, Suheldev Bharatiya Samaj Party, Maharashtrawadi Gomantak Party, Jannayak Janta Party, Prahar Janshakti Party, Rashtriya Samaj Paksha, Jan Surajya Shakti Party, Janata Dal (Secular), Kuki People's Alliance, United Democratic Party (Meghalaya), Hill State People's Democratic Party, Nishad Party, All India N.R. Congress, Hindustani Awam Morcha, JanaSena Party, Haryana Lokhit Party, Bharath Dharma Jana Sena, Kerala Kamaraj Congress, Puthiya Tamilagam, Gorkha National Liberation Front, Tipra Motha

INDIA: Indian National Congress, Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam, All India Trinamool Congress, Samajwadi Party, Jammu and Kashmir National Conference, Communist Party of India (Marxist), Indian Union Muslim League, Communist Party of India, Aam Aadmi Party, Jharkhand Mukti Morcha, Revolutionary Socialist Party, Viduthalai Chiruthaigal Katchi, Kerala Congress (M), Rashtriya Janata Dal, Rashtriya Lok Dal, Apna Dal (Kamerawadi), Peoples Democratic Party, Communist Party of India (Marxist-Leninist) Liberation, All India Forward Bloc, Marumalarchi Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam, Kongunadu Makkal Desia Katchi, Manithaneya Makkal Katchi, Kerala Congress (Joseph)

OTHERS: Biju Janata Dal, Bahujan Samaj Party, Bharat Rashtra Samithi, YSR Congress Party, All India Anna Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam, All India Majlis-e-Ittehadul Muslimeen, Shiromani Akali Dal, Indian National Lok Dal, Amma Makkal Munnetra Kazhagam, Bodoland People's Front, Gondwana Ganatantra Party, Gorkha Janmukti Morcha, Janta Congress Chhattisgarh, Makkal Needhi Maiam, Sikkim Democratic Front, Swabhimani Paksha, others

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the 303 it secured in the 2019 general election, the outcome was a setback. The Congress-led Opposition alliance, the Indian National Developmental Inclusive Alliance (INDIA), took 234 seats, and for a while it seemed the BJP would become hostage to the compulsions of coalition politics.

Yet, in keeping with the season, Modi and the BJP now have a remarkable spring in their steps after a hat-trick of decisive victories in three major assembly polls held after the general election: in Haryana, Maharashtra and Delhi. The BJP's elan is in sharp contrast to the fortunes of the INDIA bloc and its individual constituents, who flattered only to deceive, allowing the BJP to regain its political momentum and reassert its dominance. Its impact is reflected in the dramatic turnaround in the party's fortunes in the latest India Today-CVoter Mood of the Nation (MOTN) survey. It predicts that if a

To maintain the winning momentum, PM Modi and the BJP need to address a raft of concerns that the MOTN reveals, including ensuring economic growth

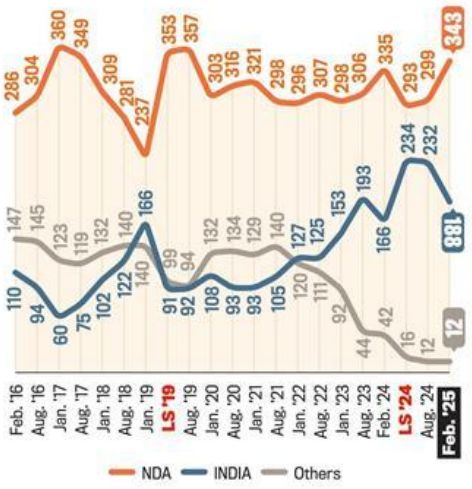
HOW THE PUBLIC MOOD HAS CHANGED

Seat and vote share projections in the past MOTN polls

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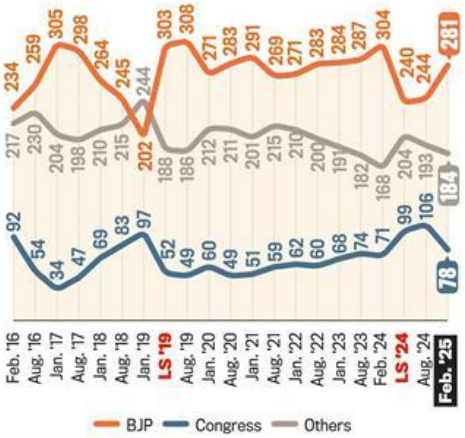
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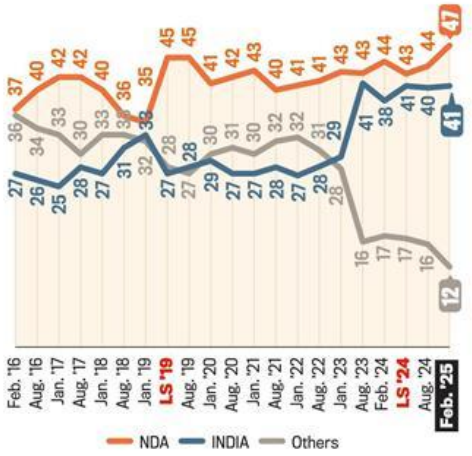


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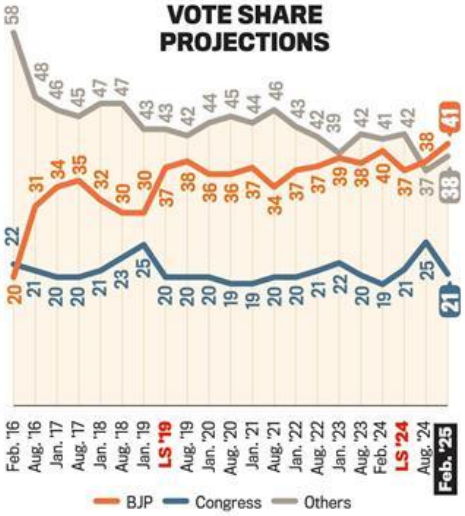
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Vote share figures in % and rounded off; all previous projections/ actual results mentioned against INDIA are from Feb. '16 to Jan. '23 for the erstwhile UPA

general election was held now, the BJP would secure a majority on its own, with its tally projection growing to 281 seats. That is nine more than the simple majority of 272 and a 41-seat jump from its actual tally in the 2024 Lok Sabha election. As a result, the NDA's total seats also go up from 293 to 343—a truly comfortable majority.

Modi's performance ratings, too, have shot up in the past six months. The current MOTN reveals that 61.8 per cent of those surveyed rate his performance as either good or outstanding, compared to 58.6 per cent in August 2024. Though Modi had the highest ever rating of 78 per cent in August 2020, that too in the thick of the first wave of the Covid pandemic, getting a ringing endorsement higher than 60 per cent after being in the saddle for over 10 years can only be seen as phenomenal. Since the India Today MOTN surveys kicked off in 2003, no other Indian prime minister has sustained such high popularity ratings. By the third year of his second term as PM, Manmohan Singh's personal popularity had plunged to a nadir from which it never recovered.

Even on the question of who is best suited to be the next prime minister, 51.2 per cent, or a majority, of those surveyed want Modi to continue. The prime minister maintains a massive lead of 26 percentage points over his nearest rival, Congress leader Rahul Gandhi. Rahul's ratings have gone up by two percentage points to 24.9 per cent—largely, it seems, on the back of being Leader of the Opposition. The survey also showed that a majority (50.7 per cent) regard Modi as India's best prime minister, with Manmohan Singh coming a distant second with 13.6 per cent. The performance rating of the NDA government is also indicative of how the alliance has gained significantly after the Lok Sabha polls. Over 62 per cent of the respondents said they were either satisfied or very satisfied with the overall performance of the NDA government, up four percentage points from the August 2024 MOTN.



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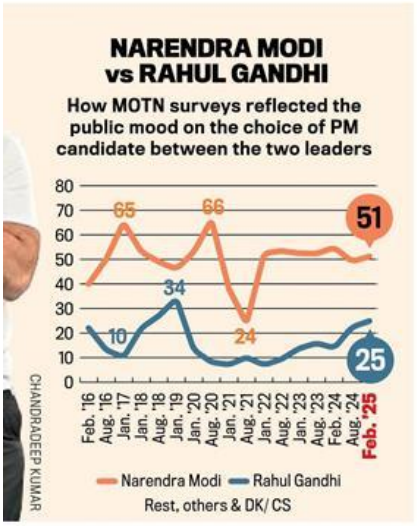
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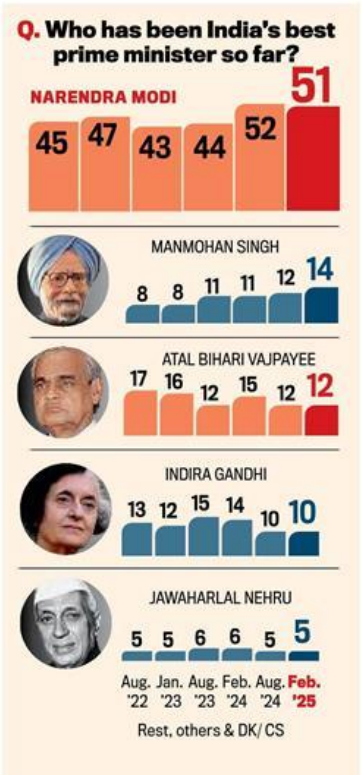
LESSONS LEARNED WELL

The big message of the February 2025 MOTN, therefore, is that Modi and the BJP are truly back with a bang. They seem to have achieved this by learning the lessons from the general election, especially shedding the overconfidence and arrogance they exhibited. Just before the campaign, BJP president J.P. Nadda had proclaimed that the party had grown up and was no longer in need of its ideological mentor, the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh (RSS), to win electoral support. That tune changed shortly after, so much so that the BJP worked synergistically with the RSS for all the three assembly polls, taking their help not just to mobilise the cadres but also systematically approach voters and win them over.

Meanwhile, even Modi did a U-turn on his distaste for what he has earlier dismissed as the *revdi* or freebie culture of the Opposition. The NDA announced massive cash doles for women in Maharashtra, and matched or even exceeded the goodies the Aam Aadmi Party offered in Delhi. For the campaigns in these three elections, rather than the blitzkrieg approach of the Lok Sabha polls, Modi held strategic rallies and left saturation campaigning on the ground to local leaders and organisational workers from other states.

On the governance front, PM Modi pivoted to the compulsions of coalition politics, meeting most of the key demands of his two allies—the Janata Dal (United) or JD(U) in Bihar and the Telugu Desam Party in Andhra Pradesh—giving them the financial allocations they wanted. That generosity did not







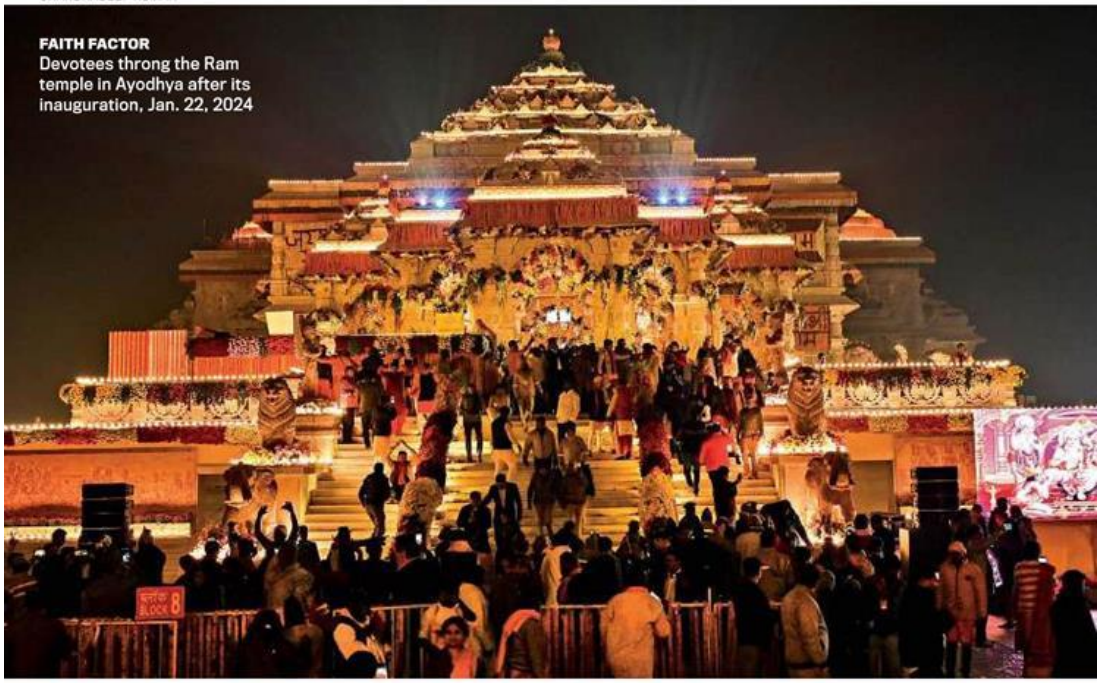
extend to the distribution of cabinet portfolios, though, as the PM not only kept key ministries such as finance, home, external affairs and defence for the BJP but also retained much of his core team. In that sense, Modi 3.0 is a continuation of Modi 2.0. If earlier the perception was that the BJP could not do without Narendra Modi, now it seems that the NDA would not be stable without him.

This is in sharp contrast to where INDIA, especially the Congress, stand. Their bluster after the general election has descended into a slanging match against each other. The INDIA bloc's tally is projected as coming down from 234 to 188—a drop of 46 seats, with the Congress taking the maximum hit. The Grand Old Party's tally slips by 21 seats—from 99 to 78. INDIA's maximum losses come from Maharashtra where it won 30 of the 48 seats, compared to the NDA's 17. The MOTN indicates that the NDA's tally would now go up to 40 seats, a 23-seat addition from Maharashtra alone.

Elsewhere, in Rajasthan and Haryana, where the Congress had eaten into the BJP's tally, the saffron party seems to have rebounded. In Uttar Pradesh, where the BJP won just 33 out of the state's 80 Lok Sabha seats, it gains 11 seats in the MOTN, at the expense of the Congress and Akhilesh Yadav's Samajwadi Party, which won six and 37 seats, respectively, in last year's general election. The NDA's tally is around 44, still far short of the 64 it won in 2019. In other big states such as West Bengal and Tamil Nadu, regional parties like the Trinamool Congress and the Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam hold firm, with both Mamata Banerjee and M.K. Stalin figur-

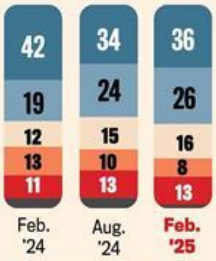
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CHANDRADEEP KUMAR



FAITH FACTOR
Devotees throng the Ram temple in Ayodhya after its inauguration, Jan. 22, 2024

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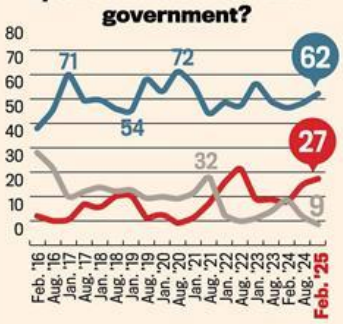
Approval of PM Modi's performance as outstanding has seen a slight rise after a sharp drop the previous MOTN

MODI'S PERFORMANCE ACROSS MOTNs



As many as 62% respondents rated Modi's performance as good or outstanding, up from 59% six months ago

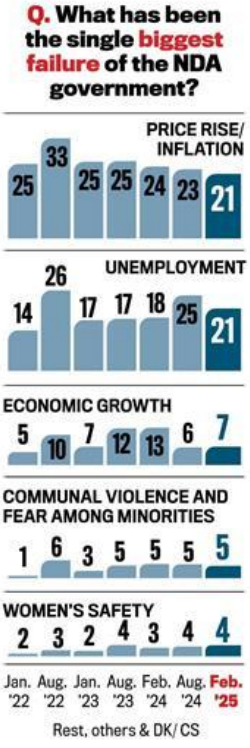
Q. How satisfied are you with the overall performance of the NDA government?



There's been a gradual rise in public satisfaction with the NDA govt's overall performance

All figures in % and rounded off







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ing high in the list of CMs popular in their respective home states as well as nationally.

THE WARNING SIGNS

However, even as Modi and the BJP regain remarkable electoral ground against all odds, the MOTN brings out major concerns they would do well to address to sustain the winning momentum. The political gains from building the Ram temple, which emerges as the Modi government's topmost achievement in the MOTN, have already peaked. As has the promise of political stability that figures high on the list of pluses, logical given that INDIA has yet to establish itself as a cohesive and stable alternative. The real concern for the Modi government is that their programmes such as Make in India, infrastructure development and welfare schemes figure much lower in the list of attainments.

While rebuilding the Ram temple and providing political stability tops the list of the Modi government's achievements, unemployment and inflation are seen as two of its biggest failures

Inflation, on the other hand, tops the list of the biggest failures, followed by unemployment and the lack of economic growth. These negatives bother a substantial 48 per cent of those surveyed and are reiterated elsewhere, with a majority maintaining that unemployment, price rise, poverty and farmers' distress are the biggest problems that the country faces. There is rising pessimism over the economy improving in the next six months, resulting in fewer people believing their economic status would improve, compared to Modi's first two terms. Worse, two-thirds believe their current expenses are getting difficult to manage and that their household income would deterio-

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Gautam Adani visited with his wife and son

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गौतम अडानी ने पत्नी व पुत्र के साथ ज़ियारत की

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उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी ने दरगाह में जियारत की

अजमेर | उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी ने शनिवार रात ख्वाजा गरीब नवाज की दरगाह की जियारत की। उन्होंने की मजार पर मखमल की चादर और अकीदत के फूल पेश किए। अदाणी एक विवाह समारोह में शामिल होने के लिए शाम को अजमेर पहुंचे और पहले सीधे दरगाह पहुंचे। उनकी झलक पाने के लिए दरगाह में लोगों की भीड़ लगी नजर आई। कड़ी सुरक्षा में उन्हें दरगाह परिसर में ले जाया गया। आस्ताना पहुंच कर अदाणी और उनके साथ आए परिजन ने अकीदत का नजराना पेश किया। खादिम सैयद सलमान चिश्ती ने उन्हें जियारत कराई, दस्तारबंदी की और तबर्रुक भेंट किया।

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Members free to air opinion, but party is paramount: Congress

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Members free to air opinion, but party is paramount: Congress

The Hindu Bureau
NEW DELHI

The Congress on Saturday said its members had absolute freedom of speech to express their views but the party's view was paramount.

"The Indian National Congress is our country's ONLY political party where there is absolute freedom of speech as well as freedom after speech," Congress communications chief Jairam Ramesh said on the social media platform X.

"Members give their views on issues which are, on occasion, their own and that do not reflect the opinion of the party as a collective entity. It is the party's stance that is paramount," Mr. Ramesh said.

Though he did not name any particular leader, the party's statement comes a day after senior leader and Lok Sabha member Shashi Tharoor's comments on Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visit to the U.S. and joint press conference with U.S. President Donald Trump.



Jairam Ramesh

Tharoor's comments

Mr. Tharoor had hailed the PM's visit as "a significant development since Mr. Modi was the fourth head of government to have been given an appointment by President Trump".

His comments on Friday were at odds with the position taken by Leader of the Opposition in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi, who has said that Mr. Modi was covering up the alleged corruption of industrialist Gautam Adani.

Defending his position, Mr. Tharoor asserted that he could not always speak only in terms of the party's interest. He said that he had spoken in national interest and as a "responsible stakeholder in Indian democracy and an elected representative of Thiruvananthapuram".

Mr. Tharoor said he believes that India had done well in terms of getting the U.S. to the negotiating table on tariffs, while raising concerns about the manner in which illegal immigrants were treated.

He said in his 16-year-long political career, he had applauded when a government, be it a Congress government or some other party's, did the right thing.

On Friday, welcoming the Prime Minister's visit, the Thiruvananthapuram MP had said: "The press statements by both the Prime Minister and President Trump are very encouraging. The big concerns we all had have been addressed."

On the illegal immigration issue, Mr. Tharoor said: "The only thing missing there from what Prime Minister Modi said was the question of the manner in which these people were treated and sent back. I think his stand was absolutely correct. I hope some things were said behind closed doors and not in the press conference."

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Adani family offers 'Chadar' at Dargah Ajmer Sharif

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Adani family offers 'Chadar' at Dargah Ajmer Sharif

First India Bureau
New Delhi





Haji Syed Salman Chishty welcomes Adani Group Chairman Gautam Adani and Rajesh Adani with family at Dargah Ajmer Sharif. Salman Chishty confers Global Peace Award upon Gautam Adani. The visit concluded with special Dua-e-Khair (prayers for well-being) for India's progress, global harmony.

The sacred 11th-century Sufi shrine of Hazrat Khwaja Gharib Nawaz (RA) at Dargah Ajmer Sharif witnessed a momentous occasion as Haji Syed Salman Chishty, Gaddi Nashin – Dargah Ajmer Sharif and Chairman – Chishty Foundation, warmly welcomed Gautam Adani, Chairman of Adani Group, along with Priti Adani ji and Rajesh Adani & Shilin Adani.

The distinguished delegation visited the revered Sufi shrine to offer prayers of gratitude, seeking divine blessings for the prosperity of our great nation, India, and for global peace and harmony. The visit symbolized a profound commitment to the spiritual values of inclusivity, unconditional love, service, and devotion—principles that Hazrat Khwaja Moinuddin Chishty (RA) preached and lived by.

During this historic occasion, Haji Syed Salman Chishty conferred the prestigious "Global Peace Award" upon Shri Gautam Adani Ji, recognizing his exceptional leadership, visionary contributions, philanthropic initiatives, and unwavering dedication to humanitarian causes. Under his guidance, the Adani Group has been at the forefront of nation-building, socio-economic upliftment, and global development, playing a vital role in fostering progress, sustainability, and inclusive growth.

Gautam Adani expressed his deep gratitude and reverence for the blessings received at Ajmer Sharif, emphasizing the importance of spiritual values in guiding ethical leadership and social responsibility.

A special pure vegetarian langar was also prepared and served on behalf of the Adani family to thousands of seeking hearts present at Dargah.

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Industrialist Gautam Adani visited Khwaja's shrine and listened to Qawwali

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उद्योगपति गौतम अडाणी ने ख्वाजा के दर पर की जियारत, सुनी कव्वाली



■ जलतेदीप निसं, अजमेर

उद्योगपति गौतम अडाणी शनिवार को अपनी पत्नी के साथ अजमेर पहुंचे और ख्वाजा गरीब नवाज की दरगाह में जियारत की। उन्होंने मखमली चादर और अकीदत के फूल पेश किए और देश की खुशहाली व तरक्की के लिए दुआ मांगी। इस दौरान दरगाह के खादिम सलमान चिश्ती ने उन्हें जियारत करवाई और तबरुक भेंट किया।

जानकारी के अनुसार गौतम अडाणी प्राइवेट प्लेन से किशनगढ़ एयरपोर्ट पहुंचे, जहां से वे सड़क मार्ग द्वारा अजमेर स्थित दरगाह पहुंचे। देर शाम दरगाह पहुंचने के बाद उन्होंने ख्वाजा मोइनुद्दीन हसन चिश्ती के दर पर हाजिरी लगाई और चादर पेश की। जियारत के दौरान उन्होंने देश की खुशहाली के लिए दुआ की।

बेगमी दलान में सुनी कव्वाली : जियारत के बाद गौतम अडाणी ने दरगाह के बेगमी दलान में बैठकर कव्वाली सुनी। दरगाह शरीफ में आने वाले जायरीन अक्सर यहां बैठकर कव्वाली का आनंद लेते हैं। इस दौरान दरगाह के खादिम सलमान चिश्ती ने उन्हें तबरुक भेंट किया और ख्वाजा साहब की शिक्षाओं और सूफी परंपरा के महत्व पर चर्चा की।

शादी समारोह में होंगे शामिल : दरगाह जियारत के बाद गौतम अडाणी अजमेर के महावीर सर्किल क्षेत्र में एक विवाह समारोह में शामिल होंगे। यह समारोह उनके किसी करीबी से जुड़ा हुआ है। समारोह में भाग लेने के बाद वे वापस सड़क मार्ग से किशनगढ़ एयरपोर्ट पहुंचेंगे और वहां से प्राइवेट प्लेन द्वारा रवाना होंगे।

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Passenger load at Jaipur airport increased by 13 percent

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तेरह प्रतिशत बढ़ा जयपुर एयरपोर्ट पर यात्री भार

■ जलतेदीप, जयपुर

जयपुर अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाई अड्डे पर यात्री भार में 13 प्रतिशत की बढ़ोतरी दर्ज की गई। हवाई अड्डे पर 5.68 लाख से अधिक यात्री भार दर्ज किया गया। जनवरी में हवाई अड्डे से 53, 093 अंतरराष्ट्रीय यात्री गुजरे जो 2024 की इसी अवधि की तुलना में 49 प्रतिशत अधिक है। इस तरहे घरेलू यात्री की संख्या 5.15 लाख रही, जो पिछले वर्ष की तुलना में 10 प्रतिशत की वृद्धि है। साल की शुरुवात में ही एयरपोर्ट के नाम एक और कीर्तिमान दर्ज हुआ। 10 फरवरी को जयपुर अंतर्राष्ट्रीय हवाई अड्डे पर एक दिन में अब तक सबसे अधिक 21, 565 यात्रियों पहुंचे।

हवाई अड्डा प्रशासन की ओर से दी गई जानकारी के अनुसार यात्रियों की बढ़ती संख्या और नए रूट खुलने के साथ ही एयरलाइंस ने विभिन्न घरेलू और अंतरराष्ट्रीय गंतव्यों के लिए नई उड़ानें शुरू की। हाल ही में दो एयरलाइंस ने जयपुर से प्रयागराज को जोड़ने वाली उड़ानें शुरू कीं, जबकि लंबे समय से प्रतीक्षित भुवनेश्वर रूट को भी फिर से खोल दिया गया।

इसके अलावा, एतिहाद एयरवेज द्वारा अबू धाबी के लिए 10 अतिरिक्त साप्ताहिक मूवमेंट शुरू करने से अंतरराष्ट्रीय यात्रियों की संख्या में भी वृद्धि हुई है। इससे पिछले साल जनवरी 2024 की तुलना में जनवरी 2025 में एयर ट्रैफिक मूवमेंट (एटीएम) में 10 प्रतिशत की वृद्धि हुई है। वर्तमान में जयपुर अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाई अड्डा 26 घरेलू शहरों और छह अंतरराष्ट्रीय गंतव्यों के लिए सीधी कनेक्टिविटी प्रदान करता है।

Dina Saithi • Chennai • 16 Feb, 2025

Non-issue Adani, personal matter abroad for PM: Rahul

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அமெரிக்காவில் கூட அதானியின் ஊழலை பிரதமர் மோடி மறைக்கிறார்: ராகுல் காந்தி குற்றச்சாட்டு

புதுடெல்லி, பிப்.16-

தொழிலதிபர் அதானி மீது அமெரிக்க கோர்ட்டில் வழக்கு தொடரப்பட்டு உள்ளது. பிரதமர் மோடி அமெரிக்கா சென்றுள்ள நிலையில், அந்த நாட்டு ஜனாதிபதி டிரம்புடன் இது குறித்து பேசவில்லை என்றார். தனிப்பட்ட விவகாரங்கள் குறித்து இரு நாடுகளின் தலைவர்கள் பேசுவது இல்லை என அவர் விளக்கம் அளித்தார். பிரதமரின் இந்த கருத்துக்கு மக்களவை எதிர்க்கட்சித்தலைவர் ராகுல் காந்தி கண்டனம் தெரிவித்து உள்ளார்.

இது தொடர்பாக அவர் தனது எக்ஸ் தளத்தில், 'அதானி விவகாரம் குறித்து இந்தியாவில் நீங்கள் கேள்வி எழுப்பினால், மவுனமே பதிலாக இருக்கும். வெளிநாட்டில் கேள்வி கேட்டால், அது தனிப்பட்ட விவகாரமாகி விடும். அமெரிக்காவில் கூட மோடிஜி, அதானியின் ஊழல்களை மறைக்கிறார்' என குற்றம் சாட்டியுள்ளார்.

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Long Wait to Take Off

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Long Wait to Take Off

As Chennai finally embarks on a journey to construct a new airport, it is worth reminiscing how the traditional gateway to South India got left behind

Dia Rekhi

In 1993, when Dun & Bradstreet, a leading information research company, wanted to set up its in-house technology centre in India, it was a toss-up between Madras and Bangalore.

Back then, the pendulum swung in favour of the former.

What helped was that the city had high-quality talent, a US consulate, a service-oriented work culture and an international airport—something Karnataka's capital city could not boast of at the time.

"This in-house technology centre, which later became Cognizant, emerged as one of the top three employers in the private sector in the state and the country," says Ramkumar Ramamoorthy, partner, Catalincs, and former CMD, Cognizant India.

Time passed.

In 1996, Madras became Chennai. In 2014, Bangalore became Bengaluru.

Here's a thought exercise. If there was a race today between Bengaluru and Chennai for a human capital-intensive, mega foreign investment, how would it play out?

Likely very differently.

The one thing you can be certain of is that Chennai's airport will not tip the scales in its favour. In fact, in Bengaluru's case, the city's airport has become a talking point, especially with the swanky new Terminal 2.

For a country where foreign investment over the past few decades has been key to catalysing the economy, having a half-decent introduction on arrival can swing things dramatically.

It isn't that Tamil Nadu has done shabbily in these last couple of decades. Far from it, since it boasts the second highest gross state domestic product (GSDP) in India. The question is what could have been if it had an airport that matched its stature as the traditional gateway to the south of India, and that is certainly one area where the city could have done better.

It wasn't always like this.

GLORIOUS PAST

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The Tamil Nadu government is making moves to establish a second airport in the city. The location is Parandur, 75 km outside Chennai. The state also has big plans for the proposed Hosur airport

used for the races conducted by the Madras Motor Sports Club, before it shifted to Sholavaram in 1955, says Sriram V, writer and city chronicler, in a blog post

It was political push that changed the status of the airport in the 1950s. "Air facilities to Madras owed much to K Kamaraj who kept fighting for them during the 1950s and 1960s," writes Sriram. Thanks to that, Madras was connected to Colombo, Hyderabad, Bombay, Delhi, Calcutta, Bangalore, Coimbatore, Cochin, Trivandrum, Madurai and Trichy.

Over the years, according to Sriram, Air India started operating more international routes, with Madras getting connected to cities in Egypt, Greece, Italy, France, England, Burma, Malaya, Singapore, Australia, Hong Kong and Japan.

In the 1950s and '60s, the only overseas operator flying out of Madras was Air Ceylon. By the time the '70s hit, more foreign airlines began touching down at Madras.

J Krishnan, former president of an industry association, says historically, Chennai airport was the hub for the entire South —undivided Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Kerala and even parts of Odisha.

While there was a period when progress of our airport slowed, this government has recognised the critical role airports play in driving industrial growth and investment, and we

"That was the premium position the Madras airport enjoyed logistically," says Krishnan. "Compared with Mumbai and Delhi's Safdarjung airport, it was a very efficient airport. And in the '80s and even till the early '90s, many flights would land in Chennai and not Bangalore. So Chennai thought it had an invincible monopoly. It was hubris."

BIG SHIFT

Then Bangalore happened.

In the noughties, Bangalore upped the ante. Following the likes of the Narita airport in Japan, it established an ultra-modern facility way outside the city, with room to grow.

This has made a huge difference. In 2023, a team of senior executives from Foxconn led by CEO and Chairman Young Liu began a walkthrough of Terminal 2, followed by a detailed presentation by senior executives from the Bengaluru International Airport Ltd (BIAL) on cargo infrastructure and facilities at the airport.

Liu and his team were seemingly impressed by what they saw, particularly the cargo handling. "The efficiency of cargo handling at the airport does have a significant bearing on our operations and metrics, as we rely on air freight for our multiple products, to a considerable extent," Liu said in a letter to the then

Madras Airport: Flight Down Memory Lane

- Madras was one of the first cities in India to get an airport
- Alagappa Chettiar's Jupiter Airways operated a Madras-Delhi service from an airstrip
- The airstrip expanded to become the Meenambakkam aerodrome
- By 1959, Madras was connected to Hyderabad, Bombay, Delhi and Calcutta; plus the Bombay-Colombo flight stopped at Madras
- Air Ceylon was the only overseas operator from Madras in early years
- Then Air India operated international routes, connecting Madras to cities in Egypt, Greece, Italy, France, England, Burma, Malaya, Singapore, Australia, Hong Kong and Japan
- By the 1970s, more foreign airlines began touching down at Madras
- With a new passenger terminal coming up in the 1980s near Tirusulam, the old Meenambakkam terminal was dedicated to cargo

Source: V Sriram, writer & Chennai chronicler

ries in Sriperumbudur," says Krishnan, adding, "This takes less time than what it takes to get it cleared from Chennai airport."

there is inadequate parking at Chennai—and dwindling international connectivity, especially after the pandemic.

Ravichandran Purushothaman, president of Danfoss India, says there should be more direct connections from Chennai to Europe, especially the Nordic countries. "Daily flights to Amsterdam or Copenhagen will enhance trade and commerce. India's engineering services and IT exports are increasing to the Nordic nations and other countries in Europe so it will be highly productive if direct flights are operated," he says.

Krishnan reckons the airport suffered from a sense of general apathy. "When Nokia was at its peak, they had to take an appointment with the PMO and give a representation that Chennai airport needs a covered area for cargo because the phones were lying outside, getting wet in the rain," he says.

The changing nature of politics through the 1990s didn't help.

Krishnan says, "The neglect of the infrastructure can be attributed to the airport being centrally ruled and the state being an opposition-ruled one."

That contributed to Chennai not following Bengaluru and Hyderabad in going for greenfield airports and privatisation. Existing airports in Mumbai and Delhi were privatised, leaving behind Kolkata and Chennai as the odd ones out.

Such apathy meant a critical opportunity to find ideal parcels of land at a relatively cheap rate was lost, even though vast tracts were easily available outside the city.

"The Airports Authority of India (AAI) thought the airport was going to be privatised so they washed their hands of it," says Krishnan, adding, "Capital expenditure almost came to a standstill, which added to the fall. Now they realise that things are not going to head towards privatisation of this facility so they are getting some investment done to upgrade the facility from horrible to ugly."

and employment generation in the state.

That is probably why the Tamil Nadu government is finally making moves to establish a second airport in the city.

The location is Parandur, 75 km outside the city.

Reportedly, tenders for concessionaires —private entities who will build and operate the airport, like in Bengaluru—will be out by March.

Already, this has become a political hot potato, with protests intensifying against the displacement of villages at the proposed site. The newly established political party, Tamilaga Vettri Kazhagam (TVK) and its chief, actor Vijay, are among those who have voiced their concerns.

Chennai airport is hobbled by issues like parking spaces—many wide-bodied cargo aircraft are diverted to Bengaluru because there is inadequate parking at Chennai—and dwindling international connectivity, especially after the pandemic

The state's industries minister, TRB Rajaa, says Tamil Nadu is fully committed to the plan. "While there was a period when progress of our airports slowed, this government has recognised the critical role airports play in driving industrial growth and investment, and we have taken decisive steps to catch up and surpass expectations," he says. This, he adds, is not limited to Chennai and that the government has spent more than ₹2,100 crore to acquire land in Coimbatore as well, and is looking forward to "swift action" from AAI.

He says the state also has big plans for the proposed Hosur airport which, he says, will be a game-changer, not least because of its proximity to Bengaluru.

Karnataka, worried of the effect this will have on the preeminence of Bengaluru, has moved to announce a second airport which, in effect, will mean three civilian airports in relatively close proximity to the city.

Some would call it overkill, but it could



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With aircraft services being few and far between, the runway was also



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मुंबई से आ रही फ्लाइट में यात्री की बिगड़ी तबीयत

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As Chennai finally embarks on a journey to construct a new airport, it is worth reminiscing how the traditional gateway to South India got left behind



Dia Rekhi

The Tamil Nadu government is making moves to establish a second airport in the city. The location is Parandur, 75 km outside Chennai. The state also has big plans for the proposed Hosur airport

In 1993, when Dun & Bradstreet, a leading information research company, wanted to set up its in-house technology centre in India, it was a toss-up between Madras and Bangalore.

Back then, the pendulum swung in favour of the former.

What helped was that the city had high-quality talent, a US consulate, a service-oriented work culture and an international airport—something Karnataka's capital city could not boast of at the time.

"This in-house technology centre, which later became Cognizant, emerged as one of the top three employers in the private sector in the state and the country," says Ramkumar Ramamoorthy, partner, Catalinics, and former CMD, Cognizant India.

Time passed.

In 1996, Madras became Chennai. In 2014, Bangalore became Bengaluru.

Here's a thought exercise. If there was a race today between Bengaluru and Chennai for a human capital-intensive, mega foreign investment, how would it play out?

Likely, very differently.

The one thing you can be certain of is that Chennai's airport will not tip the scales in its favour. In fact, in Bengaluru's case, the city's airport has become a talking point, especially with the swanky new Terminal 2.

For a country where foreign investment over the past few decades has been key to catalysing the economy, having a half-decent introduction on arrival can swing things dramatically.

It isn't that Tamil Nadu has done shabbily in these last couple of decades. Far from it, since it boasts the second highest gross state domestic product (GSDP) in India. The question is what could have been if it had an airport that matched its stature as the traditional gateway to the south of India, and that is certainly one area where the city could have done better.

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With aircraft services being few and far between, the runway was also used for the races conducted by the Madras Motor Sports Club, before it shifted to Sholavaram in 1955, says Sriram V, writer and city chronicler, in a blog post

It was political push that changed the status of the airport in the 1950s. "Air facilities to Madras owed much to K Kamaraj who kept fighting for them during the 1950s and 1960s," writes Sriram. Thanks to that, Madras was connected to Colombo, Hyderabad, Bombay, Delhi, Calcutta, Bangalore, Coimbatore, Cochin, Trivandrum, Madurai and Trichy.

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Ravichandran Purushothaman, president of Danfoss India, says there should be more direct connections from Chennai to Europe, especially the Nordic countries. "Daily flights to Amsterdam or Copenhagen will enhance trade and commerce. India's engineering services and IT exports are increasing to the Nordic nations and other countries in Europe so it will be highly productive if direct flights are operated," he says.

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Reportedly, tenders for concessionaires —private entities who will build and operate the airport, like in Bengaluru—will be out by March.

Already, this has become a political hot potato, with protests intensifying against the displacement of villages at the proposed site. The newly established political party, Tamilaga Vettri Kazhagam (TVK) and its chief, actor Vijay, are among those who have voiced their concerns.

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मखमली चादर चढ़ाकर मांगी दुआ



अजमेर, 15 फरवरी (ब्यूरो): प्रतिष्ठित उद्योगपति गौतम अडानी ने शनिवार को ख्वाजा मोइनुद्दीन हसन चिश्ती की दरगाह में हाजिरी दी। उन्होंने सूफी परंपरा का पालन करते हुए पवित्र मजार पर मखमली चादर और फूल पेश किए तथा देश, समाज और व्यवसाय की समृद्धि के लिए दुआ मांगी। दरगाह के खादिम सैयद सलमान चिश्ती ने उन्हें जियारत कराई और तबर्रुक भेंट किया।

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Suhasini Haidar
MUSCAT

Amid troubled ties with Bangladesh, External Affairs Minister S. Jaishankar will meet Bangladesh Foreign Affairs Adviser Touhid Hossain on the sidelines of the eighth Indian Ocean Conference here on Sunday, sources said.

Mr. Jaishankar, who will inaugurate the regional conference co-hosted by the Ministry of External Affairs and the Omani government, and organised by the India Foundation, will also meet with a number of other Foreign Ministers from 27 countries that are taking part. The Foreign Ministers of Bhutan, Sri Lanka, the Maldives, Nepal and Bangladesh will be attending the annual conference.

In a sign of the government's normalisation process of ties with China after the October agreement between the militaries at the Line of Actual Control, China's Special Envoy for Middle East Affairs Zhai Jun will attend, marking the first time an official from the country has been invited since the conference held in 2019.



Regional issues: Last year, S. Jaishankar had addressed the Indian Ocean Conference that was held in Perth, Australia. FILE PHOTO

Iranian Foreign Minister Abbas Araghchi, Singapore's Foreign Minister Vivian Balakrishnan and Australian Foreign Minister Penny Wong will address the grouping. Mr. Jaishankar, who accompanied Prime Minister Narendra Modi to Paris and Washington this week, attended the Munich Security Conference on Saturday before arriving in Muscat.

Mr. Jaishankar will address the inaugural session of the Indian Ocean Conference on Sunday along with Omani Foreign Minister Sayyid Badr bin Hamad Al Busaidi and Mr. Balakrishnan.

Modi-Trump talks

Mr. Jaishankar's meeting with the Bangladesh Foreign Affairs Adviser is particularly significant as it comes amidst spiralling ties between the Modi government and the caretaker government in Dhaka led by Muhammad Yunus, and deep concerns that Mr. Modi even raised with U.S. President Donald Trump during his visit to Washington.

While India has expressed alarm over the attacks on minorities after the ouster of former Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina in August 2024, as well as the treatment of Indian businesses by the new government, the Yunus government has demanded that India ensure that Ms. Hasina, who has taken shelter in Delhi, does not make political statements or address public rallies of the Awami League via video conference. A number of other irritants, over border security, water sharing and flood management, trade issues, the release of radicals and those accused on terror charges in Bangladesh have also been discussed between both sides, including during a visit by Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri to Dhaka in December.

Mr. Jaishankar and Mr. Hossain will be tasked with taking forward the talks on resolving issues, as well preparing for a possible meeting between Mr. Modi and Mr. Yunus, as both are expected to attend the BIMSTEC regional conference in Bangkok on April 2-4.

Mr. Jaishankar will also have a chance to interact with other counterparts from the region, and tackle issues testing ties with them.

Sri Lankan Minister of Foreign Affairs Vijitha Herath will be in Muscat days after the Adani Group pulled out of a renewable energy contract after the Dissanayake government ordered a second review against it.

Maldives' Foreign Minister Abdulla Khaleel is expected to discuss talks for a Free Trade Agreement with India, after the Muizzu government has already operationalized an FTA with China.

Nepal's Foreign Minister Arzu Deuba is expected to discuss dates for a bilateral visit by Nepal's Prime Minister K.P. Sharma Oli, who was sworn in in July last year, but has not so far received an invitation.

In December, Mr. Oli travelled to Beijing for a bilateral visit, one of the first times India was not the first stop for a Nepali PM.

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INFRA SETBACKS UNDER NEW REGIMES

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GURBIR SINGH

ADANI Green Energy's withdrawal from its wind power project from Sri Lanka follows months of stout opposition by local communities. The exit was also fueled by the new left-leaning government of Anura Kumara Dissanayake's unhappiness with the deal. While most companies face reviews of their projects, the Sri Lankan rebuff comes as a reminder that most Adani offshore forays have seen controversy and push backs because they have sought to impose onerous terms.

While an Adani group statement calls it a 'withdrawal', the fact is the Sri Lankan government cancelled the deal. The wind power project, signed in May 2024 by former president Ranil Wickremesinghe's government, was slated to generate 484 MW for coastal belt of Mannar and Pooneryn. However, it was found power purchase rate of $0.0826 Kwh was far higher than offered by local companies.

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Abigail Banerji

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ALMOND COCONUT SAFFRON BARS

Ingredients:
For the base:
- Almond flour-1 cup
- Grated coconut-1/2 cup
- Ghee-2 tbsp
- Jaggery syrup-1/4 cup
- Cardamom powder-1/2tsp

For the saffron layer:
- Milk - 1/4 cup
- Condensed milk - 1/4 cup
- Almond slivers - 1/4 cup
- Grated coconut - 2tbsp
- Saffron strands - a pinch

Method:
- Dry roast grated coconut and almond flour until golden brown.
- Add ghee, cardamom powder and jaggery syrup and heat until the mixture pulls away from the pan's sides.
- Evenly distribute the mixture onto an oiled tray.
- Slightly heat the milk and stir in the saffron threads.
- Combine condensed milk, grated coconut, almond slivers, and saffron-infused milk.
- Reduce heat and simmer until slightly thickened.
- Cover this with the saffron mixture and refrigerate for one to two hours.
- Slice into bars and serve.

Inputs by Anshul Dhyani, Executive Chef, ITC Grand Central, Mumbai

ALMOND CHAI CRÈME BRULEE

Ingredients:
- Heavy cream - 2 cups
- Almond milk - ½ cup
- Finely chopped toasted almonds - ¼ cup
- Loose-leaf tea - 1tbsp
- Egg yolks - 4
- Sugar - ¼ cup
- Vanilla extract - ½tsp
- Pinch of salt

Method :
- Combine heavy cream, almond milk, toasted almonds, and tea.
- Heat over medium-low heat until steaming.
- Let it steep for 10 minutes and then strain.
- Preheat oven to 325°F (160°C).
- Whisk egg yolks, sugar, vanilla extract, and salt until slightly thickened.
- Gradually whisk in the cream.
- Pour the custard into ramekins and place them in a baking dish.
- Fill the dish with hot water.
- Bake for 30-35 minutes. Cool to room temperature. Refrigerate overnight.
- Sprinkle a thin layer of sugar over each custard and use a kitchen torch to caramelise it. Serve warm.

Inputs by Chef Anurag Binola, La Estoria IHCL SeleQtions

BROCCOLI AND ALMOND SOUP

Ingredients:
- Olive oil - 2tbsp
- Chopped onion - 1
- Minced garlic cloves - 2
- Broccoli florets - 4 cups
- Almond milk - 1 cup
- Sliced almonds, toasted - 1/2 cup
- Vegetable broth - 4 cups
- Salt, pepper, and lemon juice to taste

Method:
- Sauté onion and garlic in olive oil for five to seven minutes.
- Add broccoli and broth, bring to a boil, then simmer until tender.
- Blend soup until smooth, stir in almond milk, and season with salt, pepper, and lemon juice.
- Top with toasted almonds and serve!

Inputs by Chef Ashish Vijay Kadam, Novotel, Mumbai International Airport

SPICY ALMOND MOLE TACOS

Ingredients:
For the Mole Sauce:
- Olive oil - 2 tbsp
- Toasted raw almonds - ½ cup
- Dried ancho chilies, deseeded and soaked in warm water - 2
- Chipotle pepper in adobo sauce - 1
- Diced onion – 1
- Minced garlic cloves - 3
- Chopped tomato - 1
- Cocoa powder - 1tbsp
- Cinnamon - ½tsp
- Cumin - 1tsp
- Smoked paprika - ½tsp
- Vegetable or chicken broth - 2 cups
- Almond butter - 1tbsp
- Honey - 1 tbsp
- Salt and pepper to taste

For the tacos:
- Shredded cooked chicken - 2 cups
- Corn tortillas - 8
- Crumbled queso fresco - ½ cup
- Sliced radishes - ½ cup
- Chopped cilantro - ¼ cup
- Lime, cut into wedges - 1

Method :
- Sauté the almonds in olive oil until golden. Remove and set aside.
- In the same pan, sauté onions and garlic until translucent. Add tomatoes and cook until soft.
- Blend the almonds, chilies, chipotle pepper, cocoa powder, cinnamon, cumin, smoked paprika, and cooked onion mixture with broth until smooth.
- Pour the sauce in the pan, add almond butter, honey, broth, salt and pepper. Simmer for 15 minutes.
- To assemble the tacos, mix the shredded chicken with the mole sauce until well coated.
- Warm the tortillas and fill them with the mole mixture.
- Top with queso fresco, sliced radishes, and cilantro. Serve with lime wedges on the side.

Inputs by Chef Vinamr Manocha, Continental Kitchen of Vivanta, Goa, Panaji

ALMOND AND PISTACHIO BAKLAVA

Ingredients:
- Almonds - 250gms
- Pistachios - 250gms
- Filo sheets -300gms
- Mascarpone cheese - 250gms
- Salted butter - 400gms
- Sugar syrup - 250gms
- Ghee to grease

Method:
- Preheat the oven to 170°C.
- Soak the almonds and pistachio in warm water to remove the skin.
- Roast the nuts in the oven for three to five minutes. Crush them into a coarse powder.
- Grease the insides of baking tray with ghee.
- Place your first filo sheet and brush it with salted butter. Repeat the process five times.
- Add a light layer of mascarpone cheese on your filo sheets.
- Add a bit of the nut mixture over the cheese layer.
- Create four more alternating layers of filo, mascarpone cheese and the crumbled nuts.
- After the last layer of crumbled nuts, add four layers of filo pastry and brush with salted butter.
- Once the baklava has been assembled, cut it into your desired portion size.
- Bake for 35 to 40 minutes in an oven at 170°C, and pour the sugar syrup over the baked baklava.

Inputs by Chef Nilesh Humbre, Olive Bistro

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An exclusive quality of Indians living in India is the ability to look the other way when we ourselves are severely inconvenienced or presented with irrefutable evidence of social evils inflicted upon others. That is why we suck it up when freshly paved roads in residential areas are torn up to accommodate open drains on either side where stray pups drown and people toss rubbish, leading to clogging and the exacerbation of an already untenable situation. We grit our teeth and move on, ignoring the potholed roads groaning under the weight of endless vehicles as we make perilous trips to our destinations, determinedly ignoring shouted insults, traffic jams, and inexcusable driving as people chat on their mobile phones and drive on the wrong side.

It is best to ignore these things. Like we ignore stray dogs that pose a rabies risk and cows wandering around and inevitably ending up spattered across the windshields of truck drivers with rage issues brought on by haemorrhoids, which they can't afford to treat. Kids are getting abducted, and somebody is being raped and set alight in public and in broad daylight? Ignore. Pilgrims undertaking *padayatras* or thronging to immerse themselves in the confluence of sacred rivers feel free to behave as badly as they please, discarding trash over every inch of available space, causing stampedes, and blaming the government when devotees are crushed to death. Any criticism is not welcome because this is a religious matter, and we ought to be sensitive as opposed to sensible. So why bother? Besides, unlike in Gaza, we are not enabling genocide and the slaughter of children over religious claims and disputed holy lands, are we? India is better than that!



What about the poor? Those wretched folks who live in unsightly slums and practice open defecation when not begging, their umpteen babies with runny noses in tow, or sleeping on pavements to be killed beneath imported wheels. They are everywhere, ruining the reputation of our country in front of those white tourists who click pictures and make award-winning films about slumdogs who are unlikely to become millionaires in this or subsequent lifetimes.

Some of us half-heartedly read reports about the fact that there are more billionaires than ever in India, which still means there are countless people unable to make ends meet and live and die in grinding poverty despite the backbreaking labour they are forced into. Focusing on issues like population explosion, unequal distribution of wealth and resources, corruption and governance, inadequate health care, social injustices, etc is bound to give one a migraine. And what can we do?

We have our own problems. Most of us are neither Ambani nor Adani, and we need to find maids who will work for a pittance, send our kids to a school that does not charge an arm and a leg and both kidneys, make enough in this depressing economy to allow us to holiday at some exotic locale guaranteed to make the Insta fam jealous and buy more expensive trifles we don't need. We carry on, uncaring that we can't afford to go on this way. Ignoring pressing issues is a hard feat, but we manage it. Because that much at least, we can do.

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FOCUS ON SENIOR BATTERS AS TEAM DEPARTS FOR CHAMPIONS TROPHY

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The confidence — of the fans and the team — has been boosted by India's recent 3-0 ODI series whitewash at home over England. Those supporters assembled at the Mumbai airport will be hoping that the icons led by Rohit and Kohli will pull off another triumph like they did in the West Indies last year. If those scenes are to be repeated, then India will need runs from both Rohit and Kohli's blades. PTI

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Indian team arrives in Dubai

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चॅम्पियन्स करंडक : मुंबई विमानतळावरही उत्साहाचे वातावरण

मुंबई, ता. १५ : पांढऱ्या रंगाचा टीशर्ट आणि काळ्या रंगाचा ट्रॅक परिधान करून भारतीय संघ आज दुपारी रुबाबात चॅम्पियन्स करंडक स्पर्धेसाठी दुबईला दाखल झाला. तत्पूर्वी मुंबई विमानतळावर रोहित भाई... असा नारा तेथे उपस्थित असलेले प्रवासी आणि चाहत्यांनी दिला.

प्रशिक्षक गौतम गंभीर यांच्यासह बहुतेक खेळाडू संघाच्या बसमधून विमानतळावर आले. उपकर्णधार शुभमन गिल, विराट कोहली असे काही काही खेळाडू पाठीराख्यांना स्वाक्षरी देत होते आणि शुभेच्छांचा स्वीकार करीत होते.

मायदेशात नुकत्याच झालेल्या इंग्लंडविरुद्धच्या मालिकेतील तिन्ही सामने जिंकल्यामुळे भारतीय खेळाडूंच्या चेहऱ्यावर आत्मविश्वास झळकत होता.

काही महिन्यांपूर्वी रोहित शर्माच्या संघाचे ट्वेन्टी-२० विश्वकरंडक जिंकल्यानंतरचे अभूतपूर्व स्वागत याच विमानतळावर करण्यात आले होते. आताही तशीच संधी मिळावी, अशी अपेक्षा येथे उपस्थित असलेले पाठीराखे करीत होते; मात्र जसप्रीत बुमराची अनुपस्थिती आज प्रकर्षाने जाणवत होती.



रोहित शर्मा



विराट कोहली

भारताला यशस्वी व्हायचे असेल तर रोहित शर्मा आणि विराट कोहली यांच्या बॅटमधून धावा होणे आवश्यक आहे. कटक येथील सामन्यात रोहित शर्माने ९० चेंडूत १११ धावांची खेळी करून प्रदीर्घ काळ सुरू असलेला धावांचा दुष्काळ संपवला होता तर अहमदाबाद येथे झालेल्या तिसऱ्या आणि अखेरच्या सामन्यात विराट कोहलीने आपले ७३वे अर्धशतक केले होते. आता या दोघांकडून हाच फॉर्म कायम ठेवण्याची अपेक्षा आहे. यानंतर २०२७ मध्ये एकदिवसीय विश्वकरंडक स्पर्धा होणार आहे, त्यामुळे रोहित आणि विराटसाठी एकदिवसीय प्रकारातील चॅम्पियन्स करंडक ही सर्वांत मोठी स्पर्धा असेल.

एकीकडे रोहित-विराटवर फलंदाजीची प्रमुख भिस्त असली तरी उपकर्णधार शुभमन गिलकडूनही मोठ्या अपेक्षा आहेत. एकदिवसीय प्रकारात त्याची सरासरी ६९ धावांच्या जवळपास आहे. त्यानेही सातत्य ठेवले तर भारताची सुरुवात भक्कम होऊ शकेल आणि त्याचा फायदा मधल्या फळीतील फलंदाजांना होऊ शकेल.

बुमराची उणीव भरून काढण्यासाठी गोलंदाजीत भारताची भिस्त फिरकी गोलंदाजांवर असणार आहे. रवींद्र जडेजा, अक्षर पटेल, कुलदीप यादव वरुण चक्रवर्ती आणि वॉशिंग्टन सुंदर असे पाच फिरकी गोलंदाज आहेत. वरुण चक्रवर्ती 'एक्स फॅक्टर' ठरू शकेल.

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- एकदिवसीय प्रकारात १४ हजार धावा करणारा तिसरा फलंदाज ठरण्यासाठी विराट कोहलीला ३७ धावांची गरज आहे तर ११ हजार धावा पूर्ण करण्यासाठी रोहितला १२ धावांची आवश्यकता आहे.

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सध्या 'जेएनपीए' बंदर देशाच्या एकूण क्षमतेच्या ६५ टक्के कंटेनर वाहतूक हाताळते. आपली मेरिटाइम पॉवर ही 'जेएनपीए'मुळे आहे. वाढवणमध्ये होणारे बंदर 'जेएनपीए'च्या तिप्पट क्षमतेचे आणि देशातील सर्वांत मोठे व खोल बंदर असणार आहे. आखाती देश तसेच युरोपातून येणारी जहाजे थेट वाढवण बंदरात येतील. बंदरापाठोपाठ या ठिकाणी विमानतळ उभारण्याची विनंती मी पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी यांच्याकडे केली होती. त्यालाही पंतप्रधानांनी मान्यता दिली. मुंबई, नवी मुंबईनंतर तिसरे विमानतळ पालघरमध्ये होणार आहे. आपल्या बुलेट ट्रेनचा थांबाही तिथे आहे. पर्यायाने या ठिकाणी मोठी इकोसिस्टीम तयार होईल. त्यातून महाराष्ट्राचा पुढील ३० वर्षांचा विकास होईल, असा विश्वास मुख्यमंत्री देवेंद्र फडणवीस यांनी व्यक्त केला. 'सकाळ'च्या मुंबई आवृत्तीच्या ५४व्या वर्धापनदिनानिमित्त आयोजित 'सकाळ सन्मान' सोहळ्यातील मुलाखतीच्या सत्रात ते बोलत होते. 'सकाळ'चे मुख्य संपादक राहुल गडपाले यांनी त्यांच्याशी संवाद साधला.

वाढवण बंदराची संकल्पना सर्वप्रथम १९८० च्या सुमारास मांडण्यात आली. १९९२ मध्ये सर्वोच्च न्यायालयात त्याविरोधात याचिका दाखल करण्यात आली. १९९८ मध्ये न्यायालयाने या ठिकाणी बंदर होणार नसल्याचा निर्णय दिला. मी मुख्यमंत्री झाल्यानंतर हे बंदर राज्याला आणि देशाला पूर्णपणे परिवर्तीत करू शकते, हे लक्षात आल्याने त्याची माहिती घेतली. २०१७ मध्ये आम्ही पुन्हा यासाठी प्रयत्न सुरू केले. पुढे केंद्राच्या परवानग्या मिळवल्या. एक कंपनीही स्थापन केली. पुढे न्यायालयानेही मान्यता दिल्यानंतर आता तो प्रकल्प सुरू होत आहे. वाढवण बंदरातून किमान १० लाख लोकांना रोजगार उपलब्ध होईल, हा प्रकल्प गुजरातजवळ असला, तरी त्याचा फायदा महाराष्ट्रालाच होईल, असेही फडणवीसांनी स्पष्ट केले.

प्रश्न : तुमच्या कार्यकाळात मराठीला अभिजात भाषेचा दर्जा मिळाला. यातून नेमके काय साध्य होईल?

- मराठी ही पूर्वीपासून अभिजात भाषा होतीच; मात्र त्यास राजमान्यता देण्याची आवश्यकता होती. देशात सर्वप्रथम २००३ मध्ये तमिळला अभिजात भाषेचा दर्जा मिळाला. त्यानंतर संस्कृत, मल्याळम, कन्नड भाषेला हा दर्जा मिळाला; मात्र या भाषांपेक्षा मराठीचा इतिहास अधिक प्राचीन होता. त्यामुळे मराठीलाही अभिजात भाषेचा दर्जा मिळाला पाहिजे, यासाठी समिती नेमण्यात आली, पुरावे गोळा केले. त्याआधारे मराठीही अभिजात भाषेच्या दर्जासाठी पात्र आहोत, हे आपण केंद्राकडे दाखवू शकलो. अभिजात दर्जानंतर आता मराठीची लोकमान्यता कायम राहावी, यासाठी प्रयत्न करावे लागतील.

प्रश्न : दावोसला राज्य सरकारने १५ लाख कोटींचे सामंजस्य करार केले. त्याचा कसा फायदा होणार आहे?

- दावोसमध्ये जवळपास १५ लाख ७० हजार कोटी रुपयांचे करार केले. त्यापैकी ९८ टक्के करारांतून प्रत्यक्ष गुंतवणूक होणार आहे. दावोसमध्ये आपल्या राज्याची चर्चा होती. करार करण्यासाठी लोक रांगेत उभे होते. एक दिवस तर आम्ही तब्बल १२ तास करार करीत होतो. जे करार होतात, त्याचे गुंतवणुकीत रूपांतरण होते का, असा प्रश्न उपस्थित होत असतो; मात्र देशात पूर्वी गुंतवणुकीचा रेशो ४५ टक्के, तर राज्यात ७५ टक्के होते. दावोसला जे करार झाले, त्यांतील ९५ टक्क्यांपर्यंत गुंतवणूक आणू शकलो.

प्रश्न : 'लाडकी बहीण'मुळे राज्याचे बिघडलेले आर्थिक गणित कसे दुरुस्त करणार? कंत्राटदारांनी थकीत बिलांबाबत नाराजीचा सूर व्यक्त केलाय...

- 'लाडकी बहीण'मुळे मात्र थोडी आर्थिक बेशिस्ती आली आहे. आता आमची आर्थिक क्षमतादेखील वाढली आहे. त्यामुळे कंत्राटदारांचे पैसे आम्ही देऊ. पूर्वी आम्ही बजेट करताना नियोजन केलेले असायचे. त्यामध्ये एकास दोन, एकास तीन या पद्धतीनेच आपल्याला कामे घेता येत होती; मात्र आता अनिर्बंध कामे घेता येणार नाहीत. आम्ही निश्चितपणे एक आर्थिक नियोजन आणतोय. लाडकी बहीण योजना सुरू केल्यानंतर एकदम ४५ हजार कोटी रुपयांचा भार आल्यामुळे काही प्रमाणात आर्थिक बोजा वाढला आहे; मात्र त्यातून योग्य मार्ग काढला जाईल.

प्रश्न : मुख्यमंत्री तीर्थदर्शन योजना आणि शिवभोजन थाळी या योजना बंद करणार असल्याची चर्चा आहे, सरकारचा काय विचार आहे?

- आम्ही कुठल्याही योजना बंद करणार नाही. काल-परवाच आम्ही अयोध्या, बोधगया आदी ठिकाणी तीर्थदर्शनाच्या रेल्वे रवाना केल्या; मात्र या योजनांचा मी आढावा घेणार आहे. ज्याप्रकारे लाडकी बहीण योजनेतील अनेक अपात्र स्वतःहून बाहेर पडत आहेत. यापुढे अपात्र बहिणींना योजनेचा लाभ दिला जाणार नाही.

प्रश्न : आपल्या काळात अनेक एसआयटी स्थापन झाल्या होत्या. त्याचे रिपोर्ट मात्र आमच्यापर्यंत कधी येतच नाहीत. त्याबाबत काय?

- एसआयटीचे बरेच रिपोर्ट येतात, मात्र एसआयटी स्थापन होईपर्यंत लोकांना जेवढा इंटरेस्ट असतो, तेवढा रिपोर्टमध्ये असतोच असे नाही. त्यामुळे त्यावर नंतर फार कोणी प्रश्न उपस्थित करत नाही. अनेकदा चार्जशीट निघाल्यानंतर तो विषय संपून जातो.

कलाविष्काराने जिंकली मने...

'सकाळ'च्या वर्धापनदिनानिमित्त आयोजित सोहळ्यात कलाकारांच्या कलाविष्काराने उपस्थितांची मने जिंकली. लोकशाहीर रामानंद उगले यांनी सादर केलेली छक्कड श्रोत्यांच्या हृदयाला भिडली. अभिनेत्री प्रियदर्शनी इंदलकर, वैदेही परशुरामी, अभिनेता शुभंकर तावडे, आशिष पाटील यांच्या नृत्याविष्काराने उपस्थितांना घायाळ केले. अभिनेता संदीप पाठक आणि अभिजित खांडेकर यांच्या खुमासदार सूत्रसंचालनाने कार्यक्रम अधिकच रंगला.

'सकाळ'च्या ५४व्या वर्धापनदिनानिमित्त आयोजित 'सकाळ सन्मान' सोहळ्याला मुख्यमंत्री देवेंद्र फडणवीस, 'सकाळ माध्यम समूहा'चे अध्यक्ष प्रतापराव पवार, संचालक जान्हवी पवार यांच्यासह अनेक मान्यवर मोठ्या संख्येने उपस्थित होते.

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रोहित... रोहित... रोहित सर... रोहित भाई... या घोषणांनी छत्रपती शिवाजी महाराज आंतरराष्ट्रीय विमानतळाचा परिसर अचानक दुमदुमला. भारतीय क्रिकेट संघ चॅम्पियन्स ट्रॉफी वन-डे क्रिकेट स्पर्धेसाठी रवाना होत आहे, हे पाहिल्यावर चाहत्यांनी रोहितच्या नावाचा गजर केला. अर्थात, या सर्व चाहत्यांना रोहित चॅम्पियन्स ट्रॉफी घेऊनच मायदेशी परतेल, अशी आशा आहे. त्यासाठी अर्थातच आशा रोहित आणि विराट कोहलीवर असतील.

दुबईस रवाना होण्यासाठी भारतीय संघातील जवळपास सर्व सदस्य संघाच्या बसमधून आले. रोहित शर्मा, प्रशिक्षक गौतम गंभीर यांच्यापाठोपाठ उपकर्णधार शुभमन गिल, विराट कोहली होते. आपल्याला प्रोत्साहित करणाऱ्या चाहत्यांचे खेळाडूंनी हात उंचावून आभार मानले; तसेच काहींना स्वाक्षरीही दिली. दुपारच्या विमानाने दुबईला रवाना झालेल्या संघाकडून चाहत्यांच्या अपेक्षा खूपच उंचावलेल्या आहेत. टी-२० वर्ल्ड कप विजेतेपद त्यातच इंग्लंडविरुद्धच्या मालिकेतील धवल यशामुळे हे घडले आहे. भारतीय संघाची स्पर्धेतील पहिली लढत २० फेब्रुवारीस बांगलादेशविरुद्ध होईल. त्यानंतर पाकिस्तान (२३ फेब्रुवारी) आणि न्यूझीलंड (२ मार्च) यांचे आव्हान असेल. भारताच्या लढती दुबईतच होणार आहेत.



भारताचा कर्णधार रोहित शर्मा दुबईला रवाना होताना.

भारतीय कर्णधारास कसोटीसाठी निरोप?

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"Hazrat Khwaja Gharib Nawaz preached the message of universal love, service to humanity, and peace. Gautam Adani Ji and his blessed family have embodied these principles through their tireless commitment to the well-being of millions," Chishty said in a statement.



Adani Group chairman Gautam Adani with his wife Priti Adani offers Chadar at Ajmer Sharif Dargah on Saturday. *ANI*

He said Gautam Adani expressed deep gratitude and reverence for the blessings received at Ajmer Sharif, emphasising the importance of spiritual values in guiding ethical leadership and social responsibility.

A special vegetarian langar was also prepared and served on behalf of the Adani family to hundreds of people at the shrine.

The visit concluded with special Dua-e-Khair (prayers for well-being) for India's progress, global harmony, and collective prosperity, Chishty said.

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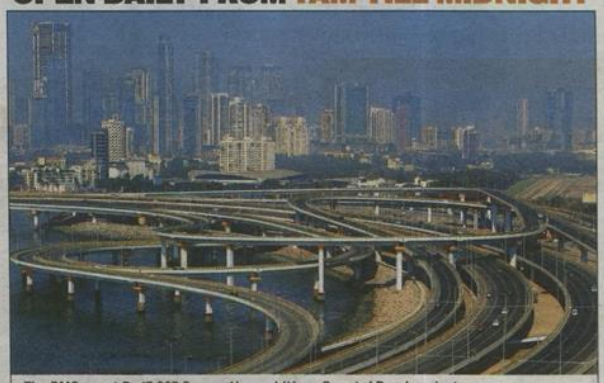
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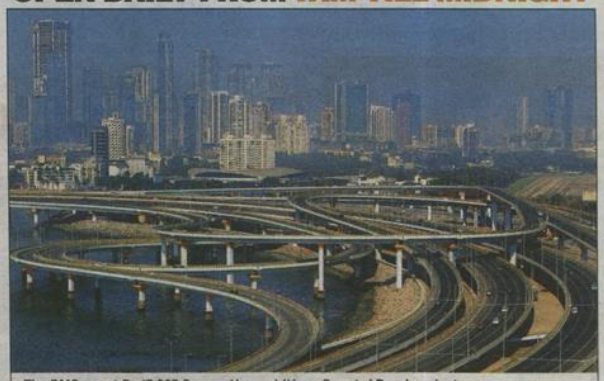
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Mr. Jaishankar, who will inaugurate the regional conference co-hosted by the Ministry of External Affairs and the Omani government, and organised by the India Foundation, will also meet with a number of other Foreign Ministers from 27 countries that are taking part. The Foreign Ministers of Bhutan, Sri Lanka, the Maldives, Nepal and Bangladesh will be attending the annual conference.

In a sign of the government's normalisation process of ties with China after the October agreement between the militaries at the Line of Actual Control, China's Special Envoy for Middle East Affairs Zhai Jun will attend, marking the first time an official from the country has been invited since the conference held in 2019.



Regional issues: Last year, S. Jaishankar had addressed the Indian Ocean Conference that was held in Perth, Australia. FILE PHOTO

Iranian Foreign Minister Abbas Araghchi, Singapore's Foreign Minister Vivian Balakrishnan and Australian Foreign Minister Penny Wong will address the grouping. Mr. Jaishankar, who accompanied Prime Minister Narendra Modi to Paris and Washington this week, attended the Munich Security Conference on Saturday before arriving in Muscat.

Mr. Jaishankar will address the inaugural session of the Indian Ocean Conference on Sunday along with Omani Foreign Minister Sayyid Badr bin Hamad Al Busaidi and Mr. Balakrishnan.

Modi-Trump talks

Mr. Jaishankar's meeting with the Bangladesh Foreign Affairs Adviser is particularly significant as it comes amidst spiralling ties between the Modi government and the caretaker government in Dhaka led by Muhammad Yunus, and deep concerns that Mr. Modi even raised with U.S. President Donald Trump during his visit to Washington.

While India has expressed alarm over the attacks on minorities after the ouster of former Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina in August 2024, as well as the treatment of Indian businesses by the new government, the Yunus government has demanded that India ensure that Ms. Hasina, who has taken shelter in Delhi, does not make political statements or address public rallies of the Awami League via video conference. A number of other irritants, over border security, water sharing and flood management, trade issues, the release of radicals and those accused on terror charges in Bangladesh have also been discussed between both sides, including during a visit by Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri to Dhaka in December.

Mr. Jaishankar and Mr. Hossain will be tasked with taking forward the talks on resolving issues, as well preparing for a possible meeting between Mr. Modi and Mr. Yunus, as both are expected to attend the BIMSTEC regional conference in Bangkok on April 2-4.

Mr. Jaishankar will also have a chance to interact with other counterparts from the region, and tackle issues testing ties with them.

Sri Lankan Minister of Foreign Affairs Vijitha Herath will be in Muscat days after the Adani Group pulled out of a renewable energy contract after the Dissanayake government ordered a second review against it.

Maldives' Foreign Minister Abdulla Khaleel is expected to discuss talks for a Free Trade Agreement with India, after the Muizzu government has already operationalized an FTA with China.

Nepal's Foreign Minister Arzu Deuba is expected to discuss dates for a bilateral visit by Nepal's Prime Minister K.P. Sharma Oli, who was sworn in in July last year, but has not so far received an invitation.

In December, Mr. Oli travelled to Beijing for a bilateral visit, one of the first times India was not the first stop for a Nepali PM.

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Members free to air opinion but party's view is paramount

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'Members free to air opinion but party's view is paramount'

The Hindu Bureau
NEW DELHI

The Congress on Saturday said its members had absolute freedom of speech to express their views but the party's view was paramount.

"The Indian National Congress is our country's ONLY political party where there is absolute freedom of speech as well as freedom after speech," Congress's communications chief Jairam Ramesh said on the social media platform X.

"Members give their views on issues which are, on occasion, their own and that do not reflect the opinion of the party as a collective entity. It is the party's stance that is paramount," Mr. Ramesh said.

Though he did not name any particular leader, the party's statement comes a day after senior leader and Lok Sabha member Shashi Tharoor's comments on Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visit to the U.S. and joint press conference with U.S. President Donald Trump.



Jairam Ramesh

Tharoor's comments

Mr. Tharoor had hailed the PM's visit as "a significant development since Mr. Modi was the fourth head of government to have been given an appointment by President Trump".

His comments on Friday were at odds with the position taken by Leader of the Opposition in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi, who has said that Mr. Modi was covering up the alleged corruption of industrialist Gautam Adani.

Defending his position, Mr. Tharoor asserted that he could not always speak only in terms of the party's interest. He said that he had spoken in national interest and as a "responsible stakeholder in Indian democracy and an elected representative of Thiruvananthapuram".

Mr. Tharoor said he believes that India had done well in terms of getting the U.S. to the negotiating table on tariffs, while raising concerns about the manner in which illegal immigrants were treated.

He said in his 16-year-long political career, he had applauded when a government, be it a Congress government or some other party's, did the right thing.

On Friday, welcoming the Prime Minister's visit, the Thiruvananthapuram MP had said: "The press statements by both the Prime Minister and President Trump are very encouraging. The big concerns we all had have been addressed."

On the illegal immigration issue, Mr. Tharoor said: "The only thing missing there from what Prime Minister Modi said was the question of the manner in which these people were treated and sent back. I think his stand was absolutely correct. I hope some things were said behind closed doors and not in the press conference."

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Adani's entry into the space sector

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अदानीचा अंतराळ क्षेत्रात शिरकाव उपग्रह प्रक्षेपण यानाची निर्मिती

दिवसागणिक उद्योगाचे एक एक क्षेत्र पादाक्रांत करत असलेला गौतम अदानी यांचा उद्योग समूह लवकरच अंतराळ क्षेत्रात प्रवेश करण्याची शक्यता आहे. भारतीय अवकाश संशोधन संस्था इस्रोने छोट्या उपग्रहांचे प्रक्षेपण करण्यासाठी किफायतशीर किमतीत यानाची निर्मिती करण्याचे कंत्राट खासगी कंपन्यांना देण्याचा निर्णय घेतला असून, त्यासाठी निवडलेल्या तीन कंपन्यांमध्ये अदानी समूहाचा समावेश आहे.

■ मुंबई

इस्रोने ५०० ग्रॅम वजनापर्यंतचे छोटे उपग्रह पृथ्वीच्या निम्न कक्षेत (लोअर अर्थ ऑर्बिट) स्थापित करण्यासाठी एसएसएलव्ही हे प्रक्षेपक यान विकसित केले आहे. या छोट्या उपग्रहांच्या प्रक्षेपक यानांना जगभरातून सर्वाधिक मागणी आहे. इस्रोने एसएसएलव्हीची २०२३ मध्ये यशस्वी चाचणी केली. त्यानंतर अवकाश क्षेत्रातील आपला आवाका वाढविण्याच्या उद्देशाने इस्रोने एसएसएलव्हीचे तंत्रज्ञान खासगी कंपन्यांकडे सोपवण्याचा निर्णय घेतला आहे.

त्यासाठी इस्रोने निविदा प्रक्रिया राबविली होती. त्यामध्ये २० कंपन्यांनी निविदा भरल्या होत्या. त्यापैकी तीन कंपन्यांची नावे अंतिम निर्णयासाठी निश्चित करण्यात आली आहेत. त्यात अदानी समूहातील एक कंपनी आणि सार्वजनिक क्षेत्रातील दोन कंपन्यांचा समावेश आहे.



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Indian team leaves for Dubai for Champions Trophy

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चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी के लिए दुबई रवाना भारतीय टीम

कप्तान रोहित शर्मा और विराट कोहली पर होगी नजर

■ मुंबई, नवभारत न्यूज नेटवर्क. सफेद टी-शर्ट और काली ट्रैक पहने रोहित शर्मा जब शनिवार को यहां चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी के लिए दुबई रवाना होने के लिए अपनी कार से उतरे तो छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाईअड्डे के प्रवेश द्वार के पास इंतजार कर रहे प्रशंसकों ने जोर-जोर से रोहित भाई और रोहित सर कहकर उनका ध्यान अपनी तरफ खींचा. भारतीय कप्तान मुस्कुराते हुए प्रस्थान लाउंज में अपने साथियों की ओर बढ़े. मुख्य कोच गौतम गंभीर, उप-कप्तान शुभमन गिल और स्टार बल्लेबाज विराट कोहली सहित टीम के अधिकतर सदस्य टीम बस में हवाई अड्डे पहुंचे. इनमें से कुछ खिलाड़ियों ने कुछ प्रशंसकों को ऑटोग्राफ देकर या हाथ हिलाकर उनका आभार व्यक्त किया. भारतीय टीम पिछले साल जून में टी20 विश्व कप जीतने के बाद एक और वैश्विक ट्रॉफी हासिल करने की उम्मीदों के बीच आगामी चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी के लिए दुबई के लिए दोपहर की उड़ान में सवार हो गई. भारतीय टीम स्टार तेज गेंदबाज जसप्रीत बुमराह के बिना चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में खेलने के लिए गई है. बुमराह चोटिल होने के कारण इस टूर्नामेंट से बाहर हो गए थे. भारत लीग चरण में अपना पहला मैच 20 फरवरी को बांग्लादेश के खिलाफ खेलेगा जबकि 23 फरवरी को उसका सामना चिर प्रतिद्वंदी पाकिस्तान से होगा.

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भारत का आखिरी लीग मैच दो मार्च को न्यूजीलैंड से

1. भारत अपना आखिरी लीग मैच दो मार्च को न्यूजीलैंड के खिलाफ खेलेगा. रोहित शर्मा की अगुवाई वाली टीम ने हाल ही में अपनी घरेलू धरती पर इंग्लैंड के खिलाफ तीनों मैच जीते थे जिससे प्रशंसकों और टीम का आत्मविश्वास बढ़ा है.
2. मुंबई हवाई अड्डे पर इकट्ठे हुए समर्थक उम्मीद कर रहे होंगे कि रोहित और कोहली के नेतृत्व में ये दिग्गज एक और जीत हासिल करेंगे.

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जैसा कि उन्होंने पिछले साल वेस्टइंडीज में किया था. भारत को अगर चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में टी20 विश्व कप की कहानी दोहरानी है तो उसके दोनों स्टार बल्लेबाज रोहित और कोहली को अच्छा प्रदर्शन करना होगा. टेस्ट क्रिकेट में विफल रहने के कारण इन दोनों को हाल में आलोचनाओं का सामना भी करना पड़ा. इंग्लैंड के खिलाफ वनडे श्रृंखला में इन दोनों ने हालांकि फॉर्म में वापसी करने के संकेत दिए. रोहित ने कटक में खेले गए दूसरे वनडे में 90 गेंद पर 119 रन बनाए.

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Indian team left for Dubai

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भारतीय संघ दुबईला रवाना

मुंबई, वृत्तसंस्था. बुधवारपासून सुरू होणाऱ्या चॅम्पियन्स ट्रॉफी सामन्यासाठी भारतीय संघ दुबईला रवाना झाला आहे. भारतीय संघ २० फेब्रुवारी रोजी बांगलादेशविरूद्ध स्पर्धेतील पहिला सामना खेळणार आहे. इंग्लंडला घरच्या मैदानावर व्हॉईटवॉश करून दुबईसाठी निघालेला भारतीय संघ एकही सराव सामना न खेळता थेट मैदानात उतरणार आहे. अनुवभी व नवख्या खेळाडूंचे मिश्रण असलेला भारतीय संघ उद्यापासून दुबईच्या मैदानावर चॅम्पियन्स ट्रॉफीची तयारीला सुरू करेल.

भारतीय खेळाडू व सपोर्ट स्टाफ मुंबईच्या छत्रपती शिवाजी महाराज एअर पोर्ट बसमधून उतरताना दिसले. यावेळी BCCI ने प्रवासाचा नवीन नियम घालून दिल्यामुळे सर्व खेळाडू यावेळी एकत्रित प्रवास करताना पाहायला मिळत आहेत. यावेळी रोहित शर्मा, विराट कोहली व हार्दिक पांड्या व इतर भारतीय खेळाडू व्हिडीओमध्ये पाहायला मिळत आहे. तीन आठवड्यांची ही स्पर्धा असल्यामुळे बीसीसीआयच्या नव्या आचारसंहितेनुसार एवढ्या कमी कालावधीसाठी कुटुंबाला दौऱ्यावर नेण्यास परवानगी नाही. या नव्या धोरणानुसार एखादा दौरा ४५ दिवसांचा असेल तर जास्तीत जास्त दोन आठवड्यांपर्यंत कुटुंबाला दौऱ्यावर नेण्यास परवानगी आहे. एका सिनियर खेळाडूने पत्नीला दौऱ्यावर नेण्याबाबत BCCIकडे विचारणा केली होती; पण बीसीसीआयने त्याला नकार दिला.

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Team India flies to Dubai for Champions Trophy

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चॅम्पियन्स ट्रॉफीसाठी टीम इंडियाचे दुबईला उड्डाण

मुंबई : वृत्तसंस्था

बुधवारपासून सुरू होणाऱ्या चॅम्पियन्स ट्रॉफी सामन्यासाठी भारतीय संघ दुबईला रवाना झाला आहे. भारतीय संघ २० फेब्रुवारी रोजी बांगलादेशविरुद्ध स्पर्धेतील पहिला सामना खेळणार आहे. इंग्लंडला घरच्या मैदानावर व्हॉईटवॉश देऊन दुबईसाठी निघालेला भारतीय संघ एकही सराव सामना न खेळता थेट मैदानात उतरणार आहे. अनुभवी व नवख्या खेळाडूंचे मिश्रण असलेला भारतीय संघ उद्यापासून दुबईच्या मैदानावर चॅम्पियन्स ट्रॉफीची तयारी सुरू करेल.

भारतीय खेळाडू व सपोर्ट स्टाफ मुंबईच्या छत्रपती शिवाजी महाराज विमानतळावर बसमधून उतरताना दिसले. यावेळी 'बीसीसीआय'ने प्रवासाचा नवीन नियम घालून दिल्यामुळे सर्व खेळाडू यावेळी एकत्रित प्रवास करताना पाहायला मिळत आहेत.

तीन आठवड्यांची ही स्पर्धा असल्यामुळे 'बीसीसीआय'च्या नव्या आचारसंहितेनुसार एवढ्या कमी कालावधीसाठी कुटुंबाला दौऱ्यावर नेण्यास परवानगी नाही. या नव्या धोरणानुसार, एखादा दौरा ४५ दिवसांचा असेल तर जास्तीत जास्त दोन आठवड्यांपर्यंत कुटुंबाला दौऱ्यावर नेण्यास परवानगी आहे. एका सीनिअर खेळाडूने पत्नीला दौऱ्यावर नेण्याबाबत 'बीसीसीआय'कडे विचारणा केली होती; पण 'बीसीसीआय'ने त्याला नकार दिला.

● **भारताचा संघ असा :** रोहित शर्मा (कर्णधार), शुभमन गिल, विराट कोहली, श्रेयस अय्यर, लोकेश राहुल, ऋषभ पंत, हार्दिक पंड्या, अक्षर पटेल, वॉशिंग्टन सुंदर, कुलदीप यादव, हर्षित राणा, मोहम्मद शमी, अर्शदीप सिंग, रवींद्र जडेजा, वरुण चक्रवर्ती. राखीव खेळाडू - यशस्वी जैस्वाल, मोहम्मद सिराज, शिवम दुबे.

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Indian team arrives in Dubai for Champions Trophy

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चॅम्पियन्स ट्रॉफीसाठी भारतीय संघ दुबईत दाखल

बांगलादेशविरुद्ध गुरुवारी पहिला सामना खेळणार

१९ फेब्रुवारीपासून सुरू होणाऱ्या आयसीसी चॅम्पियन्स ट्रॉफीसाठी सलामीवर रोहित शर्मा यांच्या नेतृत्वाखालील भारतीय क्रिकेट संघ दुबईला पोहोचला. हा संघ मुंबई विमानतळावर आज दुपारी रवाना झाला होता. २० फेब्रुवारीला दुबईत बांगलादेशविरुद्ध भारतीय संघ सामना खेळणार आहे.



■ दुबई

हायब्रिड मॉडेलमध्ये होणाऱ्या या स्पर्धेत भारताचे सर्व सामने दुबईमध्ये खेळवले जातील. स्पर्धेतील उर्वरित सामने पाकिस्तानमधील कराची, रावळपिंडी आणि लाहोर येथे खेळवले जातील. भारत आणि पाकिस्तान यांच्यातील सामना २३ फेब्रुवारी रोजी दुबई येथे होईल. २ मार्च रोजी न्यूझीलंड विरुद्ध भारतीय संघ साखळी फेरीत शेवटचा सामना खेळेल. या स्पर्धेचा अंतिम सामना ९ मार्च रोजी खेळवला जाईल. या १९ दिवसांच्या स्पर्धेत १५ सामने खेळवले जातील. दुसऱ्या उपांत्य फेरी आणि अंतिम सामन्यासाठी राखीव दिवसही ठेवण्यात आला आहे. पहिला उपांत्य सामना दुबईमध्ये खेळवला जाईल. जर भारत अंतिम फेरीत पोहोचला तर हा सामनाही दुबईमध्येच होईल. स्पर्धेतील उर्वरित १० सामने पाकिस्तानमध्ये होतील. तीन आठवड्यांची ही स्पर्धा असल्यामुळे बीसीसीआयच्या नव्या नियमानुसार एवढ्या कमी कालावधीसाठी कुटुंबाला दौऱ्यावर नेण्यास परवानगी नाही. या नव्या धोरणानुसार एखादा दौरा ४५ दिवसांचा असेल, तर जास्तीत जास्त दोन आठवड्यांपर्यंत कुटुंबाला दौऱ्यावर नेण्यास परवानगी आहे. एका सीनियर खेळाडूने पत्नीला दौऱ्यावर नेण्याबाबत बीसीसीआयकडे विचारणा केली होती. मात्र बीसीसीआयने त्याला नकार दिला.

भारतीय संघ

रोहित शर्मा (कर्णधार), शुभमन गिल, विराट कोहली, श्रेयस अय्यर, केएल राहुल (यष्टीरक्षक), ऋषभ पंत (यष्टीरक्षक), हार्दिक पंड्या, रवींद्र जडेजा, अक्षर पटेल, वॉशिंग्टन सुंदर, हर्षित राणा, मोहम्मद शमी, अर्शदीप सिंग, वरुण चक्रवर्ती आणि कुलदीप यादव. राखीव खेळाडू: यशस्वी जयस्वाल, मोहम्मद सिराज आणि शिवम दुबे.

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10 કિ.મી. હદમાં કોઇ જમીન ફાળવી શકાય નહીં

સુરક્ષાના ભોગે અદાણીને સીમા નજીક જમીન ફાળવાઇ : કોંગ્રેસ

ભાસ્કર ન્યૂઝ | ગાંધીનગર

ગુજરાતના કચ્છની પાકિસ્તાન સાથેની સરહદને અડીને કેન્દ્ર સરકારે ભારત-પાકિસ્તાનની સીમાના 1 કિ.મી. પછી 30 ગીગા વોટ સૌર ઉર્જા અને પવન ઊર્જા ઉત્પાદન માટે અદાણી કંપનીને 445 ચો.કિ.મી. જમીન અદાણીને પધરાવી દીધી છે. રાજયસભામાં વિપક્ષના કોંગ્રેસના નેતા મલ્લિકાર્જુન ખડગેએ અને લોકસભામાં સાંસદ પ્રિયંકા ગાંધીએ કેન્દ્ર સરકારને પ્રશ્ન કર્યો હતો કે,ભારત સંરક્ષણના નિયમ પ્રોટોકોલ અને કાયદા પ્રમાણે ભારત સરકાર ચીન,બાંગ્લાદેશ,પાકિસ્તાન,મ્યાનમાર અને નેપાળની સીમાથી 10 કિ.મી.ની હદમાં કોઇ ખાનગી પેઢીને જમીન ફાળવી શકે નહીં. આમ છતા અદાણીને 445 ચો.કિ.મી. જમીન પાકિસ્તાન સાથેની સીમામા કેમ ફાળવી દીધી ?

કોંગ્રેસના પ્રવકતા મનહર પટેલે કહ્યું હતુ કે, ભારત સરકારના ડિફેન્સ મિનિસ્ટ્રીના અધિકારીઓએ વિરોધ નોંધાવ્યો હોવાછતા કેન્દ્ર સરકાર કાયદાને અવગણીને અને ભારતની સુરક્ષાની પરવા કર્યા વિના આ નિર્ણય કર્યો છે.આવા સંજોગોમાં કેન્દ્ર સરકારે આ મુદ્દે સ્પષ્ટતા કરવી જોઇએ. કોંગ્રેસના પ્રવકતાએ કહ્યું હતું કે,ભારત સરકારના લશ્કરી અધિકારીઓએ તો વાંધો લીધો છે,પરંતુ નિવૃત્ત કર્નલ અજય શુકલા તેમજ નિવૃત્ત લેફ. જનરલ અશોક મહેતા કહે છે કે, આ ખતરનાક છે,જો આ બાબત સાચી હોય તો દેશની સુરક્ષા માટે ખૂબ મોટા ભયસ્થાન ઊભા કરનારો છે. લોકસભાની સ્ટેન્ડિંગ કમિટી કહે છે કે 10 દિવસથી વધુ લડી શકે તેટલી યુદ્ધ સામગ્રી નથી.

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INDIA IS ISRAEL'S KEY BUSINESS PARTNER: MINISTER NIR BARKAT

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SAURABH SHARMA
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As India and Israel deepen their economic and strategic ties, Israeli Minister of Economy and Industry Nir Barkat sees a transformative partnership on the horizon.

Leading Israel's largest-ever business delegation to India, comprising nearly 100 top industry leaders, Barkat spoke exclusively to The Sunday Guardian.

In this candid conversation, he shared insights on the strengthening business relations between the two nations, the vast potential for collaboration in innovation and trade, and why Israel is betting big on India's economic rise. Excerpts:

Q: This is the first high-level delegation from Israel to New Delhi. What are your expectations from New Delhi, and what are you looking for?

A: Yes, this is the first high-level Israeli delegation to New Delhi and to any other country in the world. We planned this delegation when I was here in December and met His Excellency, Minister Piyush Goyal. We see eye to eye on both opportunities for collaboration and the challenges we face. India is like a giant waking up. The scale and scope of its economic growth are remarkable, with smart management by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, Piyush Goyal, and the government.

For Israel, this growth is very attractive. We can complement India's strengths and grow together—not just as a destination country but as a global hub. Israel brings innovation, while India brings knowledge and expertise in scaling.

Q: What are the key areas of engagement between the two sides?

A: Israel excels in six business clusters: high-tech, homeland security, desert-tech and climate change, agri-tech and food-tech, advanced industries, and life sciences and health, apart from many others.

We currently export around $150 billion, and my goal is to reach $1 trillion in the next 15 to 20 years. The way to achieve this is through international partnerships, and we see



Israeli Minister of Economy and Industry, Nir Barkat

India as a key partner, just as we have strong ties with the U.S.

Q: Are there any specific developments regarding MoUs in defence, climate, or the semiconductor sectors?

A: Many Indian and Israeli companies have already formed excellent relationships. Some developments are happening, but it is best for the companies to announce them when appropriate.

We are now planning another delegation from India to Israel, which Piyush Goyal will lead. After this first mission, we will organise a second mission soon. During that visit, both governments will sit down and ask businesses what policies are needed to create more value together. Given the strong government-to-government and people-to-people ties, this partnership is a perfect match.

Q: After the horrific events of October 7, 2023, what are your expectations from New Delhi?

A: We received a lot of support from India. Prime Minister Narendra Modi was the first world leader to call Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu to share his condolences and support. We highly value that.

India, like Israel, is also threatened by terrorism, so we share the same challenges and solutions. When I speak to people in India, I feel a deep warmth and friendship, which is reflected in the strong ties between our nations. The fact that we have brought the largest Israeli delegation within less than three months is a testament to the strength of this relationship.

Q: What is the current status of the India-Middle East-Europe Economic Corridor (IMEC)?

A: We are planning our part of the IMEC project. The corridor will pass through Saudi Arabia, Jordan, and Israel, connecting India and Asia to Haifa Port, which is managed by Gautam Adani. We are eager to see this project succeed.

We hope Saudi Arabia will join the Abraham Accords, which will help bring IMEC to life. But we are not waiting—we are planning our part in advance to be ready when the time comes.

Q: Is there a deadline for IMEC?

A: No, there is no set deadline. We want to see it happen as soon as possible, but it is not entirely in our hands. The talks are ongoing, and we are preparing our infrastructure.

Q: Are you looking to bring more Indian workers into Israel's construction sector?

A: Yes, certainly. We are in discussions to work out the best way to make this happen for both countries. Currently, there are tens of thousands of Indian workers in Israel. I would like to see that number increase to 100,000 or even 200,000. Israel needs skilled and unskilled foreign workers, and India is a great source for that.

Q: If Hamas does not release the hostages by Sunday, will Israel resume military operations?

A: It is not prudent to discuss military actions in the media. However, one thing is clear—Hamas cannot survive this war. They want to return to October 6 and attack again, but we will never allow that. The atrocities they committed were the worst we have seen since the Holocaust, and we will not let them succeed.

Q: There are reports that Israel is also expanding business ties with China. How does Israel's partnership with India differ from its relationship with China?

A: My next trips are to Germany, Japan, and Argentina—countries that collaborate with us properly.

While we do business with China, just as the US does, there is no mission or delegation that compares to what we have with India. The scale of engagement with India is far greater than anything we have with China.

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The Assam government will sign two Memorandums of Understanding (MoUs) with Japan and Singapore during the Advantage Assam 2.0 investors summit, Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma said on Saturday.

Addressing a press conference in Guwahati, CM Sarma said that Japan is interested in recruiting manpower from Assam, initially around 50,000 workers, while Singapore seeks to hire nurses from the state.

Highlighting the progress made since Advantage Assam 1.0, the Chief Minister said, "We got two major infrastructure developments after Advantage Assam 1.0--the Paradeep to Numaligarh crude pipeline. The Union government gave us this massive infrastructure, and the Gas grid."

He also mentioned Bhutan's interest in developing Gelephu My Fullness City.

"Bhutan wants to set up Gelephu My Fullness City. I request that the Bhutan government make a special industrialization economic zone in Assam," CM Sarma said.



"During my recent visit to Singapore, I met the President of Singapore, which is a recognition for Assam," he added.

Prime Minister Narendra Modi will inaugurate and address the Advantage Assam 2.0 conclave on February 25, with External Affairs Minister S. Jaishankar also participating in a thematic session.

The Advantage Assam 2.0 will be held on February 25-26.

The Assam Chief Minister said that the state will focus on attracting investments in key areas such as tourism, renewable energy, semiconductors, aerospace and defence manufacturing, fragrances and flavours, bamboo and others in Advantage Assam 2.0.

He further said that ambassadors from 31 countries are expected to attend the event.

Assam CM has also invited Finance Minister Nirmala Sitharaman to the conclave's closing ceremony.

According to Assam CM, the inaugural event will see the presence of Tata Sons Chairman N Chandrasekaran, Vedanta Chairman Anil Agarwal, JSW Chairman Sajjan Jindal, Mukesh Ambani, Gautam Adani, and other top industry leaders.

Additionally, global business councils such as the US-India Business Council, New Zealand-India Business Council, and UAE-India Business Council will participate, along with representatives from the European Union.

Ahead of the summit, the Assam government will celebrate 200 years of Assam tea and industrialization on February 24, featuring a Jhumur dance performance with 8,000 artists from across the state.

"On the occasion of 200 years of Assam tea and the tea industry, we will organise a Jhumur performance on February 24," CM Sarma said, adding that a total of 8,000 artists from different parts of the state are preparing to show their Jhumur dance, synchronised to the rhythmic beats of the Madal.

With an estimated investment of nearly Rs 3 lakh crore, Advantage Assam 2.0 is set to transform Assam's industrial landscape. The government has been actively working to attract investors through multiple roadshows and foreign visits by CM Sarma.

The initiative is expected to generate employment opportunities and position Assam as an investment hub in Southeast Asia.

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अदाणी ने चादर चढ़ाई...

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ফুরফুরে: দুবাই রওনা দেওয়ার আগে মুম্বই বিমানবন্দরে অক্ষর, ঋষভ, শামি, হর্ষিত এবং আরশদীপ। ফেসবুক

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চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফি খেলতে দুবাই রওনা দিল রোহিত, কোহলিরা



দুবাই, ১৫ ফেব্রুয়ারি ঃ ১৯ ফেব্রুয়ারি থেকে শুরু চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফি। ভারতের প্রথম ম্যাচে ২০ ফেব্রুয়ারি। প্রতিপক্ষ বাংলাদেশ। চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফি খেলতে শনিবার দুবাই রওনা দিল ভারতীয় দল। একসঙ্গে গেলেন ১৫ ক্রিকেটার, কোচ ও সাপোর্ট স্টাফেরা। মুম্বাই বিমানবন্দর থেকে বিমান ধরেন রোহিত শর্মা, বিরাট কোহলিরা।

শনিবার দুপুরে দুবাই রওনা দেন ভারতীয় ক্রিকেটারেরা। বিমানবন্দরে সকলের আগে ঢুকতে দেখা যায় প্রধান কোচ গৌতম গম্ভীরকে। তার পরে একে একে ওয়াশিংটন সুন্দর, শুভমন গিল, বিরাট কোহলি, হার্দিক পাণ্ড্য, রবীন্দ্র জাডেজা, লোকেশ রাহুল, শ্রেয়স আয়ার, বরুণ চক্রবর্তী, মহম্মদ শামি, অক্ষর পটেল, হর্ষিত রানা, ঋষভ পন্থ, কুলদীপ যাদব, অর্শদীপ সিংহ বিমানবন্দরে ঢোকেন। সকলের শেষে ঢোকেন অধিনায়ক রোহিত।

গম্ভীরের সহকারী অভিষেক নায়ার, টি দিলীপ, রায়ান টেন দুশখাতে, মর্নি মর্কেল ও সীতাংশু কোটাকও বিমানবন্দরে ঢোকেন। প্রত্যেককে ফুরফুরে মেজাজে দেখা যাচ্ছিল। বিমানবন্দরে তাদের ছবি তোলার জন্য ভিড় ছিল। অনেকের সঙ্গে হাসিমুখে ছবি তুলতেও দেখা যায় ভারতীয় ক্রিকেটারদের। কোহলি ও রোহিত অনেককে সই বিলোন। বোঝাই যাচ্ছে, ইংল্যান্ডকে হারিয়ে আত্মবিশ্বাসী রয়েছেন ক্রিকেটারেরা।

এবার চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফির আয়োজক দেশ পাকিস্তান হলেও ভারত তাদের সব ম্যাচ খেলবে দুবাইয়ে। ২০ ফেব্রুয়ারি বাংলাদেশ ম্যাচের পর ২৩ ফেব্রুয়ারি মুখোমুখি ভারত-পাকিস্তান। ২ মার্চ ভারত গ্রুপের শেষ ম্যাচ খেলবে নিউজিল্যান্ডের বিরুদ্ধে। ভারত যদি সেমিফাইনাল ও ফাইনালে ওঠে তা হলে সেই ম্যাচও হবে দুবাইয়ে। শেষ আইসিসি ট্রফি জিতেছিল ভারত। টি-টোয়েন্টি বিশ্বকাপ জেতার পর এবার রোহিতেরা চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফি জিততে পারেন কি না সেদিকেও নজর থাকবে সকলের।

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মিশন চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফি





মুম্বই বিমানবন্দরে চনমনে মেজাজে অধিনায়ক রোহিত শর্মা ও বিরাট কোহলি। ছবি: এক্স

আত্মবিশ্বাস নিয়েই দুবাই গেলেন রোহিতরা

আজকালের প্রতিবেদন

মুম্বইয়ের ছত্রপতি শিবাজি মহারাজ আন্তর্জাতিক বিমানবন্দরের প্রবেশদ্বারের সামনে জড়ো হয়েছিলেন অনুরাগীরা। গাড়ি থেকে নামলেন ভারত অধিনায়ক। সাদা টি-শার্ট এবং কালো ট্র্যাকপ্যান্টে বেশ ঝকঝকে দেখাচ্ছিল রোহিত শর্মাকে। তাঁকে দেখেই কেউ চিৎকার করে উঠলেন, 'রোহিত ভাই', কেউ ডাকলেন 'রোহিত স্যর'। ভক্তদের দিকে তাকিয়ে হাত নাড়লেন রোহিত। এরপর টিম বাসে এসে পৌঁছলেন ভারতীয় দলের কোচ গৌতম গম্ভীর, সহঅধিনায়ক শুভমান গিল, বিরাট কোহলি-সহ অন্য ক্রিকেটাররা। বিমানবন্দরে ঢোকার মুখে সমর্থকদের উদ্দেশে কেউ নাড়লেন হাত, কেউ দিলেন অটোগ্রাফ। শনিবার দুপুরের বিমানে ভারতীয় দল উড়ে গেল দুবাইয়ে, চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফি খেলতে। গত জুনে টি২০ বিশ্বকাপে চ্যাম্পিয়ন হয়েছিল ভারত। রোহিত শর্মার নেতৃত্বেই। এবারও রোহিতের নেতৃত্বে আরও এক আইসিসি ট্রফি জিতবে ভারত, সেই আশায় বুক বেঁধেছে আসমুদ্রহিমাচল।

সদ্য ঘরের মাঠে ইংল্যান্ডের বিরুদ্ধে তিন ম্যাচের সিরিজ ৩-০ জিতেছে ভারত। চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফিতে নেই যশপ্রীত বুমরার মতো তারকা জোরে বোলার। তাঁকে ছাড়াই ইংল্যান্ডের বিরুদ্ধে দাপুটে জয় পেয়েছেন রোহিতরা। ওই জয় টিম ইন্ডিয়ার আত্মবিশ্বাস আরও বাড়িয়েছে। রোহিত ইচ্ছাপ্রকাশ করেছেন, আরও একবার আইসিসি ট্রফি নিয়ে মেরিন ড্রাইভ থেকে ওয়াংখেড়ে স্টেডিয়ামে জনসমুদ্রে ভাসবেন। যেমনটা হয়েছিল টি২০ বিশ্বকাপ জিতে দেশে ফেরার পর। এমন দৃশ্যের পুনরাবৃত্তি ঘটাতে হলে রোহিত, বিরাটের ব্যাটে বড় রান দরকার। দায়িত্ব নিতে হবে শুভমান, শ্রেয়স আয়ারদেরও। বুমরার ঘাটতি ঢাকতে হবে মহম্মদ সামি, অর্শদীপ, হর্ষিত রানাদের। সঙ্গে আছেন রহস্য-স্পিনার বরুণ চক্রবর্তী। ভারত অভিযান শুরু করবে ২০ ফেব্রুয়ারি। বিপক্ষ বাংলাদেশ।

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Focus on Rohit and Kohli as India departs to Dubai for Champions Trophy

MUMBAI: Dressed nattily in a white t-shirt and black tracks, Rohit Sharma got down from his car and walked towards his teammates at the departure lounge amid loud calls of 'Rohit bhai' and 'Rohit sir' by fans waiting near the Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj International Airport entrance.

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Soon, the team boarded an afternoon flight to Dubai for the upcoming Champions Trophy amid heightened optimism of netting another global trophy after winning the T20 World Cup last June.

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Virat Kohli and Rohit Sharma have hit the ground running just in time PTI

Highlights

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- Kohli needs 37 runs to become the third batter ever in ODI history to make 14,000 runs, while Rohit is only 12 runs away from becoming the 10th batter to complete 11,000 runs

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Last dance?

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If those scenes are to be repeated next month, then India will need some runs from Rohit and Kohli, who have copped heavy criticism after repeated failures in Test cricket.

But they replied in kind, as Rohit made a characteristically fluent hundred — a 90-ball 119 in Cuttack ODI against England — and Kohli his 73rd fifty in Ahmedabad.

This might have brought them a temporary relief but a productive outing in the Champions Trophy is mandatory in the context of the duo's future in top-flight cricket.

With the emphasis firmly on hitting the next World Test Championship cycle from June and building a team for the 2027 50-over World Cup the Ajit Agarkar-chaired selection panel will closely observe how the two veterans fare in Dubai.

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India in League Fixtures 2025

Date	Time (IST)	Versus	Venue
Feb 20	2:30 pm	Bangladesh	Dubai International Cricket Stadium
Feb 23	2:30 pm	Pakistan	
Mar 2	2:30 pm	New Zealand	

ODI Rank: 1 (as on Feb 15, 2025)
Group: A
Captain: Rohit Sharma
Coach: Gautam Gambhir

Past Championship Record

Winner: 2002* 2013

In Each Edition

	Played	Won	Lost	NR
1998	2	1	1	0
2000	4	3	1	0
2002	5	3	0	2
2004	2	1	1	0
2006	3	1	2	0
2009	3	1	1	1

Overall Performance Against Each Team

Versus	Played	Won	Lost	NR
South Africa	4	4	0	0
England	3	3	0	0
Australia	4	2	1	1
Kenya	2	2	0	0
Pakistan	5	2	3	0
West Indies	4	2	2	0
Bangladesh	1	1	0	0
Sri Lanka	4	1	1	2
Zimbabwe	1	1	0	0

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Expectations high as India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy

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Group fixtures

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The expectations of the fans have been boosted by India's recent 3-0 ODI series whitewash at home over England.

Focus on Rohit, Kohli

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India will need big runs from Rohit and Kohli who have copped heavy criticism after repeated failures in Test cricket.

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The injury-enforced absence of Bumrah is an opportunity for the likes of Arshdeep Singh and Harshit Rana, while Varun Chakravarthy would want to prove himself as the surprise strike weapon. A coming together of all these factors will determine whether India will touch back in Mumbai as a boisterous winning group sometime next month. Till then fans can immerse themselves in joyous optimism. (PTI)

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भारतीय टीम चैम्पियंस ट्रॉफी के लिये दुबई पहुंची, फोकस रोहित और कोहली पर

दुबई : भारतीय टीम 19 फरवरी से शुरू हो रही आईसीसी चैम्पियंस ट्रॉफी के लिये शनिवार को दुबई पहुंच गई। भारत ने पिछली बार 2013 में महेंद्र सिंह धोनी की कप्तानी में चैम्पियंस ट्रॉफी जीती थी। भारतीय खिलाड़ी और सहयोगी स्टाफ प्रतीक्षारत बस में बैठकर होटल के लिये रवाना हो गए। इससे पहले सफेद टी-शर्ट और काली ट्रैक पहने रोहित शर्मा जब रवाना होने के लिए मुंबई में अपनी कार से उतरे तो छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाईअड्डे के प्रवेश द्वार के पास इंतजार कर रहे प्रशंसकों ने जोर-जोर से रोहित भाई और रोहित सर कहकर उनका ध्यान अपनी तरफ खींचा। भारतीय कप्तान मुस्कुराते हुए प्रस्थान लाउंज में अपने साथियों की ओर बढ़े। मुख्य कोच गौतम गंभीर, उप-कप्तान शुभमन गिल और स्टार बल्लेबाज विराट कोहली सहित टीम के अधिकतर सदस्य टीम बस में हवाई अड्डे पहुंचे। इनमें से कुछ खिलाड़ियों ने कुछ प्रशंसकों को ऑटोग्राफ देकर या हाथ हिलाकर उनका आभार व्यक्त किया। भारतीय टीम पिछले साल जून



में टी20 विश्व कप जीतने के बाद एक और वैश्विक ट्रॉफी हासिल करने की उम्मीदों के बीच आगामी चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी के लिए दुबई के लिए दोपहर की उड़ान में सवार हो गई। भारतीय टीम स्टार तेज गेंदबाज जसप्रीत बुमराह के बिना चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में खेलने के लिए गई है। बुमराह चोटिल होने के कारण इस टूर्नामेंट से बाहर हो गए थे। भारत लीग चरण में अपना पहला मैच 20 फरवरी को बांग्लादेश के खिलाफ खेलेगा जबकि 23 फरवरी को उसका सामना चिर प्रतिद्वंदी पाकिस्तान से होगा। भारत अपना आखिरी लीग मैच दो मार्च को न्यूजीलैंड के खिलाफ खेलेगा। रोहित शर्मा की अगुवाई वाली टीम ने हाल ही में अपनी घरेलू धरती पर इंग्लैंड के खिलाफ तीनों मैच जीते थे जिससे प्रशंसकों और टीम का आत्मविश्वास बढ़ा है। मुंबई हवाई अड्डे पर इकट्ठे हुए समर्थक उम्मीद कर रहे होंगे कि रोहित और कोहली के नेतृत्व में ये दिग्गज एक और जीत हासिल करेंगे जैसा कि उन्होंने पिछले साल वेस्टइंडीज में किया था। भारत को अगर चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में टी20 विश्व कप की कहानी दोहरानी है तो उसके दोनों स्टार बल्लेबाज रोहित और कोहली को अच्छा प्रदर्शन करना होगा। टेस्ट क्रिकेट में विफल रहने के कारण इन दोनों को हाल में आलोचनाओं का सामना भी करना पड़ा। इंग्लैंड के खिलाफ वनडे श्रृंखला में इन दोनों ने हालांकि फॉर्म में वापसी करने के संकेत दिए। रोहित ने कटक में खेले गए दूसरे वनडे में 90 गेंद पर 119 रन बनाए जबकि कोहली ने अहमदाबाद में तीसरे वनडे में अर्धशतक लगाया था। चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में इन दोनों खिलाड़ियों के प्रदर्शन पर अजीत अगरकर की अगुवाई वाली चयन समिति की करीबी नजर रहेगी। अपने करियर के ढलान पर खड़े रोहित और कोहली का चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में प्रदर्शन उनके भविष्य के लिए भी काफी मायने रखेगा। कोहली को वनडे इतिहास में 14,000 रन बनाने वाले तीसरे बल्लेबाज बनने के लिए 37 रन की जरूरत है, जबकि रोहित 11,000 रन पूरे करने वाले 10वें बल्लेबाज बनने से केवल 12 रन दूर हैं। लेकिन ट्रॉफी के बिना इन आंकड़ों पर कोई गौर नहीं करेगा।

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चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में टीम इंडिया का रहा दबदबा, सर्वाधिक मुकाबले जीतने का रेकॉर्ड

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नई दिल्ली. आइसीसी वनडे चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी की उल्टी गिनती शुरू हो गई है। 19 फरवरी से शुरू होने वाले इस टूर्नामेंट में चैंपियन बनने के लिए आठ टीमों के बीच टक्कर होगी, लेकिन क्या आप जानते हैं कि इस टूर्नामेंट के इतिहास की सबसे सफल टीम कौन सी है? इस टूर्नामेंट में भारतीय टीम का दबदबा रहा है और उसके नाम सर्वाधिक जीत हासिल करने का रेकॉर्ड है। गौरतलब है कि चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी का आयोजन 2017 के बाद हो रहा है। ऐसे में भारतीय प्रशंसकों को उम्मीदें हैं कि रोहित शर्मा की कप्तानी में टीम इंडिया शानदार प्रदर्शन करेगी और रेकॉर्ड तीसरी बार खिताब अपने नाम करेगी।

सबसे अधिक मैच खेले और सबसे कम हारे

चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी की शुरुआत 1998 में हुई थी और अब नौवें संस्करण का आयोजन पाकिस्तान की मेजबानी में होगी। टूर्नामेंट के इतिहास में भारतीय टीम का रेकॉर्ड शानदार रहा है और उसने सर्वाधिक 29 मुकाबले खेले हैं। इस दौरान टीम इंडिया ने सबसे अधिक 18 मैच जीते हैं और सबसे कम आठ मुकाबले हारे हैं। भारतीय टीम के बाद सर्वाधिक 27 मैच श्रीलंका ने खेले हैं। इस दौरान श्रीलंकाई टीम ने 14 जीते, 11 हारे और दो बेनतीजा रहे। हालांकि श्रीलंकाई टीम इस संस्करण में नहीं खेल रही है।

चार बार फाइनल में पहुंचे : टीम इंडिया चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में कुल चार बार फाइनल में पहुंची है। इस दौरान टीम ने दो बार खिताब अपने नाम किया। वहीं, साल 2000 और 2017 में टीम इंडिया को फाइनल में हार का सामना करना पड़ा।



दुबई के लिए उड़ान भरते हुए भारतीय खिलाड़ी अर्शदीप सिंह, कुलदीप यादव और श्रेयस अय्यर (दाएं से)।

भारत की नजरें तीसरी बार चैंपियन बनने पर

इस टूर्नामेंट के इतिहास में सर्वाधिक दो-दो खिताब भारत और ऑस्ट्रेलियाई टीम ने जीते हैं। भारतीय टीम ने 2002 और 2013 में खिताब जीता था। अब टीम इंडिया की नजरें रेकॉर्ड तीसरी बार चैंपियन बनने पर होगी। वहीं, ऑस्ट्रेलियाई टीम ने भी दो बार 2006 और 2009 में खिताब जीता था। कंगारू टीम भी प्रबल दावेदार है।

पहला मैच बांग्लादेश से चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी की मेजबानी भले ही पाकिस्तान के पास है लेकिन भारतीय टीम के सभी मुकाबले दुबई में खेले जाएंगे। टीम इंडिया 20 फरवरी को बांग्लादेश के खिलाफ अपने अभियान का आगाज करेगी।

भारतीय टीम रैंकिंग में शीर्ष पर: भारतीय टीम का आइसीसी की वनडे विश्व रैंकिंग में दबदबा है और वह शीर्ष पर कायम है। इस सूची में दूसरे स्थान पर ऑस्ट्रेलिया की टीम है। पाकिस्तान की टीम तीसरे जबकि न्यूजीलैंड चौथे नंबर पर है। इनके पीछे, क्रमश: द. अफ्रीका, इंग्लैंड, अफगानिस्तान व बांग्लादेश हैं।



अफगानिस्तान की टीम पहली बार खेलेगी

चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में कुल आठ टीमें शिरकत कर रही हैं। इसमें अफगानिस्तान की टीम पहली बार इस टूर्नामेंट में खेलने के लिए उतरेगी। वहीं, पिछले बार टूर्नामेंट का हिस्सा रही श्रीलंकाई टीम क्वालीफाइ नहीं कर सकी है।

टीम	मैच	जीत	हार	टाई	बेनतीजा	जीत प्रतिशत
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भारतीय टीम ने दुबई के लिए उड़ान भरी

मुंबई. चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में शिरकत करने के लिए भारतीय टीम ने शनिवार को मुंबई के छत्रपति शिवाजी स्टेडियम से दुबई के लिए उड़ान भरी। इसमें कप्तान रोहित शर्मा, विराट कोहली, मुख्य कोच गौतम गंभीर, हार्दिक पांड्या, अर्शदीप सिंह, श्रेयस अय्यर, कुलदीप यादव व अन्य खिलाड़ियों के अलावा सपोर्ट स्टाफ के सदस्य शामिल थे।

रोहित ने तोड़ा बोर्ड का नियम

बीसीसीआइ ने हाल में नियम बनाया है कि सभी खिलाड़ी टीम बस में साथ सफर करेंगे। लेकिन यह नियम कप्तान रोहित शर्मा ने ही तोड़ दिया। वह निजी कार से मुंबई के एयरपोर्ट पर पहुंचे। ऐसे में प्रशंसक सोशल मीडिया पर सवाल उठा रहे हैं।

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দুবাই : ১৯ ফেব্রুয়ারি থেকে শুরু চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফি। ভারতের প্রথম ম্যাচে ২০ ফেব্রুয়ারি। প্রতিপক্ষ বাংলাদেশ। চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফি খেলতে শনিবার দুবাই রওনা দিল ভারতীয় দল। একসঙ্গে গেলেন ১৫ ক্রিকেটার, কোচ ও সাপোর্ট স্টাফেরা। মুম্বই বিমানবন্দর থেকে বিমান ধরেন রোহিত শর্মা, বিরাট কোহলিরা। শনিবার দুপুরে দুবাই রওনা দেন ভারতীয় ক্রিকেটারেরা। বিমানবন্দরে সকলের আগে ঢুকতে দেখা যায় প্রধান কোচ গৌতম গম্ভীরকে। তাঁর পরে একে একে ওয়াশিংটন সুন্দর, শুভমন গিল, বিরাট কোহলি, হার্দিক পান্ডিয়া, রবীন্দ্র জাডেজা, লোকেশ রাহুল, শ্রেয়স আয়ার, বরুণ চক্রবর্তী, মহম্মদ শামি, অক্ষর পটেল, হর্ষিত রানা, ঋষভ পন্থ, কুলদীপ যাদব, অর্শদীপ সিংহ বিমানবন্দরে ঢোকেন। সকলের শেষে ঢোকেন অধিনায়ক রোহিত। গম্ভীরের সহকারী অভিষেক নায়ার, টি দিলীপ, রায়ান টেন দুশখাতে, মর্নি মর্কেল ও সীতাংশু কোটাকও বিমানবন্দরে ঢোকেন। প্রত্যেককে ফুরফুরে মেজাজে দেখা যাচ্ছিল। বিমানবন্দরে তাঁদের ছবি তোলার জন্য ভিড় ছিল। অনেকের সঙ্গে হাসিমুখে ছবি তুলতেও দেখা যায় ভারতীয় ক্রিকেটারদের। কোহলি ও রোহিত অনেককে সই বিলোন। বোঝাই যাচ্ছে, ইংল্যান্ডকে হারিয়ে আত্মবিশ্বাসী রয়েছেন ক্রিকেটারেরা। এবার চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফির আয়োজক দেশ পাকিস্তান হলেও ভারত তাদের সব ম্যাচ খেলবে দুবাইয়ে। ২০ ফেব্রুয়ারি বাংলাদেশ ম্যাচের পর ২৩ ফেব্রুয়ারি মুখোমুখি ভারত-পাকিস্তান। ২ মার্চ ভারত গ্রুপের শেষ ম্যাচ খেলবে নিউ জিল্যান্ডের বিরুদ্ধে। ভারত যদি সেমিফাইনাল ও ফাইনালে ওঠে তা হলে সেই ম্যাচও হবে দুবাইয়ে। শেষ আইসিসি ট্রফি জিতেছিল ভারত। টি-২০ বিশ্বকাপ জেতার পর এবার রোহিতেরা চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফি জিততে পারেন কি না সে দিকেও নজর থাকবে সকলের।

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चैंपियंस ट्राफी की जंग के लिए तैयार भारतीय टीम, 20 को पहला मुकाबला

गंभीर, रोहित, कोहली और अन्य सदस्यों का मुंबई एअरपोर्ट में प्रशंसकों ने किया जोरदार स्वागत

मुंबई, 15 फरवरी (भाषा)।

भारतीय कप्तान रोहित शर्मा और टीम के अन्य सदस्य शनिवार को चैंपियंस ट्राफी के लिए दुबई पहुंच चुके हैं। भारतीय टीम चैंपियंस ट्राफी की जंग के लिए जोरशोर से तैयारियों में जुटी है और टीम का पहला मुकाबला 20 को बांग्लादेश से होगा।

सफेद टी-शर्ट और काली ट्रैक पैंट में रोहित शर्मा जब मुंबई के छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाईअड्डे पर अपनी कार से उतरे, तो उनका स्वागत करने के लिए वहां मौजूद प्रशंसकों ने जोर-जोर से 'रोहित भाई' और 'रोहित सर' के नारे लगाए। मुस्कुराते हुए रोहित प्रस्थान लाउंज की ओर बढ़े, जहां टीम के अन्य सदस्य, जैसे मुख्य कोच गौतम गंभीर, उपकप्तान शुभमन गिल और विराट कोहली, पहले ही पहुंच चुके थे।

भारतीय दल के सदस्यों ने हवाईअड्डे पर पहुंचने के बाद कुछ प्रशंसकों को आटोग्राफ और हाथ हिलाकर उनका आभार व्यक्त किया। भारतीय टीम पिछले साल जून में टी20 विश्व कप जीतने के बाद एक और वैश्विक ट्राफी जीतने की उम्मीद के साथ दुबई के लिए उड़ान भर चुकी है।

हालांकि, भारत को इस बार जसप्रीत बुमराह के बिना चैंपियंस ट्राफी खेलनी पड़ेगी, क्योंकि वह चोटिल होने के कारण इस टूर्नामेंट से बाहर हो गए हैं। भारत का पहला लीग मैच 20 फरवरी को बांग्लादेश से होगा, इसके बाद 23 फरवरी को पाकिस्तान और 2 मार्च को न्यूजीलैंड से मुकाबला होगा। रोहित शर्मा की अगुआई में भारतीय टीम ने हाल ही में इंग्लैंड के खिलाफ तीनों वनडे मैचों में जीत हासिल की थी, जिससे टीम का आत्मविश्वास और बढ़ा है। मुंबई हवाईअड्डे पर मौजूद समर्थक उम्मीद कर रहे थे कि टीम एक और शानदार प्रदर्शन करेगी, जैसा कि पिछले साल वेस्ट इंडीज में किया था। रोहित और कोहली के लिए चैंपियंस ट्राफी महत्त्वपूर्ण है, क्योंकि दोनों बल्लेबाजों पर अच्छा प्रदर्शन करने का दबाव है।

इंग्लैंड के खिलाफ एकदिवसीय श्रृंखला में दोनों ने फार्म में वापसी के संकेत दिए हैं। रोहित ने कटक में 119 रन बनाए, जबकि कोहली ने अहमदाबाद में अर्धशतक जमाया। चयन समिति की नजर इन दोनों खिलाड़ियों के प्रदर्शन पर होगी, क्योंकि चैंपियंस ट्राफी में उनका प्रदर्शन उनके भविष्य के लिए महत्त्वपूर्ण हो सकता है।

कोहली को एकदिवसीय इतिहास में 14,000 रन बनाने के लिए 37 रन की जरूरत है, वहीं रोहित 11,000 रन पूरे करने के केवल 12 रन दूर हैं। हालांकि, बिना ट्राफी के इन आंकड़ों का कोई महत्व नहीं होगा।

टूर्नामेंट में कुछ युवा खिलाड़ियों के लिए भी यह अवसर होगा, जैसे शुभमन गिल, जो अपनी शानदार फार्म को जारी रखकर चयन समिति के फैसले को सही साबित करना चाहेंगे।

क्रिकेट : बांग्लादेश से भिड़ेगा भारत



जसप्रीत बुमराह की अनुपस्थिति में अर्शदीप सिंह और हर्षित राणा जैसे तेज गेंदबाजों के पास खुद को साबित करने का मौका है।

रोहित और कोहली के लिए चैंपियंस ट्राफी महत्त्वपूर्ण है क्योंकि दोनों बल्लेबाजों पर अच्छा प्रदर्शन करने का दबाव है। इंग्लैंड के खिलाफ रोहित ने कटक में 119 रन बनाए, जबकि कोहली ने अहमदाबाद में अर्धशतक जमाया।

टूर्नामेंट में युवा खिलाड़ियों के लिए भी अवसर होगा, जैसे शुभमन गिल शानदार फार्म को जारी रख चयन समिति के फैसले को सही साबित करना चाहेंगे।

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गौतम का 'गंभीर' प्रभाव

- भारतीय टीम जसप्रीत बुमराह के बिना चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में खेलने के लिए गई है
- भारत का लीग चरण में पहला मैच 20 फरवरी को बांग्लादेश के खिलाफ
- 23 फरवरी को उसका सामना चिर प्रतिद्वंदी पाकिस्तान से होगा
- भारत अपना आखिरी लीग मैच दो मार्च को न्यूजीलैंड के खिलाफ खेलेगा

एकसाथ पूरी टीम इंडिया ने दुबई के लिए भरी उड़ान



मुंबई: इंग्लैंड के खिलाफ वनडे सीरीज में शानदार जीत के बाद टीम इंडिया 15 फरवरी को मुंबई एयरपोर्ट पर नजर आई, जहां से सभी चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी 2025 के लिए दुबई रवाना हो गए। इस जीत की एक खास बात यह रही कि भारत ने 14 साल बाद इंग्लैंड के खिलाफ वनडे सीरीज में क्लीन स्वीप किया है। अब 15 फरवरी को टीम इंडिया का एक ताजा वीडियो सामने आया है, जिसमें सभी खिलाड़ी दुबई जाने के लिए मुंबई एयरपोर्ट पर नजर आ रहे हैं। दुबई रवाना होने के लिए पूरी 15 सदस्यीय भारतीय टीम एक साथ नजर आई। इसमें रोहित शर्मा, विराट कोहली, रवींद्र जडेजा और वाशिंगटन सुंदर भी शामिल थे. इसके अलावा टीम के कोचिंग स्टाफ को भी हेड कोच गौतम गंभीर के साथ देखा गया। ऐसा नजारा इसलिए देखने को मिला क्योंकि हाल ही में मीडिया रिपोर्ट्स में बीसीसीआई की ओर से जारी की गई 10 नई नीतियों की खबर सामने आई थी. इनमें से एक नीति यह थी कि सभी खिलाड़ी एक साथ ट्रेवल करेंगे।

सफेद टी-शर्ट और काली ट्रैक पहने रोहित शर्मा जब शनिवार को यहां चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी के लिए दुबई रवाना होने के लिए अपनी कार से उतरे तो छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाईअड्डे के प्रवेश द्वार के पास इंतजार कर रहे प्रशंसकों ने जोर-जोर से रोहित भाई और रोहित सर कहकर उनका ध्यान अपनी तरफ खींचा। भारतीय कप्तान मुस्कुराते हुए प्रस्थान लाउंज में अपने साथियों की ओर बढ़े। मुख्य कोच गौतम गंभीर, उप-कप्तान शुभमन गिल और स्टार बल्लेबाज विराट कोहली सहित टीम के अधिकतर सदस्य टीम बस में हवाई अड्डे पहुंचे। इनमें से कुछ खिलाड़ियों ने कुछ प्रशंसकों को ऑटोग्राफ देकर या हाथ हिलाकर उनका आभार व्यक्त किया।

भारतीय टीम पिछले साल जून में टी20 विश्व कप जीतने के बाद एक और वैश्विक ट्रॉफी हासिल करने की उम्मीदों के बीच आगामी चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी के लिए दुबई के लिए दोपहर की उड़ान में सवार हो गई। बुमराह चोटिल होने के कारण इस टूर्नामेंट से बाहर हो गए थे।

मुंबई हवाई अड्डे पर इकट्ठे हुए समर्थक उम्मीद कर रहे होंगे कि रोहित और कोहली के नेतृत्व में ये दिग्गज एक और जीत हासिल करेंगे जैसा कि उन्होंने पिछले साल वेस्टइंडीज में किया था।

भारत को अगर चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में टी20 विश्व कप की कहानी दोहरानी है तो उसके दोनों स्टार बल्लेबाज रोहित और कोहली को अच्छा प्रदर्शन करना होगा। टेस्ट क्रिकेट में विफल रहने के कारण इन दोनों को हाल में आलोचनाओं का सामना भी करना पड़ा। इंग्लैंड के खिलाफ वनडे श्रृंखला में इन दोनों ने हालांकि फॉर्म में वापसी करने के संकेत दिए। भारतीय टीम में शामिल कुछ युवा खिलाड़ी अच्छा प्रदर्शन करके अपनी जगह मजबूत करना चाहेंगे। उप कप्तान गिल अपनी शानदार फॉर्म जारी रखकर उन्हें यह महत्वपूर्ण जिम्मेदारी सौंपने के चयन समिति के फैसले को सही साबित करना चाहेंगे। चोट के कारण बुमराह की अनुपस्थिति अर्शदीप सिंह और हर्षित राणा जैसे खिलाड़ियों के लिए यह एक अवसर है, जबकि वरुण चक्रवर्ती साबित करना चाहेंगे कि वह टीम के मारक हथियार हैं।

रोहित और कोहली पर होगी नजर

- अपने करियर के ढलान पर खड़े रोहित और कोहली का चैंपियंस ट्रॉफी में प्रदर्शन उनके भविष्य के लिए भी काफी मायने रखेगा।
- कोहली को वनडे इतिहास में 14,000 रन बनाने वाले तीसरे बल्लेबाज बनने के लिए 37 रन की जरूरत है,
- रोहित 11,000 रन पूरे करने वाले 10वें बल्लेबाज बनने से केवल 12 रन दूर है। लेकिन ट्रॉफी के बिना इन आंकड़ों पर कोई और नहीं करेगा।

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FOCUS ON SENIOR BATTERS AS TEAM DEPARTS FOR CHAMPIONS TROPHY

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FOCUS ON SENIOR BATTERS AS TEAM DEPARTS FOR CHAMPIONS TROPHY

Mumbai: Dressed nattily in a white T-shirt and black tracks, Rohit Sharma got down from his car and walked towards his teammates at the departure lounge amid loud calls of 'Rohit bhai' and 'Rohit sir' by fans waiting near the Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj International Airport entrance. Most of the squad members arrived in the team bus, including head coach Gautam Gambhir, vice-captain Shubman Gill and star batter Virat Kohli. The stars obliged some fans by signing autographs or waving at a few of them. Soon, the team boarded an afternoon flight to Dubai for the upcoming Champions Trophy amid heightened optimism of netting another global trophy after winning the T20 World Cup last June. A Jasprit Bumrah-less India will open their campaign against Bangladesh on Feb 20 in Dubai before the much-anticipated blockbuster against traditional rivals Pakistan on Feb 23, and then the Men in Blue will take on New Zealand on March 2 to round off their league engagements.

The confidence — of the fans and the team — has been boosted by India's recent 3-0 ODI series whitewash at home over England. Those supporters assembled at the Mumbai airport will be hoping that the icons led by Rohit and Kohli will pull off another triumph like they did in the West Indies last year. If those scenes are to be repeated, then India will need runs from both Rohit and Kohli's blades. PTI

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Stuttering stars Ro-Ko pad up for survival

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Calcutta: Even when India embarked on their T20 World Cup journey last year, the confidence in Rohit Sharma and Virat Kohli wasn't really supreme. Though Kohli had scored well in IPL 2024, his strike rate was a bit of a concern while Rohit had a torrid time with the bat.

But in the showpiece event in the Caribbean and the United States, Rohit's Powerplay exploits in a few matches played an important role in winning India their second T20 Cup crown. At the same time, Kohli also contributed 76 in the final against South Africa in Bridgetown.



Arshdeep Singh, Kuldeep Yadav and Shreyas Iyer en route to Dubai on Saturday for the Champions Trophy, in a picture shared on X.

CHAMPIONS TROPHY

As the Indians left for Dubai from Mumbai on Saturday for their ICC Champions Trophy campaign, skipper Rohit, in particular, may certainly draw inspiration from his performance in last year's T20 Cup, where he was India's highest run-getter (257 runs) with three fifties and averaged 36.71 with a strike rate of 156.70.

For Kohli, he barely had any success in the last T20 Cup barring the final knock, but the 50-over format is more of a comfort zone for the former India captain.

Both Rohit and Kohli have been under enormous pressure with questions too raised on how long they should continue in international cricket following a disappointing Border-Gavaskar Trophy in Australia. However, the duo got to spend some time with the bat in the recent ODIs against England. Of course, they weren't outstanding in that three-match series which India swept, but Rohit and Kohli did manage to register a century and a fifty-plus score, respectively.

Besides, the last time India featured in a big-ticket ODI tournament, which was the 2023 ODI World Cup, the star duo were in rich form that went a long way in the team getting to the final. No matter how they fare in other series or events, Rohit and Kohli are a different proposition in marquee tournaments. No second thoughts on that.

Both of them have been incredibly successful in the ODI format. The Dubai pitches too won't resemble those of Australia, yet pressure will remain on the duo. The numbers they finish with at this Champions Trophy may well determine their future with Team India. A poor finish may even see a tweak or two in the coaching staff ahead of the England tour in June.

At present, though, the spotlight is on Rohit and Kohli. If they succeed, all doubts over their future may vanish.

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Team India lands in Dubai for Champions Trophy

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দুবাই পৌঁছালো ভারতীয় দল

মুম্বাই, ১৫ ফেব্রুয়ারি—চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফির ম্যাচ খেলতে দুবাইয়ে পৌঁছল ভারতীয় ক্রিকেট দল। ভারত শেষ বার এই প্রতিযোগিতায় জয়ী হয়েছিল ২০১৩ সালে। সেবার অধিনায়ক ছিলেন মহেন্দ্র সিং ধোনি।

এর আগে রোহিত শর্মার নেতৃত্বে শনিবার ভারতীয় দল মুম্বাই থেকে রওনা দেয়। গৌতম গম্ভীর, বিরাট কোহলি সহ ভারতীয় দলের সব সদস্যই একসঙ্গে রওনা দিয়েছেন। ব্যাটিং কোচ সীতাংশু কোটাক, বোলিং কোচ মর্ণি মর্কেল, ফিল্ডিং কোচ রায়ান টেন ডুসখ্যাটে সবাইকে বিমানবন্দরে প্রবেশ করতে দেখা গিয়েছে। সহ অধিনায়ক শুভমন গিল, কোচ গম্ভীর ও কোহলিকে দেখা যায় কিছু সমর্থকদের সই দিতে। কড়া নিরাপত্তার মধ্যেই ভারতীয় দল বিমানবন্দরে প্রবেশ করেন।

জসপ্রীত বুমরা ছাড়া এই ভারতীয় দলের সম্ভাবনা কম বলে অনেকে মনে করছেন। তবে দেশের মাটিতে সদ্য সমাপ্ত একদিনের সিরিজে ভারতীয় দলের পারফরম্যান্স দেখে তা বোঝা যায়নি। ইংল্যান্ডকে ৩-০ ব্যবধানে সিরিজে হারিয়ে ভারতীয় দল এই মুহূর্তে যথেষ্ট আত্মবিশ্বাসী।

সিরিজের দ্বিতীয় ম্যাচে অধিনায়ক রোহিত ৯০ বলে ১১৯ করেন। বিরাট তৃতীয় ম্যাচে সাবলীল ব্যাটিং করে ৭৩তম অর্ধশতরান করেন। তাঁর আর বাকি ৩৭ রান। তাহলে ক্রিকেটের তৃতীয় ব্যাটার হিসাবে একদিনের আন্তর্জাতিক ক্রিকেটে ১৪,০০০ রানে পৌঁছবেন। অন্যদিকে রোহিতের দরকার ১২ রান। তাহলেই তাঁর ১১,০০০ রান পূর্ণ হবে। যদিও, ট্রফি ছাড়া এইসব মূল্যহীন। কারণ, এই প্রতিযোগিতার সাফল্যের উপর নির্ভর করছে একাধিক তারকা ক্রিকেটারদের দলে থাকা না থাকা।

একই সঙ্গে তরুণ তুর্কীদের প্রমাণ করার জায়গা এই প্রতিযোগিতা। সহ অধিনায়ক গিল ইংল্যান্ডের বিপক্ষে ২৫৯ রান করেন। তাঁর একদিনের ক্রিকেটে গড় ৬১। তাছাড়া শেষ ম্যাচে রান পেয়েছেন কেএল রাহুল। পাঁচ নম্বরে ভরসা জুগিয়েছেন অক্ষর প্যাটেল। বল হাতে উইকেট পেয়েছেন তিনি। রবীন্দ্র জাদেজা বল হাতে সফল। ব্যাট হাতে সফল শ্রেয়স আইয়ার।

অন্যদিকে, বুমরার অনুপস্থিতিতে বোলিংয়ের দায়িত্ব থাকবে অর্শদীপ সিং, হর্ষিত রান ও মহম্মদ শামির উপর। শামি প্রায় ১৪ মাস পরে আন্তর্জাতিক ক্রিকেটে ফিরেছেন। তবে ভারত পাঁচ জন স্পিনার নিয়ে যাচ্ছে। বরুণ চক্রবর্তীর প্রত্যাবর্তন নিঃসন্দেহে দলের শক্তি বাড়িয়েছে।

ভারতীয় দলের প্রথম খেলা বাংলাদেশের বিপক্ষে ২০ ফেব্রুয়ারি। এরপর ভারত খেলবে ২৩ ফেব্রুয়ারি পাকিস্তানের সঙ্গে। এরপর ২ মার্চ ভারত খেলবে নিউজিল্যান্ডের বিপক্ষে।

এদিকে রবিচন্দ্রণ অশ্বিন ভারতীয় ক্রিকেটের সুপারস্টার সংস্কৃতির বিরোধিতা করেছে। নিজের সমাজমাধ্যমে আলোচনা প্রসঙ্গে তিনি বলেছেন, 'আমরা এই সুপারস্টার, বড় সেলিব্রিটি সংস্কৃতিকে কখনই সমর্থন করতে পারি না। সময় এসেছে এই বিষয় থেকে বেরিয়ে এসে সবকিছু স্বাভাবিক করার।' তিনি এও বলেন, 'আমরা ক্রিকেটার, অভিনেতা বা সুপারস্টার নই। আমরা ক্রীড়াবিদ। আমাদের হতে হবে এমন যাতে সাধারণ আমাদের সঙ্গে নিজেদের তুলনা করে।' অশ্বিন মনে করেন আন্তর্জাতিক ক্রিকেটে সাফল্য খুবই স্বাভাবিক ব্যাপার। বিরাট বা রোহিত অনেক সাফল্য পেয়েছে। যখন কেউ একটা সেঞ্চুরি করবে, তখন এটাকে নিজের সাফল্য হিসাবে দেখা উচিত। এটা স্বাভাবিক ব্যাপার। যে কেউ পেতে পারে এই সাফল্য। আমাদের লক্ষ্য এই সব ব্যক্তিগত সাফল্যের থেকে অনেক বেশি।'

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শনিবার মুম্বইয়ের ছত্রপতি শিবাজি বিমানবন্দরে লাগেজ নিয়ে দুবাইয়ের পথে রোহিত শর্মা, মুহাম্মদ শামি ও বিরাট কোহলি।

মরুশহরে পা টিম ইন্ডিয়ার

পুবের কলম প্রতিবেদক: গত কয়েক বছরে এই দৃশ্য দেখা যায়নি। গোটা ভারতীয় দল একসঙ্গে কোনও এক আইসিসি ইভেন্ট খেলার জন্য অন্য দেশে যাচ্ছেন। এর আগে যতবারই ভারতীয় দল বিদেশ সফরে গিয়েছে, বিরাট কোহলি, রোহিত শর্মা-সহ অনেক সিনিয়র ক্রিকেটারকে দেখা গিয়েছে দলের সঙ্গে না গিয়ে আলাদা যেতে। তাও পরিবার নিয়ে। কিন্তু বিসিসিআইয়ের কড়া নির্দেশের পর এবার একসূত্রে গাঁথা হয়ে গিয়েছেন ভারতীয় ক্রিকেটার থেকে কোচ ও সাপোর্ট স্টাফরা। চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফি খেলতে শনিবার দুপুরে মুম্বই থেকে ক্রিকেটার, কোচ, সহকারী কোচ, ব্যাটিং কোচ, বোলিং কোচ ও অন্যান্য সাপোর্ট স্টাফরা একসঙ্গে উড়ে গেলেন মরুশহর দুবাইয়ে। দীর্ঘদিন পরে মুম্বইয়ের ছত্রপতি শিবাজি বিমানবন্দরে এই প্রথম একসঙ্গে দেখা গেল পুরো টিম ইন্ডিয়াকে।

চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফির আসরে ভারত খেলতে নামবে ২০ ফেব্রুয়ারি বাংলাদেশের বিরুদ্ধে। তিন দিন পরই চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফির আসরে হাই ভোল্টেজ ম্যাচে নামবে ভারত-পাকিস্তান। প্রতিযোগিতায় প্রথম ম্যাচ খেলতে নামার পাঁচদিন আগেই দুবাই পৌঁছে গেল ভারতীয় দল। গোটা দল যখন এমিরেটস ওয়ারওয়েজের বিলাসবহুল বিমানে ওঠার জন্য তৈরি, একজনের অভাব বেশ বোঝা গেল। তিনি জসপ্রীত বুমরাহ। ভারত কার্যত তাদের সেরা বোলারকে বাদ দিয়েই চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফি খেলতে গেল। যদিও দলে শামির উপস্থিতি কিছুটা হলেও অক্সিজেন জোগাবে। মুম্বই

বোর্ডের ফতোয়া। এই প্রথম নিজেদের ম্যানেজার ছাড়াই বিদেশ সফরে গৌতম গম্ভীর, বিরাট কোহলি, রোহিত শর্মারা।

বিমানবন্দরে রোহিত, বিরাট, হার্দিকরা রীতিমতো ফুরফুরে মেজাজে রইলেন। চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফির আগে ইংল্যান্ডের বিরুদ্ধে সিরিজে তাদের হোয়াইটওয়াশ করার সঙ্গে সঙ্গে বিরাট রোহিতদের রানে ফেরা চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফির আগে ভারতকে অনেকটা আত্মবিশ্বাস জোগাবে বলেই মনে করছে ওয়াকিফহাল মহল।

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Suhasini Haidar
MUSCAT

Amid troubled ties with Bangladesh, External Affairs Minister S. Jaishankar will meet Bangladesh Foreign Affairs Adviser Touhid Hossain on the sidelines of the eighth Indian Ocean Conference here on Sunday, sources said.

Mr. Jaishankar, who will inaugurate the regional conference co-hosted by the Ministry of External Affairs and the Omani government, and organised by the India Foundation, will also meet with a number of other Foreign Ministers from 27 countries that are taking part. The Foreign Ministers of Bhutan, Sri Lanka, the Maldives, Nepal and Bangladesh will be attending the annual conference.

In a sign of the government's normalisation process of ties with China after the October agreement between the militaries at the Line of Actual Control, China's Special Envoy for Middle East Affairs Zhai Jun will attend, marking the first time an official from the country has been invited since the conference held in 2019.



Regional issues: Last year, S. Jaishankar had addressed the Indian Ocean Conference that was held in Perth, Australia. FILE PHOTO

Iranian Foreign Minister Abbas Araghchi, Singapore's Foreign Minister Vivian Balakrishnan and Australian Foreign Minister Penny Wong will address the grouping. Mr. Jaishankar, who accompanied Prime Minister Narendra Modi to Paris and Washington this week, attended the Munich Security Conference on Saturday before arriving in Muscat.

Mr. Jaishankar will address the inaugural session of the Indian Ocean Conference on Sunday along with Omani Foreign Minister Sayyid Badr bin Hamad Al Busaidi and Mr. Balakrishnan.

Modi-Trump talks

Mr. Jaishankar's meeting with the Bangladesh Foreign Affairs Adviser is particularly significant as it comes amidst spiralling ties between the Modi government and the caretaker government in Dhaka led by Muhammad Yunus, and deep concerns that Mr. Modi even raised with U.S. President Donald Trump during his visit to Washington.

While India has expressed alarm over the attacks on minorities after the ouster of former Prime Minister Sheikh Hasina in August 2024, as well as the treatment of Indian businesses by the new government, the Yunus government has demanded that India ensure that Ms. Hasina, who has taken shelter in Delhi, does not make political statements or address public rallies of the Awami League via video conference. A number of other irritants, over border security, water sharing and flood management, trade issues, the release of radicals and those accused on terror charges in Bangladesh have also been discussed between both sides, including during a visit by Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri to Dhaka in December.

Mr. Jaishankar and Mr. Hossain will be tasked with taking forward the talks on resolving issues, as well preparing for a possible meeting between Mr. Modi and Mr. Yunus, as both are expected to attend the BIMSTEC regional conference in Bangkok on April 2-4.

Mr. Jaishankar will also have a chance to interact with other counterparts from the region, and tackle issues testing ties with them.

Sri Lankan Minister of Foreign Affairs Vijitha Herath will be in Muscat days after the Adani Group pulled out of a renewable energy contract after the Dissanayake government ordered a second review against it.

Maldives' Foreign Minister Abdulla Khaleel is expected to discuss talks for a Free Trade Agreement with India, after the Muizzu government has already operationalized an FTA with China.

Nepal's Foreign Minister Arzu Deuba is expected to discuss dates for a bilateral visit by Nepal's Prime Minister K.P. Sharma Oli, who was sworn in in July last year, but has not so far received an invitation.

In December, Mr. Oli travelled to Beijing for a bilateral visit, one of the first times India was not the first stop for a Nepali PM.

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PRIME MINISTER Narendra Modi said "individual issues" are never discussed when prominent leaders of countries meet, in response to a question if he had asked US President Donald Trump to take action on the Gautam Adani case.

"India is a democratic country and our culture and philosophy is 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'... we consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine," Modi said.

"Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," the Prime Minister said. The question put to him was: "Can I ask whether you discussed at all today, the case of Gautam Adani, who is one of the wealthiest man in Asia, and perceived as an ally of Prime Minister? Prime Minister Modi, have you asked the President to take action on that case?"

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NEW DELHI

The Congress on Saturday said its members had absolute freedom of speech to express their views but the party's view was paramount.

"The Indian National Congress is our country's ONLY political party where there is absolute freedom of speech as well as freedom after speech," Congress's communications chief Jairam Ramesh said on the social media platform X.

"Members give their views on issues which are, on occasion, their own and that do not reflect the opinion of the party as a collective entity. It is the party's stance that is paramount," Mr. Ramesh said.

Though he did not name any particular leader, the party's statement comes a day after senior leader and Lok Sabha member Shashi Tharoor's comments on Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visit to the U.S. and joint press conference with U.S. President Donald Trump.


Jairam Ramesh

Tharoor's comments

Mr. Tharoor had hailed the PM's visit as "a significant development since Mr. Modi was the fourth head of government to have been given an appointment by President Trump".

His comments on Friday were at odds with the position taken by Leader of the Opposition in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi, who has said that Mr. Modi was covering up the alleged corruption of industrialist Gautam Adani.

Defending his position, Mr. Tharoor asserted that he could not always speak only in terms of the party's interest. He said that he had spoken in national interest and as a "responsible stakeholder in Indian democracy and an elected representative of Thiruvananthapuram".

Mr. Tharoor said he believes that India had done well in terms of getting the U.S. to the negotiating table on tariffs, while raising concerns about the manner in which illegal immigrants were treated.

He said in his 16-year-long political career, he had applauded when a government, be it a Congress government or some other party's, did the right thing.

On Friday, welcoming the Prime Minister's visit, the Thiruvananthapuram MP had said: "The press statements by both the Prime Minister and President Trump are very encouraging. The big concerns we all had have been addressed."

On the illegal immigration issue, Mr. Tharoor said: "The only thing missing there from what Prime Minister Modi said was the question of the manner in which these people were treated and sent back. I think his stand was absolutely correct. I hope some things were said behind closed doors and not in the press conference."

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Sanatan sword on Kumbh VVIP critics

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PIYUSH SRIVASTAVA

Lucknow: Uttar Pradesh chief minister Yogi Adityanath has denied allegations of a "VVIP culture" being promoted at the Mahakumbh to the detriment of common devotees, seeking to turn the tables on his political opponents by accusing them of enjoying the fruits of power for generations and spreading rumours about the event of which he has positioned himself as the host.

"Everybody is welcomed at the Mahakumbh. There is no discrimination on the basis of caste, religion, region or language. The entire country is congregating here and 45 crore people have taken the holy dip in 29 days. Those who are spreading negativity have been enjoying VVIP treatment themselves all their lives. They avail themselves of VVIP facilities and try to secure the same for their next generations," the chief minister and BJP leader said in Lucknow on Tuesday at a programme organised on the occasion of the 57th death anniversary of Pandit Deendayal Upadhyaya, a Rightist thinker.

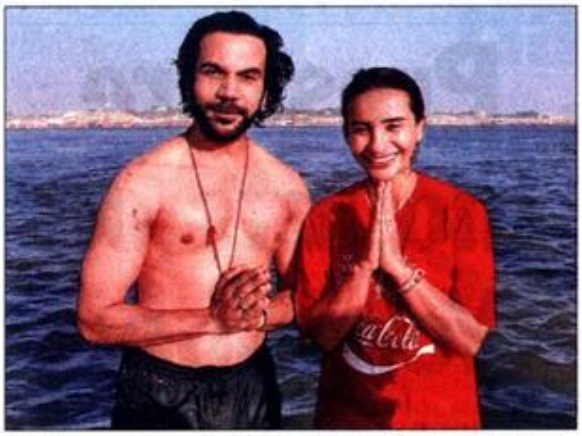
"These people create negativity to tarnish the image of Bharat and Sanatan Dharma," Adityanath alleged.

The refrain among common devotees has been that the state's BJP government has been making special arrangements for VVIPs at the Mahakumbh, providing them dedicated and sanitised routes to the Sangam and facilitating a seamless bath away from the crowds of devotees. Many devotees have complained that they have been left on their own, treated with disdain and made to take long and arduous walks for the holy dip. They have alleged that the administration often blocks roads and pontoon bridges to facilitate smooth movement of VVIPs.

The devotees also allege that some roads and areas have been permanently reserved for VVIP vehicles while common people are having to walk up to 30km to even reach the Mela. They have said they have not been allowed to go to the Sangam and forced to take the holy dip at spots along the river that are closest to their camps. Many devotees have said they came to the Kumbh only because of the religious significance of the Sangam, the confluence of the Ganga, Yamuna and the mythical Saraswati.

The Opposition has echoed these allegations.

A large number of devotees died in a stampede at the Mahakumbh on Mauni Amavasya on January 29 when some pontoon bridges were allegedly closed and police wielded batons on devotees trying to make their way to the Sangam. Devotees and eyewitnesses had alleged that the barriers had been put up to provide quick passage to VVIPs, including some government-friendly sadhus.



Rajkummar Rao and wife Patralekhaa take the holy dip at the Mahakumbh. (Picture sourced from Rao's Instagram handle)

"The government gives the daily footfall figures but doesn't provide the actual toll in the stampede," Samajwadi Party president and former chief minister Akhilesh Yadav said on Sunday.

After denying any deaths in the stampede for at least 15 hours after the January 29 tragedy, the government had officially put the toll at 30. The figure was not revised although several people were said to have died during treatment. Eyewitnesses and the Opposition have claimed the actual toll is much higher.

Devotees say not a single day has passed since the Kumbh started on January 14 that one or the other VVIP has not visited the Sangam for the holy dip. On Tuesday, industrialist Mukesh Ambani and his family took the holy dip.

President Droupadi Murmu took the holy dip at the "VVIP Ghat" at the Sangam on Monday amid tight security. The President was in the Mela area for about three hours and also offered prayers at the Hanuman Mandir and an old fig tree known as Akhsyavat.

Most routes to the Sangam were blocked by over 400 policemen to ensure smooth movement of the President.

Among the celebrities who have taken the holy dip at the Sangam are industrialists Gautam Adani and Anil Ambani, actors Rajkummar Rao and his wife Patralekhaa, Vidyut Jammwal, Pankaj Tripathi, Shilpa Shetty, Neena Gupta, Sanjay Mishra, Vijay Deverakonda, Anupam Kher, Milind Soman and Adah Sharma, singers Shankar Mahadevan and Guru Randhawa, Coldplay frontman Chris Martin and his girlfriend, the actress Dakota Johnson, Apple co-founder Steve Jobs's wife Laurene Powell, filmmakers Madhur Bhandarkar and Kabir Khan and choreographer-filmmaker Remo D'Souza.

Many of them have been seen in pictures taking the holy dip with few people around them, which contrasts with images of seas of devotees congregating for the bath.

There is no suggestion that all celebrity devotees received "VVIP treatment" at the Kumbh.

"The crowds are increasing again in the Mela area for the bath on Magh Purnima on Wednesday. There are at least four crore people here and the situation is like Mauni Amavasya. VVIPs had been advised not to come here during this time but they are here," said an officer posted at the Mahakumbh who didn't want to be named.

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Billionaire Gautam Adani's company halved supply to Bangladesh on October 31 due to payment delays as the country battled a foreign exchange shortage. This led to the shutdown of one of the two equal-sized units of the plant on November 1, followed by Bangladesh's request to keep supplying only half the power, citing low winter demand and as the payment issue bubbled.

Ahead of summer demand and on Bangladesh Power Development Board's (BPDB) request, Adani Power has agreed to resume full supplies by next week, said the two sources who had direct knowledge of the matter but declined to be named as they were not authorised to talk to the media. The plant in eastern India sells only to Bangladesh.

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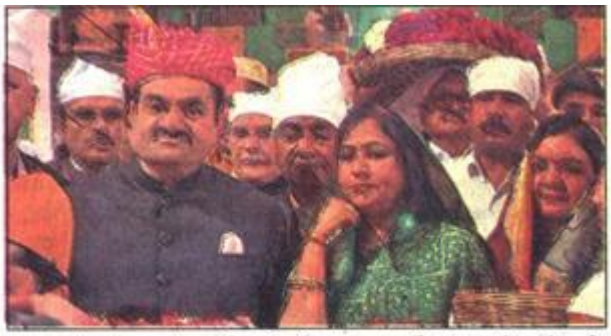
Billionaire Gautam Adani's company halved supply to Bangladesh on October 31 due to payment delays as the country battled a foreign exchange shortage. This led to the shutdown of one of the two equal-sized units of the plant on November 1, followed by Bangladesh's request to keep supplying only half the power, citing low winter demand and as the payment issue bubbled.

Ahead of summer demand and on Bangladesh Power Development Board's (BPDB) request, Adani Power has agreed to resume full supplies by next week, said the two sources who had direct knowledge of the matter but declined to be named as they were not authorised to talk to the media. The plant in eastern India sells only to Bangladesh.

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বিদ্যুতের জন্য ফের আদানি-শরণে ইউনুস

যুগশঙ্খ প্রতিবেদন
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বিপ্লব শেষ। বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহের জন্য ফের আদানি গোষ্ঠীর শরণাপন্ন হতে হল বাংলাদেশের অন্তর্বর্তী সরকারকে। আবেদনে সাড়া দিয়ে কিছুদিনের মধ্যেই আদানি গোষ্ঠী পুরো ১,৬০০ মেগাওয়াট বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহ করবে বাংলাদেশকে। যদিও বাংলাদেশকে কোনও বাড়তি ছাড় দেওয়া হবে না বলে জানিয়ে দিয়েছে আদানি গোষ্ঠী। বাংলাদেশ যে-ছাড়ের আবেদন করেছিল, তা নাকচ করে দিয়েছে সংস্থাটি।

২০১৭ সালে আদানি গোষ্ঠীর সঙ্গে বিদ্যুৎ সংক্রান্ত চুক্তি করেছিল তৎকালীন শেখ হাসিনা সরকার। বাংলাদেশে বিদ্যুৎ বিক্রির জন্য ঝাড়খণ্ডের গোড্ডায় ১,৬০০ মেগাওয়াট বিদ্যুৎ কেন্দ্র নির্মাণ করে আদানি গোষ্ঠী। চুক্তি অনুযায়ী ২৫ বছর বিদ্যুৎ কেনার কথা ছিল বাংলাদেশ বিদ্যুৎ উন্নয়ন বোর্ডের। কিন্তু বাংলাদেশে অন্তর্বর্তী সরকার গঠন হওয়ার পর গত বছরের অক্টোবরে আদানির থেকে পৃষ্ঠা ২

বিদ্যুতের জন্য ফের আদানি শরণে

বিদ্যুৎ কেনা অর্ধেকে নামিয়ে আনার সিদ্ধান্ত নেয় মহম্মদ ইউনুস প্রশাসন। বাকি বিদ্যুৎ নিজেদের দেশ বা অন্য কোন সংস্থার থেকে নেওয়া হবে বলে জানিয়েছিলেন ইউনুস। কিন্তু বাংলাদেশের জেলায় জেলায় ব্যাপক বিদ্যুতের ঘাটতি দেখা দিয়েছে। আর গরমকালে বিদ্যুতের চাহিদা আরও বেশি থাকবে শীতকালের তুলনায়। সেই কারণেই বাংলাদেশ আগের মতো পুরো বিদ্যুৎ কিনতে চাইছে আদানি গোষ্ঠীর কাছ থেকে।

বিগত কয়েক মাস ধরে ভারতের বিরোধিতা করছেন বাংলাদেশের কট্টরপন্থীরা। নানা ইস্যুতে নয়াদিল্লির বিরুদ্ধে সুর চড়াচ্ছেন বাংলাদেশের একাধিক উপদেষ্টা। তাঁরা দাবি করছেন, নিজেদের সব রকমের প্রয়োজন একাই মেটাতে পারবেন তাঁরা। সেখানে ভারতের ওপর তাঁরা নির্ভর করতে রাজি নন। কিন্তু বিদ্যুতের মতো অত্যন্ত গুরুত্বপূর্ণ ক্ষেত্রে বাংলাদেশ যে-চাহিদা সামলাতে ব্যর্থ, তা প্রমাণ হয়ে গেল। অর্থাৎ বিষয়টি নিয়ে ঢোঁক গিলতে হল ইউনুস প্রশাসনকে।

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দেওয়ার অনুরোধ জানায়। কয়েকদিন আগেই গ্রীষ্মের কথা ভেবে আদানি গোষ্ঠীর থেকে ফের বিদ্যুৎ কিনতে আগ্রহ প্রকাশ করেছিল বাংলাদেশের অন্তর্বর্তী সরকার। সেইসঙ্গে বাড়তি কর ছাড় এবং মোট বকেয়া অর্থে ছাড়ের অনুরোধ করেছিল ঢাকা। দাম কমিয়ে বিদ্যুৎ কিনতে ইচ্ছুক ছিল ইউনূস সরকার। তবে মুহাম্মদ ইউনূসের এই শর্তে সায় দেয়নি আদানি পাওয়ার। আগের দামেই ঝাড়খণ্ড প্ল্যান্ট থেকে বাংলাদেশে ১,৬০০ মেগাওয়াট বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহ চালু করার বিষয়ে আগ্রহ দেখিয়েছে গৌতম আদানির মালিকানাধীন এই সংস্থা। বাংলাদেশ সরকার গত অক্টোবর ও নভেম্বর মাসে যথাক্রমে ৯৭ মিলিয়ন ডলার ও ৮৫ মিলিয়ন ডলার পরিশোধ করলেও বিশাল পরিমাণ বকেয়ার তুলনায় এটি ছিল খুবই সামান্য। আদানি পাওয়ার জানিয়েছে, বাংলাদেশ কৃষি ব্যাঙ্কের মাধ্যমে ১৭০.০৩ মিলিয়ন ডলারের ঋণপত্র নিশ্চিত করা হয়নি এবং মোট ৮৪৬ মিলিয়ন ডলারের বকেয়া পরিশোধও হয়নি। বিপিডিবির চেয়ারম্যান মুহাম্মদ রেজাউল করিম বলেন, 'এই মুহূর্তে আমরা প্রতি মাসে ৮৫ মিলিয়ন পেমেন্ট করছি। আমরা আরও অর্থ পরিশোধের চেষ্টা করছি। আমাদের উদ্দেশ্য ওভারডিউ কমানো। এখন আদানি নিয়ে বড় কোনও সমস্যা নেই।'

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দুবাইয়ে পৌঁছল ভারত, দেশের জন্য গৌরব আনাই লক্ষ্য শামির

নিজস্ব প্রতিবেদন

১৫ ফেব্রুয়ারি: আসন্ন চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফিতে ভারতের সঙ্গে হয়তো পরীক্ষায় বসতে চলেছেন দলের দুই মহাতারকাও। প্রশ্ন উঠছে, চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফিই কি শেষ আইসিসি প্রতিযোগিতা হতে চলেছে বিরাট কোহলি-রোহিত শর্মার জন্য? এই প্রতিযোগিতায় এই দুই ব্যাটসম্যান কী করেন, তার উপরেই হয়তো নির্ভর করে থাকবে বিরাট-রোহিতের ভাগ্য। শনিবারই দুবাই পৌঁছে গেল ভারতীয় দল। মুম্বই বিমানবন্দরে খোশমেজাজেই দেখা গিয়েছে বিরাটদের। সই শিকারিদের আবদার মেটাতেও দেখা গিয়েছে বিরাটকে।

এই প্রতিযোগিতায় যাওয়ার আগেই বড় ধাক্কা খেয়েছে ভারত। চোটের জন্য ছিটকে গিয়েছেন যশপ্রীত বুমরা। যে কারণে অনেকেই মনে করছেন দুর্বল হয়ে পড়েছে ভারতীয় বোলিং। কোচ গৌতম গম্ভীর ভরসা রাখছেন অভিজ্ঞ মহম্মদ শামি এবং দুই তরুণ— আরশদীপ সিংহ এবং হর্ষিত রানার উপরে।

শামি-সহ ভারতীয় পেস আক্রমণের সদস্যদের বেশ খোশমেজাজেই দেখা গিয়েছে এ দিন। সমাজমাধ্যমে অক্ষর পটেল, ঋষভ পন্থ, আরশদীপ, হর্ষিতের সঙ্গে ছবি দিয়ে শামি লিখেছেন, "আমরা হয়তো এক এক বার এক এক জায়গায় যাই, কিন্তু আমাদের লক্ষ্য একই থাকে। সেটা হল, ভারতকে গর্বিত করা।"



■ **ত্রয়ী:** দুবাইগামী বিমানে আরশদীপ, কুলদীপ এবং শ্রেয়স। ফেসবুক

ভারতের দল দেখে একটা ব্যাপার পরিষ্কার। দল পরিচালন সমিতি স্পিনারদের উপরেই ভরসা রাখছে। দলে রয়েছেন পাঁচ স্পিনার— রবীন্দ্র জাডেজা, অক্ষর পটেল, ওয়াশিংটন সুন্দর, কুলদীপ যাদব এবং সি ভি বরুণ। কিন্তু প্রশ্ন উঠছে, দুবাইয়ের পিচ কি স্পিনারদের সাহায্য করবে? ভারতের প্রাক্তন ব্যাটসম্যান সুরেশ রায়না বলেছেন, "দুবাইয়ের পিচ এই সময় কিন্তু পেসারদের সাহায্য করে। স্পিনাররা খুব একটা সাহায্য পাবে বলে মনে হয় না।" সে রকম যদি হয়, তা হলে সমস্যা হতে পারে ভারতের। কারণ চোট সারিয়ে ফিরে আসা শামি ছাড়া অভিজ্ঞ পেসার কেউ নেই। অলরাউন্ডার হার্দিক পাণ্ড্য বল হাতে কতটা ছাপ রাখতে পারবেন, তা নিয়ে অনেকের মনেই প্রশ্ন আছে।

তবে ভারতের কিংবদন্তি প্রাক্তন অধিনায়ক কপিল দেব জানিয়েছেন, যে নেই, তাঁকে নিয়ে ভেবে কী হবে? বুমরার না থাকা নিয়ে প্রশ্নে কপিলের মন্তব্য, "যে দলে নেই, তাকে নিয়ে এত আলোচনা কেন? ক্রিকেট দলগত খেলা। সবার উপরেই নির্ভর করে থাকে ম্যাচের ফলাফল। এটা তো আর ব্যাডমিন্টন, টেনিস বা গল্‌ফ নয়। চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফি দলগত খেলা।"

মুম্বই থেকে ঘণ্টা তিনেকের যাত্রার পরে দুবাই পৌঁছয় ভারতীয় দল। বিমানবন্দরে ভিড় জমিয়েছিলেন উৎসাহী ভারতীয় সমর্থকেরা। ২০ তারিখ ভারতের প্রথম ম্যাচ বাংলাদেশের সঙ্গে। ২৩ ফেব্রুয়ারি বহু প্রতিক্ষীত ভারত বনাম পাকিস্তানের খেলা। ভারতের গ্রুপে আছে পাকিস্তান, নিউ জ়িল্যান্ড এবং বাংলাদেশ। হাইব্রিড মডেলে হচ্ছে এ বারের চ্যাম্পিয়ন্স ট্রফি।

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HOW WE DID IT

MNC DEFINITION, INCLUSIONS & EXCLUSIONS

The way *Fortune India* has defined multinational corporations (MNCs) is:

• Indian-registered entities, typically classified as subsidiaries or associates of foreign companies, where a foreign promoter holds a majority stake of over 50% or is a significant shareholder. For instance, we have considered British American Tobacco (BAT) which has a significant but not a majority stake in the two companies: ITC and VST.

• The ultimate parent entity is the main entity that would be holding the stakes in the Indian entity directly or through a different entity registered in a different geography. For instance, in the case of Flipkart, Walmart is the ultimate parent entity even as the stake in the Indian operations is held through an entity registered in Singapore.

• The list has also considered joint ventures between foreign and Indian promoters, including a three-way joint venture where there are two foreign entities and one Indian company.

• In cases where there are several entities of a particular MNC, we have clubbed them together under the parent's name and is adequately highlighted in the table. For instance, in the case of Hyundai we have clubbed 4 different entities operating in India under Hyundai Motor Group. Also, in the case of group companies and other JVs, we have considered the entire revenue of a JV and not its proportionate share, except in the case of BAT. In case where the parent company/group has more than one operating entity in the country, we have listed the name of parent entity both in the company and ultimate holding/parent company columns.

• The sector classification for a business group or its ultimate holding company is based on the dominant revenue-contributing entity within the group.

EXCLUSIONS

• Only companies whose FY24 and FY23 results were available on multiple databases, including Capitaline, Tofler, and the MCA, were considered. In cases where the latest available financials (FY24) were unavailable, data for FY23 has been considered. As a result, in many cases, the listing would have just one entity of a multinational corporation even though it may have several other entities operating in India. Also, some prominent MNCs may not feature in the list if their revenue for the financial year considered is below the last revenue cut-off (that is the 500th name) in the list.

• We have excluded global captive and capability centres that are primarily engaged in the business of facilitation and back-end support services, including operation, marketing, and sales support services for different geographies of the parent entity.

• We have excluded foreign banks and their associate or fellow subsidiaries, such as broking houses and investment banks, primarily because the banks operate under "controlled conditions," wherein the Reserve Bank of India regulates the number of branches that they can open in a year, unlike in other sectors where MNCs do not have such restrictions on operations or expansion.

• Notable exclusions will also include multinational corporations owned by private equity funds, directly or indirectly. For instance, Tenneco, which has three entities in India, has not been considered as it is owned by the U.S.-based private equity firm, Apollo Global Management.

• Similarly, the list excludes the Indian-owned domestic franchisees of foreign QSR brands such as McDonald's, Burger King, KFC, and the likes.

ADDITIONAL NOTES:

1. On December 30, 2024, Adani En-



terprises (AEL) announced the sale of its 44% stake in Adani Wilmar (AWL) for approximately $2.2 billion.
2. In July 2022, GSK separated its consumer healthcare business to form Haleon, an independent company.
3. In August 2024, Mars Inc. acquired Kellanova for $35.9 billion in cash.
4. In the case of BAT, all financial metrices, except MCap and PE, are based on its combined proportionate holding in ITC and VST Industries.
5. For Lear Corporation, revenue from Hyundai Transys Lear Automotive India Private Ltd (formerly Dymos Lear Automotive India Private Ltd) has not been included, as Hyundai Transys held a 35% stake and Hyundai Motor held 65%.
6. For TotalEnergies, revenue from Adani Green Energy Ltd (AGEL) is excluded, as TotalEnergies holds a 19.75% stake, with the remaining shares held by the Adani Group and Adani Family.
7. Somic ZF Components is a 50:50 joint venture between Somic Japan and ZF Group. The 50% value is considered for both groups.
8. Sandvik AB was the parent company of Alleima AB until Alleima was spun off as an independent firm in 2022.
9. The Vitesco Technologies Group became part of the Schaeffler Group on October 1, 2024, following the merger of Vitesco Technologies Group AG into Schaeffler AG.

FINANCIAL METRICS

Total Income (Revenue) includes core operating income (net sales) plus other extraordinary income. Total income considered for non-bank financial companies (NBFCs) is the interest income and other income. For asset management companies, total income refers to revenue from operations (asset management fees, etc) and other income, for insurance companies, total income includes net premium earned, income from investments & other income.
Profit After Tax is arrived at after deducting direct taxes, net of minority interest, but before dividends. These include extraordinary income and one-time gains from investments or disposal of assets, among other things.
Cash & Bank Balance As reported by companies in their annual reports.
Total Assets As reported by companies at the end of the financial year. Calculated on a net basis, total assets include fixed as well as current assets minus non-current liabilities such as deferred tax liability.
RoNW & RoCE is calculated through the following formula: Adjusted net profit – preference dividend)/(equity paid up + reserves) x 100. ROCE (return on capital employed) is calculated through the following formula: (Adjusted net profit + tax + interest) / (share capital + reserve + total debt-miscellaneous exp. not written off) x 100.
MCap & PE: Market capitalisation is as of January 14, 2025. It is not applicable for unlisted companies, and companies with irregular trading sessions.

In case of group companies, only the MCap and PE of its prominently listed company has been considered, even if there are two or more listed entities within the group. For e.g., in case of Suzuki Motor Corp., Maruti Suzuki MCap is considered, but in the case of BAT, the MCap of ITC is considered and not that of VST.

For group companies, we have not computed the RoNW and RoCE, but total income, net income, PBIDT, profit/loss, cash and bank balances, total assets, share capital, and networth, representing the cumulative numbers of their respective group companies.

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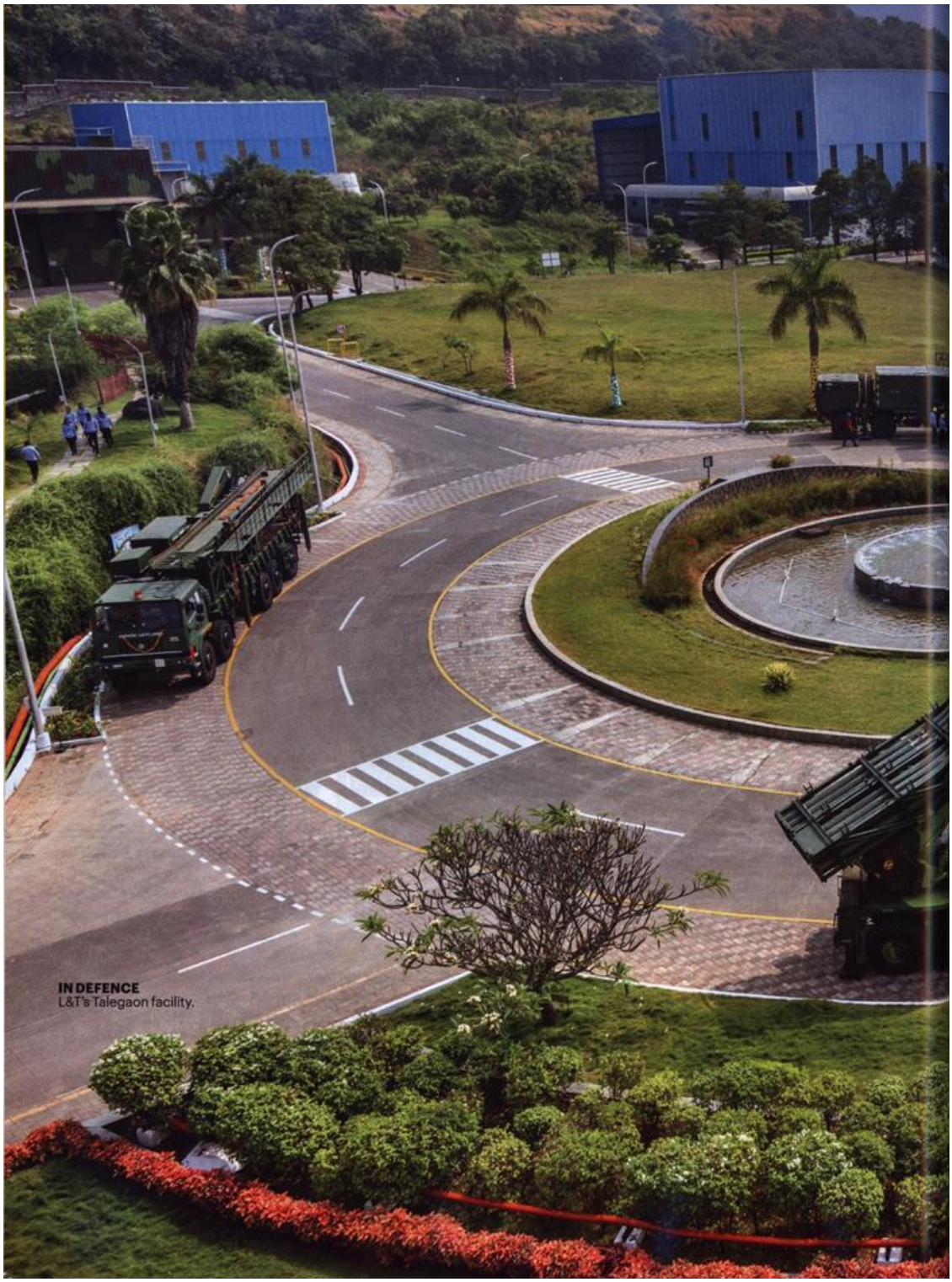
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The Battle of Orders

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IN DEFENCE
L&T's Talegaon facility.



SOME MAJOR CONTRACTS

HINDUSTAN AERONAUTICS LTD. (HAL)

Sep-24	26,000	240 AL-31FP Aero Engines for Su-30MKI aircraft
Dec-24	13,500	12 Su-30MKI aircraft and associated sytems
Mar-24	8,073	34 advanced light helicopters (ALH) Dhruv Mk III for Indian Army (25 ALHs) and Indian Coast Guard (09 ALHs).
Mar-24	5,250	RD-33 Aero Engines for MiG-29 aircraft
Mar-24	2,890	Mid Life Upgrade of 25 Dornier aircraft of Indian Navy

LARSEN & TOUBRO LTD.

Mar-24	7,669	Close-in weapon system
Mar-24	5,700	High-power radar
Dec-24	7,629	155 mm/52 calibre K9 VAJRA-T self-propelled tracked artillery guns

BRAHMOS AEROSPACE PVT. LTD.

Mar-24	20,506	BrahMos missiles Ship-borne BrahMos missiles systems

BHARAT ELECTRONICS LTD.

Feb-24	2,270	11 Shakti Electronic Warfare Systems for Indian Navy

ADVANCED WEAPON AND EQUIPMENT INDIA LTD.

Feb-24	1,752	463 indigenously manufactured 12.7 mm stabilised remote control guns for the Indian Navy & Indian Coast Guard

(All figures in ₹ crore)

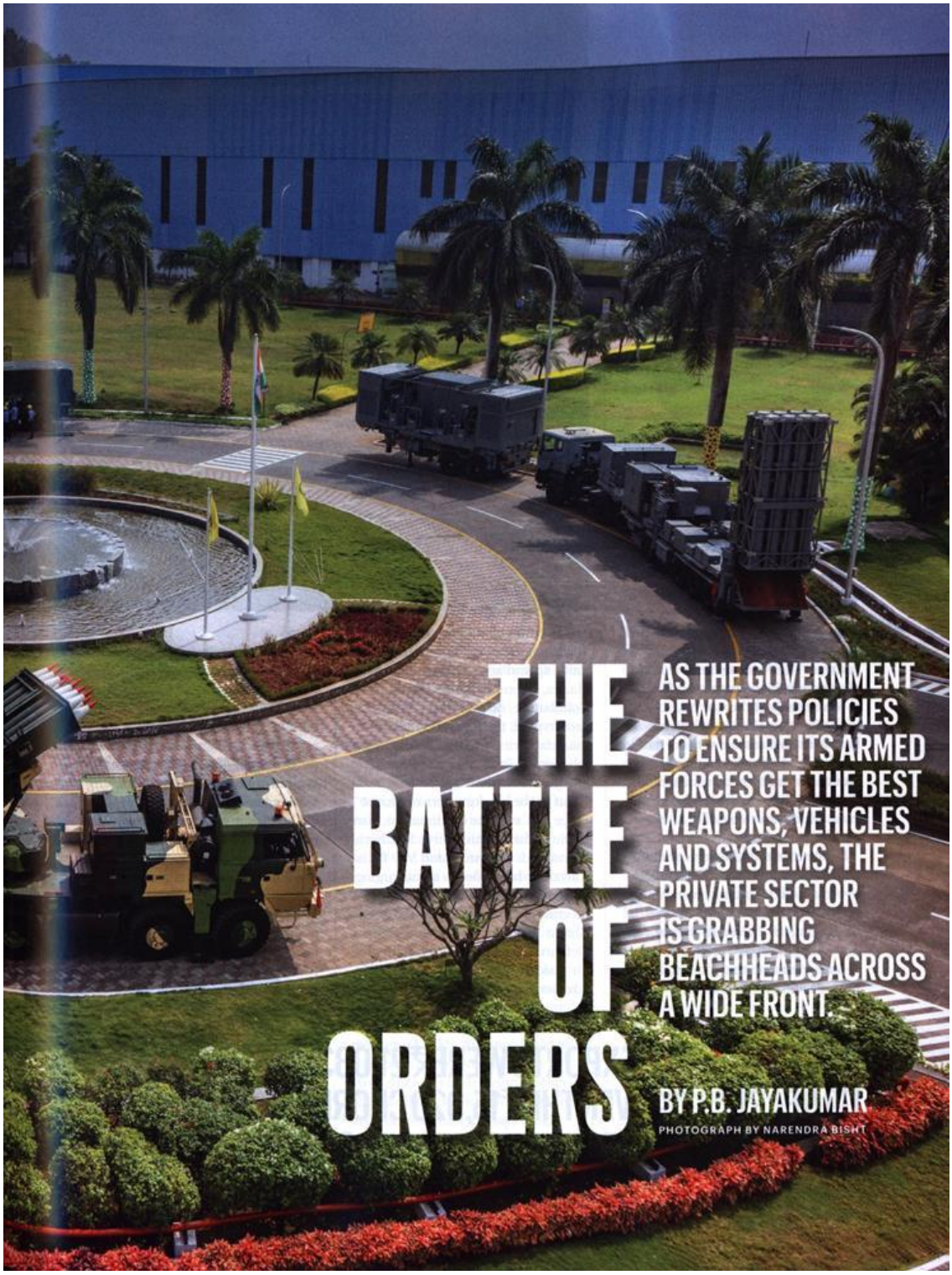
"We are now one of the largest global players in land training simulators, competing with the world's best."

Ashok Atluri, CMD, Zen Tech

from ₹186 crore the previous year. IdeaForge, which also makes UAVs for mine planning, land surveys and oil and gas exploration, got 75% of its revenues from defence supplies during the year. It makes Switch UAVs that can take off and land vertically, as well as the DRDO-developed Netra drones. Garuda Aerospace makes drones for agriculture and is getting into defence drones.

Then, there are start-ups in AI, cyber defence, robotics, and advanced manufacturing for military applications. Tonbo Imaging makes night vision, thermal imaging, and electro-optical systems. BigBang Boom Solutions offers hybrid personal combat armour and anti-drone defence systems. It has brought down heads-up displays from fighter jets to battle tanks, giving crews a 360-degree view without having to poke their head out of the turret or get a restricted picture from one slot.

Will all this translate into better-equipped armed forces and power the economy's growth with export earnings? Only if things happen fast and troops don't have to wait years to get a rifle that doesn't jam in Siachen, the Air Force gets more fighter jets, and the Navy gets more ships.


THE BATTLE OF ORDERS
AS THE GOVERNMENT REWRITES POLICIES TO ENSURE ITS ARMED FORCES GET THE BEST WEAPONS, VEHICLES AND SYSTEMS, THE PRIVATE SECTOR IS GRABBING BEACHHEADS ACROSS A WIDE FRONT.
BY P.B. JAYAKUMAR
PHOTOGRAPH BY NARENDRA BISHT



It's business as usual on the misty November morning at L&T Precision Engineering & System's factory at Talegaon near Mumbai. Senior army officers have come to the Strategic Systems Complex to check out work-in-progress on various shop floors, and some soldiers are training on the new weapons systems. The *Fortune India* team is allowed inside the restricted facility to look closely at the war machines in the making. Company officials have arranged some multi-barrel artillery guns, truck-mounted rocket launchers and torpedo canisters for the photo shoot in the large courtyard, which now looks like an army parade ground.

In one corner of the open grounds, a battle tank brought in from a nearby Army unit is fording an artificial river on a quickly assembled steel bridge built by Larsen & Toubro, one of India's largest private-sector defence manufacturers in terms of revenue and product basket.

The engineering major's defence units, spread across Talegaon, Hazira, Chennai, Bengaluru and Coimbatore, do everything from prototyping, testing, validation to manufacturing of serial production jobs for the Indian Armed Forces and global customers.

Cut to the headquarters of Bharat Forge Ltd. in Pune Cantonment, also home to the Indian Army's Southern Command. Chairman and MD Baba Kalyani, who made his name forging automobile parts, emerges from a meeting with visiting army brass. Bharat Forge and the Ministry of Defence are hammering out a deal for making the 155mm/52 calibre advanced towed artillery gun system (ATAGS), a howitzer mainly developed from scratch by the DRDO's Armament Research & Development Establishment and other DRDO labs, in a project started in 2013 to replace old artillery guns. Now the development of ATAGS is seen as a symbol of India's prowess in making world-class howitzers.

The 19-tonne gun, mobile on three pairs of wheels, can fire up to 48 kilometres, compared with same-class overseas artillery guns' standard range of about 40 kilometres.

It has a sustained firing capability of 60 rounds in 60 minutes, even bursting five rounds in just one minute. Bharat Forge has waited 14 years for this moment: going from

INDIA'S DEFENCE EXPORTS WERE ₹21,083 CRORE IN FY24, UP NEARLY 32% OVER THE ₹15,920 CRORE REPORTED IN FY23. OF THIS, THE PRIVATE SECTOR ACCOUNTED FOR 60%.



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making parts to the whole shebang.

"We exhibited our first artillery gun at the first Defence Expo (in 2012), and officers came, looked at it, and walked away. Nobody took us seriously ... People didn't believe that some Indian company sitting in Pune making automotive components could make an artillery gun," Baba Kalyani, reminisces about the struggle to get into the armaments business. Born and brought up in an army area, forging military equipment was a natural business extension for Baba Kalyani, who made Bharat Forge the world's largest forging company. Its defence sector subsidiary Kalyani Strategic Systems Ltd. (KSSL) is already a leading global artillery gun maker, in about ten different platforms. "Whatever we make is meant for global markets," says Kalyani.

By March, the army may place a ₹6,000-7,000-crore order for 307 units of the ATAGS. In Mumbai, Sukaran Singh, CEO and MD of Tata Advanced Systems Ltd., whose businesses range from assembling military transport aircraft to making helicopter parts and specialised trucks spread across many units in India, is also eyeing the ATAGS contract. Bharat Forge and TASL were the final qualified development and manufacturing partners in this Make in India project.

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Baba Kalyani, CMD, Bharat Forge

TASL, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Tata Sons, is building the first assembly line in India for a large military transport aircraft, the Airbus C295. The aircraft, which can carry 70 troops or a payload of 9,250kg, will be assembled in Vadodara, Gujarat. It will replace the Avro 748, which the Indian Air Force began using over six decades ago. Airbus Defence & Space, a unit of Airbus, chose TASL as its Indian partner, and the first 'Made in India' C-295 will roll out in September 2026.

"Building advanced platforms in aerospace and defence is critical for India's self-reliance in defence, and for projecting strategically in global markets. At Tata Advanced Systems, this focus drives everything we do, strengthened via strategic partnerships and tie-ups with leading OEMs and the government," says Singh.

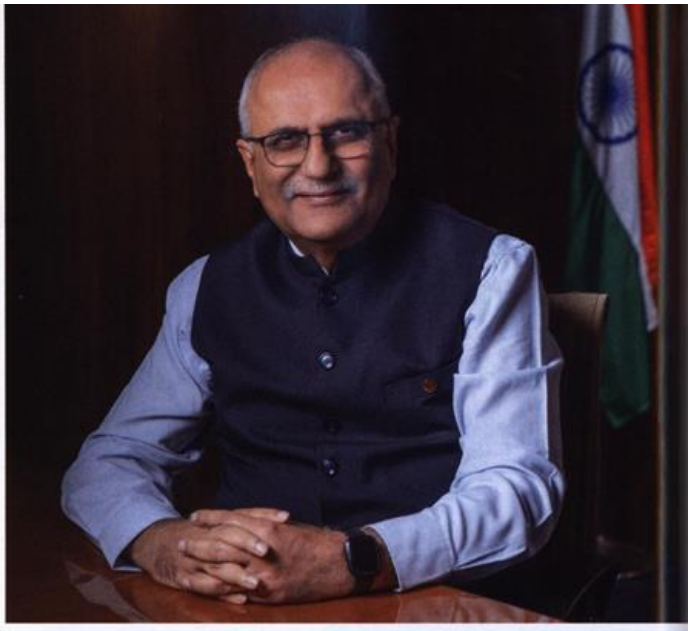
In Hyderabad, Ashok Atluri, CMD, Zen Technologies, is also excited about the new world. Zen, which makes anti-drone systems and simulators that train soldiers to fire guns and missiles, lob grenades, and fly UAVs or unmanned aerial vehicles, has been waiting for the big numbers since its incorporation in 1993. Zen reported revenues of ₹444 crore in FY24, against ₹168 crore in FY23 and is aiming for ₹900 crore in FY25. "We are now one of the largest global players in land training simulators and have exported to 13 countries, competing with the world's best," says Atluri.

What lit the fuse?

The government's 'Make in India' (2014) and 'Aatmanirbhar Bharat' (2020) initiatives set off the explosion of business opportunities in the defence sector, which stands to feast on orders adding up to $138 billion over the decade from FY24, according to a report by Nomura Securities. Defence aerospace orders will account for $50 billion, Navy ships $38 billion, and missiles and artillery $21 billion.

Defence industry veterans such as TASL, L&T, Bharat Forge, Mahindra Defence, Godrej, MKU and Solar Industries, and newcomers such as Adani Defence & Aerospace, JSW Defence, Jindal Defence, IdeaForge have drawn up battle plans to win the business.

But how will India's armed forces gain? And how will defence exports power the economy? According to the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute, a leading conflict think-tank, India was the fourth-largest military spender in the world in 2023: it spent $83.6 billion, up 4.2% over 2022. India was also the



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largest arms importer in 2023, with 36% coming from Russia (against over 50% a decade ago), followed by the U.S. and France, which together accounted for 46%.

The import numbers could shrink, following more local manufacture. India's domestic defence production peaked at ₹1,26,887 crore in FY24, up nearly 17% from ₹1,08,684 crore in FY23. Defence public-sector units (DPSUs) and other government units accounted for 79% of this. (The DPSUs are the new avatar of the 41 factories of the government's Ordnance Factory Board, reorganised into seven companies in 2021.) The private sector's share was 21%, or ₹26,506 crore, compared with ₹16,500 crore five years ago.

India's defence exports were ₹21,083 crore in FY24, up nearly 32% over the ₹15,920 crore reported in FY23. Of this, the private sector accounted for 60%. The Ministry of Defence (MoD) says exports of defence equipment have grown 31 times in the last 10 years, from ₹4,312 crore in the decade before 2014 to ₹88,319 crore in the decade following FY15. The transformation has been powered by policy changes that have simplified procedures, encouraged local production and roped in the private sector with 'self-sufficiency' as the motto.

Kalyani lauds the fast-tracking of policy changes by Prime Minister Narendra Modi and his first defence minister, Manohar Parrikar, an IIT engineer by training who held the portfolio from 2014-2017. "An engineer who could understand every nut and bolt that goes into a defence product, he was clear that the policy needed changes," says Kalyani, who has an MS from MIT and a BE in mechanical engineering from BITS Pilani. Parrikar was Goa's chief minister when he died in March 2019.

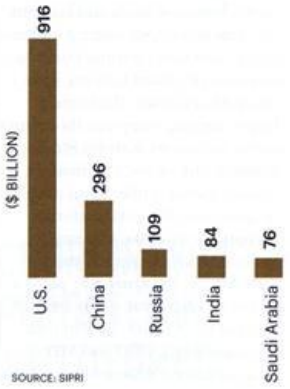
In 2020, four months after announcing the Aatmanirbhar Bharat Project amid Covid-19, the government announced a Defence Acquisition Procedure, which gave final shape to the changes being effected to the Defence Procurement Procedure of 2002. The new policy simplified rules to encourage more private participation and turn India into a manufacturing hub for defence equipment.

It's the timeline!

Besides making foreign direct investment (FDI) easier, the new policy focuses on timelines ('positive indigenisation lists' or PILs in MoD jargon') for making import replacement items. Import dependent in the past, India lacks technology in many areas of defence products, mainly engines and key critical parts. It will take time for the DPSUs and the private sector to develop those capabilities. The indigenisation lists

ARMS AND THE GLOBE

LARGEST DEFENCE SPENDERS



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with clear timelines till 2032 for every system, sub-systems and parts will help them prepare and master those technologies.

By July 2024, the defence ministry had notified timelines for 346 items that, if made in India, would save ₹1,048 crore on imports. Earlier, the Department of Defence Production, which controls the new-look OFB units and the other defence PSUs, had laid out timelines for 4,666 items to be made by DPSUs. Of these, 2,972 items have made the grade, saving ₹3,400 crore on import costs. The Department of Military Affairs, which the Chief of Defence Staff heads, had notified 509 items, including complex systems, sensors, weapons, and ammunition.

So far, the industry has been offered over 36,000 items for indigenisation and has succeeded with over 12,300. The DPSUs have placed orders worth ₹7,572 crore with domestic vendors. The Union Budget for FY25 allotted ₹1.72 lakh crore for defence capital procurement, 20.33% higher than the actual expenditure of FY23. Of this, 75% is from domestic sources.

The defence ministry has declared 2025 as the 'Year of Reforms' and promised to simplify procurement, speed up things and focus on emerging technologies. The aim: ₹3 lakh crore in defence production and ₹50,000 crore in defence exports by 2029. The FY25 target for defence production is ₹1,60,000 crore and exports ₹30,000 crore. Experts say the industry will take 3-5 years to realise big orders and revenues.

"It is a rigorous process and involves extensive testing to ensure quality and technological capabilities are of global standards," says Arvind Sharma, partner, general corporate practice, Shardul AmarchandMangaldas & Co.

The Defence Acquisition Council, empowered to identify long-term capital acquisitions, and the Defence Procurement Board, which implements these, have given the 'Acceptance of Necessity' stamp for 40 capital acquisition proposals worth ₹4,22,130 crore, with 94% or ₹3,97,584 crore to be procured locally. The AoN can be for 'buy' (outright purchase), 'buy and make', or 'make'.

From bit roles to hero

The private sector has become a stronger player in the ecosystem of the seven defence PSUs spawned by the 2021 recast of the OFB's factories (the first set up in 1801). The Centre steered the creation of defence industrial corridors in Uttar Pradesh and Tamil Nadu.

The U.P. corridor has nodes at Lucknow, Kanpur, Jhansi, Aligarh, Chitrakoot and Agra. Kanpur has three defence PSUs: Advanced Weapons & Equipment India (which has eight factories across India making guns and parts), Gliders India (the new avatar of an OFB factory that used to make parachutes) and Troop Comforts Ltd (which makes clothes, tents and supplies).

Keeping them company is Adani's missile and ammunition factory and new projects such as Modern Material & Sciences, which will make advanced clothing, Anant Technologies (satellites) and Netra Global (ammunition).

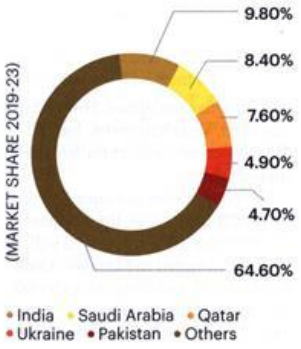
The UP corridor has attracted over 150 projects with a committed investment of ₹28,411 crore.

The TN corridor, which includes Chennai, Salem, Hosur, Coimbatore and Tiruchirappalli, has investment commitments of ₹21,825 crore. Projects include ₹2,305-crore modernisation of DPSU factories.

Reach for the sky

The Airbus C-295 assembly line could be the launchpad for the next stage. According to the deal, 40 units will be manufactured and assembled in partnership with TASL at Vadodara FAL, while 16 will be delivered to the IAF in 'fly-away' condition from Airbus' final assembly line in Seville, Spain. The Tata Boeing Aerospace joint venture, which has already supplied 250 plus main body parts for Boeing's AH-64 Apache helicopters, is planning to have an FAL in India with Airbus

MAJOR ARMS IMPORTERS



for H125 helicopters. TASL also has separate deals with Air India and U.S. major Lockheed Martin to pursue military aircraft programmes and MROs in India.

Public sector Hindustan Aeronautics Ltd. (HAL), which makes fighter aircraft such as Tejas and Sukhoi and helicopters such as Cheetah, Chetak, and Cheetal, is already sitting on an orderbook of over ₹90,000 crore as of March 31, 2024. It recorded its highest-ever revenue of ₹29,810 crore in the last financial year. Some of the major orders are 70 trainer aircraft worth ₹6,828 crore and another order for six Dornier-228 aircraft for the IAF and two for the Coast Guard. In November 2024, the DAC notified an AoN worth ₹2.20 lakh crore covering the LCHs and HAL's light combat aircraft Tejas Mk1A, upgrading the Sukhoi-30 MKI aircraft, and a September order to make 240 new engines for the Su-30MKI, worth ₹26,000 crore.

The defence forces want to phase out old light utility and combat helicopters. In 2015, India signed up with Russia to get 200 Kamov-226T twin-engine light utility helicopters (LUHs)—some to be imported and the rest made by HAL. But the deal has not progressed much.

In February 2023, HAL inaugurated India's largest helicopter manufacturing facility spread over 615 acres at Tumakuru in Karnataka to produce indigenously designed and developed LUHs, LCHs and Indian Multi-Role Helicopters (IMRHs). HAL plans to produce more than 1,000 helicopters in the the 3-15 tonnes range, eyeing ₹4 lakh crore business over 20 years.

HAL, which is trying to develop its engines for some of them, has engine supply agreements with France's Safran S.A. for helicopters and General Electric of USA for the Tejas fighters. The IAF immediately requires 100-plus 4.5 to 5th generation fighter jets to replace the Mirage 2000s and the old Soviet-built MiG jets, say sources.

India and the U.S. recently concluded a $3.5 billion deal to procure 31 Reaper drones ('MQ-9B-armed High-Altitude Long Endurance Remotely Piloted Aircraft Systems' in drone jargon). The Reaper can fly at 40,000 feet and stay airborne for 40 hours. Manufacturer General Atomics will build an MRO facility in India as an offset obligation.

New ships and submarines

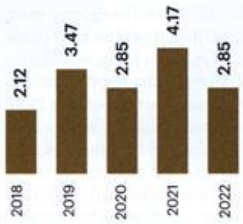
January 15 became a red-letter day for the Indian Navy: it commissioned two ships and a submarine. They were the Nilgiri, the lead ship of the Project 17A stealth frigate class; Surat, the fourth and final ship of the Project 15B stealth destroyer class; and Vaghsheer, the sixth and final submarine of the Scorpene project. The Navy and Coast Guard are modernising. In the last ten years, 33 ships and 7 submarines were inducted by the Navy and another 60 vessels worth ₹1.50 lakh crore are in the making, Modi said in Mumbai, while launching the new vessels.

In 2023, the MoD placed a ₹19,600-crore order with Goa Shipyard and Garden Reach Shipbuilders & Engineers, Kolkata, to make 11 offshore patrol vessels. Cochin Shipyard is working on a ₹9,805-crore order to make six missile vessels

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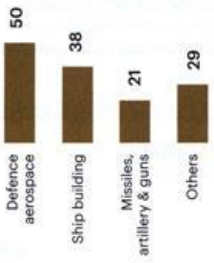
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Defence Opportunity

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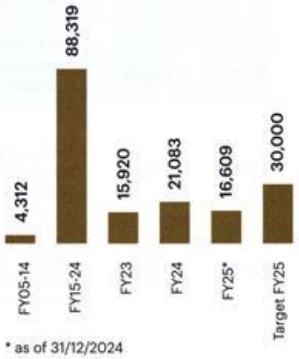
The biggest contract ahead is worth ₹70,000 crore, for six diesel-electric submarines. The deal will likely be awarded to Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders and its partner Germany's ThyssenKrupp Marine Systems. The bid of another shortlisted can-

Defence Production
(₹ crore)

YEAR	DPSU	PRIVATE
2019-20	63,117	15,894
2020-21	67,375	17,268
2021-22	74,925	19,920
2022-23	87,601	21,083
2023-24	1,00,381	26,506
2024-25*	55,946	

* As of 30/09/24

Defence Exports
(₹ crore)



* as of 31/12/2024

didate—L&T with Spain's Navantia—was found to be non-compliant by the defence ministry. L&T is also making three cadet training ships and two multi-purpose vessels at its greenfield shipyard at Kattupalli near Chennai.

Arms, missiles & ammunition

The army wants about 1,750 'Future Infantry Combat Vehicles' to replace its Soviet-era BMPs, tracked vehicles like light tanks used by the mechanised infantry. The front runners for this deal include L&T, TASL, Mahindra and Bharat Forge. Until then, Armoured Vehicles Nigam Ltd, born out of the OFB's restructuring, will upgrade some BMP2s.

Guns and artillery modernisation is a big focus. L&T, which supplied 100 K-9 Vajra T 155 howitzers developed along with South Korea's Hanwha Aerospace in a ₹4,500-crore deal, recently got a repeat order worth ₹7,628 crore. L&T expects a big order for the Zorawar, a light tank designed and developed by the Combat Vehicles Research & Development Establishment, the Chennai-based laboratory of DRDO, with L&T as the industry partner.

The Zorawar has crossed a milestone by accurately firing several rounds at different ranges at an altitude of over 4,200 metres, a difficult feat because of low air pressure, extreme cold, and high wind speeds.

"We have very ambitious targets and will see our precision engineering and related businesses becoming substantial within the next 5 years," says Arun T. Ramchandani, senior vice-president of L&T Precision Engineering & Systems.

The L&T Group, which reported revenues of ₹2,21,113 crore in 2023-24, got ₹4,610 crore from its precision engineering and systems business, a 41% growth year-on-year.

TASL, which is also going to get the ATAGS order, also makes the Pinaka multi-barrel rocket launcher, armoured vehicles and truck-mounted howitzers. BEML (formerly Bharat Earth Movers Ltd.), a PSU, Mahindra and Ashok Leyland, make land-mine-proof troop carriers and light armoured vehicles.

The DRDO has a successful record in building missiles, with its pinnacle being the Agni V intercontinental ballistic missile, which can hit targets 5,000 km away with nuclear warheads. The BrahMos joint venture with Russia has been getting export orders. Other successful modern missile projects are the Pralay (150-500 km range), Astra MK-II air-to-air missile, and vertical launch short-range surface-to-air missiles.

The missile business is now attracting L&T, Godrej Aerospace, TASL, Adani, Bharat Forge and Solar Group.

Soldiers need the best guns. The army is replacing the homemade INSAS family of assault rifles in use since 1988. Advanced Weapons & Equipment India Ltd., the new avatar of former OFB factories making small arms and artillery guns, tied up with Russia's Kalashnikov Concern and its factory in Amethi, U.P., and began making AK-203 assault rifles in January 2023.

Other large private companies in the ₹8,000-crore business of guns are Bharat Forge (which makes assault rifles, sniper rifles, and carbines), SSS Defence (which makes bolt-action sniper and assault rifles), and Adani Defence.

Solar Industries, Bharat Forge, Astra Defence Systems, and Adani have big plans in the ammunition

business, now monopolised by former OFB units at Khadki near Pune, Nalanda and Varangaon, reorganised under Munition India.

Soldiers also need special clothing, night vision goggles, thermal imaging devices, bullet-proof vests and body armour. Among private sector companies in the act or eyeing it are MKU, Tata Advanced Materials (now part of TASL), Anjani Technoplast, Tombo Imaging, Paras Defence and StarWire India.

Electronics, drones & deep-tech

Radars, electronic warfare, avionics, communication systems, and missile guidance systems are other big opportunities. The market: around ₹50,000 crore. Traditional leaders such as BEL and HAL are getting competition from TASL, L&T Defence, MTAR Technologies, Alpha Design Technologies, Data Patterns and Rolta India.

The DAC approval in March 2023 for ₹70,500 crore domestic procurement included BrahMos missiles and Shakti EWS or early warning system, which detects and jams enemy radar at sea.

HAL and BEL are making drones: HAL, the DRDO-developed Rustom and CATS Warrior and Aura series, and BEL, the electronics bit such as anti-drone systems, sensors and communication equipment.

Adani has joined hands with Elbit Systems of Israel to make the Hermes drones, and TASL has brought in Israel Aerospace Industries to make the Heron and Searcher drones.

IdeaForge, the biggest listed company making drones, reported revenues of ₹314 crore in FY24, up

MAJOR DEFENCE PROCUREMENT APPROVALS

2024 (up to November)

Total AoN*: ₹ 4,22,130 crore

Indigenous procurement

₹ 3,97,584 crore (94.19%)

	₹ crore (AoN)	Equipment/Vessels/Arms
Sep-24	1,44,716	Future-ready combat vehicles, air defence fire control radars, Dornier-228 aircraft, next generation fast patrol & offshore patrol vessels.
Feb-24	84,560	Anti-tank mines, air defence tactical control radar, Heavy Weight Torpedoes, Medium Range Maritime Reconnaissance & Multi-Mission Maritime Aircraft, Flight Refueller Aircraft & Software Defined Radios.
Jul-24	NA	Advanced land navigation system for armoured fighting Vehicles of the Indian Army, 22 interceptor boats for Indian Coast Guard.
Dec-24	21,772 (5 projects)	Water jet fast attack crafts, fast interceptor craft, electronic warfare suite, next generation radar warning receiver, advanced light helicopters for surveillance in coastal areas.

* Acceptance of necessity

PROGRESS CARD: DEFENCE'S MAKE IN INDIA

NO. OF PROJECTS



UTTAR PRADESH DEFENCE CORRIDOR



₹3,767cr
Already invested

TAMIL NADU DEFENCE CORRIDOR



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HOW WE DID IT

MNC DEFINITION, INCLUSIONS & EXCLUSIONS

The way *Fortune India* has defined multinational corporations (MNCs) is:

• Indian-registered entities, typically classified as subsidiaries or associates of foreign companies, where a foreign promoter holds a majority stake of over 50% or is a significant shareholder. For instance, we have considered British American Tobacco (BAT) which has a significant but not a majority stake in the two companies: ITC and VST.

• The ultimate parent entity is the main entity that would be holding the stakes in the Indian entity directly or through a different entity registered in a different geography. For instance, in the case of Flipkart, Walmart is the ultimate parent entity even as the stake in the Indian operations is held through an entity registered in Singapore.

• The list has also considered joint ventures between foreign and Indian promoters, including a three-way joint venture where there are two foreign entities and one Indian company.

• In cases where there are several entities of a particular MNC, we have clubbed them together under the parent's name and is adequately highlighted in the table. For instance, in the case of Hyundai we have clubbed 4 different entities operating in India under Hyundai Motor Group. Also, in the case of group companies and other JVs, we have considered the entire revenue of a JV and not its proportionate share, except in the case of BAT. In case where the parent company/group has more than one operating entity in the country, we have listed the name of parent entity both in the company and ultimate holding/parent company columns.

• The sector classification for a business group or its ultimate holding company is based on the dominant revenue-contributing entity within the group.

EXCLUSIONS

• Only companies whose FY24 and FY23 results were available on multiple databases, including Capitaline, Tofler, and the MCA, were considered. In cases where the latest available financials (FY24) were unavailable, data for FY23 has been considered. As a result, in many cases, the listing would have just one entity of a multinational corporation even though it may have several other entities operating in India. Also, some prominent MNCs may not feature in the list if their revenue for the financial year considered is below the last revenue cut-off (that is the 500th name) in the list.

• We have excluded global captive and capability centres that are primarily engaged in the business of facilitation and back-end support services, including operation, marketing, and sales support services for different geographies of the parent entity.

• We have excluded foreign banks and their associate or fellow subsidiaries, such as broking houses and investment banks, primarily because the banks operate under "controlled conditions," wherein the Reserve Bank of India regulates the number of branches that they can open in a year, unlike in other sectors where MNCs do not have such restrictions on operations or expansion.

• Notable exclusions will also include multinational corporations owned by private equity funds, directly or indirectly. For instance, Tenneco, which has three entities in India, has not been considered as it is owned by the U.S.-based private equity firm, Apollo Global Management.

• Similarly, the list excludes the Indian-owned domestic franchisees of foreign QSR brands such as McDonald's, Burger King, KFC, and the likes.

ADDITIONAL NOTES:

1. On December 30, 2024, Adani En-



terprises (AEL) announced the sale of its 44% stake in Adani Wilmar (AWL) for approximately $2.2 billion.
2. In July 2022, GSK separated its consumer healthcare business to form Haleon, an independent company.
3. In August 2024, Mars Inc. acquired Kellanova for $35.9 billion in cash.
4. In the case of BAT, all financial metrices, except MCap and PE, are based on its combined proportionate holding in ITC and VST Industries.
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6. For TotalEnergies, revenue from Adani Green Energy Ltd (AGEL) is excluded, as TotalEnergies holds a 19.75% stake, with the remaining shares held by the Adani Group and Adani Family.
7. Somic ZF Components is a 50:50 joint venture between Somic Japan and ZF Group. The 50% value is considered for both groups.
8. Sandvik AB was the parent company of Alleima AB until Alleima was spun off as an independent firm in 2022.
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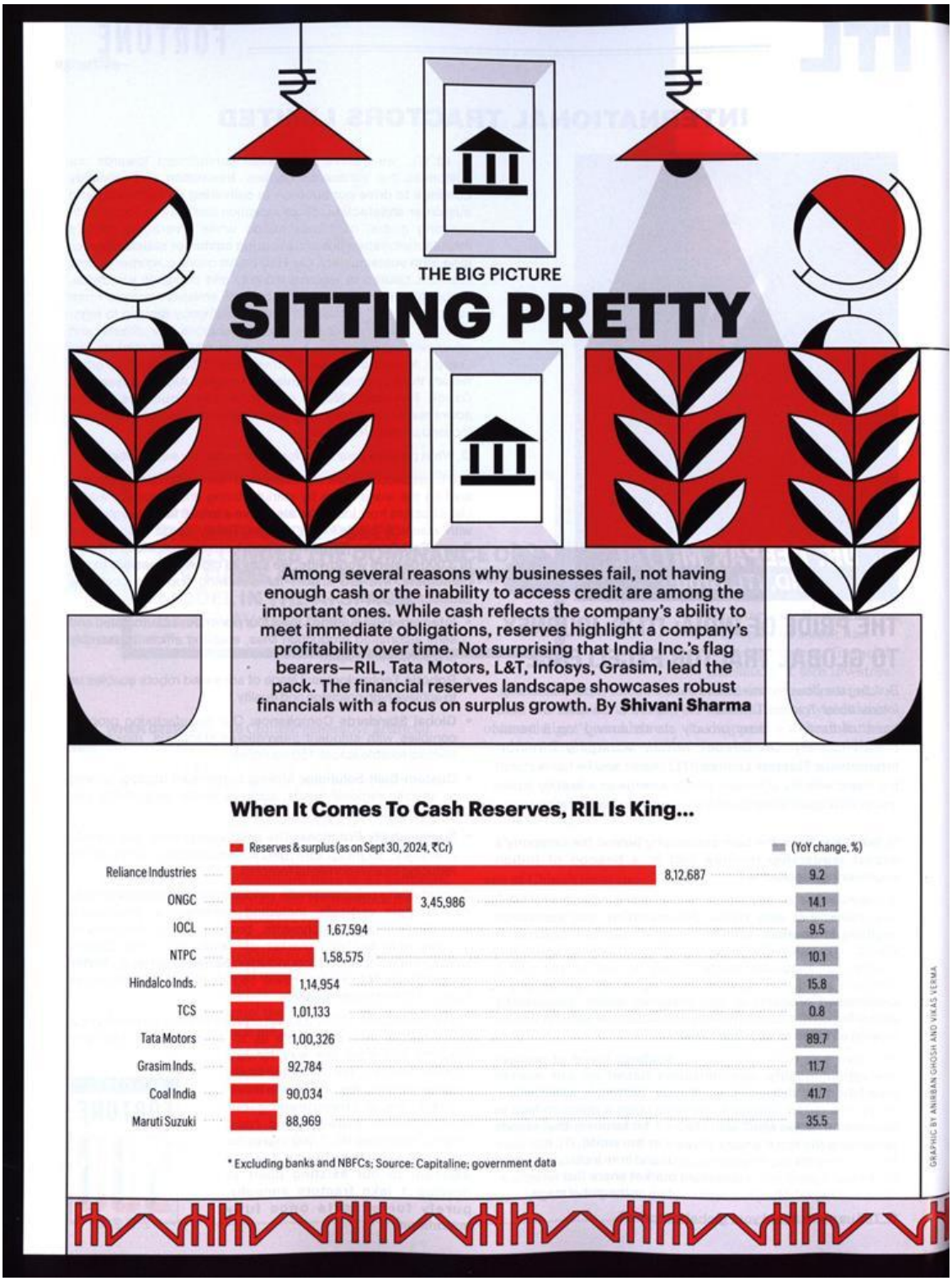
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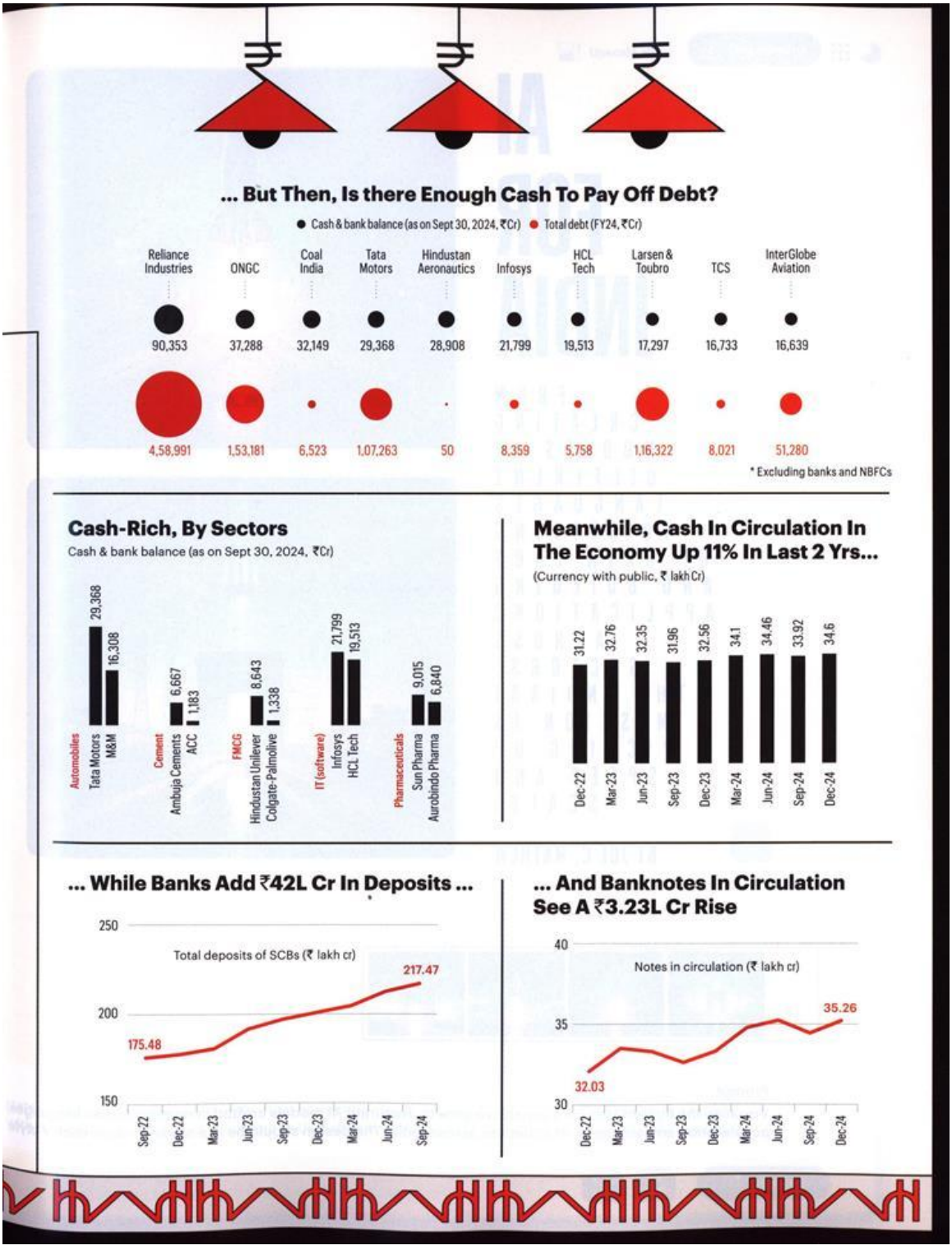
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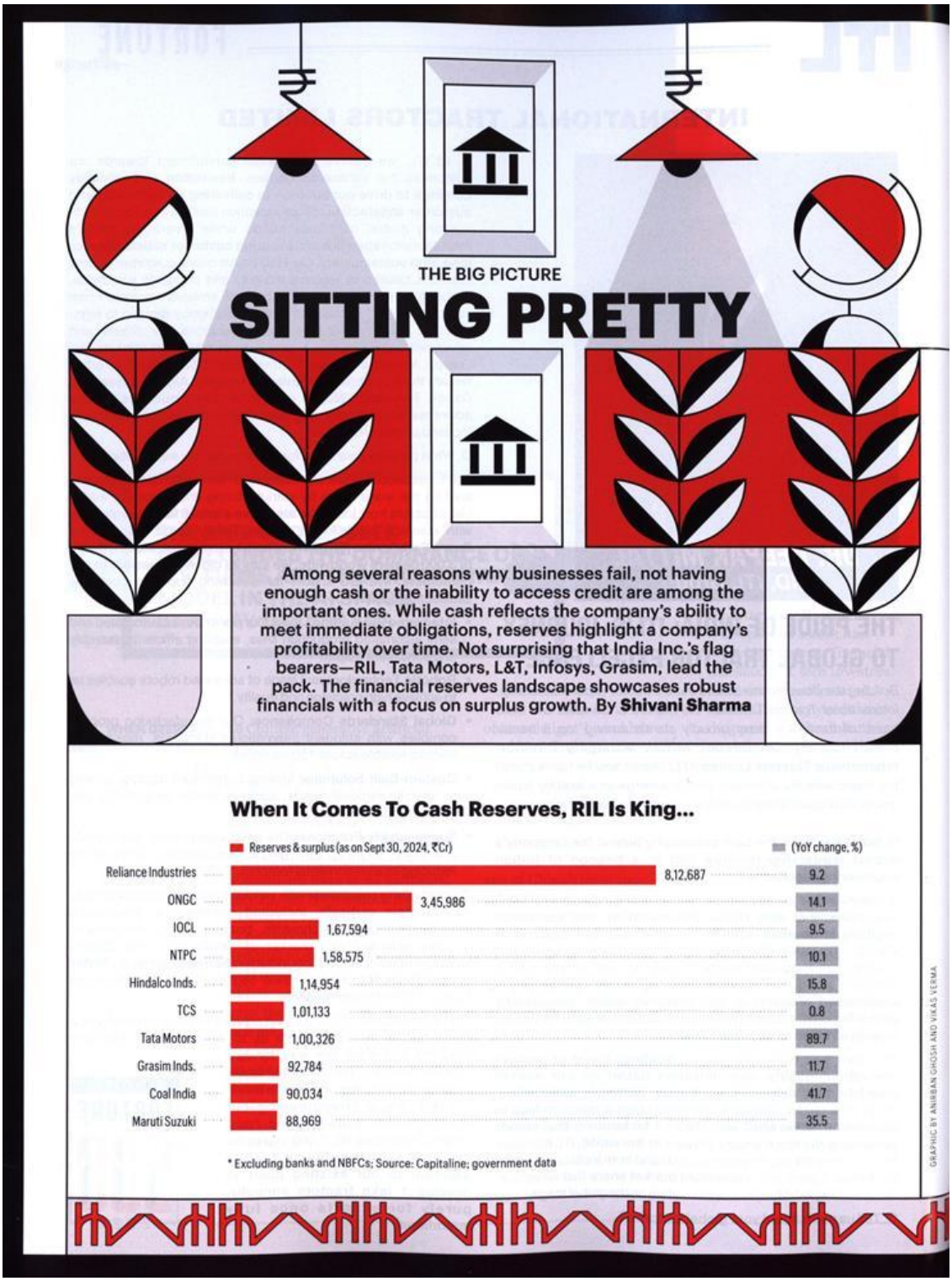


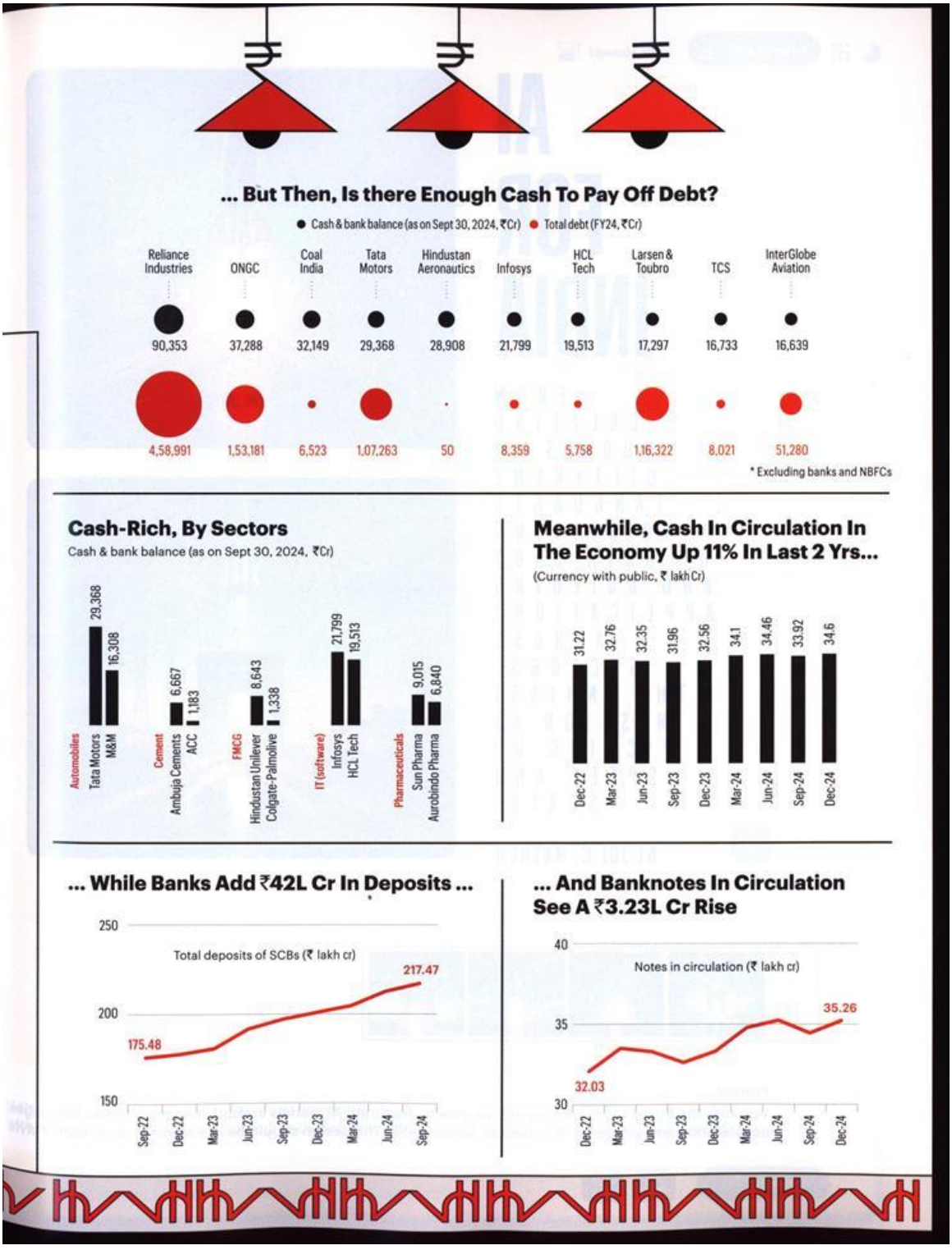

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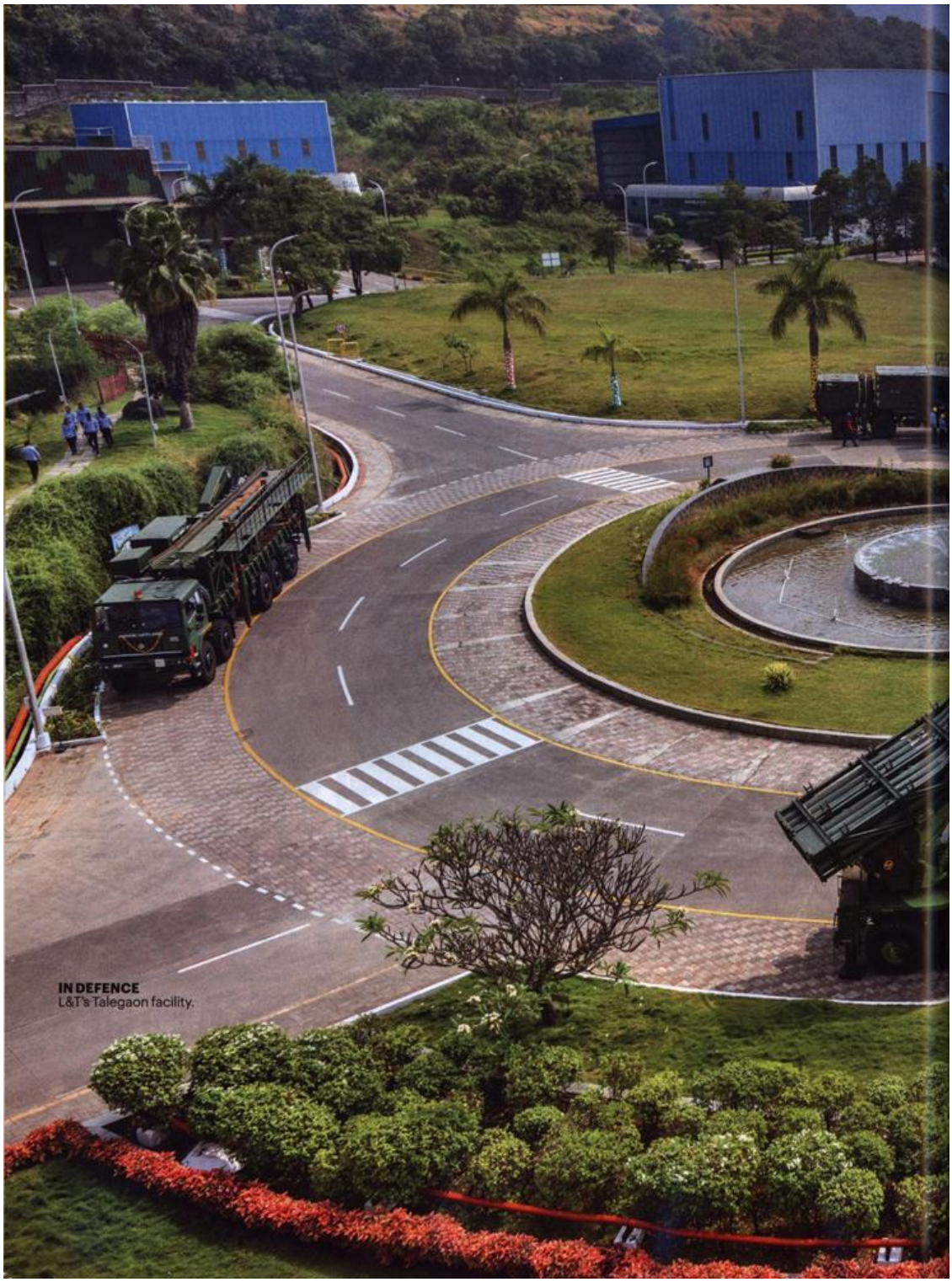



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IN DEFENCE
L&T's Talegaon facility.



SOME MAJOR CONTRACTS

HINDUSTAN AERONAUTICS LTD. (HAL)

Sep-24	26,000	240 AL-31FP Aero Engines for Su-30MKI aircraft
Dec-24	13,500	12 Su-30MKI aircraft and associated sytems
Mar-24	8,073	34 advanced light helicopters (ALH) Dhruv Mk III for Indian Army (25 ALHs) and Indian Coast Guard (09 ALHs).
Mar-24	5,250	RD-33 Aero Engines for MiG-29 aircraft
Mar-24	2,890	Mid Life Upgrade of 25 Dornier aircraft of Indian Navy

LARSEN & TOUBRO LTD.

Mar-24	7,669	Close-in weapon system
Mar-24	5,700	High-power radar
Dec-24	7,629	155 mm/52 calibre K9 VAJRA-T self-propelled tracked artillery guns

BRAHMOS AEROSPACE PVT. LTD.

Mar-24	20,506	BrahMos missiles Ship-borne BrahMos missiles systems

BHARAT ELECTRONICS LTD.

Feb-24	2,270	11 Shakti Electronic Warfare Systems for Indian Navy

ADVANCED WEAPON AND EQUIPMENT INDIA LTD.

Feb-24	1,752	463 indigenously manufactured 12.7 mm stabilised remote control guns for the Indian Navy & Indian Coast Guard

(All figures in ₹ crore)

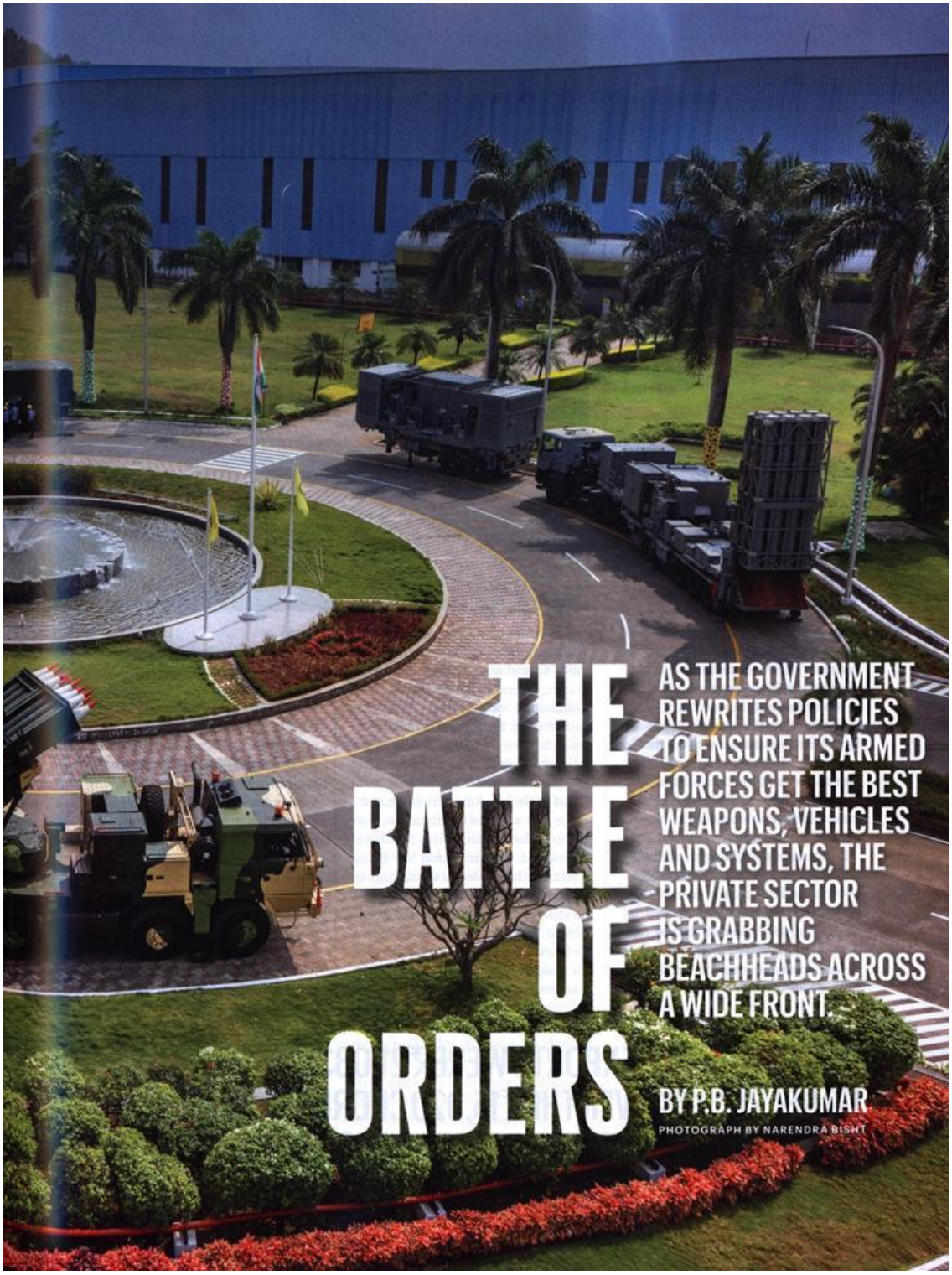
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Ashok Atluri, CMD, Zen Tech

from ₹186 crore the previous year. IdeaForge, which also makes UAVs for mine planning, land surveys and oil and gas exploration, got 75% of its revenues from defence supplies during the year. It makes Switch UAVs that can take off and land vertically, as well as the DRDO-developed Netra drones. Garuda Aerospace makes drones for agriculture and is getting into defence drones.

Then, there are start-ups in AI, cyber defence, robotics, and advanced manufacturing for military applications. Tonbo Imaging makes night vision, thermal imaging, and electro-optical systems. BigBang Boom Solutions offers hybrid personal combat armour and anti-drone defence systems. It has brought down heads-up displays from fighter jets to battle tanks, giving crews a 360-degree view without having to poke their head out of the turret or get a restricted picture from one slot.

Will all this translate into better-equipped armed forces and power the economy's growth with export earnings? Only if things happen fast and troops don't have to wait years to get a rifle that doesn't jam in Siachen, the Air Force gets more fighter jets, and the Navy gets more ships.



THE BATTLE OF ORDERS

AS THE GOVERNMENT REWRITES POLICIES TO ENSURE ITS ARMED FORCES GET THE BEST WEAPONS, VEHICLES AND SYSTEMS, THE PRIVATE SECTOR IS GRABBING BEACHHEADS ACROSS A WIDE FRONT.

BY P.B. JAYAKUMAR

PHOTOGRAPH BY NARENDRA BISHT



It's business as usual on the misty November morning at L&T Precision Engineering & System's factory at Talegaon near Mumbai. Senior army officers have come to the Strategic Systems Complex to check out work-in-progress on various shop floors, and some soldiers are training on the new weapons systems. The *Fortune India* team is allowed inside the restricted facility to look closely at the war machines in the making. Company officials have arranged some multi-barrel artillery guns, truck-mounted rocket launchers and torpedo canisters for the photo shoot in the large courtyard, which now looks like an army parade ground.

In one corner of the open grounds, a battle tank brought in from a nearby Army unit is fording an artificial river on a quickly assembled steel bridge built by Larsen & Toubro, one of India's largest private-sector defence manufacturers in terms of revenue and product basket.

The engineering major's defence units, spread across Talegaon, Hazira, Chennai, Bengaluru and Coimbatore, do everything from prototyping, testing, validation to manufacturing of serial production jobs for the Indian Armed Forces and global customers.

Cut to the headquarters of Bharat Forge Ltd. in Pune Cantonment, also home to the Indian Army's Southern Command. Chairman and MD Baba Kalyani, who made his name forging automobile parts, emerges from a meeting with visiting army brass. Bharat Forge and the Ministry of Defence are hammering out a deal for making the 155mm/52 calibre advanced towed artillery gun system (ATAGS), a howitzer mainly developed from scratch by the DRDO's Armament Research & Development Establishment and other DRDO labs, in a project started in 2013 to replace old artillery guns. Now the development of ATAGS is seen as a symbol of India's prowess in making world-class howitzers.

The 19-tonne gun, mobile on three pairs of wheels, can fire up to 48 kilometres, compared with same-class overseas artillery guns' standard range of about 40 kilometres.

It has a sustained firing capability of 60 rounds in 60 minutes, even bursting five rounds in just one minute. Bharat Forge has waited 14 years for this moment: going from

INDIA'S DEFENCE EXPORTS WERE ₹21,083 CRORE IN FY24, UP NEARLY 32% OVER THE ₹15,920 CRORE REPORTED IN FY23. OF THIS, THE PRIVATE SECTOR ACCOUNTED FOR 60%.



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making parts to the whole shebang.

"We exhibited our first artillery gun at the first Defence Expo (in 2012), and officers came, looked at it, and walked away. Nobody took us seriously ... People didn't believe that some Indian company sitting in Pune making automotive components could make an artillery gun," Baba Kalyani, reminisces about the struggle to get into the armaments business. Born and brought up in an army area, forging military equipment was a natural business extension for Baba Kalyani, who made Bharat Forge the world's largest forging company. Its defence sector subsidiary Kalyani Strategic Systems Ltd. (KSSL) is already a leading global artillery gun maker, in about ten different platforms. "Whatever we make is meant for global markets," says Kalyani.

By March, the army may place a ₹6,000-7,000-crore order for 307 units of the ATAGS. In Mumbai, Sukaran Singh, CEO and MD of Tata Advanced Systems Ltd., whose businesses range from assembling military transport aircraft to making helicopter parts and specialised trucks spread across many units in India, is also eyeing the ATAGS contract. Bharat Forge and TASL were the final qualified development and manufacturing partners in this Make in India project.

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TASL, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Tata Sons, is building the first assembly line in India for a large military transport aircraft, the Airbus C295. The aircraft, which can carry 70 troops or a payload of 9,250kg, will be assembled in Vadodara, Gujarat. It will replace the Avro 748, which the Indian Air Force began using over six decades ago. Airbus Defence & Space, a unit of Airbus, chose TASL as its Indian partner, and the first 'Made in India' C-295 will roll out in September 2026.

"Building advanced platforms in aerospace and defence is critical for India's self-reliance in defence, and for projecting strategically in global markets. At Tata Advanced Systems, this focus drives everything we do, strengthened via strategic partnerships and tie-ups with leading OEMs and the government," says Singh.

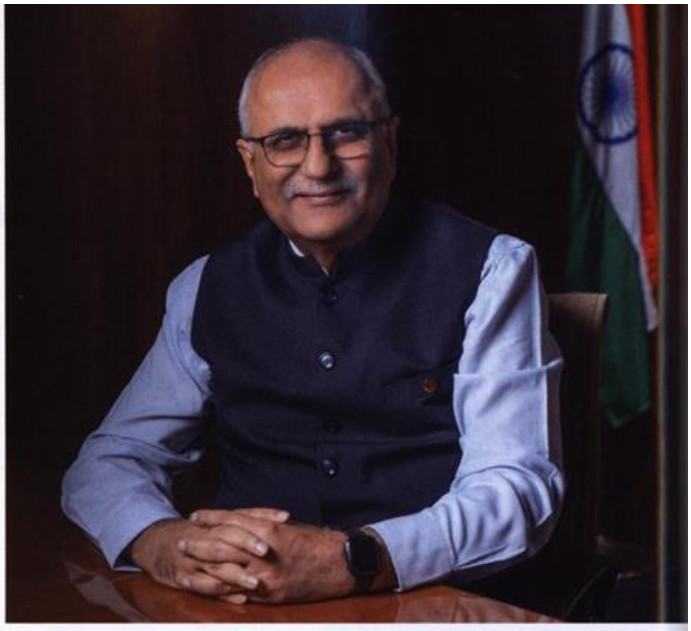
In Hyderabad, Ashok Atluri, CMD, Zen Technologies, is also excited about the new world. Zen, which makes anti-drone systems and simulators that train soldiers to fire guns and missiles, lob grenades, and fly UAVs or unmanned aerial vehicles, has been waiting for the big numbers since its incorporation in 1993. Zen reported revenues of ₹444 crore in FY24, against ₹168 crore in FY23 and is aiming for ₹900 crore in FY25. "We are now one of the largest global players in land training simulators and have exported to 13 countries, competing with the world's best," says Atluri.

What lit the fuse?

The government's 'Make in India' (2014) and 'Aatmanirbhar Bharat' (2020) initiatives set off the explosion of business opportunities in the defence sector, which stands to feast on orders adding up to $138 billion over the decade from FY24, according to a report by Nomura Securities. Defence aerospace orders will account for $50 billion, Navy ships $38 billion, and missiles and artillery $21 billion.

Defence industry veterans such as TASL, L&T, Bharat Forge, Mahindra Defence, Godrej, MKU and Solar Industries, and newcomers such as Adani Defence & Aerospace, JSW Defence, Jindal Defence, IdeaForge have drawn up battle plans to win the business.

But how will India's armed forces gain? And how will defence exports power the economy? According to the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute, a leading conflict think-tank, India was the fourth-largest military spender in the world in 2023: it spent $83.6 billion, up 4.2% over 2022. India was also the



"We'll see precision engineering and related businesses becoming substantial within the next 5 years."

Arun T. Ramchandani, senior vice-president, L&T Precision Engineering & Systems

largest arms importer in 2023, with 36% coming from Russia (against over 50% a decade ago), followed by the U.S. and France, which together accounted for 46%.

The import numbers could shrink, following more local manufacture. India's domestic defence production peaked at ₹1,26,887 crore in FY24, up nearly 17% from ₹1,08,684 crore in FY23. Defence public-sector units (DPSUs) and other government units accounted for 79% of this. (The DPSUs are the new avatar of the 41 factories of the government's Ordnance Factory Board, reorganised into seven companies in 2021.) The private sector's share was 21%, or ₹26,506 crore, compared with ₹16,500 crore five years ago.

India's defence exports were ₹21,083 crore in FY24, up nearly 32% over the ₹15,920 crore reported in FY23. Of this, the private sector accounted for 60%. The Ministry of Defence (MoD) says exports of defence equipment have grown 31 times in the last 10 years, from ₹4,312 crore in the decade before 2014 to ₹88,319 crore in the decade following FY15. The transformation has been powered by policy changes that have simplified procedures, encouraged local production and roped in the private sector with 'self-sufficiency' as the motto.

Kalyani lauds the fast-tracking of policy changes by Prime Minister Narendra Modi and his first defence minister, Manohar Parrikar, an IIT engineer by training who held the portfolio from 2014-2017. "An engineer who could understand every nut and bolt that goes into a defence product, he was clear that the policy needed changes," says Kalyani, who has an MS from MIT and a BE in mechanical engineering from BITS Pilani. Parrikar was Goa's chief minister when he died in March 2019.

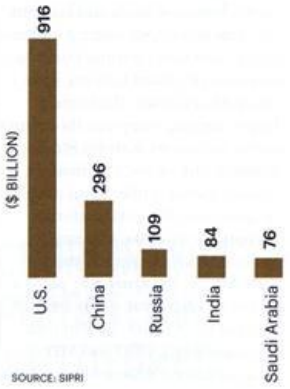
In 2020, four months after announcing the Aatmanirbhar Bharat Project amid Covid-19, the government announced a Defence Acquisition Procedure, which gave final shape to the changes being effected to the Defence Procurement Procedure of 2002. The new policy simplified rules to encourage more private participation and turn India into a manufacturing hub for defence equipment.

It's the timeline!

Besides making foreign direct investment (FDI) easier, the new policy focuses on timelines ('positive indigenisation lists' or PILs in MoD jargon') for making import replacement items. Import dependent in the past, India lacks technology in many areas of defence products, mainly engines and key critical parts. It will take time for the DPSUs and the private sector to develop those capabilities. The indigenisation lists

ARMS AND THE GLOBE

LARGEST DEFENCE SPENDERS



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with clear timelines till 2032 for every system, sub-systems and parts will help them prepare and master those technologies.

By July 2024, the defence ministry had notified timelines for 346 items that, if made in India, would save ₹1,048 crore on imports. Earlier, the Department of Defence Production, which controls the new-look OFB units and the other defence PSUs, had laid out timelines for 4,666 items to be made by DPSUs. Of these, 2,972 items have made the grade, saving ₹3,400 crore on import costs. The Department of Military Affairs, which the Chief of Defence Staff heads, had notified 509 items, including complex systems, sensors, weapons, and ammunition.

So far, the industry has been offered over 36,000 items for indigenisation and has succeeded with over 12,300. The DPSUs have placed orders worth ₹7,572 crore with domestic vendors. The Union Budget for FY25 allotted ₹1.72 lakh crore for defence capital procurement, 20.33% higher than the actual expenditure of FY23. Of this, 75% is from domestic sources.

The defence ministry has declared 2025 as the 'Year of Reforms' and promised to simplify procurement, speed up things and focus on emerging technologies. The aim: ₹3 lakh crore in defence production and ₹50,000 crore in defence exports by 2029. The FY25 target for defence production is ₹1,60,000 crore and exports ₹30,000 crore. Experts say the industry will take 3-5 years to realise big orders and revenues.

"It is a rigorous process and involves extensive testing to ensure quality and technological capabilities are of global standards," says Arvind Sharma, partner, general corporate practice, Shardul AmarchandMangaldas & Co.

The Defence Acquisition Council, empowered to identify long-term capital acquisitions, and the Defence Procurement Board, which implements these, have given the 'Acceptance of Necessity' stamp for 40 capital acquisition proposals worth ₹4,22,130 crore, with 94% or ₹3,97,584 crore to be procured locally. The AoN can be for 'buy' (outright purchase), 'buy and make', or 'make'.

From bit roles to hero

The private sector has become a stronger player in the ecosystem of the seven defence PSUs spawned by the 2021 recast of the OFB's factories (the first set up in 1801). The Centre steered the creation of defence industrial corridors in Uttar Pradesh and Tamil Nadu.

The U.P. corridor has nodes at Lucknow, Kanpur, Jhansi, Aligarh, Chitrakoot and Agra. Kanpur has three defence PSUs: Advanced Weapons & Equipment India (which has eight factories across India making guns and parts), Gliders India (the new avatar of an OFB factory that used to make parachutes) and Troop Comforts Ltd (which makes clothes, tents and supplies).

Keeping them company is Adani's missile and ammunition factory and new projects such as Modern Material & Sciences, which will make advanced clothing, Anant Technologies (satellites) and Netra Global (ammunition).

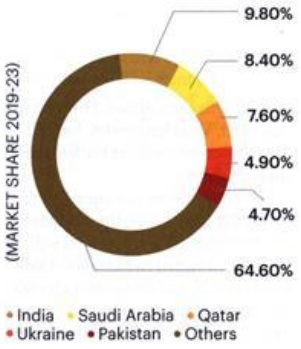
The UP corridor has attracted over 150 projects with a committed investment of ₹28,411 crore.

The TN corridor, which includes Chennai, Salem, Hosur, Coimbatore and Tiruchirappalli, has investment commitments of ₹21,825 crore. Projects include ₹2,305-crore modernisation of DPSU factories.

Reach for the sky

The Airbus C-295 assembly line could be the launchpad for the next stage. According to the deal, 40 units will be manufactured and assembled in partnership with TASL at Vadodara FAL, while 16 will be delivered to the IAF in 'fly-away' condition from Airbus' final assembly line in Seville, Spain. The Tata Boeing Aerospace joint venture, which has already supplied 250 plus main body parts for Boeing's AH-64 Apache helicopters, is planning to have an FAL in India with Airbus

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for H125 helicopters. TASL also has separate deals with Air India and U.S. major Lockheed Martin to pursue military aircraft programmes and MROs in India.

Public sector Hindustan Aeronautics Ltd. (HAL), which makes fighter aircraft such as Tejas and Sukhoi and helicopters such as Cheetah, Chetak, and Cheetal, is already sitting on an orderbook of over ₹90,000 crore as of March 31, 2024. It recorded its highest-ever revenue of ₹29,810 crore in the last financial year. Some of the major orders are 70 trainer aircraft worth ₹6,828 crore and another order for six Dornier-228 aircraft for the IAF and two for the Coast Guard. In November 2024, the DAC notified an AoN worth ₹2.20 lakh crore covering the LCHs and HAL's light combat aircraft Tejas Mk1A, upgrading the Sukhoi-30 MKI aircraft, and a September order to make 240 new engines for the Su-30MKI, worth ₹26,000 crore.

The defence forces want to phase out old light utility and combat helicopters. In 2015, India signed up with Russia to get 200 Kamov-226T twin-engine light utility helicopters (LUHs)—some to be imported and the rest made by HAL. But the deal has not progressed much.

In February 2023, HAL inaugurated India's largest helicopter manufacturing facility spread over 615 acres at Tumakuru in Karnataka to produce indigenously designed and developed LUHs, LCHs and Indian Multi-Role Helicopters (IMRHs). HAL plans to produce more than 1,000 helicopters in the the 3-15 tonnes range, eyeing ₹4 lakh crore business over 20 years.

HAL, which is trying to develop its engines for some of them, has engine supply agreements with France's Safran S.A. for helicopters and General Electric of USA for the Tejas fighters. The IAF immediately requires 100-plus 4.5 to 5th generation fighter jets to replace the Mirage 2000s and the old Soviet-built MiG jets, say sources.

India and the U.S. recently concluded a $3.5 billion deal to procure 31 Reaper drones ('MQ-9B-armed High-Altitude Long Endurance Remotely Piloted Aircraft Systems' in drone jargon). The Reaper can fly at 40,000 feet and stay airborne for 40 hours. Manufacturer General Atomics will build an MRO facility in India as an offset obligation.

New ships and submarines

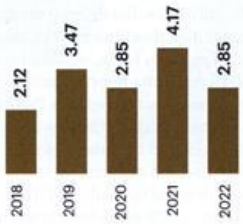
January 15 became a red-letter day for the Indian Navy: it commissioned two ships and a submarine. They were the Nilgiri, the lead ship of the Project 17A stealth frigate class; Surat, the fourth and final ship of the Project 15B stealth destroyer class; and Vaghsheer, the sixth and final submarine of the Scorpene project. The Navy and Coast Guard are modernising. In the last ten years, 33 ships and 7 submarines were inducted by the Navy and another 60 vessels worth ₹1.50 lakh crore are in the making, Modi said in Mumbai, while launching the new vessels.

In 2023, the MoD placed a ₹19,600-crore order with Goa Shipyard and Garden Reach Shipbuilders & Engineers, Kolkata, to make 11 offshore patrol vessels. Cochin Shipyard is working on a ₹9,805-crore order to make six missile vessels

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Arms Imports

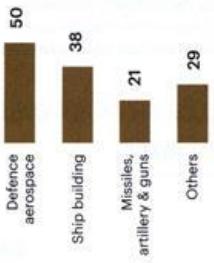
($ billion)



SOURCE : SIPRI

Defence Opportunity

(FY24-32; $ billion)



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with stealth capabilities. Hindustan Shipyard, Visakhapatnam, has a ₹19,000-crore contract for five fleet support ships.

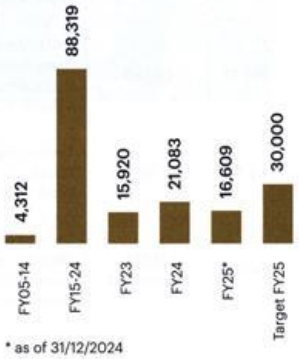
The biggest contract ahead is worth ₹70,000 crore, for six diesel-electric submarines. The deal will likely be awarded to Mazagon Dock Shipbuilders and its partner Germany's ThyssenKrupp Marine Systems. The bid of another shortlisted can-

Defence Production
(₹ crore)

YEAR	DPSU	PRIVATE
2019-20	63,117	15,894
2020-21	67,375	17,268
2021-22	74,925	19,920
2022-23	87,601	21,083
2023-24	1,00,381	26,506
2024-25*	55,946	

* As of 30/09/24

Defence Exports
(₹ crore)



* as of 31/12/2024

didate—L&T with Spain's Navantia—was found to be non-compliant by the defence ministry. L&T is also making three cadet training ships and two multi-purpose vessels at its greenfield shipyard at Kattupalli near Chennai.

Arms, missiles & ammunition

The army wants about 1,750 'Future Infantry Combat Vehicles' to replace its Soviet-era BMPs, tracked vehicles like light tanks used by the mechanised infantry. The front runners for this deal include L&T, TASL, Mahindra and Bharat Forge. Until then, Armoured Vehicles Nigam Ltd, born out of the OFB's restructuring, will upgrade some BMP2s.

Guns and artillery modernisation is a big focus. L&T, which supplied 100 K-9 Vajra T 155 howitzers developed along with South Korea's Hanwha Aerospace in a ₹4,500-crore deal, recently got a repeat order worth ₹7,628 crore. L&T expects a big order for the Zorawar, a light tank designed and developed by the Combat Vehicles Research & Development Establishment, the Chennai-based laboratory of DRDO, with L&T as the industry partner.

The Zorawar has crossed a milestone by accurately firing several rounds at different ranges at an altitude of over 4,200 metres, a difficult feat because of low air pressure, extreme cold, and high wind speeds.

"We have very ambitious targets and will see our precision engineering and related businesses becoming substantial within the next 5 years," says Arun T. Ramchandani, senior vice-president of L&T Precision Engineering & Systems.

The L&T Group, which reported revenues of ₹2,21,113 crore in 2023-24, got ₹4,610 crore from its precision engineering and systems business, a 41% growth year-on-year.

TASL, which is also going to get the ATAGS order, also makes the Pinaka multi-barrel rocket launcher, armoured vehicles and truck-mounted howitzers. BEML (formerly Bharat Earth Movers Ltd.), a PSU, Mahindra and Ashok Leyland, make land-mine-proof troop carriers and light armoured vehicles.

The DRDO has a successful record in building missiles, with its pinnacle being the Agni V intercontinental ballistic missile, which can hit targets 5,000 km away with nuclear warheads. The BrahMos joint venture with Russia has been getting export orders. Other successful modern missile projects are the Pralay (150-500 km range), Astra MK-II air-to-air missile, and vertical launch short-range surface-to-air missiles.

The missile business is now attracting L&T, Godrej Aerospace, TASL, Adani, Bharat Forge and Solar Group.

Soldiers need the best guns. The army is replacing the homemade INSAS family of assault rifles in use since 1988. Advanced Weapons & Equipment India Ltd., the new avatar of former OFB factories making small arms and artillery guns, tied up with Russia's Kalashnikov Concern and its factory in Amethi, U.P., and began making AK-203 assault rifles in January 2023.

Other large private companies in the ₹8,000-crore business of guns are Bharat Forge (which makes assault rifles, sniper rifles, and carbines), SSS Defence (which makes bolt-action sniper and assault rifles), and Adani Defence.

Solar Industries, Bharat Forge, Astra Defence Systems, and Adani have big plans in the ammunition

business, now monopolised by former OFB units at Khadki near Pune, Nalanda and Varangaon, reorganised under Munition India.

Soldiers also need special clothing, night vision goggles, thermal imaging devices, bullet-proof vests and body armour. Among private sector companies in the act or eyeing it are MKU, Tata Advanced Materials (now part of TASL), Anjani Technoplast, Tombo Imaging, Paras Defence and StarWire India.

Electronics, drones & deep-tech

Radars, electronic warfare, avionics, communication systems, and missile guidance systems are other big opportunities. The market: around ₹50,000 crore. Traditional leaders such as BEL and HAL are getting competition from TASL, L&T Defence, MTAR Technologies, Alpha Design Technologies, Data Patterns and Rolta India.

The DAC approval in March 2023 for ₹70,500 crore domestic procurement included BrahMos missiles and Shakti EWS or early warning system, which detects and jams enemy radar at sea.

HAL and BEL are making drones: HAL, the DRDO-developed Rustom and CATS Warrior and Aura series, and BEL, the electronics bit such as anti-drone systems, sensors and communication equipment.

Adani has joined hands with Elbit Systems of Israel to make the Hermes drones, and TASL has brought in Israel Aerospace Industries to make the Heron and Searcher drones.

IdeaForge, the biggest listed company making drones, reported revenues of ₹314 crore in FY24, up

MAJOR DEFENCE PROCUREMENT APPROVALS

2024 (up to November)

Total AoN*: ₹ 4,22,130 crore

Indigenous procurement

₹ 3,97,584 crore (94.19%)

	₹ crore (AoN)	Equipment/Vessels/Arms
Sep-24	1,44,716	Future-ready combat vehicles, air defence fire control radars, Dornier-228 aircraft, next generation fast patrol & offshore patrol vessels.
Feb-24	84,560	Anti-tank mines, air defence tactical control radar, Heavy Weight Torpedoes, Medium Range Maritime Reconnaissance & Multi-Mission Maritime Aircraft, Flight Refueller Aircraft & Software Defined Radios.
Jul-24	NA	Advanced land navigation system for armoured fighting Vehicles of the Indian Army, 22 interceptor boats for Indian Coast Guard.
Dec-24	21,772 (5 projects)	Water jet fast attack crafts, fast interceptor craft, electronic warfare suite, next generation radar warning receiver, advanced light helicopters for surveillance in coastal areas.

* Acceptance of necessity

PROGRESS CARD: DEFENCE'S MAKE IN INDIA

NO. OF PROJECTS



UTTAR PRADESH DEFENCE CORRIDOR



₹3,767cr
Already invested

TAMIL NADU DEFENCE CORRIDOR



₹4,663cr
Already invested

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The Largest Multinationals In India

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as Coca-Cola and PepsiCo mirror a similar narrative of adaptation but with unique challenges due to India's diverse palate and regulatory environment. Marya points out, "It's a financial call. Sometimes pure royalty is a much better business." This statement reflects the companies' initial strategies of licensing and royalties that minimise operational headaches while assessing the market's profitability.

PepsiCo, navigating through its partnership with Varun Beverages, found a successful formula. "Pepsi is happier having a fixed royalty coming to them because that adds to their bottom line globally, versus handling a complex operation of India," Marya observes. Compared to Coca-Cola, this approach allowed PepsiCo to enjoy the gains without the direct strain of managing operations.

In the retail segment, firms such as Skechers illustrate a successful transition from partnership to ownership. Initially entering through a partnership with the Future Group, Skechers took full control, "eventually bought them out and now they're Skechers India," says Marya. This move was spurred by the brand's understanding and the need to capitalise on the growing Indian market for footwear.

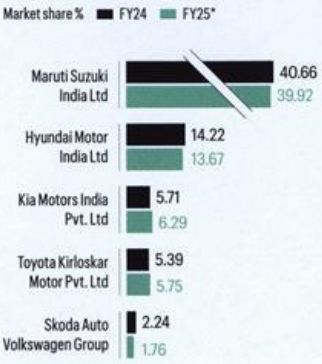
In contrast, other brands have wilted under the harsh sun of competition and regulatory pressures. Marya points to the nuanced understanding required to succeed. "India is very peculiar as a market... Some brands do particularly better than other brands in India," he says. This statement underscores the failures of brands like Muji, which struggled to resonate with Indian consumers' expectations.

Sinha of BCG believes that though India has become a significant market, it remains a hard place to do business. "But there is a great opportunity. Between 2020 and 2030, India will add two Indias to itself. From $2 trillion to $7 trillion, we'll add as much to the global GDP as the whole of EU. The biggest problem is we cannot know how to imagine this. No one can. Because the experience comes in the way," says Sinha.

That's precisely the reason that while some MNCs have chosen to stay put and build heft, others have chosen to exit or smartly cash in on the excess multiples the Street is willing to pay.

In the driver's seat

Foreign automakers have a firm grip on the Indian PV market



* as of Nov 2024
SOURCE: FORTUNE INDIA RESEARCH

Different strokes for different folks

While HUL continues to strengthen its market position, Wilmar, a Singapore-based agro commodities giant, has made its mark in the FMCG space through a joint venture with Adani called Adani Wilmar Ltd (AWL). Though the Adanis are no longer a part of the JV, Kuok Khoon Hong, Chairman and CEO of Wilmar International, wants to still double down on India. "We will be keen to have good strategic partners as we think India will be a very big and important player in the global agri commodities and food businesses," says Kuok. Wilmar's growth strategy includes organic growth and strategic acquisitions, highlighted by acquisitions of the premium basmati rice brand Kohinoor in May 2022, and a 67% stake in specialty chemicals company Omkar Chemicals in August 2024.

Meanwhile, there are MNCs that have exited India either owing to strategic reasons or simply for failing to get it right. The US-based Tyson Foods divested its share in Godrej Tyson Foods to Godrej Agrovet. Similarly, Novartis AG is considering selling its majority stake in the Indian arm amid a strategic review, closely following AstraZeneca's exit owing to a global restructuring. Companies such as Pfizer, Sanofi, and GSK, too, have scaled down or exited, either owing to internal challenges or strategic realignments. In contrast, Holcim sold its stakes in ACC and Ambuja Cement to the Adani Group for $6.4 billion, citing environmental considerations despite India's strong growth potential.

While some MNCs have sought salvation through complete exits, others have found their redemption by cashing out at an opportune moment.

For instance, the buoyant public markets in recent years have seen a string of companies such as Hyundai and Carraro listing their ventures, whereas there are the likes of American home appliances giant, Whirlpool Corporation, which sold 24% of its stake in the Indian entity, aimed at reducing the parent's debt.

While the India growth story script has ended up in varying climaxes for MNCs, Sinha from BCG has a four-point framework for corporations to succeed: setting ambitious goals to draw government attention and attract talent; ensuring India justifies a global CEO's time by focussing on scale before profits; engaging constructively with the government; and adapting strategies to fit the unique Indian market.

In short, if the only way to predict the future is to create it, MNCs need to realise that India isn't a market you conquer; it's one you groove with! F

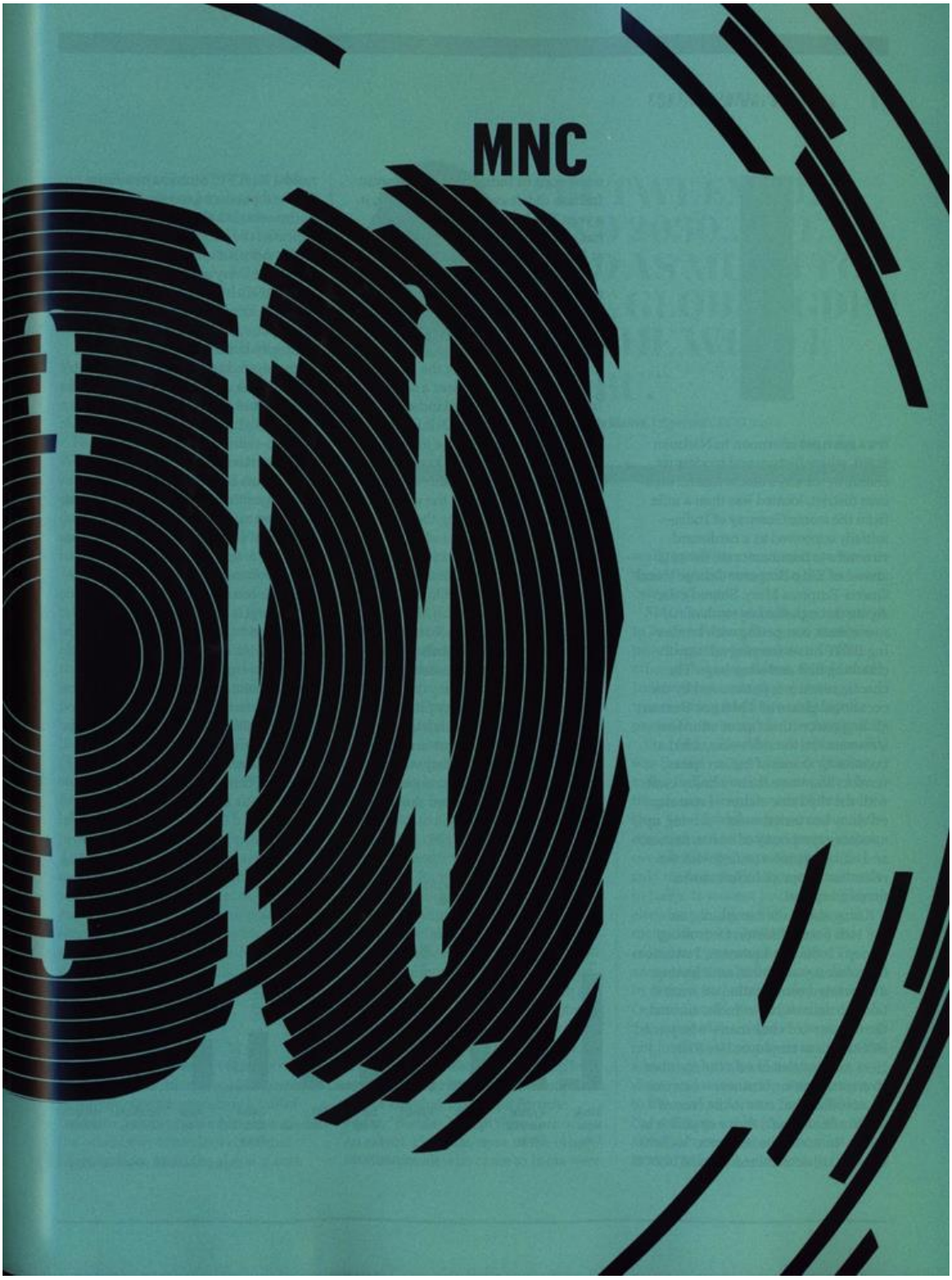


THEY CAME, THEY SAW, THEY CONQUERED

The maiden Fortune India MNC 500 showcases the heft and depth of the largest multinationals in the country, with a cumulative total income of ₹36.77 lakh crore ($438 billion) and ₹2.25 lakh crore ($27 billion) in profits.

BY V. KESHAVDEV

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MNC

IT'S A BUSTLING afternoon in Nariman Point, where history and modernity collide in the city's oldest central business district, located less than a mile from the iconic Gateway of India—initially conceived as a cardboard structure to commemorate the 1911 arrival of King-Emperor George V and Queen-Empress Mary. Shared cabs zigzag through the labyrinth of narrow streets, competing with lumbering BEST buses ferrying officegoers clutching files and sling-bags. The chaotic serenity is punctuated by the occasional gleam of a Merc or Beamer, gliding past with an air of effortless affluence. On the sidewalks, amid a tantalising aroma of Indian spices, vendors showcase their culinary craft with the rhythmic clatter of spatulas on shiny but tarred woks—serving up a sensory symphony of hustle, flavour, and ambition, intertwined with the relentless tempo of India's storied financial capital.

Rising above the cacophony, on the 14th floor of Boston Consulting Group's India headquarters, I sit across from Janmejaya Sinha, anticipating a structured conversation on what it takes to make it big in India. Instead, the 65-year-old chairman—who joined BCG India as employee No. 16 in 1998 and now leads a 3,500-member strong consulting business—narrates an anecdote that cuts to the core of why multinationals thrive or perish in India. "In 2004," he recounts, "a client came to us, determined to sell $10,000 televisions in India. At the time, most Indians didn't even earn that much in a year. But he was convinced: 'India has a billion people. Surely, we can sell at least a thousand TVs.'"

Sinha pauses, a flicker of bemusement crossing his face. "He told me, 'We sell these TVs in Denmark all the time.' I wanted to ask, 'Are you out of your mind?' but of course, I held my tongue as he was paying the bill!"

In fact, to give the client a sense of India's vast and diverse landscape, Sinha had him land in Delhi instead of Mumbai. He hoped the journey from the capital to India's commercial hub would serve as a reality check. And it did, albeit not in the way Sinha anticipated. "After seeing the disparity and complexity, he concluded, 'India is disappointing.' He had no interest in adapting his products for the market. 'These are our TVs,' he told me. 'Take it or leave it.'" Unpredictably, the Danish client left, leaving room for the aspiring South Koreans chaebols to enter.

The likes of LG and Samsung took a different approach. They didn't try to sell $10,000 luxury products to a nascent market. Instead, they localised. "LG didn't focus on picture quality and aesthetics; they worked on boosting the volume because in India's noisy neighbourhoods and slums, you need a loud TV," Sinha says, adding "while that client expressed his disappointment, LG and Samsung quietly captured the market."

The story isn't just about TVs—it's a lesson for every multinational corporation (MNC) hoping to crack the Indian market. Success here isn't about "transplanting" global products or strategies but more about "adapting" to the layered complexities of a country that is at once a luxury market, a mass market, and everything in between.

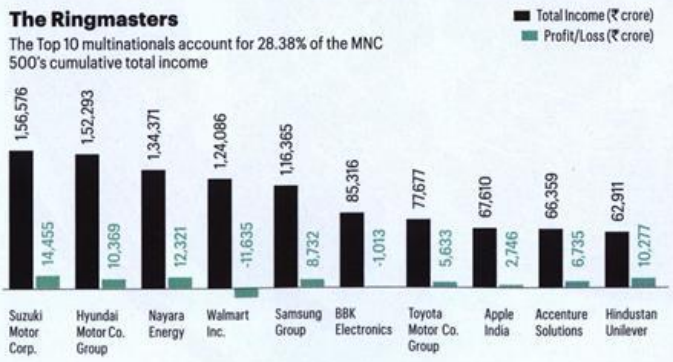
As sunlight streams through the floor-to-ceiling windows of BCG's office overlooking the Arabian Sea, Sinha leans forward and, in a sagely tone, says: "India won't change for you. You have to change for India."

It is this strikingly prescient observation that forms the backdrop against which *Fortune India*, for the first time ever, has compiled a definitive list of the largest MNCs by revenue—an effort that highlights their pivotal role and decisive standing in shaping India's evolving economic story. The development comes at a time when the government has rolled out the red carpet for multinationals to manufacture in India, offering production-linked incentives across 14 sectors with an outlay of ₹1.97 lakh crore.

Yet there's a revelatory statistic:

The Ringmasters

The Top 10 multinationals account for 28.38% of the MNC 500's cumulative total income



SOURCE: CAPITALINE, TOFLER, MCA FILINGS

the combined revenue of ₹77.72 lakh crore ($925 billion) generated by the top 345 Indian privately owned companies—excluding PSUs, MNCs, and banks—of Fortune 500 India is double the *Fortune India* MNC 500's cumulative revenue of ₹36.76 lakh crore ($438 billion)! *(Refer to methodology on page 180).*

But let's not chest-thump to the Viksit Bharat sloganeering, for here's a humbling fact-check: *the foreign corporations in the list are masters of their respective universes.*

For instance, in online retail, Walmart and Amazon stand unrivalled; Samsung, BBK, and Apple dominate consumer electronics, the dominance is all pervasive across automobiles, capital goods, FMCG, IT-hardware, telecom gear and beyond.

In sectors such as automobiles, consumer electronics, and FMCG, a relatively modest number of firms—21 in automobiles, 17 in consumer electronics, and 49 in FMCG—collectively amass staggering revenues. For instance, the automobile sector alone boasts a total income exceeding ₹5.91 lakh crore (approximately $70.36 billion) and profits around ₹38,851 crore ($4.63 billion). Similarly, the consumer electronics sector, with just 17 firms, generates income of about ₹4.81 lakh crore (around $57.29 billion) and profits of ₹15,903 crore (approximately $1.89 billion). FMCG firms aggregate over ₹4.03 lakh crore in income with profits nearing ₹38,903 crore. This concentration in each sector points to large MNCs not only capturing significant market share but also driving innovation, supply chain efficiencies, and economies of scale that small domestic firms often cannot match.



"BETWEEN 2020 AND 2030... WE'LL ADD AS MUCH TO THE GLOBAL GDP AS THE WHOLE OF EU."

Janmejaya Sinha, chairman, BCG India

The hot-steppers

The Top 10 names reflect the evolving landscape of multinational businesses in the country, underscoring a tale of two eras: one steeped in history and the other born of modern economic liberalisation. Amid the global giants, two names stand apart for their early embrace of the Indian market—Suzuki Motor Corp. (SMC) and Hindustan Unilever (HUL).

SMC made its foray into India in 1981, well before the winds of economic liberalisation swept across the subcontinent. Suzuki's partnership with Maruti transformed the Indian automobile market, making car ownership a reality for the burgeoning middle class. Today, the brand's dominance in the Indian auto sector underscores its early mover advantage and ability to adapt to local consumer needs. Post 1991 saw the entry of Hyundai Motor Co., ranked second on the list. Its success in India is a microcosm of its global ambitions, with localised manufacturing and design playing pivotal roles.

The two players today have a stranglehold on the passenger car market with SMC holding the fort with a share of 40.66% and Hyundai along with sibling Kia Motors holding close to 20%. Delving on Suzuki's success, R.C. Bhargava, who joined Maruti in 1981 as the marketing director and is now the chairman, tells *Fortune India*, "Besides Maruti Suzuki and, to an extent, Hyundai, none of the other multinationals who came to India were really small car manufacturers. Even those that did were not in the low-cost category."

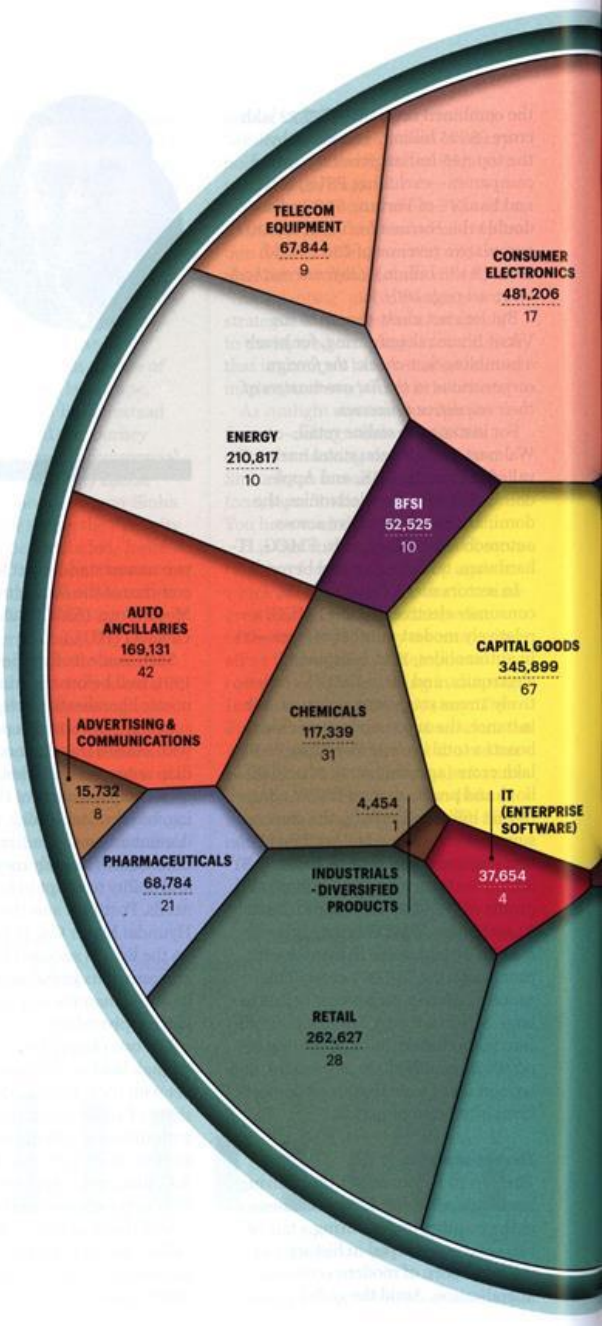
SMC's success in India is a testament to its unwavering focus and strategic prioritisation of the market. Unlike other global automakers, Suzuki made India central to its global strategy, transforming itself into an integral part of the country's auto ecosystem.

One of the key drivers of this success was Suzuki's unparalleled dedication to the Indian market, exemplified by the personal involvement of its leadership. "And I think another reason is the commitment to India in terms of their overall strategy," says Bhargava. "Suzuki made a much larger commitment to India. It was not just a major player elsewhere in the world operating in many countries; India became one of its most important markets. The amount of time and attention devoted by Suzuki, including by then-president Osamu Suzuki, was unparalleled."

In some sense, Suzuki's dominance is not just a testament to its early mover advantage but also to its strategic vision and unwavering commitment to the market. In fact, Toyota Motor Corp. Group, ranked No. 7 in the MNC 500, had entered the automotive space in 1997 as a joint venture with the

THE MASTERS OF THEIR UNIVERSE

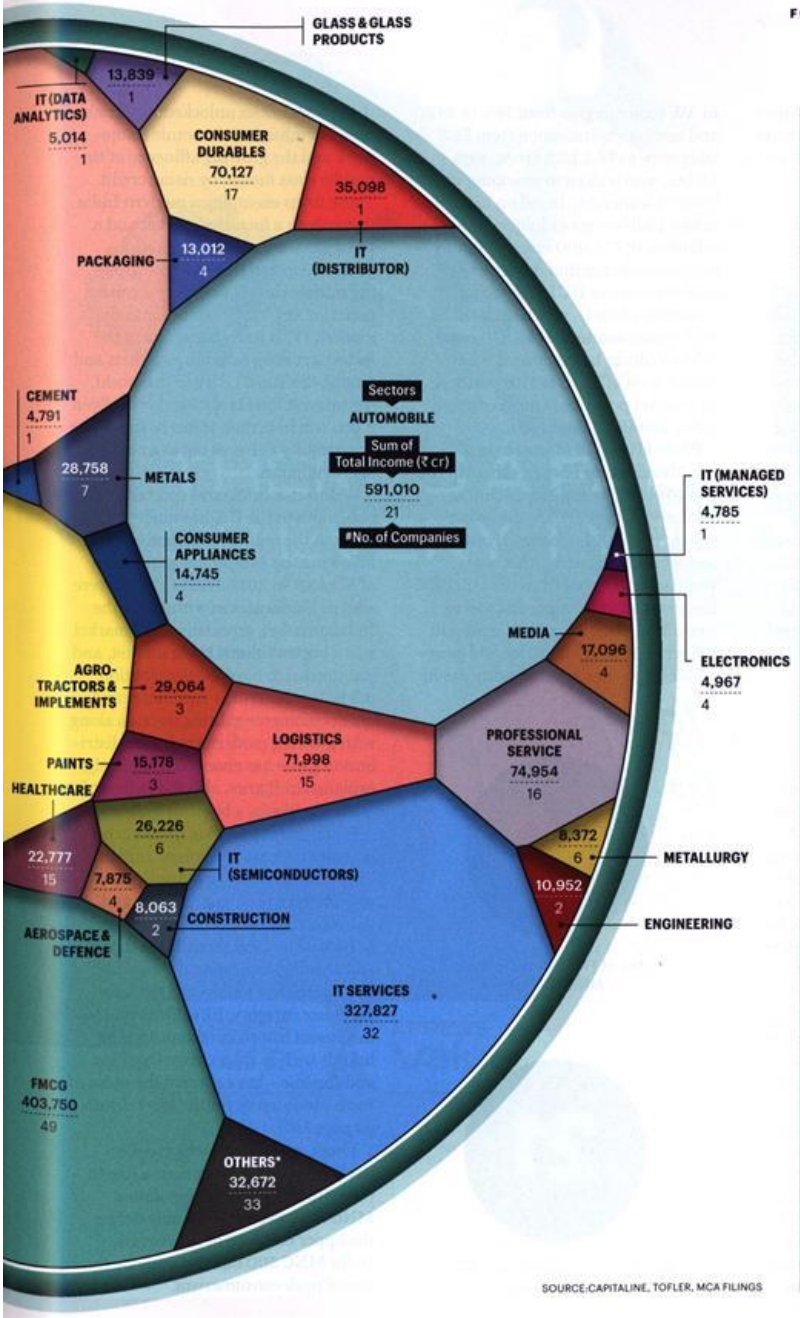
Irrespective of the overall category sizes, multinationals are the leaders in their respective niches



Sectors that have total income below $500 million are grouped under 'Others'.

Others* include sectors such as Industrial Engg, Agro, Electricals, Entertainment, Facilities Management, Shared Mobility, Printing & Stationery, Optical Systems, IT (Semiconductors), Telecom Services, Veterinary Healthcare, Telecom Infrastructure, Publishing, IT (Cybersecurity), IT (Hardware), Logistics - Freight Wagons Lessor, Hospitality, Consumer, and IT (Solutions).

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At the forefront of Hitachi's expansive operations in India is Bharat Kaushal, who heads the Hitachi Group here. Reflecting on its deep-rooted presence, Kaushal notes, "Hitachi first set foot outside of Japan in India in the 1930s, establishing the longest and first overseas presence of the company. Post-independence, Hitachi played a pivotal role in key national projects—delivering the first locomotive for Indian Railways in 1953, setting up India's first telephone exchange, and supplying turbines for the Bhakra Nangal Dam in 1958. These milestones underscore Hitachi's longstanding commitment to India's growth."

Over the past five years, the focus within the capital goods sector has shifted towards manufacturing, defence, railways, and industrials, driven by substantial government spending. "The government's investment in these sectors has been a game-changer," Kaushal says. Hitachi has strategically aligned itself with these priorities, contributing to projects like modernising the Indian Railways, enhancing energy infrastructure, and supporting urbanisation through smart city initiatives.



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Government spending remains a critical driver of growth in India's capital goods sector. "The government acts as a major spender, providing the impetus for large-scale projects in railways, energy, and urban infrastructure," Kaushal states. Reflecting on the immense potential, Kaushal emphasises, "With an estimated ₹20,000-40,000 crore investment in modernisation projects over the next six to seven years, Hitachi aims to target at least 15% of this opportunity, leveraging our extensive expertise and historical presence."

Serving it right

Even as industrial and engineering companies are looking to make the most of the government's infra spending gravy train, there are others in the consumer-facing business, especially food and retail, that have played to their strengths or faltered on their weakness. For instance, quick service restaurants (QSRs) and retail multinationals have carved their paths, testing the waters with master franchising before fully committing to the complexities of the Indian market.

Gaurav Marya, who owns Franchise India Holdings, one of Asia's largest integrated franchise solution companies, explains the cautious yet calculated entry of QSR giants into India. "Most of the times, even the big boys enter [the market] through franchisees," says Marya, citing examples such as McDonald's and Starbucks. This initial franchising phase allows these brands to adapt to local tastes and regulations with a reduced risk, leveraging local partners' market knowledge.

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As these ventures mature, companies transition from franchising to establishing a more permanent presence. "They would look at a franchisee as a model and eventually in their contract, they would have an opportunity to eventually come in and own the identity in India," Marya explains. This shift often corresponds with the brand's confidence in the market, dictated by customer acceptance and operational success.

The journey of beverage titans such

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The Largest Multinationals In India

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as Coca-Cola and PepsiCo mirror a similar narrative of adaptation but with unique challenges due to India's diverse palate and regulatory environment. Marya points out, "It's a financial call. Sometimes pure royalty is a much better business." This statement reflects the companies' initial strategies of licensing and royalties that minimise operational headaches while assessing the market's profitability.

PepsiCo, navigating through its partnership with Varun Beverages, found a successful formula. "Pepsi is happier having a fixed royalty coming to them because that adds to their bottom line globally, versus handling a complex operation of India," Marya observes. Compared to Coca-Cola, this approach allowed PepsiCo to enjoy the gains without the direct strain of managing operations.

In the retail segment, firms such as Skechers illustrate a successful transition from partnership to ownership. Initially entering through a partnership with the Future Group, Skechers took full control, "eventually bought them out and now they're Skechers India," says Marya. This move was spurred by the brand's understanding and the need to capitalise on the growing Indian market for footwear.

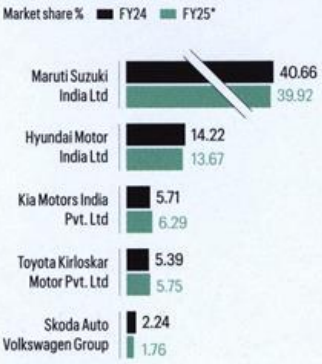
In contrast, other brands have wilted under the harsh sun of competition and regulatory pressures. Marya points to the nuanced understanding required to succeed. "India is very peculiar as a market... Some brands do particularly better than other brands in India," he says. This statement underscores the failures of brands like Muji, which struggled to resonate with Indian consumers' expectations.

Sinha of BCG believes that though India has become a significant market, it remains a hard place to do business. "But there is a great opportunity. Between 2020 and 2030, India will add two Indias to itself. From $2 trillion to $7 trillion, we'll add as much to the global GDP as the whole of EU. The biggest problem is we cannot know how to imagine this. No one can. Because the experience comes in the way," says Sinha.

That's precisely the reason that while some MNCs have chosen to stay put and build heft, others have chosen to exit or smartly cash in on the excess multiples the Street is willing to pay.

In the driver's seat

Foreign automakers have a firm grip on the Indian PV market



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Different strokes for different folks

While HUL continues to strengthen its market position, Wilmar, a Singapore-based agro commodities giant, has made its mark in the FMCG space through a joint venture with Adani called Adani Wilmar Ltd (AWL). Though the Adanis are no longer a part of the JV, Kuok Khoon Hong, Chairman and CEO of Wilmar International, wants to still double down on India. "We will be keen to have good strategic partners as we think India will be a very big and important player in the global agri commodities and food businesses," says Kuok. Wilmar's growth strategy includes organic growth and strategic acquisitions, highlighted by acquisitions of the premium basmati rice brand Kohinoor in May 2022, and a 67% stake in specialty chemicals company Omkar Chemicals in August 2024.

Meanwhile, there are MNCs that have exited India either owing to strategic reasons or simply for failing to get it right. The US-based Tyson Foods divested its share in Godrej Tyson Foods to Godrej Agrovet. Similarly, Novartis AG is considering selling its majority stake in the Indian arm amid a strategic review, closely following AstraZeneca's exit owing to a global restructuring. Companies such as Pfizer, Sanofi, and GSK, too, have scaled down or exited, either owing to internal challenges or strategic realignments. In contrast, Holcim sold its stakes in ACC and Ambuja Cement to the Adani Group for $6.4 billion, citing environmental considerations despite India's strong growth potential.

While some MNCs have sought salvation through complete exits, others have found their redemption by cashing out at an opportune moment.

For instance, the buoyant public markets in recent years have seen a string of companies such as Hyundai and Carraro listing their ventures, whereas there are the likes of American home appliances giant, Whirlpool Corporation, which sold 24% of its stake in the Indian entity, aimed at reducing the parent's debt.

While the India growth story script has ended up in varying climaxes for MNCs, Sinha from BCG has a four-point framework for corporations to succeed: setting ambitious goals to draw government attention and attract talent; ensuring India justifies a global CEO's time by focussing on scale before profits; engaging constructively with the government; and adapting strategies to fit the unique Indian market.

In short, if the only way to predict the future is to create it, MNCs need to realise that India isn't a market you conquer; it's one you groove with! F

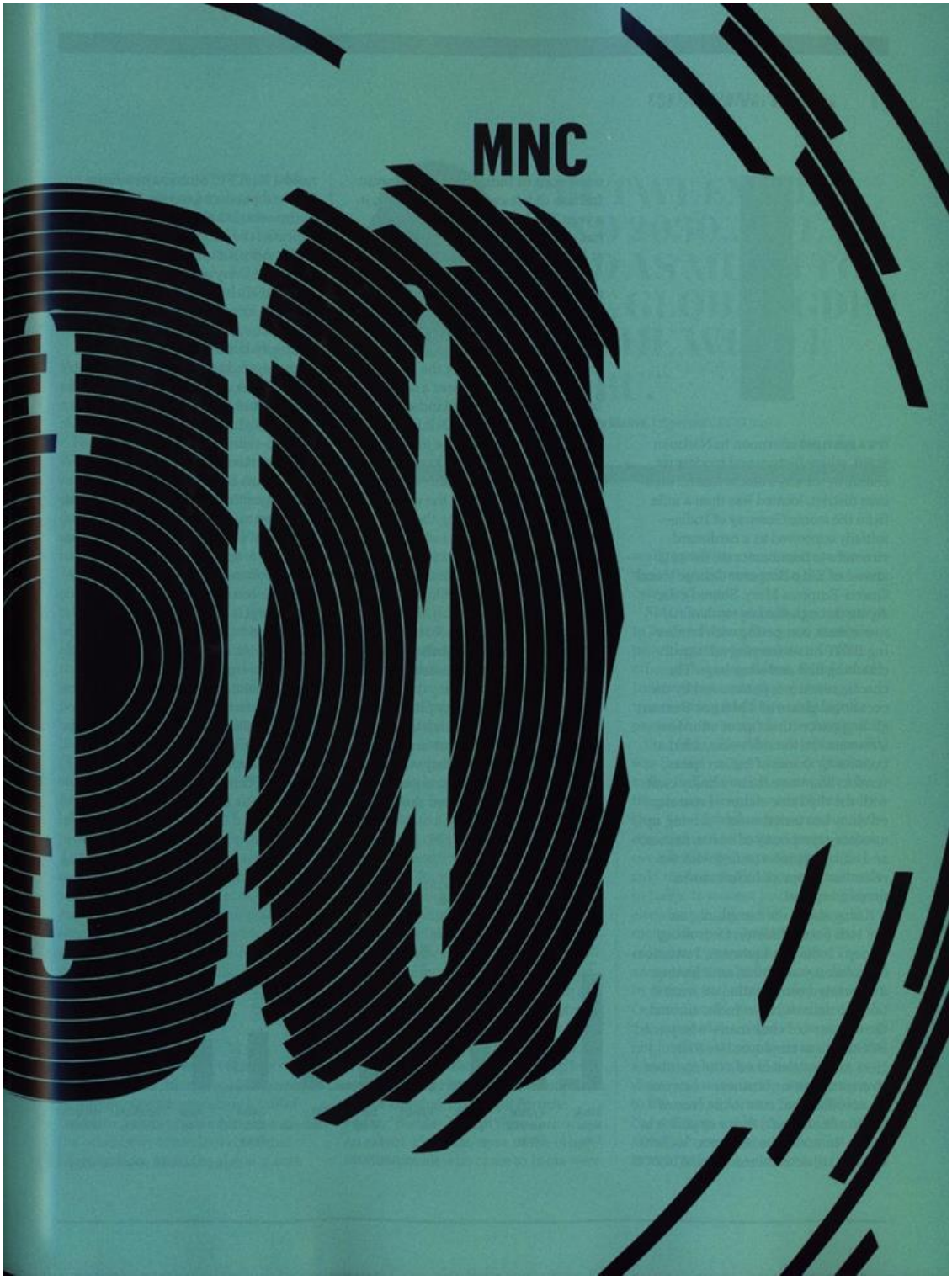


THEY CAME, THEY SAW, THEY CONQUERED

The maiden Fortune India MNC 500 showcases the heft and depth of the largest multinationals in the country, with a cumulative total income of ₹36.77 lakh crore ($438 billion) and ₹2.25 lakh crore ($27 billion) in profits.

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IT'S A BUSTLING afternoon in Nariman Point, where history and modernity collide in the city's oldest central business district, located less than a mile from the iconic Gateway of India—initially conceived as a cardboard structure to commemorate the 1911 arrival of King-Emperor George V and Queen-Empress Mary. Shared cabs zigzag through the labyrinth of narrow streets, competing with lumbering BEST buses ferrying officegoers clutching files and sling-bags. The chaotic serenity is punctuated by the occasional gleam of a Merc or Beamer, gliding past with an air of effortless affluence. On the sidewalks, amid a tantalising aroma of Indian spices, vendors showcase their culinary craft with the rhythmic clatter of spatulas on shiny but tarred woks—serving up a sensory symphony of hustle, flavour, and ambition, intertwined with the relentless tempo of India's storied financial capital.

Rising above the cacophony, on the 14th floor of Boston Consulting Group's India headquarters, I sit across from Janmejaya Sinha, anticipating a structured conversation on what it takes to make it big in India. Instead, the 65-year-old chairman—who joined BCG India as employee No. 16 in 1998 and now leads a 3,500-member strong consulting business—narrates an anecdote that cuts to the core of why multinationals thrive or perish in India. "In 2004," he recounts, "a client came to us, determined to sell $10,000 televisions in India. At the time, most Indians didn't even earn that much in a year. But he was convinced: 'India has a billion people. Surely, we can sell at least a thousand TVs.'"

Sinha pauses, a flicker of bemusement crossing his face. "He told me, 'We sell these TVs in Denmark all the time.' I wanted to ask, 'Are you out of your mind?' but of course, I held my tongue as he was paying the bill!"

In fact, to give the client a sense of India's vast and diverse landscape, Sinha had him land in Delhi instead of Mumbai. He hoped the journey from the capital to India's commercial hub would serve as a reality check. And it did, albeit not in the way Sinha anticipated. "After seeing the disparity and complexity, he concluded, 'India is disappointing.' He had no interest in adapting his products for the market. 'These are our TVs,' he told me. 'Take it or leave it.'" Unpredictably, the Danish client left, leaving room for the aspiring South Koreans chaebols to enter.

The likes of LG and Samsung took a different approach. They didn't try to sell $10,000 luxury products to a nascent market. Instead, they localised. "LG didn't focus on picture quality and aesthetics; they worked on boosting the volume because in India's noisy neighbourhoods and slums, you need a loud TV," Sinha says, adding "while that client expressed his disappointment, LG and Samsung quietly captured the market."

The story isn't just about TVs—it's a lesson for every multinational corporation (MNC) hoping to crack the Indian market. Success here isn't about "transplanting" global products or strategies but more about "adapting" to the layered complexities of a country that is at once a luxury market, a mass market, and everything in between.

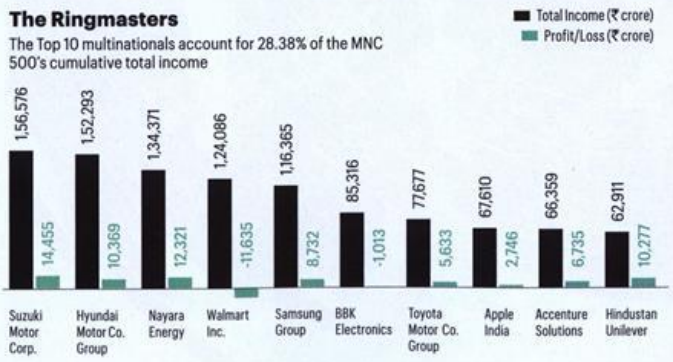
As sunlight streams through the floor-to-ceiling windows of BCG's office overlooking the Arabian Sea, Sinha leans forward and, in a sagely tone, says: "India won't change for you. You have to change for India."

It is this strikingly prescient observation that forms the backdrop against which *Fortune India*, for the first time ever, has compiled a definitive list of the largest MNCs by revenue—an effort that highlights their pivotal role and decisive standing in shaping India's evolving economic story. The development comes at a time when the government has rolled out the red carpet for multinationals to manufacture in India, offering production-linked incentives across 14 sectors with an outlay of ₹1.97 lakh crore.

Yet there's a revelatory statistic:

The Ringmasters

The Top 10 multinationals account for 28.38% of the MNC 500's cumulative total income



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But let's not chest-thump to the Viksit Bharat sloganeering, for here's a humbling fact-check: *the foreign corporations in the list are masters of their respective universes.*

For instance, in online retail, Walmart and Amazon stand unrivalled; Samsung, BBK, and Apple dominate consumer electronics, the dominance is all pervasive across automobiles, capital goods, FMCG, IT-hardware, telecom gear and beyond.

In sectors such as automobiles, consumer electronics, and FMCG, a relatively modest number of firms—21 in automobiles, 17 in consumer electronics, and 49 in FMCG—collectively amass staggering revenues. For instance, the automobile sector alone boasts a total income exceeding ₹5.91 lakh crore (approximately $70.36 billion) and profits around ₹38,851 crore ($4.63 billion). Similarly, the consumer electronics sector, with just 17 firms, generates income of about ₹4.81 lakh crore (around $57.29 billion) and profits of ₹15,903 crore (approximately $1.89 billion). FMCG firms aggregate over ₹4.03 lakh crore in income with profits nearing ₹38,903 crore. This concentration in each sector points to large MNCs not only capturing significant market share but also driving innovation, supply chain efficiencies, and economies of scale that small domestic firms often cannot match.



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The hot-steppers

The Top 10 names reflect the evolving landscape of multinational businesses in the country, underscoring a tale of two eras: one steeped in history and the other born of modern economic liberalisation. Amid the global giants, two names stand apart for their early embrace of the Indian market—Suzuki Motor Corp. (SMC) and Hindustan Unilever (HUL).

SMC made its foray into India in 1981, well before the winds of economic liberalisation swept across the subcontinent. Suzuki's partnership with Maruti transformed the Indian automobile market, making car ownership a reality for the burgeoning middle class. Today, the brand's dominance in the Indian auto sector underscores its early mover advantage and ability to adapt to local consumer needs. Post 1991 saw the entry of Hyundai Motor Co., ranked second on the list. Its success in India is a microcosm of its global ambitions, with localised manufacturing and design playing pivotal roles.

The two players today have a stranglehold on the passenger car market with SMC holding the fort with a share of 40.66% and Hyundai along with sibling Kia Motors holding close to 20%. Delving on Suzuki's success, R.C. Bhargava, who joined Maruti in 1981 as the marketing director and is now the chairman, tells *Fortune India*, "Besides Maruti Suzuki and, to an extent, Hyundai, none of the other multinationals who came to India were really small car manufacturers. Even those that did were not in the low-cost category."

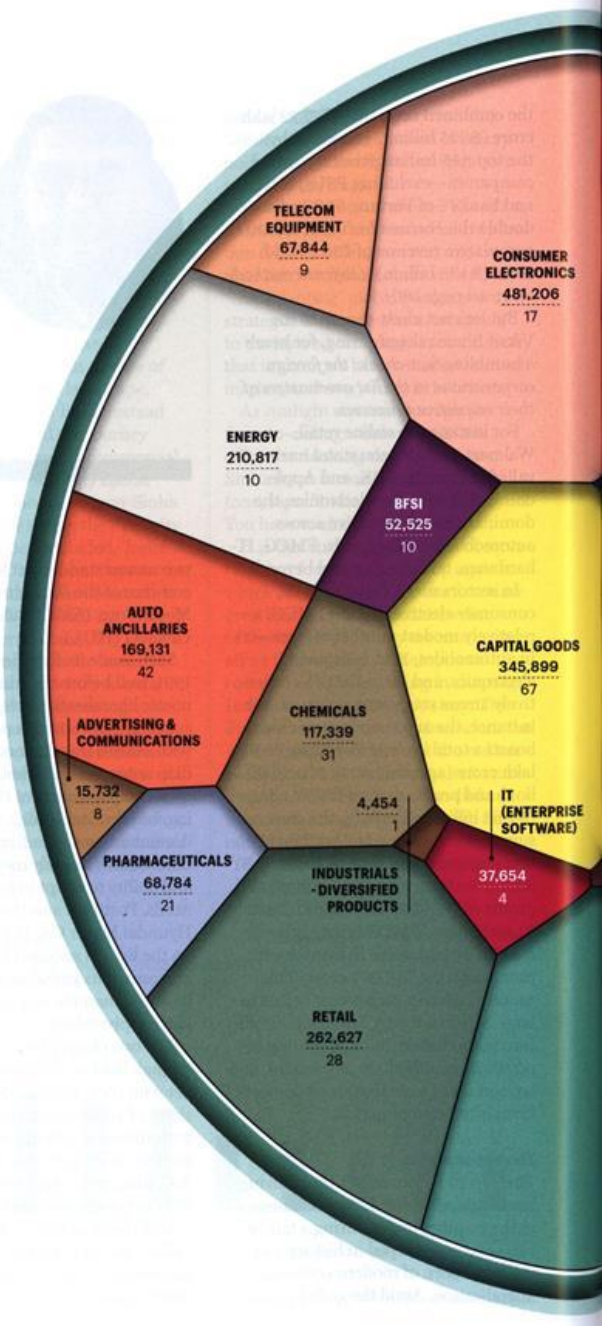
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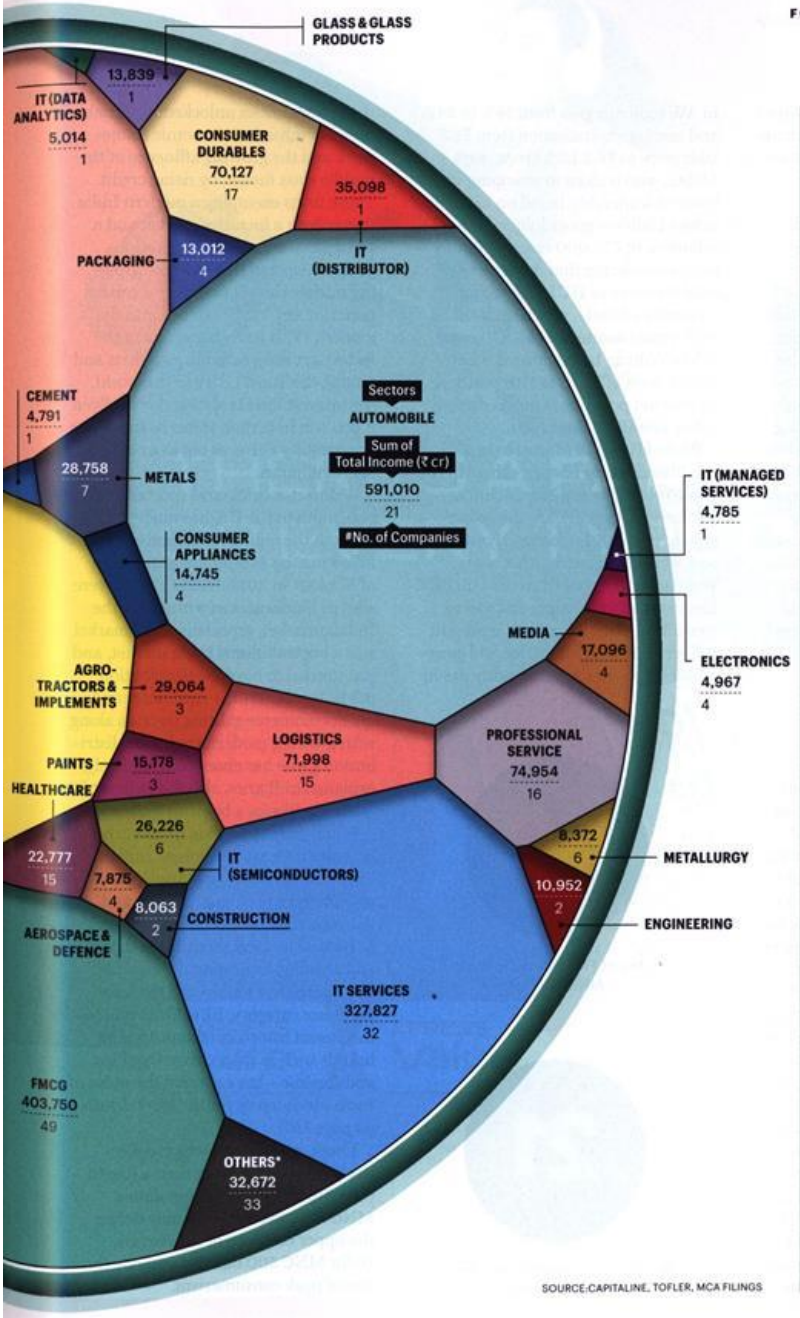
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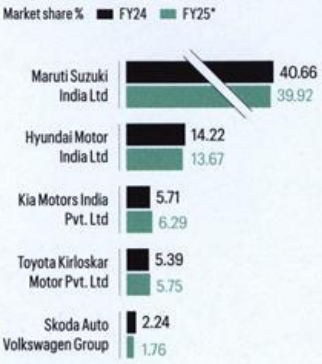
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Meanwhile, there are MNCs that have exited India either owing to strategic reasons or simply for failing to get it right. The US-based Tyson Foods divested its share in Godrej Tyson Foods to Godrej Agrovet. Similarly, Novartis AG is considering selling its majority stake in the Indian arm amid a strategic review, closely following AstraZeneca's exit owing to a global restructuring. Companies such as Pfizer, Sanofi, and GSK, too, have scaled down or exited, either owing to internal challenges or strategic realignments. In contrast, Holcim sold its stakes in ACC and Ambuja Cement to the Adani Group for $6.4 billion, citing environmental considerations despite India's strong growth potential.

While some MNCs have sought salvation through complete exits, others have found their redemption by cashing out at an opportune moment.

For instance, the buoyant public markets in recent years have seen a string of companies such as Hyundai and Carraro listing their ventures, whereas there are the likes of American home appliances giant, Whirlpool Corporation, which sold 24% of its stake in the Indian entity, aimed at reducing the parent's debt.

While the India growth story script has ended up in varying climaxes for MNCs, Sinha from BCG has a four-point framework for corporations to succeed: setting ambitious goals to draw government attention and attract talent; ensuring India justifies a global CEO's time by focussing on scale before profits; engaging constructively with the government; and adapting strategies to fit the unique Indian market.

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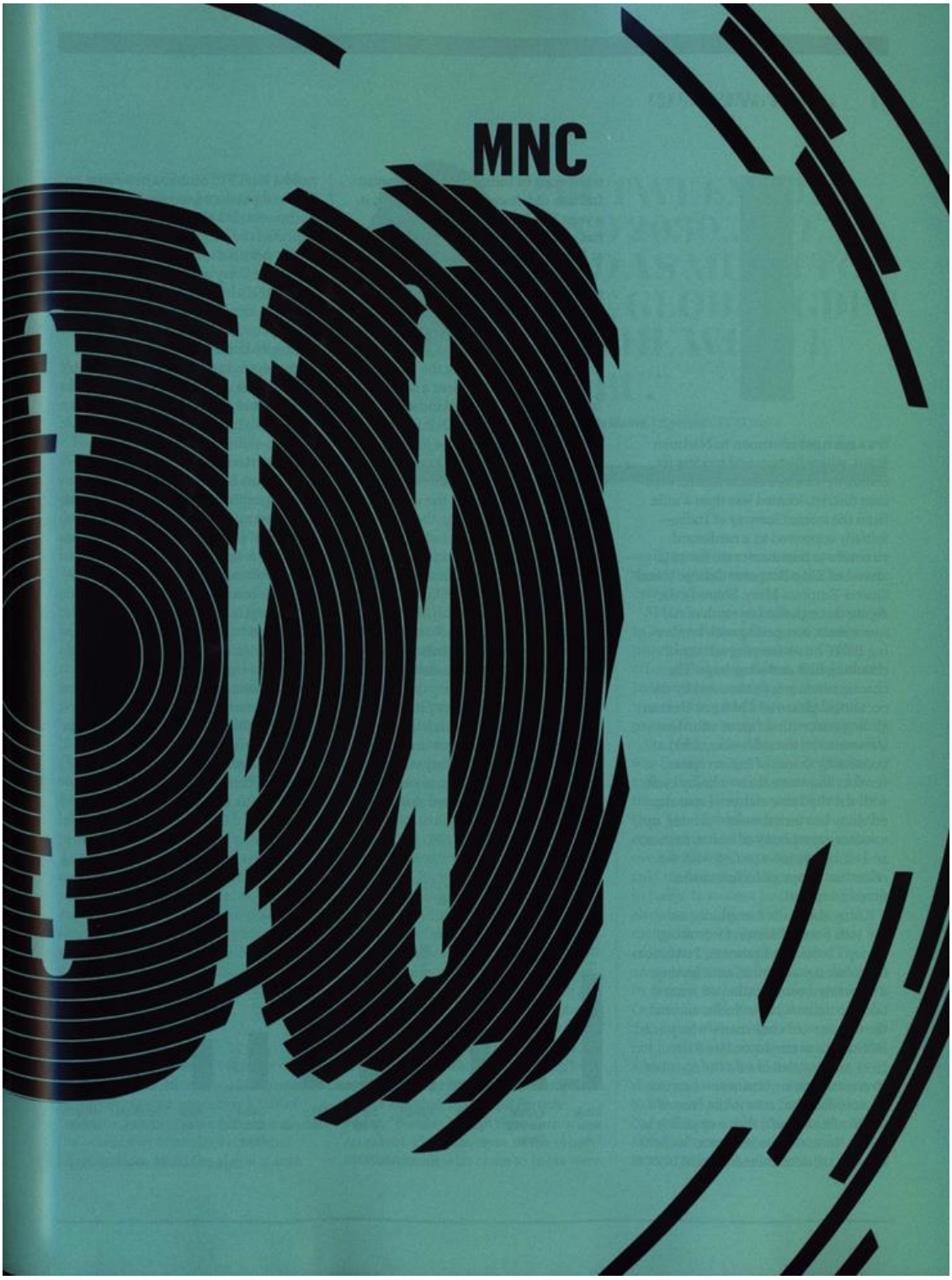


THEY CAME, THEY SAW, THEY CONQUERED

The maiden Fortune India MNC 500 showcases the heft and depth of the largest multinationals in the country, with a cumulative total income of ₹36.77 lakh crore ($438 billion) and ₹2.25 lakh crore ($27 billion) in profits.

BY V. KESHAVDEV

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IT'S A BUSTLING afternoon in Nariman Point, where history and modernity collide in the city's oldest central business district, located less than a mile from the iconic Gateway of India—initially conceived as a cardboard structure to commemorate the 1911 arrival of King-Emperor George V and Queen-Empress Mary. Shared cabs zigzag through the labyrinth of narrow streets, competing with lumbering BEST buses ferrying officegoers clutching files and sling-bags. The chaotic serenity is punctuated by the occasional gleam of a Merc or Beamer, gliding past with an air of effortless affluence. On the sidewalks, amid a tantalising aroma of Indian spices, vendors showcase their culinary craft with the rhythmic clatter of spatulas on shiny but tarred woks—serving up a sensory symphony of hustle, flavour, and ambition, intertwined with the relentless tempo of India's storied financial capital.

Rising above the cacophony, on the 14th floor of Boston Consulting Group's India headquarters, I sit across from Janmejaya Sinha, anticipating a structured conversation on what it takes to make it big in India. Instead, the 65-year-old chairman—who joined BCG India as employee No. 16 in 1998 and now leads a 3,500-member strong consulting business—narrates an anecdote that cuts to the core of why multinationals thrive or perish in India. "In 2004," he recounts, "a client came to us, determined to sell $10,000 televisions in India. At the time, most Indians didn't even earn that much in a year. But he was convinced: 'India has a billion people. Surely, we can sell at least a thousand TVs.'"

Sinha pauses, a flicker of bemusement crossing his face. "He told me, 'We sell these TVs in Denmark all the time.' I wanted to ask, 'Are you out of your mind?' but of course, I held my tongue as he was paying the bill!"

In fact, to give the client a sense of India's vast and diverse landscape, Sinha had him land in Delhi instead of Mumbai. He hoped the journey from the capital to India's commercial hub would serve as a reality check. And it did, albeit not in the way Sinha anticipated. "After seeing the disparity and complexity, he concluded, 'India is disappointing.' He had no interest in adapting his products for the market. 'These are our TVs,' he told me. 'Take it or leave it.'" Unpredictably, the Danish client left, leaving room for the aspiring South Koreans chaebols to enter.

The likes of LG and Samsung took a different approach. They didn't try to sell $10,000 luxury products to a nascent market. Instead, they localised. "LG didn't focus on picture quality and aesthetics; they worked on boosting the volume because in India's noisy neighbourhoods and slums, you need a loud TV," Sinha says, adding "while that client expressed his disappointment, LG and Samsung quietly captured the market."

The story isn't just about TVs—it's a lesson for every multinational corporation (MNC) hoping to crack the Indian market. Success here isn't about "transplanting" global products or strategies but more about "adapting" to the layered complexities of a country that is at once a luxury market, a mass market, and everything in between.

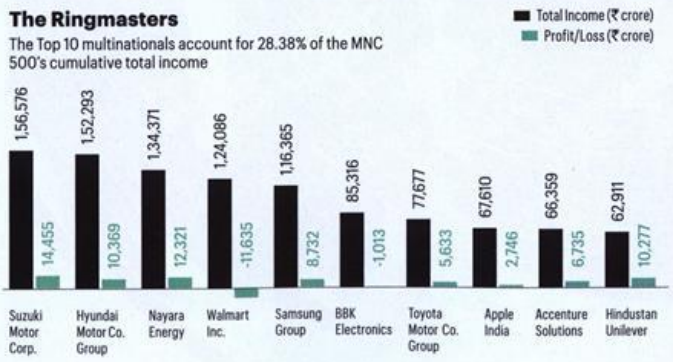
As sunlight streams through the floor-to-ceiling windows of BCG's office overlooking the Arabian Sea, Sinha leans forward and, in a sagely tone, says: "India won't change for you. You have to change for India."

It is this strikingly prescient observation that forms the backdrop against which *Fortune India*, for the first time ever, has compiled a definitive list of the largest MNCs by revenue—an effort that highlights their pivotal role and decisive standing in shaping India's evolving economic story. The development comes at a time when the government has rolled out the red carpet for multinationals to manufacture in India, offering production-linked incentives across 14 sectors with an outlay of ₹1.97 lakh crore.

Yet there's a revelatory statistic:

The Ringmasters

The Top 10 multinationals account for 28.38% of the MNC 500's cumulative total income



SOURCE: CAPITALINE, TOFLER, MCA FILINGS

the combined revenue of ₹77.72 lakh crore ($925 billion) generated by the top 345 Indian privately owned companies—excluding PSUs, MNCs, and banks—of Fortune 500 India is double the *Fortune India* MNC 500's cumulative revenue of ₹36.76 lakh crore ($438 billion)! *(Refer to methodology on page 180).*

But let's not chest-thump to the Viksit Bharat sloganeering, for here's a humbling fact-check: *the foreign corporations in the list are masters of their respective universes.*

For instance, in online retail, Walmart and Amazon stand unrivalled; Samsung, BBK, and Apple dominate consumer electronics, the dominance is all pervasive across automobiles, capital goods, FMCG, IT-hardware, telecom gear and beyond.

In sectors such as automobiles, consumer electronics, and FMCG, a relatively modest number of firms—21 in automobiles, 17 in consumer electronics, and 49 in FMCG—collectively amass staggering revenues. For instance, the automobile sector alone boasts a total income exceeding ₹5.91 lakh crore (approximately $70.36 billion) and profits around ₹38,851 crore ($4.63 billion). Similarly, the consumer electronics sector, with just 17 firms, generates income of about ₹4.81 lakh crore (around $57.29 billion) and profits of ₹15,903 crore (approximately $1.89 billion). FMCG firms aggregate over ₹4.03 lakh crore in income with profits nearing ₹38,903 crore. This concentration in each sector points to large MNCs not only capturing significant market share but also driving innovation, supply chain efficiencies, and economies of scale that small domestic firms often cannot match.



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The hot-steppers

The Top 10 names reflect the evolving landscape of multinational businesses in the country, underscoring a tale of two eras: one steeped in history and the other born of modern economic liberalisation. Amid the global giants, two names stand apart for their early embrace of the Indian market—Suzuki Motor Corp. (SMC) and Hindustan Unilever (HUL).

SMC made its foray into India in 1981, well before the winds of economic liberalisation swept across the subcontinent. Suzuki's partnership with Maruti transformed the Indian automobile market, making car ownership a reality for the burgeoning middle class. Today, the brand's dominance in the Indian auto sector underscores its early mover advantage and ability to adapt to local consumer needs. Post 1991 saw the entry of Hyundai Motor Co., ranked second on the list. Its success in India is a microcosm of its global ambitions, with localised manufacturing and design playing pivotal roles.

The two players today have a stranglehold on the passenger car market with SMC holding the fort with a share of 40.66% and Hyundai along with sibling Kia Motors holding close to 20%. Delving on Suzuki's success, R.C. Bhargava, who joined Maruti in 1981 as the marketing director and is now the chairman, tells *Fortune India*, "Besides Maruti Suzuki and, to an extent, Hyundai, none of the other multinationals who came to India were really small car manufacturers. Even those that did were not in the low-cost category."

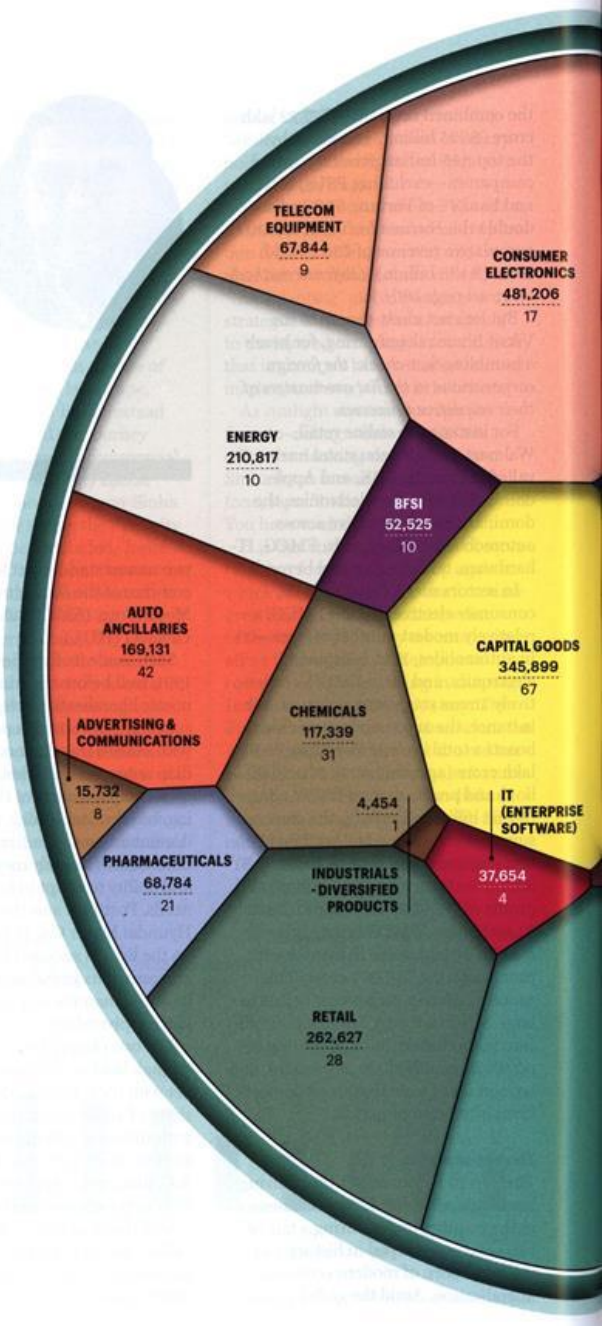
SMC's success in India is a testament to its unwavering focus and strategic prioritisation of the market. Unlike other global automakers, Suzuki made India central to its global strategy, transforming itself into an integral part of the country's auto ecosystem.

One of the key drivers of this success was Suzuki's unparalleled dedication to the Indian market, exemplified by the personal involvement of its leadership. "And I think another reason is the commitment to India in terms of their overall strategy," says Bhargava. "Suzuki made a much larger commitment to India. It was not just a major player elsewhere in the world operating in many countries; India became one of its most important markets. The amount of time and attention devoted by Suzuki, including by then-president Osamu Suzuki, was unparalleled."

In some sense, Suzuki's dominance is not just a testament to its early mover advantage but also to its strategic vision and unwavering commitment to the market. In fact, Toyota Motor Corp. Group, ranked No. 7 in the MNC 500, had entered the automotive space in 1997 as a joint venture with the

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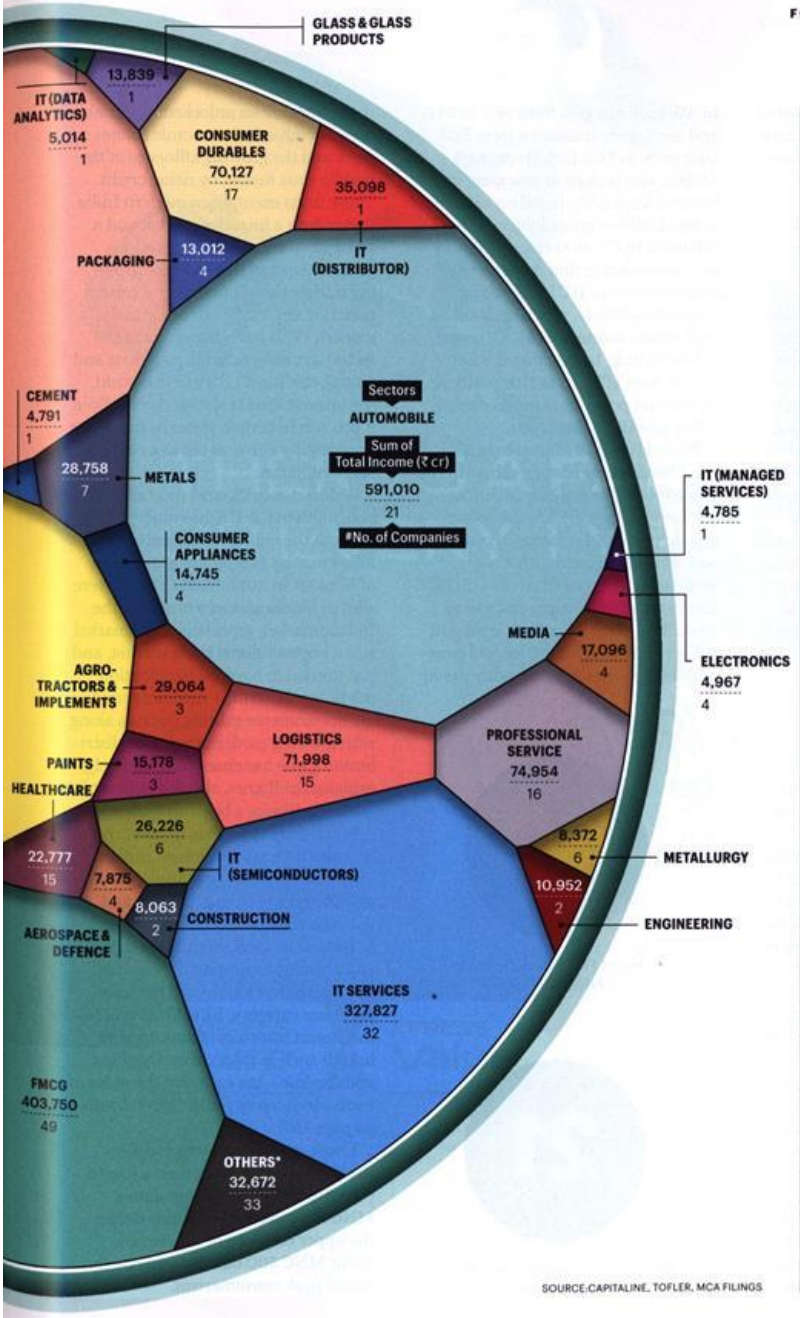
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Kirloskar Group but was largely on the fringes of the passenger vehicles (PV) market, till it found a second coming. Following a strategic tie-up with SMC in 2017 aimed at leveraging each company's strengths to develop new vehicles and technologies, today, Toyota is the sixth-largest PV maker with 5% market share on the back of rebadged Maruti cars that make up for over 50% of its models sold in the country.

The reason for SMC's wider hold, says Bhargava, is the fact that the firm has its ear to the ground. "You can't just treat India as one of the 20 big markets in the world. It's important to create a tailor-made strategy. Unlike many multinationals that run companies with their own expats, Suzuki relied heavily on inputs from Indian management for decision-making," he says.

While the automotive landscape in India is now firmly entrenched in the hands of MNCs, in the case of HUL—which began its India sojourn back in 1933, making it one of the oldest multinationals to set up shop in the country—its trajectory mirrors India's colonial and post-colonial economic evolution. From pioneering soaps and packaged goods to becoming a household name synonymous with everyday essentials, HUL's legacy has been an example of endurance and adaptation. But, as former HUL CEO Sanjiv Mehta explains, the industry dynamics of FMCG and auto are like chalk and cheese.

"Today, HUL has 39% value market share. The auto industry is not as fragmented as the FMCG sector because the barriers to entry in the FMCG business are relatively much lower. That means you have to be continuously on guard, even

as you consolidate your position," says Mehta, who is now the executive chairman of L Catterton India, a consumer-focussed joint investment venture between LVMH and Mehta.

At ₹62,911 crore in revenues and ₹10,277 crore in profits, it's the only FMCG major in the Top 10; that's a commendable position to be in despite rising competition. Sriprakash Sridharan, former director of Nielsen, a market analytics firm, and now the founder of Prajna Consulting, a boutique marketing and strategy consulting firm, says: "With India becoming digital, the ways of doing business have also evolved and changed. We now see national players and regional players dominating in the food space more than the MNCs. Home-grown players such as Nykaa, Tira, Forest Essentials, and Kama are making some dent in the premium and masstige personal care space which was once considered MNCs' forte."

Mehta, though, is quick to point out that despite all the news flow around the upstarts cornering incremental market share, HUL numbers are what still matters. "In my last year (FY23), HUL added ₹8,000 crore to its delta turnover, which was more than the total revenue of all the players that we're talking about. So, many times, the optics are very different from reality because, in newspapers, a lot of space is given to companies doing ₹300-500 crore turnovers. But all that, put together, is not going to be dramatically different," explains Mehta.

During his decade-long stint, HUL not only drove exponential financial growth but also redefined industry benchmarks for profitability, market share, and market capitalisation. "During my 10 years, we added ₹35,000 crore to HUL's top line," Mehta recalls. "It was ₹25,000 crore before I came in. We took margins from 14% to 24% and market capitalisation from ₹1.2 lakh crore to ₹6.2 lakh crore," says Mehta, who is close to wrapping up a book on leadership based on his tenure across Unilever geographies. The reference to ₹35,000 crore is significant, considering that it eclipses the total turnover of HUL's next biggest competitor Nestlé, which ranks at 36 with a total income of ₹25,370 crore. While Wilmar International is hot on the heels of HUL at 11th position, its product portfolio is not as diverse. (*More details on page 120*).

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"India's population and the growing middle class is definitely a catchy point for any MNC to enter into the market. With India being one of the fastest-growing emerging markets and among the Top 5 GDPs in the world, the interest level is always there... Even if you win in certain states in India, the opportunity size is as big as a country," says Sridharan.

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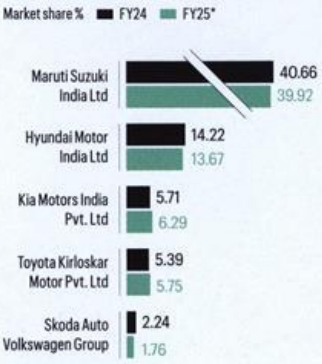
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Different strokes for different folks

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Meanwhile, there are MNCs that have exited India either owing to strategic reasons or simply for failing to get it right. The US-based Tyson Foods divested its share in Godrej Tyson Foods to Godrej Agrovet. Similarly, Novartis AG is considering selling its majority stake in the Indian arm amid a strategic review, closely following AstraZeneca's exit owing to a global restructuring. Companies such as Pfizer, Sanofi, and GSK, too, have scaled down or exited, either owing to internal challenges or strategic realignments. In contrast, Holcim sold its stakes in ACC and Ambuja Cement to the Adani Group for $6.4 billion, citing environmental considerations despite India's strong growth potential.

While some MNCs have sought salvation through complete exits, others have found their redemption by cashing out at an opportune moment.

For instance, the buoyant public markets in recent years have seen a string of companies such as Hyundai and Carraro listing their ventures, whereas there are the likes of American home appliances giant, Whirlpool Corporation, which sold 24% of its stake in the Indian entity, aimed at reducing the parent's debt.

While the India growth story script has ended up in varying climaxes for MNCs, Sinha from BCG has a four-point framework for corporations to succeed: setting ambitious goals to draw government attention and attract talent; ensuring India justifies a global CEO's time by focussing on scale before profits; engaging constructively with the government; and adapting strategies to fit the unique Indian market.

In short, if the only way to predict the future is to create it, MNCs need to realise that India isn't a market you conquer; it's one you groove with! F

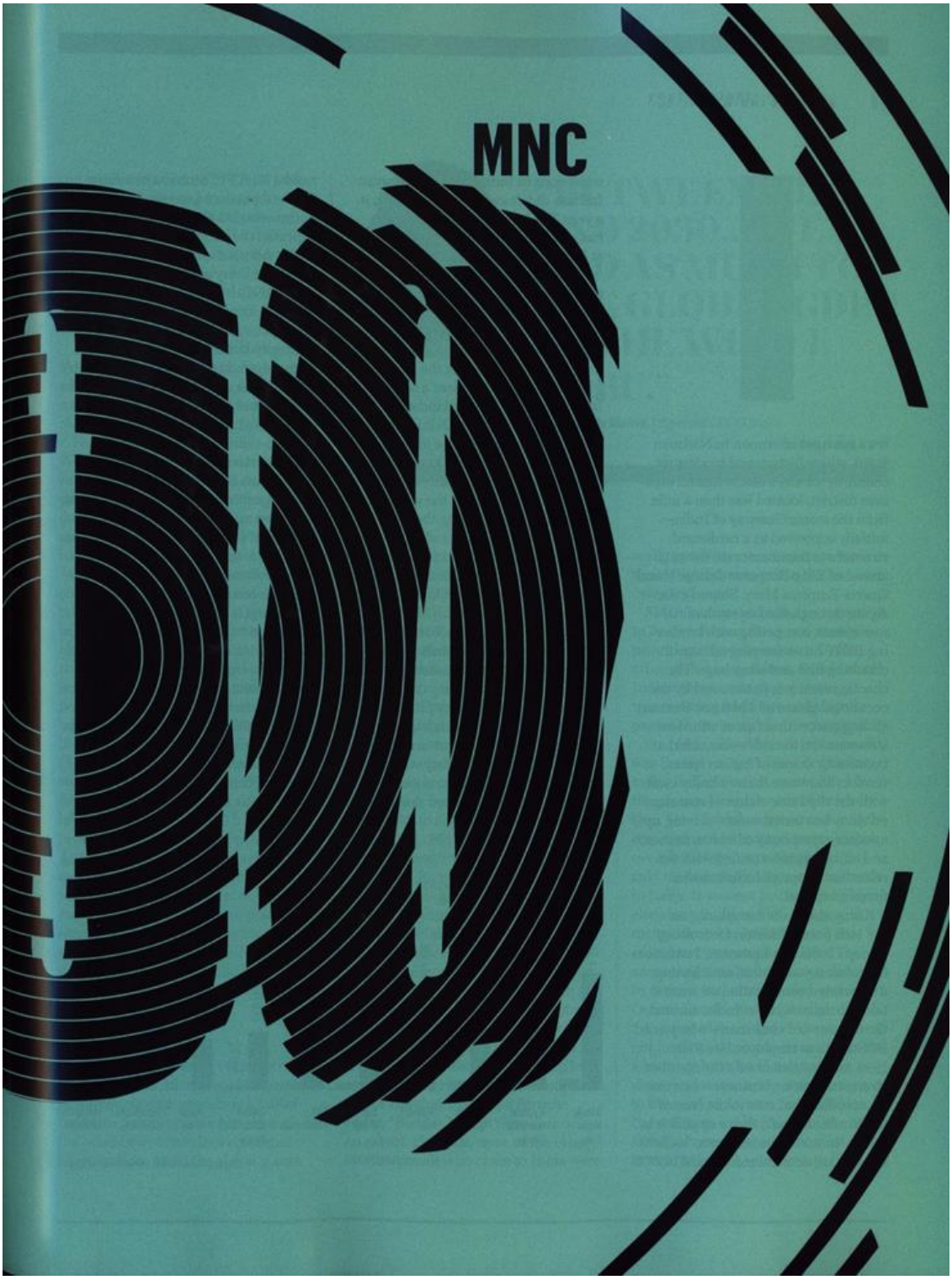


THEY CAME, THEY SAW, THEY CONQUERED

The maiden Fortune India MNC 500 showcases the heft and depth of the largest multinationals in the country, with a cumulative total income of ₹36.77 lakh crore ($438 billion) and ₹2.25 lakh crore ($27 billion) in profits.

BY V. KESHAVDEV

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MNC

IT'S A BUSTLING afternoon in Nariman Point, where history and modernity collide in the city's oldest central business district, located less than a mile from the iconic Gateway of India—initially conceived as a cardboard structure to commemorate the 1911 arrival of King-Emperor George V and Queen-Empress Mary. Shared cabs zigzag through the labyrinth of narrow streets, competing with lumbering BEST buses ferrying officegoers clutching files and sling-bags. The chaotic serenity is punctuated by the occasional gleam of a Merc or Beamer, gliding past with an air of effortless affluence. On the sidewalks, amid a tantalising aroma of Indian spices, vendors showcase their culinary craft with the rhythmic clatter of spatulas on shiny but tarred woks—serving up a sensory symphony of hustle, flavour, and ambition, intertwined with the relentless tempo of India's storied financial capital.

Rising above the cacophony, on the 14th floor of Boston Consulting Group's India headquarters, I sit across from Janmejaya Sinha, anticipating a structured conversation on what it takes to make it big in India. Instead, the 65-year-old chairman—who joined BCG India as employee No. 16 in 1998 and now leads a 3,500-member strong consulting business—narrates an anecdote that cuts to the core of why multinationals thrive or perish in India. "In 2004," he recounts, "a client came to us, determined to sell $10,000 televisions in India. At the time, most Indians didn't even earn that much in a year. But he was convinced: 'India has a billion people. Surely, we can sell at least a thousand TVs.'"

Sinha pauses, a flicker of bemusement crossing his face. "He told me, 'We sell these TVs in Denmark all the time.' I wanted to ask, 'Are you out of your mind?' but of course, I held my tongue as he was paying the bill!"

In fact, to give the client a sense of India's vast and diverse landscape, Sinha had him land in Delhi instead of Mumbai. He hoped the journey from the capital to India's commercial hub would serve as a reality check. And it did, albeit not in the way Sinha anticipated. "After seeing the disparity and complexity, he concluded, 'India is disappointing.' He had no interest in adapting his products for the market. 'These are our TVs,' he told me. 'Take it or leave it.'" Unpredictably, the Danish client left, leaving room for the aspiring South Koreans chaebols to enter.

The likes of LG and Samsung took a different approach. They didn't try to sell $10,000 luxury products to a nascent market. Instead, they localised. "LG didn't focus on picture quality and aesthetics; they worked on boosting the volume because in India's noisy neighbourhoods and slums, you need a loud TV," Sinha says, adding "while that client expressed his disappointment, LG and Samsung quietly captured the market."

The story isn't just about TVs—it's a lesson for every multinational corporation (MNC) hoping to crack the Indian market. Success here isn't about "transplanting" global products or strategies but more about "adapting" to the layered complexities of a country that is at once a luxury market, a mass market, and everything in between.

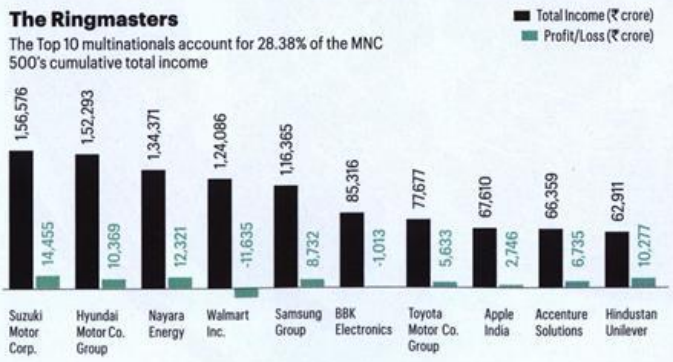
As sunlight streams through the floor-to-ceiling windows of BCG's office overlooking the Arabian Sea, Sinha leans forward and, in a sagely tone, says: "India won't change for you. You have to change for India."

It is this strikingly prescient observation that forms the backdrop against which *Fortune India*, for the first time ever, has compiled a definitive list of the largest MNCs by revenue—an effort that highlights their pivotal role and decisive standing in shaping India's evolving economic story. The development comes at a time when the government has rolled out the red carpet for multinationals to manufacture in India, offering production-linked incentives across 14 sectors with an outlay of ₹1.97 lakh crore.

Yet there's a revelatory statistic:

The Ringmasters

The Top 10 multinationals account for 28.38% of the MNC 500's cumulative total income



SOURCE: CAPITALINE, TOFLER, MCA FILINGS

the combined revenue of ₹77.72 lakh crore ($925 billion) generated by the top 345 Indian privately owned companies—excluding PSUs, MNCs, and banks—of Fortune 500 India is double the *Fortune India* MNC 500's cumulative revenue of ₹36.76 lakh crore ($438 billion)! *(Refer to methodology on page 180).*

But let's not chest-thump to the Viksit Bharat sloganeering, for here's a humbling fact-check: *the foreign corporations in the list are masters of their respective universes.*

For instance, in online retail, Walmart and Amazon stand unrivalled; Samsung, BBK, and Apple dominate consumer electronics, the dominance is all pervasive across automobiles, capital goods, FMCG, IT-hardware, telecom gear and beyond.

In sectors such as automobiles, consumer electronics, and FMCG, a relatively modest number of firms—21 in automobiles, 17 in consumer electronics, and 49 in FMCG—collectively amass staggering revenues. For instance, the automobile sector alone boasts a total income exceeding ₹5.91 lakh crore (approximately $70.36 billion) and profits around ₹38,851 crore ($4.63 billion). Similarly, the consumer electronics sector, with just 17 firms, generates income of about ₹4.81 lakh crore (around $57.29 billion) and profits of ₹15,903 crore (approximately $1.89 billion). FMCG firms aggregate over ₹4.03 lakh crore in income with profits nearing ₹38,903 crore. This concentration in each sector points to large MNCs not only capturing significant market share but also driving innovation, supply chain efficiencies, and economies of scale that small domestic firms often cannot match.



"BETWEEN 2020 AND 2030... WE'LL ADD AS MUCH TO THE GLOBAL GDP AS THE WHOLE OF EU."

Janmejaya Sinha, chairman, BCG India

The hot-steppers

The Top 10 names reflect the evolving landscape of multinational businesses in the country, underscoring a tale of two eras: one steeped in history and the other born of modern economic liberalisation. Amid the global giants, two names stand apart for their early embrace of the Indian market—Suzuki Motor Corp. (SMC) and Hindustan Unilever (HUL).

SMC made its foray into India in 1981, well before the winds of economic liberalisation swept across the subcontinent. Suzuki's partnership with Maruti transformed the Indian automobile market, making car ownership a reality for the burgeoning middle class. Today, the brand's dominance in the Indian auto sector underscores its early mover advantage and ability to adapt to local consumer needs. Post 1991 saw the entry of Hyundai Motor Co., ranked second on the list. Its success in India is a microcosm of its global ambitions, with localised manufacturing and design playing pivotal roles.

The two players today have a stranglehold on the passenger car market with SMC holding the fort with a share of 40.66% and Hyundai along with sibling Kia Motors holding close to 20%. Delving on Suzuki's success, R.C. Bhargava, who joined Maruti in 1981 as the marketing director and is now the chairman, tells *Fortune India*, "Besides Maruti Suzuki and, to an extent, Hyundai, none of the other multinationals who came to India were really small car manufacturers. Even those that did were not in the low-cost category."

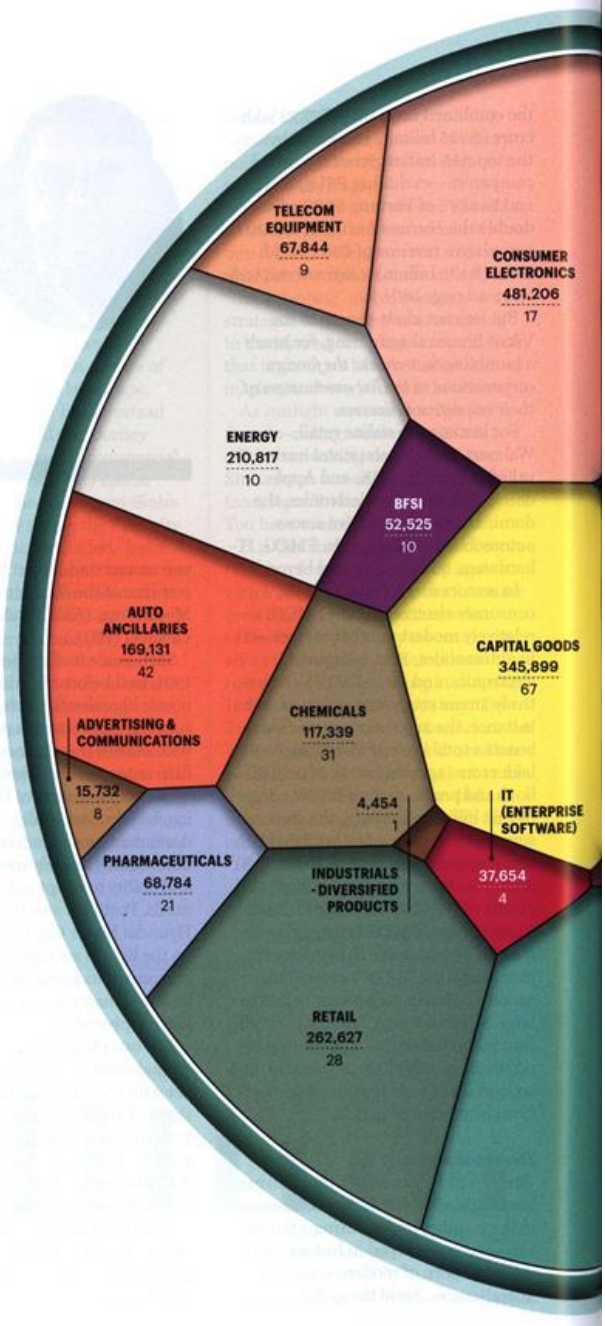
SMC's success in India is a testament to its unwavering focus and strategic prioritisation of the market. Unlike other global automakers, Suzuki made India central to its global strategy, transforming itself into an integral part of the country's auto ecosystem.

One of the key drivers of this success was Suzuki's unparalleled dedication to the Indian market, exemplified by the personal involvement of its leadership. "And I think another reason is the commitment to India in terms of their overall strategy," says Bhargava. "Suzuki made a much larger commitment to India. It was not just a major player elsewhere in the world operating in many countries; India became one of its most important markets. The amount of time and attention devoted by Suzuki, including by then-president Osamu Suzuki, was unparalleled."

In some sense, Suzuki's dominance is not just a testament to its early mover advantage but also to its strategic vision and unwavering commitment to the market. In fact, Toyota Motor Corp. Group, ranked No. 7 in the MNC 500, had entered the automotive space in 1997 as a joint venture with the

THE MASTERS OF THEIR UNIVERSE

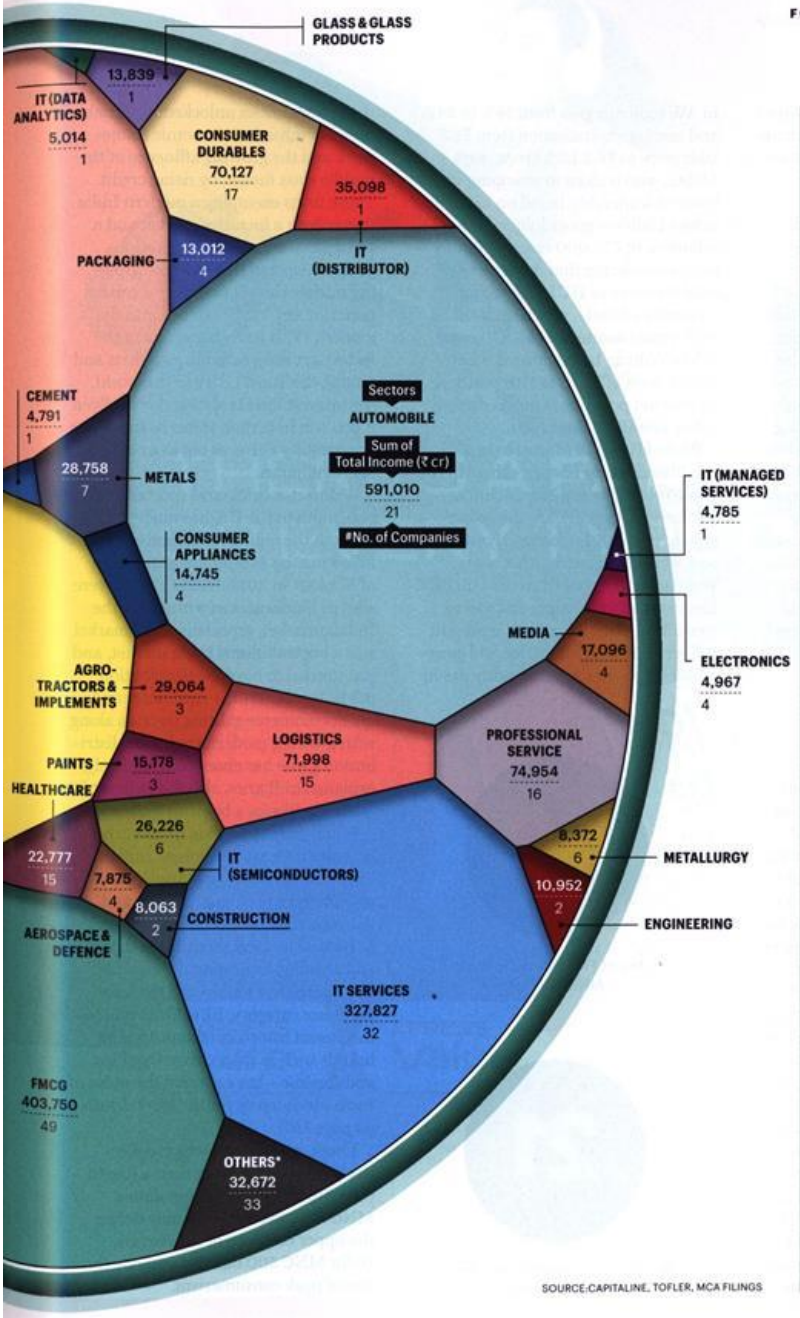
Irrespective of the overall category sizes, multinationals are the leaders in their respective niches



Sectors that have total income below $500 million are grouped under 'Others'.

Others* include sectors such as Industrial Engg, Agro, Electricals, Entertainment, Facilities Management, Shared Mobility, Printing & Stationery, Optical Systems, IT (Semiconductors), Telecom Services, Veterinary Healthcare, Telecom Infrastructure, Publishing, IT (Cybersecurity), IT (Hardware), Logistics - Freight Wagons Lessor, Hospitality, Consumer, and IT (Solutions).

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Kirloskar Group but was largely on the fringes of the passenger vehicles (PV) market, till it found a second coming. Following a strategic tie-up with SMC in 2017 aimed at leveraging each company's strengths to develop new vehicles and technologies, today, Toyota is the sixth-largest PV maker with 5% market share on the back of rebadged Maruti cars that make up for over 50% of its models sold in the country.

The reason for SMC's wider hold, says Bhargava, is the fact that the firm has its ear to the ground. "You can't just treat India as one of the 20 big markets in the world. It's important to create a tailor-made strategy. Unlike many multinationals that run companies with their own expats, Suzuki relied heavily on inputs from Indian management for decision-making," he says.

While the automotive landscape in India is now firmly entrenched in the hands of MNCs, in the case of HUL—which began its India sojourn back in 1933, making it one of the oldest multinationals to set up shop in the country—its trajectory mirrors India's colonial and post-colonial economic evolution. From pioneering soaps and packaged goods to becoming a household name synonymous with everyday essentials, HUL's legacy has been an example of endurance and adaptation. But, as former HUL CEO Sanjiv Mehta explains, the industry dynamics of FMCG and auto are like chalk and cheese.

"Today, HUL has 39% value market share. The auto industry is not as fragmented as the FMCG sector because the barriers to entry in the FMCG business are relatively much lower. That means you have to be continuously on guard, even

as you consolidate your position," says Mehta, who is now the executive chairman of L Catterton India, a consumer-focussed joint investment venture between LVMH and Mehta.

At ₹62,911 crore in revenues and ₹10,277 crore in profits, it's the only FMCG major in the Top 10; that's a commendable position to be in despite rising competition. Sriprakash Sridharan, former director of Nielsen, a market analytics firm, and now the founder of Prajna Consulting, a boutique marketing and strategy consulting firm, says: "With India becoming digital, the ways of doing business have also evolved and changed. We now see national players and regional players dominating in the food space more than the MNCs. Home-grown players such as Nykaa, Tira, Forest Essentials, and Kama are making some dent in the premium and masstige personal care space which was once considered MNCs' forte."

Mehta, though, is quick to point out that despite all the news flow around the upstarts cornering incremental market share, HUL numbers are what still matters. "In my last year (FY23), HUL added ₹8,000 crore to its delta turnover, which was more than the total revenue of all the players that we're talking about. So, many times, the optics are very different from reality because, in newspapers, a lot of space is given to companies doing ₹300-500 crore turnovers. But all that, put together, is not going to be dramatically different," explains Mehta.

During his decade-long stint, HUL not only drove exponential financial growth but also redefined industry benchmarks for profitability, market share, and market capitalisation. "During my 10 years, we added ₹35,000 crore to HUL's top line," Mehta recalls. "It was ₹25,000 crore before I came in. We took margins from 14% to 24% and market capitalisation from ₹1.2 lakh crore to ₹6.2 lakh crore," says Mehta, who is close to wrapping up a book on leadership based on his tenure across Unilever geographies. The reference to ₹35,000 crore is significant, considering that it eclipses the total turnover of HUL's next biggest competitor Nestlé, which ranks at 36 with a total income of ₹25,370 crore. While Wilmar International is hot on the heels of HUL at 11th position, its product portfolio is not as diverse. (*More details on page 120*).

While HUL and Maruti have a pre-liberalisation history, others in the Top 10 club, barring Nayara Energy (formerly Essar Oil), are the poster-boys of post-1991 reforms. Hyundai and Samsung from South Korea; Walmart and Apple from the US; BBK Electronics from China; and global consulting giant Accenture represent a diverse array of industries and geographies. Yet, their commonality lies in the opportunities unlocked by India's post-liberalisation economic framework and the growing affluence of the middle class fuelled by rising credit. These firms exemplify a modern India that is both a lucrative market and a strategic hub for global operations.

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No. of FMCG firms in the MNC 500 list

21

No. of automobile firms in the MNC 500 list

"India's population and the growing middle class is definitely a catchy point for any MNC to enter into the market. With India being one of the fastest-growing emerging markets and among the Top 5 GDPs in the world, the interest level is always there... Even if you win in certain states in India, the opportunity size is as big as a country," says Sridharan.

Walmart, a brick-and-mortar retail behemoth in the US, has made its mark in the online retail landscape following the $16-billion acquisition of Flipkart in 2018. "Earlier there were a lot of hindrances in winning in the Indian market, especially if the market was a big traditional trade market, and you needed to have the distribution might to win. With e-commerce and quick commerce gaining traction along with growing modern trade, the distribution game has changed completely," explains Sridharan, also the author of *Building Blocks*, a book on leadership.

While tech consulting firms such as Accenture have leveraged India's burgeoning talent pool, Apple, once considered a premium niche brand, has expanded its footprint dramatically, buoyed by local assembly operations and a young, aspirational consumer demographic. Similarly, in the mass premium category, BBK Electronics—the parent company of smartphone brands such as Oppo, vivo, OnePlus, and Realme—has captured the pulse of India's tech-savvy youth (*More details on page 110*).

These companies—which collectively account for more than a fourth (₹85,316 crore) of the cumulative MNC 500 revenue—not only define the upper echelons of the *Fortune India* MNC 500 but also embody the rise of peak consumerism.

The late bloomers

Interestingly, the capital goods and industrial engineering sectors, which cumulatively account for ₹2.91 lakh crore of the MNC universe, has found a fresh whiff of life post 2014 on the back of higher government spending even as traditional industrial conglomerates are taking a fancy to consumer-oriented businesses after the pandemic. Not surprising that the likes of GE and Hitachi which have been in the country since the colonial era, are making the most of the new-found momentum in the Indian economy. Well-established corporations such as Siemens, Hitachi, GE, Cummins, Schneider, ABB, Alstom SA, and Honeywell dominate the capital goods pack with total income of ₹2 lakh crore and a market cap of ₹5.78 lakh crore.

At the forefront of Hitachi's expansive operations in India is Bharat Kaushal, who heads the Hitachi Group here. Reflecting on its deep-rooted presence, Kaushal notes, "Hitachi first set foot outside of Japan in India in the 1930s, establishing the longest and first overseas presence of the company. Post-independence, Hitachi played a pivotal role in key national projects—delivering the first locomotive for Indian Railways in 1953, setting up India's first telephone exchange, and supplying turbines for the Bhakra Nangal Dam in 1958. These milestones underscore Hitachi's longstanding commitment to India's growth."

Over the past five years, the focus within the capital goods sector has shifted towards manufacturing, defence, railways, and industrials, driven by substantial government spending. "The government's investment in these sectors has been a game-changer," Kaushal says. Hitachi has strategically aligned itself with these priorities, contributing to projects like modernising the Indian Railways, enhancing energy infrastructure, and supporting urbanisation through smart city initiatives.



"THE AUTO INDUSTRY IS NOT AS FRAGMENTED AS FMCG BECAUSE THE BARRIERS TO ENTRY IN FMCG ARE LOWER."

Sanjiv Mehta, executive chairman, L Catterton India

Government spending remains a critical driver of growth in India's capital goods sector. "The government acts as a major spender, providing the impetus for large-scale projects in railways, energy, and urban infrastructure," Kaushal states. Reflecting on the immense potential, Kaushal emphasises, "With an estimated ₹20,000-40,000 crore investment in modernisation projects over the next six to seven years, Hitachi aims to target at least 15% of this opportunity, leveraging our extensive expertise and historical presence."

Serving it right

Even as industrial and engineering companies are looking to make the most of the government's infra spending gravy train, there are others in the consumer-facing business, especially food and retail, that have played to their strengths or faltered on their weakness. For instance, quick service restaurants (QSRs) and retail multinationals have carved their paths, testing the waters with master franchising before fully committing to the complexities of the Indian market.

Gaurav Marya, who owns Franchise India Holdings, one of Asia's largest integrated franchise solution companies, explains the cautious yet calculated entry of QSR giants into India. "Most of the times, even the big boys enter [the market] through franchisees," says Marya, citing examples such as McDonald's and Starbucks. This initial franchising phase allows these brands to adapt to local tastes and regulations with a reduced risk, leveraging local partners' market knowledge.

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As these ventures mature, companies transition from franchising to establishing a more permanent presence. "They would look at a franchisee as a model and eventually in their contract, they would have an opportunity to eventually come in and own the identity in India," Marya explains. This shift often corresponds with the brand's confidence in the market, dictated by customer acceptance and operational success.

The journey of beverage titans such

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MNCs ARE FILLING THE VOID IN THE SECTOR WITH CORE SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING, AND DEEP TECHNOLOGY.
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ONLY A FEW in India would have heard of Joseph Cyril Bamford, but everyone knows his acronym, JCB. It is synonymous with a large digger, bulldozer or earth mover in India. Bamford, who started manufacturing agricultural tipping trailers from Uttoxeter, Staffordshire of the U.K. in 1945, scaled up by manufacturing heavy construction machines. JCB's entry into India in 1979 was another strategic move. With five factories across India, JCB manufactures 60 products in nine categories for the domestic market and, more importantly, exports to more than 125 countries.

The JCB facility at Ballabgarh, near Delhi, is the world's largest factory for backhoe loaders—a tractor-like unit with a loader-style shovel on the front and a backhoe at the back—that are used for road maintenance. JCB Chief Executive Graeme Macdonald recently said that sales of backhoe loaders have been strong in India, besides North America.

As India's economy progresses towards $5 trillion, with a strong demand outlook for branded, premium products, the role of MNCs only gets bigger. The economic scenario offers a business case for global giants, which invest in core science research, engineering and deep technology; Indian companies still lag in core R&D.

No wonder that the manufacturing unit of LG Electronics India in Uttar Pradesh's Greater Noida has no time to pause its rolling production lines, which manufacture refrigerators, washing machines, air conditioners, microwave ovens, and water purifiers, among others. This facility of the South Korean consumer durables giant, which commenced commercial operations in 1997 and has expanded to 10 production lines, witnessed capacity utilisation rising to 86% in Q1FY25 compared to 66.7% in FY22. Meanwhile, capacity utilisation at LG's manufacturing unit at MIDC Ranjangaon, Pune, increased to 69% from 54% in the same period.

And LG is expanding its manufacturing base in the country. The company and its parts suppliers plan to invest ₹7,000 crore to build LG's third factory and create a vendor base in Sri City, Andhra Pradesh. The company plans to raise ₹15,000 crore via the IPO route. Incidentally, Hyundai Motor India, another South Korean company, raised ₹27,870.16 crore—the highest ever in India—via its IPO last year.

In the EV space, Chinese auto major BYD and Vietnamese MNC VinFast are in a hurry to introduce their new cars. Warren Buffett's Berkshire Hathaway-backed BYD's Blade battery is used in Mahindra's new EVs. And Tata Motors has partnered with China's Octillion Power Systems to source battery packs for its Curvv EVs.

Meanwhile, Taiwanese chipmakers are making a beeline to partner with Indian giants to tap opportunities in the domestic market. And core engineering companies like Honeywell and Siemens are expanding their manufacturing footprint and building India as a hub for their aerospace, defence, and civil aviation businesses.

In recent times, the country crossed a significant economic threshold with FDI inflows exceeding $1 trillion since April 2000, because of a 26% increase in the first half of FY25. India's improving appeal as an investment destination is driven by policy reforms, strategic initiatives like Make in India, and liberalised FDI norms. Services, manufacturing, and technology witnessed robust inflows.

Cashing in on core science

Let's come to German engineering giant Siemens. Its history in India goes back to 1867 when Werner von Siemens and his brothers laid the groundwork for the Indo-European telegraph line. Siemens, which founded its first branches in Mumbai in 1922, has a strong manufacturing footprint across the country, with more than 23,000 employees. Its net profit rose by 39% to ₹2,717 crore in the October 2023 to September 2024 fiscal on revenue of ₹21,983 crore, which increased by 12%. Its market capitalisation (m-cap) is more than ₹2 lakh crore.

Longstanding players are reaping the benefits. Otis Worldwide, which installed India's first elevator in Kolkata in 1892, sells 70,000 new units annually and its market here is 2.5x bigger than its market in the US. ABB India, a Swiss tech giant in electrification and automation that launched its operations soon after independence, posted a 22% rise in profit to ₹1,242 crore in the year ended December 31, 2023. Its m-cap is ₹1.3 lakh crore.

Siemens Ltd chairman Deepak S. Parekh said in its 2024 annual report that the company is investing around ₹1,000 crore: ₹460 crore for a power transformer factory in Kalwa; ₹190 crore for a metro train manufacturing facility at Aurangabad; ₹330 crore for a gas-insulated switchgear factory and ₹56 crore for a vacuum interrupter factory, both in Goa. "These investments will enable the company to meet the growing demand both in India and globally," he wrote.

In core science and engineering, MNCs face less competition from Indian companies. For instance, automobile original equipment manufacturers (OEMs) had to initiate multi-sourcing of motor, battery and power electronics to produce EVs of global standard from India.

"The large and traditional MNCs see India as an arrowhead for exports to global markets. While Suzuki built a facility in Gujarat solely for global exports, Schneider Electric is investing heavily to make India a manufacturing hub for its exports," says Tarunesh Madan, co-Managing Partner at Amrop India, a leadership advisory firm. JCB manufactures 80% of its global products in India, underscoring the growing trend of using India as a manufacturing hub, he adds.

However, there are some core sectors, such as heavy manufacturing, where MNCs are less active. For instance, in steel manufacturing, India never had a global player until ArcelorMittal formed a joint venture with Nippon and acquired bankrupt Essar Steel. In petroleum refining, Reliance Industries never had competition, but the entry of Russian oil major Rosneft with the acquisition of Essar Oil has changed the landscape. The cement sector has no big global player after Holcim, the world's largest cement maker, exited India, selling ACC and Ambuja to Gautam Adani. "Some MNCs are exiting sectors like steel and cement due to concerns over ESG factors, carbon credits, and emissions, choosing instead to fund operations in emerging markets," says Madan.

Emerging opportunities

Energy transition and carbon emission reduction offer abundant opportunities for Indian companies to collaborate with global firms that specialise in technologies in these areas, says Jeroen van Hoof, Global Energy, Utilities & Resources Leader at PwC.

Then there are the fast-emerging sectors, such as semiconductors. The central government early last year approved the Murugappa Group's plan to set up a semiconductor unit in Sanand, Gujarat. CG Power and Industrial Solutions, a subsidiary of Murugappa Group firm Tube Investments of India, has tied up with Japanese giant Renesas Electronics and Thailand-based Stars Microelectronics to build an assembly and test facility that will cost ₹7,600 crore.

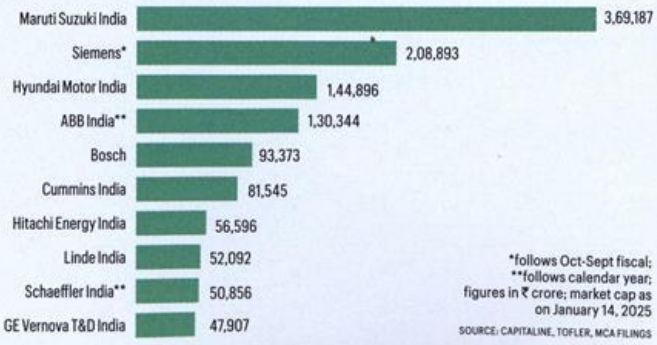
Similarly, Tata Electronics has partnered with Powerchip Semiconductor Manufacturing Corporation (PSMC) of Taiwan for tech transfer to build India's first semiconductor fabrication unit. It has also signed a pact with Massachusetts-based Analog Devices to make semiconductors in India. And HCL Technologies has partnered with Taiwan's Foxconn and Intel Foundry to develop semiconductor chips and other semiconductor-related products. The Adani Group is entering chipmaking via a joint venture (JV) with Israel's Tower Semiconductor. Key reforms like the Semicon India programme, worth ₹76,000 crore, is likely to support the new ventures in semiconductor and display manufacturing.

MNCs are pursuing JV-led strategies through which tech transfer is also playing out. For instance, Boeing has a JV with Tata Advanced Systems to produce aerostructures for global exports. In EVs, Sajjan Jindal's JSW Group picked up a 35% stake in MG Motor India a year ago. "Many mid-sized MNCs, previously focussed on sales in India, are now creating manufacturing capacities in India to cater to Asian markets," says Madan.

The PLI schemes introduced in 2020 have resulted in ₹1.32 lakh crore in investments and a significant boost to manufacturing output of ₹10.90 lakh crore as of June 2024. Exports have surged, with an additional ₹4 lakh crore generated due to the PLI schemes, according to government data. The new entrants will get policy support for growing the businesses as the country wants to cash in on the new opportunities in the supply chain that emerges out of China's slowdown. F

TOP 10 MANUFACTURING COMPANIES

In terms of market cap, auto companies and capital goods firms dominate the space.



*follows Oct-Sept fiscal; **follows calendar year; figures in ₹ crore; market cap as on January 14, 2025

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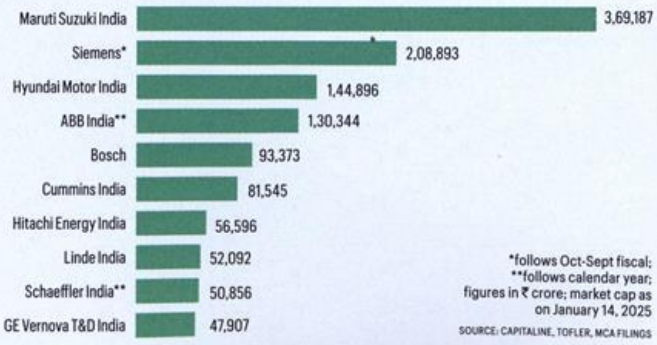
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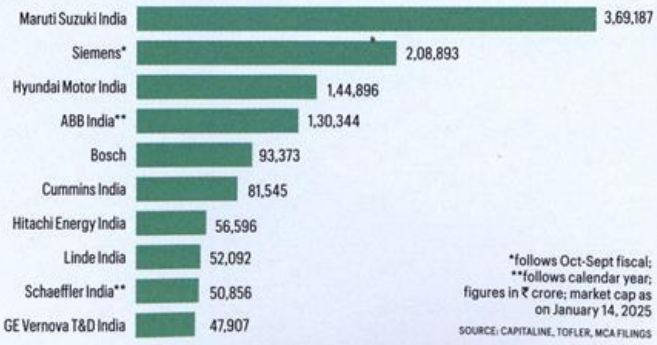
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Sensex, Nifty fall for 8th session on weak cues; Risk-averse sentiment continues to rule as corporate earnings significantly below expectations



MUMBAI

BENCHMARK Sensex declined nearly 200 points on Friday, extending its losing run to the eighth day due to persistent foreign fund outflows and weak quarterly earnings by corporates.

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"The risk-averse sentiment continues to rule investors' minds as corporate earnings are significantly lower than the market expectations during the start of the year, especially for mid and small caps. Muted earnings trend, INR depreciation along with external factors like tariffs are expected to keep the sentiments weak in the near term, which could further push FIIs outflows. Volatility is expected to stay elevated until there is clarity on tariffs and a recovery in corporate earnings," said Vinod Nair, head (research), Geojit Financial Services.

As many as 3,320 stocks declined while 681 advanced and 82 remained unchanged on the BSE.

"The Indian equity markets have witnessed a devastating trading week, completely overshadowing the positive momentum built over the past two weeks. This week was marked by an unsettling trend of eight straight sessions of sell-offs, creating a climate of concern among investors," added Osho Krishnan, sr analyst (technical & derivatives), Angel One.

The BSE smallcap gauge tanked 3.24 per cent and midcap index dropped 2.59 per cent. Among BSE sectoral indices, services plunged 3.16 per cent, industrials (3.03 per cent), capital goods (2.76 per cent), power (2.65 per cent), utilities (2.52 per cent), consumer durables (2.39 per cent), commodities (2.25 per cent) and realty (2.03 per cent). BSE Focused IT emerged as the only gainer. UltraTech Cement, Sun Pharma, IndusInd Bank, NTPC and Tata Steel were also among the laggards. Nestle, ICICI Bank, Infosys, Tata Consultancy Services and HCL Tech were among the gainers.

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Prayagraj, Kumbh Mela: Ensuring that pilgrims receive hot, nourishing prasadam immediately after their sacred snan, Adani and ISKCON have established a fourth kitchen right at Sangam. At the suggestion of Mela Adhikari, this kitchen was set up to avoid vehicle movement from other kitchens and ensure a seamless distribution process. Previously, food had to be transported across the Mela grounds, causing logistical delays. Now, with this new setup, devotees can instantly receive prasadam at Sangam itself, right after completing their holy dip. This timely initiative reflects the commitment of Adani and ISKCON to selfless service, ensuring that no pilgrim goes hungry and every devotee is nourished both spiritually and physically. The smooth coordination and dedication of these teams continue to uplift the sacred experience of the Maha Kumbh.

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As part of the massive spiritual gathering, Adani Group, in partnership with ISKCON, has been providing free food prasad (sacred offerings) to millions of devotees. On the fifteenth day of the Mahakumbh, a notable event unfolded when Meerut MP Shri Arun Govil, famously known for his portrayal of Lord Ram in the iconic television series Ramayan, joined the Mahaprasad distribution service. Shri Govil personally distributed food prasad to devotees, further cementing the initiative's impact. Shri Arun Govil praised the efforts of the Adani Group and ISKCON in providing free, satvik (pure) food to the devotees, calling it a remarkable service during such a grand religious event. "This free and selfless food prasad service by Adani and ISKCON is a great service for the devotees in Mahakumbh," said Govil. "Providing quality satvik food is commendable, and I extend my best wishes and gratitude to both the Adani and ISKCON groups for their efforts."



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NEW DELHI



Congress MP Jairam Ramesh on Friday took a dig at Prime Minister Narendra Modi over his "MEGA" remark after meeting US President Donald Trump, saying that the only equation that counts is 'Modani,' referring to businessman Gautam Adani.

In a post on X, Ramesh said, "This is Prime Minister Modi's first visit to the United States since President Donald Trump's inauguration for his second presidential term last month. Now, he says, in the context of India and the USA, that MAGA + MIGA = MEGA. Actually, the only equation that counts is Modi + Adani = Modani."

Earlier in the day, PM Modi drew a parallel between India's "Viksit Bharat" vision and the "Make America Great Again" (MAGA) slogan in the United States, coining the term "Make India Great Again" (MIGA).

Taking to social media platform X, PM Modi noted that India and the US have formed a "MEGA" partnership to drive prosperity for both nations.

"President Trump often talks about MAGA. In India, we are working towards a Viksit Bharat, which in the American context translates into MIGA. And together, India and the USA have a MEGA partnership for prosperity!" the Prime Minister said in a post.

This is Prime Minister Modi's first visit to the United States since President Donald Trump's inauguration for his second presidential term last month.

PM Modi is among the first world leaders to visit the United States following the inauguration of President Trump and has been invited to the US within barely three weeks of the new administration.

Following the bilateral meeting between Prime Minister Narendra Modi and President Donald Trump, Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri provided a detailed overview of the key initiatives launched during the visit and said that the leaders launched Mission-500 in the sector of trade and investment, aiming to more than double two-way trade to USD 500 billion by 2030.

He added that the leaders unveiled the US-India Compact for the 21st Century, aimed at accelerating military partnerships, commerce, and technological advancements.

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"India is a democracy and our culture is 'Vasudhaiva Kutum-

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bakam', we consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine. Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," he said. He was asked if the "Gautam Adani case" was discussed in the meeting with Donald Trump.

PM Modi had bilateral discussions with President Trump during "a very substantive and productive visit" to the United States. It was the Prime Minister's first visit to the United States after the inauguration of President Trump for a second term. The discussions at the White House went on for four hours. The discussions covered a lot of ground, and the entire gamut of the relationship, apart from regional and global issues of concern, were discussed.

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THE BRIHANMUMBAI Municipal Corporation (BMC) on Friday said that it will shift the contentious bio-waste treatment plant in Mumbai's Govandi, caught in a legal battle between residents and the civic body, to a Raigad village within a year.

The plant, which processes biological and medical waste, is located within 200 metres of the Deonar dumping ground.

Last year, the Maharashtra government earmarked a 124-acre portion of the Deonar landfill for the ongoing Dharavi Redevelopment Project (DRP). The project is jointly being executed by the Adani group and Slum Rehabilitation Authority (SRA) of the state government.

In 2023, the Bombay High Court ordered the immediate relocation of this plant. However, the relocation procedure was stuck in limbo for over a year.

Officials said the bio-waste

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Govandi bio-waste plant

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PRATIP ACHARYA
MUMBAI, FEBRUARY 14

THE BRIHANMUMBAI Municipal Corporation (BMC) on Friday said that it will shift the contentious bio-waste treatment plant in Mumbai's Govandi, caught in a legal battle between residents and the civic body, to a Raigad village within a year.

The plant, which processes biological and medical waste, is located within 200 metres of the Deonar dumping ground.

Last year, the Maharashtra government earmarked a 124-acre portion of the Deonar landfill for the ongoing Dharavi Redevelopment Project (DRP). The project is jointly being executed by the Adani group and Slum Rehabilitation Authority (SRA) of the state government.

In 2023, the Bombay High Court ordered the immediate relocation of this plant. However, the relocation procedure was stuck in limbo for over a year.

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Leaders do not discus personal matters: Modi on Adani issue

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Leaders do not discuss personal matters: Modi on Adani issue

Sriram Lakshman
WASHINGTON DC

Prime Minister Narendra Modi suggested that he had not discussed with U.S. President Donald Trump, the U.S. charges against billionaire industrialist Gautam Adani, who is perceived as close to Mr. Modi. The Prime Minister said that such personal issues were not raised when world leaders met.

"Every Indian is family to me. The other thing is, the leaders of countries do not meet to discuss such personal matters," Mr. Modi said, animatedly.

Thursday's joint press conference, where the question was asked of Mr. Modi, is the second time the Prime Minister, who is perceived to keep away from unscripted interviews, has participated at a press conference at the White House (the first time was in 2023 at a joint press appearance with former U.S. President Joe Biden).

On Tuesday, Mr. Trump had paused the Foreign Practices Corruption Act, 1976 for six months. The law prohibits a U.S. company or person bribing foreign governments, political parties and others to secure business.

In November last year, the U.S. announced charges against associates of Mr. Adani for conspiracy to violate this law and Mr. Adani was also charged, but on other counts. The case pertains to an alleged bribery scheme involving more than $250 million between 2020 and 2024. Mr. Trump's suspension of the law may mean a reprieve for Mr. Adani and his associates.

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PM's 'silence' on Adani draws Oppn ire

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NEW DELHI: The opposition Congress on Friday launched an attack on Prime Minister Narendra Modi for "covering up" alleged corruption by businessman Gautam Adani during a press briefing at the White House where he termed the charges against the industrialist a "personal matter".

Leading the charge for the party, leader of opposition in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi accused the PM of maintaining silence when questions are asked in the country and terming it a personal matter when asked abroad.

"If you ask questions in the country, there is silence, if you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption!" Gandhi said in a post on X. "When filling a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modiji, then taking bribes and looting the nation's wealth becomes a 'personal matter'," Gandhi said in the post in Hindi.

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The comments came hours after the PM concluded his bilateral meeting with US President Donald Trump during the second leg of his foreign trip.

On questions about the charges against Adani, the PM said, "Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such personal issues," he said. President Trump did not mention the case during the briefing.

Congress leader Jairam Ramesh also reacted, asking, "Since when has corruption become a personal matter?"

The Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) also condemned Modi's remarks saying, "Prime Minister Narendra Modi showed his friendship with Adani in America... It is highly condemnable and shameful that the Prime Minister described Adani's acts of looting the country's assets and distributing bribes as a private matter."

Trinamool Congress (TMC) MP Sagarika Ghose said, "An American journalist asks what Indian journalists are too terrified to ask."

The US Department of Justice indictment has alleged that between 2020 and 2024, Adani executives collaborated with those from another company, Azure Power, to pay bribes to Indian government officials in five states to obtain solar energy supply contracts projected to generate more than $2 billion in profits over 20 years.

The Adani Group has strongly denied the allegations as "baseless" and vowed to "seek all possible legal recourse."

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Gold worth Rs 6.28 cr seized, 3 arrested

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Gold worth ₹6.28 cr seized, 3 arrested

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MUMBAI: The Mumbai unit of the Directorate of Revenue Intelligence (DRI) has seized smuggled gold worth ₹6.28 crore from three Iranian passengers who arrived at Mumbai's international airport from Dubai.

The DRI seized the gold, weighing 7.143 kilograms, and arrested the three Iranian passengers under the provisions of the Customs Act.

The smuggled gold pieces were allegedly concealed in waist bags hidden underneath the clothes worn by two of the three passengers. During their alleged voluntary statements, these two passengers admitted to smuggling the gold at the behest of the third passenger for monetary benefits. The same was corroborated by the third passenger on being questioned, the sources said.

"The 7.143 kg of smuggled gold, valued at ₹6.28 crore, was seized and the three passengers were arrested. The probe is underway to identify their associates, in India and abroad," a DRI source said.

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Markets fall for 8th day as relentless FII selling hits market sentiments

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10	English	133	N/A	Middle Center	221779	350K

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MUMBAI: Equity benchmark indices Sensex and Nifty extended their downward trend to eighth day in a row on Friday as investors' sentiments were plagued due to persistent foreign fund outflows.

The 30-share BSE benchmark Sensex dropped 199.76 points or 0.26 per cent to settle at 75,939.21. The NSE Nifty declined 102.15 points or 0.44 per cent to 22,929.25.

In eight trading days, the BSE benchmark has tumbled 2,644.6 points or 3.36 per cent, and the Nifty slumped 810 points or 3.41 per cent.

The market capitalisation of BSE-listed firms dropped by Rs 25,31,579.11 crore to Rs 4,00,19,247 crore ($4.61 trillion) in eight days.



From the 30-share blue-chip pack, Adani Ports dropped over 4 per cent. UltraTech Cement, Sun Pharma, IndusInd Bank, NTPC and Tata Steel were also the among the laggards.

Nestle, ICICI Bank, Infosys, Tata Consultancy Services and HCL Tech were among the gainers.

The Sensex dipped 32.11 points or 0.04 per cent to settle at 76,138.97 on Thursday. The Nifty slipped 13.85 points or 0.06 per cent to 23,031.40. PTI

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Adani to Musk, Modi deftly handles media

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PM Narendra Modi

WASHINGTON: A press conference addressed by Prime Minister Narendra Modi is not a regular occurrence. To be sure, he did dozens of interviews in the run-up to the 2024 elections. But there are only three occasions where he has addressed the press—all in the White House.

The first one was in June 2023 in the East Room as he concluded his state visit to the US. And the second and third were on Thursday, when President Donald Trump.

And guess what — Modi is good at the back and forth with reporters. This should be no surprise given his obvious political sharpness and skilled use of language, the ability to condense and convey a thought in simple and accessible terms and his humour. This is not about whether one agrees or disagrees with the answer, but about the fact that there is a certain ease and comfort with which he engaged with a hall packed with journalists, not all of them friendly.

This was reflected in two questions that came his way on Thursday evening. The first, on billionaire tycoon Elon Musk, and the second, potentially trickier question, on industrialist Gautam Adani.

Modi delivered his punch line, combining flattery of Trump with a deflection of whether any business proposal was indeed discussed. In response to the other question, he said, "We consider the whole world our family. And I consider each Indian my family." He then said, with a note of annoyance, "The leaders of two countries don't sit or meet or talk on such personal matters."

Again, whether the question or the answer was adequate is not the point. The point is that Modi knew how to deal with it in a way that was both succinct and clear.

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EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
MUMBAI, FEBRUARY 14

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Adani 'bribery' charge in US

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The charges, brought by US prosecutors, had sparked concerns about the impact on US-India business ties and the broader strategic relationship between the two nations.

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Modi covered up Adani's corruption even in America: Rahul Gandhi

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NEW DELHI, 14 FEBRUARY



Leader of Opposition in Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi on Friday said Prime Minister Narendra Modi covered up billionaire businessman Gautam Adani's alleged corruption even in the United States.

The statement comes in the wake of Modi's response to a query if he discussed the case of Adani with US President Donald Trump. Modi had stated that "when heads of two countries meet, they do not discuss such personal matters".

Gandhi, in a post on X, said: "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence. Abroad, it is a personal matter. Modi ji covered up Adani ji's corruption even in America."

The Leader of the Opposition who has been accusing Modi of favouring Adani further said: "When filing a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modi ji... bribery and looting the nation's wealth becomes a personal matter."

It may be mentioned that in November last year, Gandhi had demanded Adani's immediate arrest after the US Department of Justice (DoJ) and US Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) indicted him and others for alleged bribery.

"It is now pretty clear and established in America that Adani has broken both American law and Indian law. He has been indicted in the US. I am wondering why Adani is still running around a free man in this country, despite being accused of a Rs 2,000 scam and multiple others," he had said.

The Adani Group had denied all allegations made by the US DoJ and the US SEC, and said all possible legal recourse will be sought.

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Says Congress leader Rahul Gandhi on Adani issue

OUR CORRESPONDENT

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"Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption!" Gandhi charged in his post in Hindi.

"When filling a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modiji, then taking bribes and looting the nation's wealth becomes a 'personal matter'," he also said. Congress general secretary (communications) Jairam Ramesh said, "Modi ji's face turned pale on hearing Adani's name. Then he beat around the bush and gave irrelevant knowledge and said - this is a personal matter."



Rahul Gandhi

"Since when has corruption become a personal matter," he asked in a post on X.

"In Mr. Modi likes to display his knowledge of algebraic equations acquired through his training in entire political science. First he likened Indo-Canada relations to (a+b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab.

"Now he says in the context of India and USA that MAGA + MIGA = MEGA. Actually the only equation that counts is Modi + Adani = Modani," Ramesh said in another post.

The Congress also took a swipe at the prime minister and said in a post on its official X handle, "In America, a journalist asked a question related to the corruption of Narendra Modi's best friend Adani. Narendra Modi called it a personal matter and started talking about other things. His face turned pale as soon as he heard the question."

"Investigations are going on against Adani in Sri Lanka, Kenya, Bangladesh, Australia and many other countries, people are taking to the streets and protesting.

In America, a warrant was even issued in the corruption case. There are many allegations of corruption, but for Narendra Modi this is a personal matter. Shameful," the party said in a post in Hindi.

To a question on whether the issue relating to Adani figured in the talks, Modi at a joint media briefing with Donald Trump in Washington said: "India is a democracy and our culture is 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine."

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Sensex, Nifty slide for 8th day on FPI outflows, weak Q3 numbers

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MUMBAI, FEBRUARY 14

Benchmark Sensex declined nearly 200 points on Friday, extending its losing run to the eighth day due to persistent foreign fund outflows and weak quarterly earnings by corporates. The 30-share BSE benchmark Sensex dropped 199.76 points or 0.26 per cent to settle at 75,939.21 with 21 of its constituents ending lower. During the day, it tanked 699.33 points or 0.91 per cent to 75,439.64.

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Nestle, ICICI Bank, Infosys, Tata Consultancy Services and HCL Tech were among the gainers. "The risk-averse sentiment continues to rule investors' minds as corporate earnings are significantly lower than the market expectations during the start of the year, especially for mid and small caps.

"Muted earnings trend, INR depreciation along with external factors like tariffs are expected to keep the sentiments weak in the near term, which could further push FIIs outflows. Volatility is expected to stay elevated until there is clarity on tariffs and a recovery in corporate earnings," Vinod Nair, Head of Research, Geojit Financial Services, said. "The Indian equity markets have witnessed a devastating trading week, completely overshadowing the positive momentum built over the past two weeks. This week was marked by an unsettling trend of eight straight sessions of sell-offs, creating a climate of concern among investors," Osho Krishnan, Sr. Analyst, Technical & Derivatives of - Angel One, said. **PTI**

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14	English	40	N/A	Middle Left	12025	55K

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18 passengers trying to smuggle gold intercepted at Mumbai airport

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EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
MUMBAI, FEBRUARY 14

THE CUSTOMS department said Thursday that it intercepted at least 18 passengers at Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj International Airport while they were allegedly trying to smuggle gold and diamonds worth crores of rupees into the country by concealing them.

The Customs officials said the passengers were intercepted on Tuesday and Wednesday, and 5.92 kg of gold and diamonds worth Rs 9.12 crore were seized from them.

According to the officials, during a routine frisking and scanning procedure on Tuesday, Central Industrial Security Force (CISF) officers found suspicious objects inside the laptop of a passenger flying to Bangkok from Mumbai. The passenger was then handed over to the Air Intelligence Unit (AIU) at the airport. After they examined the contest, Customs officials seized 2147.20 carats of diamonds valued at Rs 4.93 crore. The passenger was arrested under the Customs Act for smuggling, the Customs officials added.

On Wednesday, three passengers who arrived from Dubai were intercepted, and 24-carat crude gold rhodium-plated rings and buttons—weighing 775 gram and valued at Rs 61.45 lakh—were seized from them. The gold was concealed in belt buckles and trolley bags carried by the passengers.

They said 14 Kenyan nationals, who had arrived from Nairobi to Mumbai, were also intercepted on the same day based on profiling and input they received, and 22-carat melted gold bars and jewellery weighing 2,741 grams valued at Rs 1.85 crore were seized.

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Rahul: PM silent on Adani, calls it 'Personal

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"LEO is the name of the game right now, so the potential winner has the opportunity to really tap into a rapidly growing market," said Damodaran Raman, a director at Deloitte who specialises in space tech.



About 20 companies initially expressed interest in bidding for the SSLV, the first privatisation of its kind under Prime Minister Narendra Modi's policy drive to open up the space industry.

The three finalist consortiums include Alpha Design Technologies, in which Adani Defence Systems and Technologies owns a stake; state-backed Bharat Dynamics; and Hindustan Aeronautics.

Reuters could not verify the exact structure of each bidding group.

The firms did not respond to requests for comment.

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NEW DELHI

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Jairam Ramesh, Congress general secretary, communications, said on X, "Modi*ji*'s face turned pale on hearing Adani's name. Then he gave a roundabout and irrelevant answer – this is a personal matter. Since when has corruption become a personal matter."

In another post, Mr. Ramesh said, "Mr. Modi likes to display his knowledge of algebraic equations acquired through his training in entire political science. First he likened Indo-Canada relations to (a+b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab. Now he says in the context of India and USA that MAGA + MIGA = MEGA. Actually the only equation that counts is Modi + Adani = Modani."

In contrast to the Congress's official position, party senior leader and Lok Sabha member from Thiruvananthapuram Shashi Tharoor praised the Prime Minister's engagement with the U.S. "The press statements by both the Prime Minister and President Trump are very encouraging. The big concerns, we all had, have been addressed, For example, on the question of trade and tariffs, they have decided to sit down together and do a serious negotiation and conclude by the fall (September-October)," Mr. Tharoor said in Bengaluru on the sidelines of the Invest Karnataka summit.

On the illegal immigration issue, Mr. Tharoor said, "The only thing missing there from what Prime Minister Narendra Modi said was the question of the manner in which these people were treated and sent back. I think his stand was absolutely correct. I hope some things were said behind closed doors and not in the press conference."

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KOLKATA

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NEW DELHI

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"The government is open to considering demands for a revision in bilateral agreements for Singapore but Indian airlines have to first utilise the seat capacity allocated under these agreements," a senior official of the Civil Aviation Ministry told *The Hindu* on the condition of anonymity.

A bilateral air service agreement (ASA) is a treaty between two countries that allows airlines to provide air connectivity. These specify the number of flights or seats allocated to the two countries, apart from the airports that can be served.

Following a surge in travel post pandemic, there have been demands from the UAE, Qatar, Singapore, Turkiye, and several other countries for enhanced seat allocation, but the government has been reluctant to accede to these demands fearing loss of passengers for Indian airlines, with Qatar Airways and Emirates redirecting passengers bound for the U.S. and Europe through their hubs in Doha and Dubai.



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But there is no policy change for the West Asian countries yet, according to the official.

Singapore Airlines and its low-cost subsidiary, Scoot, have fully exhausted the number of seats they are allowed to deploy on Indian routes, while Indian carriers are "almost at seat cap", according to industry and diplomatic sources.

Last year, Brian Torrey, general manager for India and West Asia at Scoot, told journalists that along with more seats there was a need for bilateral agreements to provide permission to fly to more Indian airports.

The two sides last revised a memorandum of understanding on air services in April 2013. The agreement provides 28,700 seats each to the two sides to and from seven airports in Mumbai, Delhi, Chennai, Kolkata, Hyderabad, Bengaluru, and Coimbatore. This is in addition to unlimited seating capacity to 18 points in India which is available for all ASEAN countries, including Singapore.

'Flights are full'

"The flights are full, and there is scope to work on the expansion of the air services agreement that benefits both countries and economies," Singaporean President Tharman Shanmugaratnam told journalists during his visit to India last month.

Last November, Singapore Airlines acquired 25.1% stake in Air India allowing the former to bolster its presence in India.

The decision to review Singapore's demand comes at a time Delhi's second airport, Noida International Airport, is expected to open in mid-April and needs access to top global markets to grow.

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7	English	36	N/A	Middle Left	46326	440K

MUMBAI

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Three Iranians were arrested at Mumbai international airport allegedly with 7.143 kilograms of gold worth Rs 6.28 crore, a Directorate of Revenue Intelligence (DRI) official said on Friday.
The three had travelled from Dubai and were held on a specific tip off at Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj International Airport (CSMIA), he added. "A search of their baggage revealed seven gold bars weighing 1 kilogram each and a cut piece of foreign-make gold kept in a waist bag concealed under the clothes. All were arrested under the Customs Act. PTI

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6	English	80	N/A	Bottom Right	23920	390.49K

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BENGALURU: Former Karnataka Chief Minister Dr. M. Veerappa Moily has urged the state government to establish a new international airport in the coastal or Malnad region, citing its vast economic potential and the growing constraints at Man-galuru International Airport.

In a letter addressed to Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, Moily highlighted that Karnataka's aviation infrastructure is under pressure, with Kempegowda Inter-national Airport (KIAL) in Bengaluru surpassing its capacity. While support-ing the expansion of Bengaluru's airport network, he stressed the need for a full-fledged international airport in Dakshina Kannada or Udupi district to ca-ter to the region's economic and logistical needs.

"When I was Chief Minister in the 1990s, we had planned two international airports—one at Devanahalli (Bengaluru) and another at Nadsal village in Udupi district. While KIAL has become a major success story, plans for the coastal airport did not materialise," Moily stated in his letter. He recalled that late industrialist Aditya Birla had shown interest in collaborating with the Kar-nataka government for the project, but an alternate deal, signed with another entrepreneur, failed to materialise.

Currently, Karnataka has two international airports—Bengaluru and Manga-luru. Moily pointed out that while Mangaluru International Airport has wit-nessed steady growth, handling around 1.9 million passengers in 2023, its tab-letop location limits future expansion.

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14	English	39	N/A	Bottom Left	9697	45K

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Bengaluru: Adani group is a finalist, with two government-linked groups, to take over private production of India's Small Satellite Launch Vehicle, three persons familiar with the matter told *Reuters*. The SSLV, developed by Isro, is a low-cost vehicle capable of deploying satellites of up to 500 kg (1,100 pounds) into low-Earth orbit, or LEO—the most sought-after segment of the satellite launch market. After its first successful launch in 2023, the government moved to transfer the vehicle's production and technology to private industry. REUTERS

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11	English	105	N/A	Top Left	114041	956.08K

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Sriram Lakshman
WASHINGTON DC

Prime Minister Narendra Modi suggested that he had not discussed with U.S. President Donald Trump, the U.S. charges against billionaire industrialist Gautam Adani, who is perceived as close to Mr. Modi. The Prime Minister said that such personal issues were not raised when world leaders met.

"Every Indian is family to me. The other thing is, the leaders of countries do not meet to discuss such personal matters," Mr. Modi said, animatedly.

Thursday's joint press conference, where the question was asked of Mr. Modi, is the second time the Prime Minister, who is perceived to keep away from unscripted interviews, has participated at a press conference at the White House (the first time was in 2023 at a joint press appearance with former U.S. President Joe Biden).

On Tuesday, Mr. Trump had paused the Foreign Practices Corruption Act, 1976 for six months. The law prohibits a U.S. company or person bribing foreign governments, political parties and others to secure business.

In November last year, the U.S. announced charges against associates of Mr. Adani for conspiracy to violate this law and Mr. Adani was also charged, but on other counts. The case pertains to an alleged bribery scheme involving more than $250 million between 2020 and 2024. Mr. Trump's suspension of the law may mean a reprieve for Mr. Adani and his associates.

Telangana Today • Hyderabad • 15 Feb, 2025

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6	English	21	N/A	Bottom Right	27459	440K

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Tycoon profited after rules relaxed...

The Indian government relaxed national security protocols along Pakistan border to make way for a renewable energy park, a project ultimately handed to one of India's richest men, Gautam Adani, official documents reveal.

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Key indices fall for 8th session

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8	English	135	N/A	Bottom Left	40448	390.49K

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MUMBAI

BENCHMARK Sensex declined nearly 200 points on Friday, extending its losing run to the eighth day due to persistent foreign fund outflows and weak quarterly earnings by corporates.

The 30-share BSE benchmark Sensex dropped 199.76 points or 0.26 per cent to settle at 75,939.21 with 21 of its constituents ending lower. During the day, it tanked 699.33 points or 0.91 per cent to 75,439.64. The NSE Nifty declined 102.15 points or 0.44 per cent to



22,929.25. In eight trading days to Friday, the BSE benchmark has tumbled 2,644.6 points or 3.36 per cent, and the Nifty slumped 810 points or 3.41 per cent. From the 30-share Sensex pack, Adani Ports dropped over 4 per cent. On the weekly front, the BSE bellwether gauge plunged 1,920.98 points or 2.46 per cent, and the Nifty declined 630.7 points or 2.67 per cent. "The risk-averse sentiment continues to rule investors' minds as corporate earnings are significantly lower than the market expectations during the start of the year, especially for mid and small caps. Muted earnings trend, INR depreciation along with external factors like tariffs are expected to keep the sentiments weak in the near term, which could further push FIIs outflows. Volatility is expected to stay elevated until there is clarity on tariffs and a recovery in corporate earnings," said Vinod Nair, head (research), Geojit Financial Services.

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NEW DELHI, 14 FEBRUARY

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BSE Midcap and BSE Smallcap indices nosediving nearly over 3 per cent each. The smallcap index is down around 21 per cent from its December record high, while midcaps are 19.5 per cent below their peak closing level in September.

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1, 2	English	271	N/A	Bottom Left,Middle Left	74426	35.97K



'Trump's volley of tariffs will not hurt India business'

Hindalco Industries plans to spend ₹6,000 crore as capex in India in 2024-25 (FY25) and ₹8,000 crore the next year. **SATISH PAI**, the company's managing director, told Amritha Pillay in a video interview that he expects Novelis, a subsidiary, to bounce back in the fourth quarter (Q4). Pai said America's announcement of trade tariffs will not have a "negative" impact on Hindalco, and Chinese aluminium imports to India are no longer cheaper. Edited excerpts:

In your Q3 performance, India operations helped offset the weakness seen for Novelis. Do you expect this trend to prevail?

In Q4, Novelis will bounce back. Both India and Novelis should do well and it should be a good quarter. Q3 for Novelis is a seasonally low quarter because of maintenance during the holiday season. This was compounded by the scrap spreads tightening. But the volumes will come back in Q4. With LME (London Metal Exchange) still holding, India operations should be good in Q4 as well.

Q&A

SATISH PAI
MD, Hindalco Industries

With the US imposing tariffs on aluminium, what is the outlook for the two markets you have a presence in: India and US?

(US President Donald) Trump tariff: There is no negative for our India business because we do not export anything to the US. We are not impacted. Well, it is neutral to positive for what is happening in the US (for Novelis) as the scrap benefit will go up when the Midwest (premiums) goes up.

There are concerns that the US tariffs could mean exports meant for that country will be diverted. What will be the likely impact for your other export markets?

The primary aluminium that the US uses – 90 per cent – comes from one country: Canada. It is not that there is a lot of aluminium from many different parts of the world going there. I do not expect worldwide aluminium prices to get impacted. Regional premiums may get impacted, but there is not going to be a huge directional flow because every country has got 25 per cent.

You had flagged concerns about Chinese aluminium imports. Do you still see those concerns?

No. What China has done, which is more important than this Trump tariff, is that they have taken away that 13 per cent VAT rebate. For China to import into India, the prices have gone up. China, probably to protect itself under US tariffs, has been removing its subsidies. With this 13 per cent rebate going away, it makes it more expensive for China to export aluminium now. They should not be able to dump in India at very low prices.



Any update on plans for Novelis to have an initial public offering (IPO)?

For us now, we have to get Novelis' profitability back to $500 per tonne. We have to finish the Bay Minette project that is to be commissioned in September of 2026. Until those two happen, the IPO is not a priority right now. At least for another year, we are not going to think about it.

There is a considerable rise in your debt numbers from a year ago. Do we expect any changes there?

Novelis needs to get more debt to fund the payment. Novelis did a $750 million bond offering in January and probably in the latter half of FY26 they'll do another $750 million. On the India side, we are net cash positive.

For your India copper operations, two big conglomerates, Adani and JSW, are now competitors. What is Hindalco's strategy?

Competition is coming in and that is okay. The way we look at it is that we are going more and more into copper downstream. Just like we did in aluminium. We will keep our differentiation on having an upstream and a downstream. If the upstream comes under pressure, the downstream will help. The integrated business model is the way we will differentiate ourselves.

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Adani Power has agreed to fully restore supply from a 1,600 Mw India power plant to Bangladesh in a few days after a gap of three months but has rejected Dhaka's request for discounts and tax benefits, two sources told *Reuters*. It halved supply to Bangladesh on October 31 due to payment delays as the country battled foreign exchange shortage. REUTERS

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Adani Group also in final list

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7	Malayalam	116	N/A	Middle Right	48823	303.15K

ഉപഗ്രഹവിക്ഷേപണ വാഹന നിർമാണം

അന്തിമപ്പട്ടികയിൽ അദാനിഗ്രൂപ്പും

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ന്യൂഡൽഹി

ചെറിയ ഉപഗ്രഹ വിക്ഷേപണ വാഹനങ്ങളുടെ (എസ്എസ്എൽവി) നിർമാണ കരാറിനുവേണ്ടി പരിഗണിക്കുന്ന കമ്പനികളുടെ അന്തിമപ്പട്ടികയിൽ അദാനി ഗ്രൂപ്പും. അദാനി ഡിഫൻസ് സിസ്റ്റംസ് ആൻഡ് ടെക്നോളജീസിന് കാര്യമായ ഓഹരിയുള്ള ആൽഫാ ഡിസൈൻ ടെക്നോളജീസ്, കേന്ദ്രസർക്കാരിന്റെ ഉടമസ്ഥതയിലുള്ള ഭാരത് ഡൈനാമിക്സ് ലിമിറ്റഡ്, ഹിന്ദുസ്ഥാൻ എയറോനോട്ടിക്സ് ലിമിറ്റഡ് എന്നീ കമ്പനികളാണ് അന്തിമപ്പട്ടികയിൽ.

ഐഎസ്ആർഒ വികസിപ്പിച്ച എസ്എസ്എൽവിക്ക് 500 കി ലോ വരെയുള്ള ഉപഗ്രഹങ്ങളെ താഴ്ന്ന ഭ്രമണപഥത്തിലേക്ക് (ലോ എർത്ത് ഓർബിറ്റ്) എത്തിക്കാൻ സാധിക്കും. 2023ൽ എസ്എസ്എൽവിയുടെ വിജയകരമായ പരീക്ഷണത്തിന് പിന്നാലെയാണ് അതിന്റെ നിർമാണം സ്വകാര്യമേഖലയ്ക്ക് കൈമാറാൻ കേന്ദ്രം നീക്കം തുടങ്ങിയത്. ഇരുപതോളം കമ്പനികൾ താൽപര്യം പ്രകടിപ്പിച്ച് രംഗത്തെത്തിയിരുന്നു. 2030ഓടെ ആഗോളതലത്തിൽതന്നെ എസ്എസ്എൽവികളുടെ മാർക്കറ്റ് വലിയ തിതിയിൽ വികസിക്കുമെന്നാണ് വിലയിരുത്തൽ. സ്പേസ് എക്സ് പോലെയുള്ള കമ്പനികളാണ് ഈ മേഖലയിൽ മുന്നിലുള്ളത്.

നേരത്തെ, ഐഎസ്ആർഒയുടെ സാറ്റലൈറ്റ് ബസ് ടെക്നോളജി ആൽഫാ ഡിസൈൻ ടെക്നോളജീസിന് കൈമാറിയിരുന്നു. ബഹിരാകാശരംഗത്തും സ്വകാര്യമേഖലയെ പ്രോത്സാഹിപ്പിക്കുകയാണ് മോദിസർക്കാരിന്റെ നയം.

> 2023ൽ എസ്എസ്എൽവിയുടെ വിജയകരമായ പരീക്ഷണത്തിന് പിന്നാലെയാണ് അതിന്റെ നിർമാണം സ്വകാര്യമേഖലയ്ക്ക് കൈമാറാൻ കേന്ദ്രം നീക്കം തുടങ്ങിയത്

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Modi angry on 'Adani' question

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'അദാനി'യിൽ ക്ഷുഭിതനായി മോദി

വാഷിംഗ്ടൺ: അമേരിക്കയിലും മോദിയെ വിടാതെ പിന്തുടർന്ന് ഇന്ത്യൻ വ്യവസായ ഭീമൻ ഗൗതം അദാനി. അമേരിക്കൻ പ്രസിഡന്റ് ഡോണൾഡ് ട്രംപുമായുള്ള സംയുക്ത വാർത്താസമ്മേളനത്തിലാണ് മോദിയെ അലോസരപ്പെടുത്തി അദാനി കടന്നുവന്നത്.

മാധ്യമപ്രവർത്തകരുടെ ചോദ്യത്തിൽ അദാനി കടന്നുവന്നതോടെ മോദി ക്ഷുഭിതനായി. വ്യക്തികൾക്കെതിരായ കേസല്ല, രണ്ടു നേതാക്കൾ ചർച്ച ചെയ്യുന്നതെന്ന് മോദി മാധ്യമപ്രവർത്തകരുടെ ചോദ്യത്തിന് അതൃപ്തിയോടെ മറുപടി നൽകി. ട്രംപുമായുള്ള ചർച്ചയിൽ അദാനി വിഷയം ചർച്ച ചെയ്തോ എന്നായിരുന്നു ചോദ്യം.

ഇന്ത്യ ഒരു ജനാധിപത്യ രാജ്യമാണെന്നും വസുധൈവ കുടുംബകം എന്നതാണ് ഇന്ത്യയുടെ സംസ്കാരമെന്നും മോദി പറഞ്ഞു. ലോകത്തേയാകെ തങ്ങൾ ഒരു കുടുംബമായാണ് കാണുന്നത്. ഇത്തരം വ്യക്തിപരമായ കാര്യങ്ങളെക്കുറിച്ച് സംസാരിക്കാനല്ല രണ്ടു രാഷ്ട്ര നേതാക്കൾ കാണുന്നതും സംസാരിക്കുന്നതും- മോദി മറുപടി നൽകി.

മോദിക്ക് രാജ്യത്തു മൗനവും വിദേശത്ത് വ്യക്തിപരമായ വിഷയവും: രാഹുൽ

സ്വന്തം ലേഖകൻ

ന്യൂഡൽഹി: അമേരിക്കൻ സന്ദർശനത്തിനിടെ നടത്തിയ പത്രസമ്മേളനത്തിൽ വ്യവസായ പ്രമുഖൻ ഗൗതം അദാനിയെക്കുറിച്ചുള്ള ചോദ്യത്തിനു പ്രധാനമന്ത്രി നരേന്ദ്ര മോദി നൽകിയ മറുപടിക്കെതിരേ പ്രതിപക്ഷ നേതാവ് രാഹുൽ ഗാന്ധി.



ഇന്ത്യയിൽ ചോദ്യം ചോദിച്ചാൽ മൗനവും വിദേശത്തു ചോദിച്ചാൽ മോദിക്ക് വ്യക്തിപരമായ വിഷയവുമാണെന്നും രാഹുൽ സമൂഹമാധ്യമായ എക്സിൽ ചൂണ്ടിക്കാട്ടി. അമേരിക്കയിൽ വച്ചുപോലും അദാനിയുടെ അഴിമതി മോദി മൂടിവച്ചു. മോദിക്ക് സുഹൃത്തിന്റെ കീശ നിറയ്ക്കുന്നത് രാഷ്ട്രനിർമാണവും കൈക്കൂലി വാങ്ങി രാജ്യത്തിന്റെ സമ്പത്ത് കൊള്ളയടിക്കുന്നത് വ്യക്തിപരമായ വിഷയവുമാണെന്നും രാഹുൽ പരിഹസിച്ചു.

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Modi feel discomfort on question about Adani

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7	Malayalam	539	N/A	Top Right	226430	303.15K

അദാനിയെക്കുറിച്ച് ചോദ്യം, അനിഷ്ടം പ്രകടമാക്കി മോദി

വാഷിങ്ടൺ

'നിങ്ങളുടെ അടുത്ത ചങ്ങാതി ഗൗതം അദാനിക്കെതിരെ അമേരിക്കയിൽ എടുത്തിരിക്കുന്ന അഴിമതിക്കേസുകൾ ട്രംപുമായുള്ള കൂടിക്കാഴ്ചയിൽ ചർച്ചയായോ' എന്ന മാധ്യമപ്രവർത്തകന്റെ ചോദ്യത്തോട് അനിഷ്ടം പ്രകടിപ്പിച്ച് പ്രധാനമന്ത്രി നരേന്ദ്ര മോദി. 'വസുധൈവ കുടുംബകം' എന്ന മൂല്യത്തിൽ ഊന്നിയാണ് ഇന്ത്യൻ ജനാധിപത്യം പടുത്തുയർത്തിയതെന്നായിരുന്നു മോദിയുടെ ഉത്തരം. "അദാനിയുമായുള്ളത് വ്യക്തിപരമായ വിഷയമാണ്. രണ്ട് രാഷ്ട്രനേതാക്കൾ കണ്ടുമുട്ടുമ്പോൾ വ്യക്തിപരമായ വിഷയങ്ങൾ ചർച്ചയാകാറില്ല" – മോദി പറഞ്ഞു. ചോദ്യം ഉന്നയിച്ച മാധ്യമപ്രവർത്തകനോടുള്ള ഈർഷ്യ വെളിപ്പെടുത്തുന്ന മുഖഭാവത്തോടെയായിരുന്നു മറുപടി.

തത്സമയ വാർത്താസമ്മേളനങ്ങൾ അഭിമുഖീകരിക്കുന്നതിൽ പരിചയക്കുറവുള്ള മോദി അത്തരം സന്ദർഭങ്ങൾ ഒഴിവാക്കുന്നതിൽ അതീവ ശ്രദ്ധ പുലർത്താറുണ്ട്. 16 വർഷത്തിനിടെ അഭിമുഖീകരിക്കുന്ന മൂന്നാമത്തെ വാർത്താസമ്മേളനം ആയിരുന്നു വൈറ്റ് ഹൗസിൽ ട്രംപിനൊപ്പം വ്യാഴാഴ്ച നടത്തിയത്. ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ നേരിടുമ്പോഴുള്ള സംഭ്രമം വ്യക്തമാക്കുന്നതായിരുന്നു ശരീരഭാഷ. വാർത്താസമ്മേളനവേദിയിൽ മോദിക്ക് ഇരുവശത്തും ടെലിപ്രോംപ്റ്ററുകൾ ഉണ്ടായിരുന്നു. ട്രംപിന് ടെലിപ്രോംപ്റ്റർ ഉണ്ടായിരുന്നില്ല.

അതിനിടെ, ഇന്ത്യ ഉൾപ്പെടുന്ന രാജ്യങ്ങളുടെ കൂട്ടായ്മ ബ്രിക്സ് 'മരിച്ച കൂട്ടായ്മ'യാണെന്ന ട്രംപിന്റെ അധിക്ഷേപം മോദി മിണ്ടാതെ കേട്ടുനിന്നതും ഏറെ വിമർശമുയർത്തി. മുംബൈ ഭീകരാക്രമണ കേസ് പ്രതി തഹാവൂർ റാണയെ ഇന്ത്യക്ക് കൈമാറുമെന്നും ട്രംപ് സംയുക്ത വാർത്താസമ്മേളനത്തിൽ പ്രഖ്യാപിച്ചു.

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Modi skip from question about Adani

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7	Malayalam	205	N/A	Middle Right	67803	135.2K

അദാനിചോദ്യത്തിൽനിന്ന് ഒഴിഞ്ഞുമാറി മോദി

വാഷിങ്ടൺ: വ്യവസായി ഗൗതം അദാനിയുമായി ബന്ധപ്പെട്ട കാര്യങ്ങൾ ട്രംപുമായുള്ള ചർച്ചയിൽ വന്നോ എന്ന മാധ്യമപ്രവർത്തകരുടെ ചോദ്യത്തിൽനിന്ന് പ്രധാനമന്ത്രി നരേന്ദ്ര മോദി ഒഴിഞ്ഞുമാറി. രണ്ടു രാജ്യങ്ങളുടെ പ്രധാനനേതാക്കൾ ഒരിക്കലും വ്യക്തികളുടെ കാര്യങ്ങൾ ചർച്ച ചെയ്യാറില്ല. ഇന്ത്യ 'വസുധൈവ കുടുംബകം' എന്ന തത്ത്വത്തിൽ വിശ്വസിക്കുന്നു. ലോകം ഒരു കുടുംബമാണെന്ന തത്ത്വമാണത്. എല്ലാ ഇന്ത്യക്കാരും എന്റെ സ്വന്തമാണ്. വ്യക്തികളുമായി ബന്ധപ്പെട്ട കാര്യങ്ങൾ ചർച്ചയിൽ വന്നിട്ടില്ല. -മോദി തുടർന്നു. ഇന്ത്യയിലെ സൗരോർജ പദ്ധതി കരാറുമായി ബന്ധപ്പെട്ട കോടികളുടെ അഴിമതി ആരോപണത്തിൽ ഗൗതം അദാനിക്കും മുതിർന്ന ജീവനക്കാർക്കുമെതിരെ അമേരിക്ക കേസെടുത്തിരുന്നു. യു.എസ് നിക്ഷേപകരെ വഞ്ചിച്ചുവെന്നാണ് ആരോപണം.

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Adani: Rahul critisise Modi

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9	Malayalam	888	N/A	Middle Right	604071	1.78M

അദാനി: മോദിയെ വിമർശിച്ച് രാഹുൽ

ന്യൂഡൽഹി • ഗൗതം അദാനിയെക്കുറിച്ചുള്ള ചോദ്യത്തിനു പ്രധാനമന്ത്രി നരേന്ദ്ര മോദി യുഎസിലെ വാർത്താസമ്മേളനത്തിൽ നൽകിയ മറുപടിക്കെതിരെ ലോക്സഭ പ്രതിപക്ഷ നേതാവ് രാഹുൽ ഗാന്ധി. യുഎസിൽവച്ചുപോലും അദാനിയുടെ അഴിമതി മറച്ചുപിടിക്കാൻ മോദി ശ്രമിച്ചെന്ന് രാഹുൽ ആരോപിച്ചു.

'ഇന്ത്യയിൽവച്ച് ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ ഉന്നയിച്ചാൽ, നിശ്ശബ്ദനായിരിക്കും. വിദേശത്തുവച്ചു ചോദിച്ചാൽ, അത് വ്യക്തിപരമായ കാര്യമായി മാറും'- രാഹുൽ പരിഹസിച്ചു.

ഗൗതം അദാനിക്കെതിരെയുള്ള കുറ്റപത്രം സംബന്ധിച്ച് ട്രംപിനോട് ആശയവിനിമയം നടത്തിയോ എന്ന യുഎസ് മാധ്യമപ്രവർത്തകന്റെ ചോദ്യമാണ് ചർച്ചയായത്.

'ആദ്യമായി, ഇന്ത്യ ഒരു ജനാധിപത്യരാജ്യമാണ്. ഞങ്ങളുടെ സംസ്കാരവും തത്വചിന്തയും 'വസുധൈവ കുടുംബകം' എന്നാണ്. ലോകത്തെയാകെ നാം ഒരു കുടുംബമായി കാണുന്നു. ഓരോ ഇന്ത്യക്കാരനെയും ഞാൻ എന്റേതായി കാണുന്നു' എന്നായിരുന്നു മോദിയുടെ മറുപടി. തുടർന്ന്, രണ്ടു രാഷ്ട്ര നേതാക്കൾ തമ്മിൽ കാണുമ്പോൾ ഒരിക്കലും ഇത്തരം വ്യക്തിപരമായ പ്രശ്നങ്ങൾ ചർച്ച ചെയ്യാറില്ലെന്നും അദ്ദേഹം കൂട്ടിച്ചേർത്തു.

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Congress accuses Modi of 'covering up' Adani's U.S. bribery allegations

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9	English	983	N/A	Middle Left	373578	421.85K

Congress accuses Modi of 'covering up' Adani's U.S. bribery allegations

The Hindu Bureau
NEW DELHI

The Congress on Friday charged Prime Minister Narendra Modi with "covering up" the alleged corruption of industrialist Gautam Adani, following a response given by Mr. Modi to a query on the indictment of Mr. Adani by a U.S. court in a bribery allegation, at a joint press conference with U.S. President Donald Trump.

The Leader of the Opposition in the Lok Sabha, Rahul Gandhi, on X, said, "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence. If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi*ji* covered up Adani*ji*'s corruption!"

Mr. Gandhi added, "When filling a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modi*ji*, then bribery and looting the country's wealth becomes a 'personal matter'."



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> **RAHUL GANDHI**
> Leader of the Opposition

'PM's face turned pale'

Jairam Ramesh, Congress general secretary, communications, said on X, "Modi*ji*'s face turned pale on hearing Adani's name. Then he gave a roundabout and irrelevant answer – this is a personal matter. Since when has corruption become a personal matter."

In another post, Mr. Ramesh said, "Mr. Modi likes to display his knowledge of algebraic equations acquired through his training in entire political science. First he likened Indo-Canada relations to (a+b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab. Now he says in the context of India and USA that MAGA + MIGA = MEGA. Actually the only equation that counts is Modi + Adani = Modani."

In contrast to the Congress's official position, party senior leader and Lok Sabha member from Thiruvananthapuram Shashi Tharoor praised the Prime Minister's engagement with the U.S. "The press statements by both the Prime Minister and President Trump are very encouraging. The big concerns, we all had, have been addressed, For example, on the question of trade and tariffs, they have decided to sit down together and do a serious negotiation and conclude by the fall (September-October)," Mr. Tharoor said in Bengaluru on the sidelines of the Invest Karnataka summit.

On the illegal immigration issue, Mr. Tharoor said, "The only thing missing there from what Prime Minister Narendra Modi said was the question of the manner in which these people were treated and sent back. I think his stand was absolutely correct. I hope some things were said behind closed doors and not in the press conference."

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Didn't discuss Adani issue - Modi

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7	Malayalam	352	N/A	Middle Center	26402	164.12K

അദാനിവിഷയം ചർച്ചചെയ്തില്ലെന്നു മോദി

വാഷിങ്ടൺ: യു.എസ്. പ്രസിഡന്റ് ഡോണൾഡ് ട്രംപുമായുള്ള ചർച്ചയിൽ ഇന്ത്യൻ വ്യവസായി ഗൗതം അദാനിയുമായി ബന്ധപ്പെട്ട് ഒന്നും സംസാരിച്ചില്ലെന്ന് പ്രധാനമന്ത്രി നരേന്ദ്ര മോദി. ട്രംപിനൊപ്പം നിന്നുള്ള സംയുക്ത വാർത്താ സമ്മേളനത്തിലാണ് മോദിയുടെ മറുപടി. അദാനിക്കെതിരായ കോഴ ആരോപണം ട്രംപുമായി ചർച്ച ചെയ്തോ എന്ന് മാധ്യമപ്രവർത്തകർ ചോദ്യശരമെയ്തു.

ഇരു രാജ്യങ്ങളിലെയും നേതാക്കൾ തമ്മിലുള്ള ആശയവിനിമയത്തിൽ വ്യക്തിവിഷയങ്ങൾ ഉയർത്താറില്ലെന്ന് മോദി മറുപടി നൽകി. ഇന്ത്യ ജനാധിപത്യ രാജ്യമാണ്. നമ്മുടെ സംസ്കാരം 'വസുധൈവ കുടുംബകം' ആണ്. നമ്മൾ ലോകത്തെ മുഴുവൻ ഒരു കുടുംബമായി കാണുന്നു. ഓരോ ഇന്ത്യക്കാരനും എന്റേതാണെന്ന് ഞാൻ വിശ്വസിക്കുന്നു എന്നും മോദി കൂട്ടിച്ചേർത്തു. സോളാർ ഊർജ കരാറുകൾക്ക് അനുകൂലമായ വ്യവസ്ഥകൾക്കുള്ള പ്രത്യുപകാരമെന്ന നിലയ്ക്ക് ഇന്ത്യൻ ഉദ്യോഗസ്ഥർക്ക് 250 ദശലക്ഷം ഡോളർ (ഏകദേശം 2,100 കോടി രൂപ) കൈക്കൂലി നൽകിയെന്നാണ് അദാനിക്കെതിരായ ആരോപണം. മുൻ പ്രസിഡന്റ് ജോ ബൈഡന്റെ കീഴിലുള്ള നീതിന്യായ വകുപ്പ് ഗൗതം അദാനിക്കെതിരേ കുറ്റം ചുമത്തി.

എന്നാൽ, ട്രംപ് അധികാരമേറ്റ് ദിവസങ്ങൾക്കുള്ളിൽ അദാനി ഗ്രൂപ്പിനെതിരേ അന്വേഷണത്തിന് വഴിവച്ച അരനൂറ്റാണ്ടോളം പഴക്കമുള്ള നിയമം മരവിപ്പിക്കാൻ ഉത്തരവിടുകയായിരുന്നു. നിയമം താൽക്കാലികമായി വിലക്കാൻ നീതിന്യായ വകുപ്പിനോട് എക്സിക്യൂട്ടീവ് ഉത്തരവിലൂടെ ട്രംപ് ആവശ്യപ്പെട്ടു. ഫോറിൻ കറപ്റ്റ് പ്രാക്ടിസ് ആക്ടിലെ ചട്ടങ്ങളിലും നയസമീപനങ്ങളിലും എൻഫോഴ്സ്മെന്റ് നടപടികളിലും 180 ദിവസത്തിനുള്ളിൽ പുനഃപരിശോധന ആവശ്യപ്പെട്ടാണ് പുതിയ പ്രസിഡന്റിന്റെ ഉത്തരവ്. ഈ പശ്ചാത്തലത്തിലാണ് ട്രംപിനെ സാക്ഷി നിർത്തി അദാനി വിഷയം മാധ്യമപ്രവർത്തകർ ഉയർത്തിയത്. ഇതിനു മോദി നൽകിയ മറുപടിയെ പ്രതിപക്ഷനേതാവ് രാഹുൽ ഗാന്ധി വിമർശിച്ചു.

നിങ്ങൾ ഇന്ത്യയിൽവച്ച് അദാനിയെക്കുറിച്ചു മോദിയോട് ചോദിക്കുമ്പോൾ, അദ്ദേഹം മൗനം പാലിക്കും. വിദേശത്ത് വച്ച് ചോദിക്കുമ്പോൾ, വ്യക്തിപരമായ വിഷയം ആണെന്ന് മറുപടി നൽകും- രാഹുൽ എക്സിൽ കുറിച്ചു. സുഹൃത്തിന്റെ പോക്കറ്റ് നിറയ്ക്കുന്നത് മോദിക്ക് 'രാഷ്ട്രനിർമാണം' ആകുമ്പോൾ, കൈക്കൂലിയും രാജ്യത്തിന്റെ സ്വത്തുക്കൾ കൊള്ളയടിക്കുന്നതും 'വ്യക്തിപരമായ കാര്യം' മാത്രമായി മാറുമെന്നും രാഹുൽ ആഞ്ഞടിച്ചു.

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Didn't discuss individual issues: Modi on Adani

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11	English	651	N/A	Middle Right	182225	210.4K

Didn't discuss individual issues: Modi on Adani

Washington: At a press briefing at the White House, PM Narendra Modi was asked if he raised with US President Donald Trump the indictment of Gautam Adani and his key associates in a New York court over his involvement in an alleged bribery scheme.

"Firstly, India is a democratic country, and our culture and our thought philosophy is, 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine," he said, going to add, "Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues."

Trump made no mention of the case during the presser.



Last year, the Department of Justice under the previous President Joe Biden charged Adani for allegedly being part of a scheme to pay more than $250 million (about Rs 2,100 crore) bribe to Indian officials in exchange of favourable terms for solar power contracts.

This was concealed from the US banks and investors from whom the Adani group raised billions of dollars for the project, the prosecutors had alleged last year citing US FCPA law that allows pursuing foreign corruption allegations if they involve certain links to American investors or markets.

Adani group has denied the allegations as baseless.

Earlier this month, President Trump signed an executive order directing the Department of Justice to pause enforcing a nearly half-century-old law that was used to launch the bribery investigation against the Adani Group.

The move is being seen as a relief to the Adani Group but it remains to be seen what stand the DoJ takes after the six month review period. PTI

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Leaders do not discuss personal matters: Modi on Adani issue

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9	English	419	N/A	Top Left	159357	421.85K

Leaders do not discuss personal matters: Modi on Adani issue

Sriram Lakshman
WASHINGTON DC

Prime Minister Narendra Modi suggested that he had not discussed with U.S. President Donald Trump, the U.S. charges against billionaire industrialist Gautam Adani, who is perceived as close to Mr. Modi. The Prime Minister said that such personal issues were not raised when world leaders met.

"Every Indian is family to me. The other thing is, the leaders of countries do not meet to discuss such personal matters," Mr. Modi said, animatedly.

Thursday's joint press conference, where the question was asked of Mr. Modi, is the second time the Prime Minister, who is perceived to keep away from unscripted interviews, has participated at a press conference at the White House (the first time was in 2023 at a joint press appearance with former U.S. President Joe Biden).

On Tuesday, Mr. Trump had paused the Foreign Practices Corruption Act, 1976 for six months. The law prohibits a U.S. company or person bribing foreign governments, political parties and others to secure business.

In November last year, the U.S. announced charges against associates of Mr. Adani for conspiracy to violate this law and Mr. Adani was also charged, but on other counts. The case pertains to an alleged bribery scheme involving more than $250 million between 2020 and 2024. Mr. Trump's suspension of the law may mean a reprieve for Mr. Adani and his associates.

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Modi hide Adani's bribary in US too - Rahul Gandhi

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7	Malayalam	163	N/A	Bottom Right	53648	135.2K

യു.എസിലും അദാനിയുടെ അഴിമതി മോദി മറച്ചുവെച്ചു -രാഹുൽ ഗാന്ധി

ന്യൂഡൽഹി: ഗൗതം അദാനിയുടെ അഴിമതി സംബന്ധിച്ച മാധ്യമപ്രവർത്തകരുടെ ചോദ്യത്തിന് കൃത്യമായ ഉത്തരം നൽകാതിരുന്ന പ്രധാനമന്ത്രി നരേന്ദ്ര മോദിയെ വിമർശിച്ച് പ്രതിപക്ഷ നേതാവ് രാഹുൽ ഗാന്ധി.

'രാജ്യത്ത് ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ ചോദിച്ചാൽ നിശ്ശബ്ദതയാണ്, വിദേശത്ത് ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ ചോദിച്ചാൽ അതു വ്യക്തിപരമായ കാര്യമാണ്! അമേരിക്കയിൽ പോലും മോദിജി അദാനിയുടെ അഴിമതി മറച്ചുവെച്ചു' എന്ന് -രാഹുൽ ഗാന്ധി സമൂഹമാധ്യമ വേദിയായ 'എക്സി'ൽ കുറിച്ചു. അദാനിയുമായി ബന്ധപ്പെട്ട ചോദ്യം കേട്ടതോടെ മോദിയുടെ മുഖം വിവർണമായിപ്പോയെന്ന് കോൺഗ്രസ് ജനറൽ സെക്രട്ടറി ജയ്റാം രമേശ് പറഞ്ഞു.

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Modi hiding Adani's issues in US too - Rahul

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9	Malayalam	195	N/A	Middle Right	167935	770.94K

യു.എസിലും മോദി അദാനിയുടെ അഴിമതി മറച്ചെന്ന് രാഹുൽ

ന്യൂഡൽഹി▸ ഇന്ത്യൻ വ്യവസായി ഗൗതം അദാനിക്കെതിരായ അഴിമതിയാരോപണം പ്രധാനമന്ത്രി നരേന്ദ്ര മോദി അമേരിക്കയിലും മറച്ചുവെച്ചെന്ന് കോൺഗ്രസ് നേതാവ് രാഹുൽ ഗാന്ധി. 'രാജ്യത്ത് ചോദ്യങ്ങൾ ചോദിച്ചാൽ മോദി നിശ്ശബ്ദനാണ്, വിദേശത്ത് ചോദിച്ചാൽ അത് വ്യക്തിപരമായ കാര്യമാണ്! അമേരിക്കയിൽപ്പോലും മോദി അദാനിയുടെ അഴിമതി മറച്ചുവെച്ചു!' -രാഹുൽ 'എക്സി'ൽ കുറിച്ചു.

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Rahul accuses Modi of 'covering up Adani's corruption', BJP hits back

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11	English	275	N/A	Middle Center	77037	210.4K

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Congress MP Rahul Gandhi Friday accused PM Modi of "covering up" businessman Gautam Adani's alleged corruption. "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence, If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption!" Gandhi wrote in a post on X in Hindi. "When filling a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modiji, then taking bribes and looting the nation's wealth becomes a 'personal matter'." Party general secretary Jairam Ramesh wrote, "Modi ji's face turned pale on hearing Adani's name... Since when has corruption become a personal matter." BJP spokesperson Ajay Alok slammed Gandhi for his remarks, stating the Congress neta is suffering from a disease that keeps him obsessed with "Adani, Hindenburg and Rafale". Finding faults with the PM's foreign visits has become a habit of Congress, said BJP's Syed Shahnawaz Hussain. AGENCIES

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Market falls for 8th session for first time in two years

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12	English	209	N/A	Top Right	37531	225K

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NEW DELHI, 14 FEBRUARY

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BSE Midcap and BSE Smallcap indices nosediving nearly over 3 per cent each. The smallcap index is down around 21 per cent from its December record high, while midcaps are 19.5 per cent below their peak closing level in September.

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Among the sectors, all 13 major indices were in the red, with Nifty Energy, Media, PSU Bank, and Pharma taking the hardest hits, each falling 2-3 per cent.

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Manappuram Finance's shares fell 5 per cent, reaching Rs 183. This significant drop was triggered by the company's weaker-than-expected Q3FY25 results.

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Titagarh rail ko adani cement se bada order

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7	English	166	N/A	Middle Left	41492	125K

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NEW DELHI, FEB 14

THE BJP on Friday hailed Prime Minister Narendra Modi's US visit as "landmark" and slammed Rahul Gandhi for his remarks on him, saying it has become a habit of Congress leaders to find fault in the prime minister's foreign visits.

In a post on X, BJP national spokesperson Shehzad Poonawalla wrote, "PM Narendra Modi's impactful USA visit solidified India-US bonds like never before."

"A landmark visit," he added, listing Modi's achievements during his US visit.

Party national spokesperson Syed Shahnawaz Hussain said US President Donald Trump's announcement about his



administration's go-ahead to the extradition of 26/11 Mumbai terror attack accused Tahawwur Rana is a "very big diplomatic victory for India".

"Tahawwur Rana, the master mind of 26/11 terror attack, will be brought to india. He (PM Modi) convinced the US for this. This is a very big diplomatic victory for India," Hussain told PTI.

He also slammed Gandhi for accusing Modi of "covering up" the alleged corruption of businessman Gautam Adani, saying the Congress leader should keep in mind that Modi visited the US as the prime minister of the country and leader of its 140 crore people, not as a BJP leader.

"Finding faults with the prime minister's foreign visits has become a habit of the Congress," he said, responding to Gandhi's remarks.

Earlier, Gandhi said Modi maintains silence when questions are asked in the country and terms it a personal matter when asked abroad.

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13	English	50	N/A	Top Left	67137	1.4M

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Sriram Lakshman
WASHINGTON DC

Prime Minister Narendra Modi suggested that he had not discussed with U.S. President Donald Trump, the U.S. charges against billionaire industrialist Gautam Adani, who is perceived as close to Mr. Modi. The Prime Minister said that such personal issues were not raised when world leaders met.

"Every Indian is family to me. The other thing is, the leaders of countries do not meet to discuss such personal matters," Mr. Modi said, animatedly.

Thursday's joint press conference, where the question was asked of Mr. Modi, is the second time the Prime Minister, who is perceived to keep away from unscripted interviews, has participated at a press conference at the White House (the first time was in 2023 at a joint press appearance with former U.S. President Joe Biden).

On Tuesday, Mr. Trump had paused the Foreign Practices Corruption Act, 1976 for six months. The law prohibits a U.S. company or person bribing foreign governments, political parties and others to secure business.

In November last year, the U.S. announced charges against associates of Mr. Adani for conspiracy to violate this law and Mr. Adani was also charged, but on other counts. The case pertains to an alleged bribery scheme involving more than $250 million between 2020 and 2024. Mr. Trump's suspension of the law may mean a reprieve for Mr. Adani and his associates.

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CHALLENGES MOUNT FOR MICROSOFT-BACKED FIRM

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Legal action over improper use of AI recordings sought

ADITYA KALRA
New Delhi, February 14

A GROUP OF top Bollywood music labels, from T-Series to Saregama and Sony, is seeking to join a copyright lawsuit against OpenAI in New Delhi, highlighting worries about improper use of recordings to train AI models, legal documents show.

Microsoft-backed OpenAI's legal challenges are mounting globally and in India, its second biggest market by users. But the company says it follows fair-use principles in employing publicly available data to build its AI models. On Thursday, the Indian Music Industry (IMI) group, T-Series and Saregama India asked a New Delhi court to hear concerns about "unauthorised use of sound recordings" in training AI models that breaches their copyright.

The companies' contentions in the lawsuit "are crucial for the entire music industry in India, and even worldwide," they said in their filing, which is not public but was reviewed by *Reuters*. OpenAI and the music labels did not respond to requests for comments on Friday.

The music labels want to join a lawsuit launched last year by Indian news agency *ANI* that accused OpenAI's ChatGPT application of using its content without permission to train AI models. Since then, book publishers and media groups, some backed by billionaires Mukesh Ambani and Gautam Adani, have banded together to oppose the company in the New Delhi court.

AI IN MUSIC RECORDINGS



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Bollywood and Hindi pop music are big business in India.

T-Series is one of India's largest music record labels which releases about 2,000 sound records or songs annually, while Saregama, more than 100 years old, owns a repertoire of famed Indian singers such as Mohammed Rafi and Lata Mangeshkar.

On its website, the IMI group says it also represents global names such as Sony Music and Warner Music. In India, the music labels are "concerned OpenAI and other AI systems can extract lyrics, music compositions and sound recordings from the internet," said an industry source who spoke on condition of anonymity as the matter is in court.

The Indian companies' latest action comes after Germany's GEMA, which represents composers, lyricists and publishers, said in November it had sued OpenAI for ChatGPT's alleged unlicensed reproduction of song lyrics with which "the system has obviously been trained".

OpenAI, which is grappling with new challenges from Chinese startup DeepSeek's breakthrough in cheap AI computing, opposed the ANI lawsuit on the grounds that Indian courts lack jurisdiction, as the company is US-based, with servers abroad.

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OpenAI chief Sam Altman visited India last week, meeting the infotech minister, and discussing the country's plan to pursue low-cost AI.— **REUTERS**

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"In Mr. Modi likes to display his knowledge of algebraic equations acquired through his training in entire political science. First he likened Indo-Canada relations to (a+b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab.

"Now he says in the context of India and USA that MAGA + MIGA = MEGA. Actually the only equation that counts is Modi + Adani = Modani," Ramesh said in another post.

The Congress also took a swipe at the prime minister and said in a post on its official X handle, "In America, a journalist asked a question related to the corruption of Narendra Modi's best friend Adani. Narendra Modi called it a personal matter and started talking about other things. His face turned pale as soon as he heard the question."

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3	English	21	N/A	Middle Left	4161	25.41K



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Adani Power has agreed to fully restore supply from a 1,600 Mw India power plant to Bangladesh in a few days after a gap of three months but has rejected Dhaka's request for discounts and tax benefits, two sources told *Reuters*. It halved supply to Bangladesh on October 31 due to payment delays as the country battled foreign exchange shortage. REUTERS

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देश में 11वां सबसे अधिक हवाई यात्रियों वाला राज्य बना राजस्थान, अब एयरपोर्ट बढ़ाए जाने की जरूरत

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किस एयरपोर्ट से कितने यात्री

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उदयपुर एयरपोर्ट	11.70 लाख यात्री
जोधपुर एयरपोर्ट	7.43 लाख यात्री
जैसलमेर एयरपोर्ट	60,567 यात्री
किशनगढ़ एयरपोर्ट	58,045 यात्री
बीकानेर एयरपोर्ट	7086 यात्री
कोटा एयरपोर्ट	195 यात्री



अप्रैल से दिसंबर तक यात्रीभार

राज्य	हवाई यात्री)
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महाराष्ट्र	5.26 करोड़
कर्नाटक	3.36 करोड़
तमिलनाडु	2.17 करोड़
तेलंगाना	2.14 करोड़
पश्चिम बंगाल	1.89 करोड़
केरल	1.58 करोड़
गुजरात	1.30 करोड़
उत्तर प्रदेश	98.78 लाख
गोवा	6.48 लाख
राजस्थान में यात्रीभार	64.33 लाख

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The Congress on Friday charged Prime Minister Narendra Modi with "covering up" the alleged corruption of industrialist Gautam Adani, following a response given by Mr. Modi to a query on the indictment of Mr. Adani by a U.S. court in a bribery allegation, at a joint press conference with U.S. President Donald Trump.

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Jairam Ramesh, Congress general secretary, communications, said on X, "Modiji's face turned pale on hearing Adani's name. Then he gave a roundabout and irrelevant answer – this is a personal matter. Since when has corruption become a personal matter."

In another post, Mr. Ramesh said, "Mr. Modi likes to display his knowledge of algebraic equations acquired through his training in entire political science. First he likened Indo-Canada relations to (a+b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab. Now he says in the context of India and USA that MAGA + MIGA = MEGA. Actually the only equation that counts is Modi + Adani = Modani."

In contrast to the Congress's official position, party senior leader and Lok Sabha member from Thiruvananthapuram Shashi Tharoor praised the Prime Minister's engagement with the U.S. "The press statements by both the Prime Minister and President Trump are very encouraging. The big concerns, we all had, have been addressed, For example, on the question of trade and tariffs, they have decided to sit down together and do a serious negotiation and conclude by the fall (September-October)," Mr. Tharoor said in Bengaluru on the sidelines of the Invest Karnataka summit.

On the illegal immigration issue, Mr. Tharoor said, "The only thing missing there from what Prime Minister Narendra Modi said was the question of the manner in which these people were treated and sent back. I think his stand was absolutely correct. I hope some things were said behind closed doors and not in the press conference."

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It's the moral responsibility of the UP government to return the rent for which shops were allotted to retailers who incurred losses during Maha Kumbh.

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PRIME MINISTER Narendra Modi said "individual issues" are never discussed when prominent leaders of countries meet, in response to a question if he had asked US President Donald Trump to take action on the Gautam Adani case.

"India is a democratic country and our culture and philosophy is 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'... we consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine," Modi said.

"Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," the Prime Minister said. The question put to him was: "Can I ask whether you discussed at all today, the case of Gautam Adani, who is one of the wealthiest man in Asia, and perceived as an ally of Prime Minister? Prime Minister Modi, have you asked the President to take action on that case?"

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Adani

Gautam Adani and 7 others were indicted by a grand jury in New York last November in an alleged Rs 2,029 crore bribery case.

Trump had signed an executive order on Monday directing the US Justice Department to halt prosecuting Americans accused of bribing foreign government officials to win overseas business. While the order is meant to provide relief to US citizens, it will likely come as a breather for key executives of the Adani Group currently facing bribery charges in a US court. The executive order would provide relief to Azure Power— which had a contract (a build, operate and transfer deal) with an Adani Group firm for a solar project — and, by extension, the Adani Group.

Last November, the Department of Justice under President Joe Biden had charged Adani for allegedly being part of a scheme to pay over US $250 million (about Rs 2,100 crore) bribe to Indian officials in exchange of favourable terms for solar power contracts. This was concealed from the US banks and investors from whom the Adani group raised billions of dollars for the project, the prosecutors had alleged.The charges had sparked concerns about the impact on US-India business ties and the broader strategic relationship between the two nations.

Reacting to the PM's response, Leader of Opposition in Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi attacked him for "maintaining silence" over the Adani issue while in the country, and terming it a "personal matter" on foreign soil. "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence. If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption!" he posted on X. "When filling a friend's pocket is "nation building" for Modiji, then taking bribes and looting the nation's wealth becomes a "personal matter," he said.

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The deep state has now become the engine of conspiracy theories across democracies. America was the first and India is catching up fast. Many European democracies are on the bandwagon too

It's early days in 2025 yet, but the "deep state" looks like the frontrunner for winning the "word of the year" honours. Anything goes wrong and we blame this sinister entity — the deep state.

Except that it isn't so mythical. It is as much a part of our lives and system of governance as shallow state and non-state. We shall explore these definitions and how these intermesh as we go along. However, the deep state, often just called DS, has now become the engine of conspiracy theories across democracies.

The first thing we need to look at is the dictionary/Wikipedia definition of it: Potentially secret and unauthorised network of power operating independently of a state's political leadership in pursuit of its own agenda and goals. Of course, it all has a negative and conspiratorial connotation. Then, let's follow our usual three-example formula and list these specific issues/events.

- The regime change in Bangladesh. It was sudden, violent at street level, leaderless and dramatic. It's been widely blamed on the US deep state (we will use DS hereon). It's also been called a US (United States) DS success, with the insinuation that similar operations were planned in India as well. Because, of course, the Biden administration and the DS do not like Narendra Modi.
- Next, the series of exposés on the Adani group across two years. Many came from a shadowy short-seller Hindenburg, which vaporised as mysteriously as it had appeared on the scene. There were also many other stories that came in through organisations supported or funded by OCCRP (Organised Crime and Corruption Reporting Project). There is also the ICIJ, or the International Consortium of Investigative Journalists. Both are supported by the George Soros-founded Open Society Foundations. Mr Soros is an acknowledged Left-leaning anarchist (I won't call him liberal) and a stock and currency markets predator. He's the man who broke the pound and the Bank of England (1992) as well as many key East Asian countries in the 1997 financial crisis. Both these organisations supported investigations leading to stories on the Adani group. The conspiracy theory is that this was an indirect attack on the Modi government. In fact, Prime Minister Narendra Modi noted at the outset of the current Budget session of Parliament that this was the first in many years that a session was beginning without any "mischief from abroad".
- And the third, two difficult and embarrassing situations India was caught in — in Canada and the US — were linked to Sikh radical operations there. In each of these cases, the American media highlighted the stories in great detail and persisted with the coverage as did the *Financial Times* in the case of Adani. All of this, the argument is, couldn't be a coincidence. It must have been the work of DS. And you know what, now even Donald Trump, Elon Musk, and their lieutenants are all complaining about it as they set out to drain the swamp.



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So far so good, and we then examine each in some detail. On Bangladesh are we sure this was merely the handiwork of some "potentially secret and unauthorised" group that worked under the US government radar? If you saw the pictures of George Soros' son flying in to meet Chief Adviser Mohammed Yunus in Dhaka last month, your suspicions will be strengthened.

Then also see that iconic (if I may be allowed to use just once the description I usually ban in my own newsroom for anything but a sculpture) picture of a doting Joe Biden with his arm around Yunus' shoulders.

If Hasina's downfall was really engineered by the Americans, was it by some DS working on its own? Or in conjunction with the Biden Administration? This won't pass the conspiracy theorists' definition of DS.

There are shadowy, amorphous, vaguely defined organisations that work as instruments of a regular, upfront state. A trick question follows: How will you describe the Lashkar-e-Taiba and Jaish-e-Mohammed? As non-state actors which the Pakistanis would? Or DS? Both will give the Pakistan state plausible deniability. They are the state, and they mean enormous harm to India.

The Adani issue might be a bit more complex because in most of the stories from Hindenburg and OCCRP, there is no clear US government role. So, was DS at play? But then, the US Department of Justice and Securities and Exchange Commission came up with indictments potentially and a lot more threatening than Hindenburg's. Now, were Hindenburg and OCCRP working independent of the state, or in cahoots with it? Or vice versa?

And finally, the issues India faced in Canada and the US over Nijjar and Pannun. The notion of this being DS activity was brought in mostly because some in the US and Canadian media were particularly active on this. All of their stories, however, were based on briefings by their own intelligence officials.

One way of looking at DS is the bureaucracy, civil services, police, armed forces, judiciary, regulators, election commission and other institutions that span the tenure of multiple governments.

They follow the rule book, provide continuity, and protect the family silver. Between 1996 and 1999, India had six Prime Ministers. It was a brilliant set of civil servants, military leaders, and nuclear scientists who kept continuity with our strategic programme, protected it, and didn't let a word leak.

The same system can act differently. If they kept the nuclear assets all so secret and defined as "peaceful" all of these decades, they made them open and military in 1998. Why?

That's because the Vajpayee government asked them to do so. This DS, which provides continuity and also assurance on broad policies and sovereign commitments remaining intact, also changes when political leaders command so. Those we describe as the shallow state.

"Shallow" is not to denote weakness but because they're transient. Actually, they are the ones with real power. It is used only because the political leaderships will have the deeper state apparatus at their command. It is only when the shallow state is weak that DS takes over the agenda. We saw this play out just after Manmohan Singh signed the nuclear deal.

Much of the opposition to it was based on leaks from his office and his Ministry of External Affairs by career civil servants, partly motivated by ingrained anti-Americanism and partly by those who found the change too drastic.

That is why the nuclear liability law was so poisoned as to make the entire deal fruitless. This is precisely what the Modi government's Budget just promised to change and which the Modi-Trump joint statement has taken note of.

And finally, where does non-state feature? From ancient times, sovereigns have used the cover of non-state actors to take their cause forward.

From bhikshus of Ashokan 3rd century BC and medieval Sufis to Oxfam, Omidyar and Soros now, non-state actors have any real power only when they work in conjunction with a real state. What is the US Agency for International Development, for example? It can't be DS because it is very much an instrument of the American state. So much so that Marco Rubio has now taken direct charge of it and moved it in the state department. The Trumpian objection is that it had been hijacked by Leftist ideologues who were using it to indulge their own fancy and not to further American interests.

Jump millennia to present-day India and ask what the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh is. The Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) will say it is a non-state entity, and, in fact, the world's largest non-government organisation. Ask the Congress, and they will call it the BJP's DS. The exact equation will apply if you asked the BJP and the Congress what Sonia Gandhi's National Advisory Council was. One shallow state antagonist's DS is the other's non-state entity.

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Prime Minister Narendra Modi left Washington for home on Friday morning after a meeting with US President Donald Trump, with the Indian side confident that the Trump administration would be "softer" on New Delhi on issues ranging from tariffs to illegal immigration than it has been on several of its other allies and strategic partners.

The US President conveyed that the friction witnessed in India-US ties during the tenure of his predecessor Joe Biden, especially on the issue of the alleged plot to murder a Khalistani separatist leader, was a thing of the past. Trump didn't dismiss the possibility that USAID might have interfered with the 2020 US Presidential and 2024 Lok Sabha elections. But the highlight of the Trump-Modi meeting, and the subsequent press conference, was their spirited personal rapport, and evidence of the two leaders having seamlessly picked up the threads of the friendship they had struck during the US President's previous term (2016-20).

At the press briefing, in his opening statement, the PM said: "If I say in the language of America, developed India means Make India Great Again, i.e. "MIGA". When the United States and India work together, i.e. "MAGA" plus "MIGA", the "MEGA" Partnership for prosperity is formed. And this mega spirit gives new scale and scope to our goals."

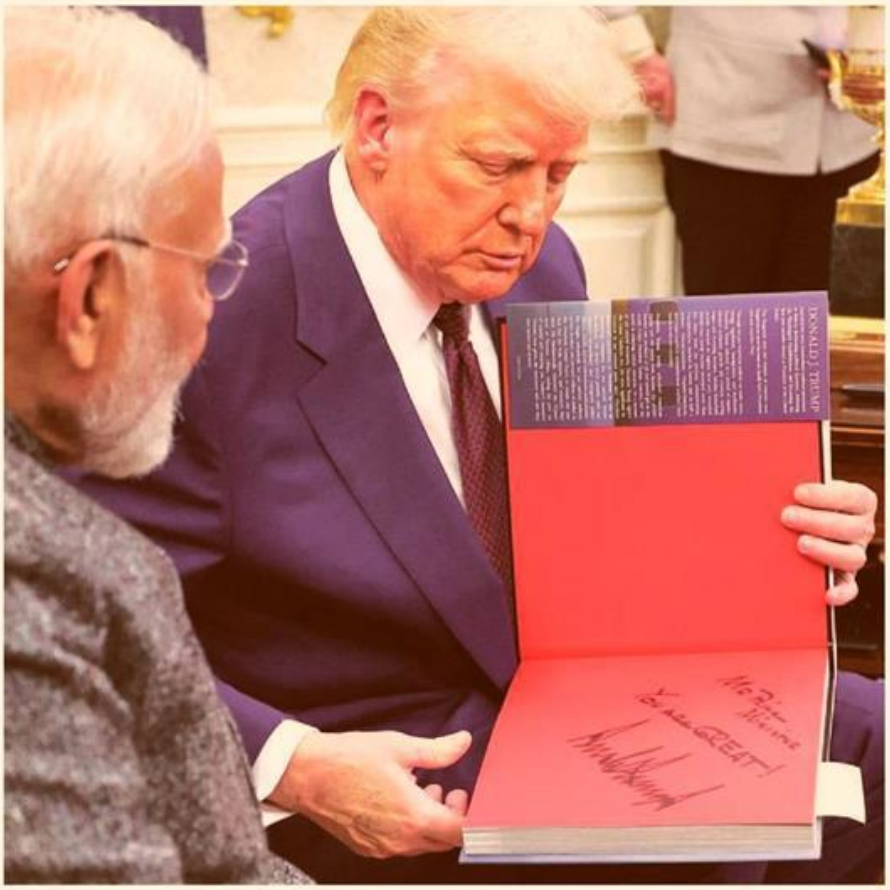
The joint statement, issued after the talks, spoke of the two sides committing to deepen their cooperation in the energy sector, counter-terrorism, defence, nuclear energy, sharing of technology, their synergy in the Indo-Pacific region and West Asia, and the centrality of Quad with India hosting the summit this year. Trump and Modi also committed "to break new ground to support and sustain the overseas deployments of the US and Indian militaries in the Indo-Pacific". It said India will "soon" open new consulates in Los Angeles and Boston. It also had enough to suggest that the Trump administration has heeded New Delhi's concerns on legal and illegal immigration. With the next batch of 119 Indian deportees set to land in Amritsar over the weekend, the Indian side returned home confident that these women and men will be treated better.

On legal immigration, the two sides agreed to put in place "innovative, mutually advantageous and secure mobility frameworks". Modi and Trump committed to streamlining avenues for legal mobility of students and professionals, and facilitating short-term tourist and business travel. The two sides said they will "aggressively" address illegal immigration and human trafficking by taking action against bad actors, criminal facilitators, and illegal immigration networks. For this, both committed themselves to strengthen law enforcement cooperation.

The two sides noted that the over 300,000-strong Indian student community contributes over $8 billion annually to the US economy and helped create a number of direct and indirect jobs. They recognised that the talent flow and movement of students, researchers and employees, has mutually benefited both countries. The two sides said they will work to strengthen collaborations between the higher education institutions through efforts such as joint/dual degree and twinning programs, establishing joint Centres of Excellence, and setting up offshore campuses of premier educational institutions of the US in India.

Terrorism

On terrorism, Trump expressed his understanding of and support for India's fight against the menace. "We are going to have a fantastic relationship and it will make both countries much stronger," he said of the two countries combating ISIS, and other terror groups together. The US announced that the extradition to India of Tahawwur Rana has been approved. The leaders called on Pakistan to expeditiously bring to justice the perpetrators of the 26/11 Mumbai and Pathankot attacks, and ensure that its territory is not used to carry out cross-border terrorism.



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Personal chemistry

Modi is among the first few world leaders to visit the US after Trump assumed office for his second term. The US President presented Modi a book, "Our Journey Together", where he wrote: "Mr Prime Minister, You Are Great". "We spent a lot of time here, and a lot of time in India... Prime Minister, it's a pleasure to extend to you the same hospitality that you showed Melania (Trump) and myself when we travelled to your beautiful country five years ago," the President said, alluding to his India visit in 2020. Trump described the PM as "a very special man". "I think our relationship is the best it has ever been between two leaders of the two countries," he said. Trump said, "Everybody talks about him (Modi). He's doing a really fantastic job. He's a great leader."

On allegations levelled against Indian agencies related to the alleged plot to murder Khalistani separatist leader Gurpatwant Singh Pannun, Trump said, "I don't think India had a very good relationship with the (Joe) Biden administration. A lot of things happened that were not very appropriate between India and the Biden administration."

Modi told Trump that he is grateful to the US President for the latter's great friendship and strong commitment towards India. On India-US negotiations on tariffs, Trump said of Modi, "He is a much tougher negotiator than me, and he is a much better negotiator. There's not even a contest." After the meeting, Modi said there was satisfaction of the two having achieved so much together during Trump's first term and the trust built then acted as a bridge during their discussions on Friday. Officials said despite Trump's hawkish stand on tariffs, he displayed a "softer" side for India by noting that it is alone not responsible for the trade practices which he believes harm the US business.

To a question on whether the issue relating to business tycoon Gautam Adani figured in the talks, Modi said, "India is a democracy and our culture is *Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam*. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine." "Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," he added.

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Billionaire Gautam Adani's company halved supply to Bangladesh on October 31 due to payment delays as the country battled a foreign exchange shortage. This led to the shutdown of one of the two equal-sized units of the plant on November 1, followed by Bangladesh's request to keep supplying only half the power, citing low winter demand and as the payment issue bubbled.

Ahead of summer demand and on Bangladesh Power Development Board's (BPDB) request, Adani Power has agreed to resume full supplies by next week, said the two sources who had direct knowledge of the matter but declined to be named. The plant in eastern India sells only to Bangladesh.

Adani Power, however, has not agreed to meet several other demands from BPDB, including giving discounts and concessions potentially worth millions of dollars to Bangladesh, said the sources.



No discounts, tax benefits

The two sides had a virtual meeting on Tuesday and more are likely to carry on the discussions.

"They don't want to give up on anything, even $1 million," said one of the sources, referring to Adani Power. "We have not got any concessions. We want a mutual understanding, they are invoking the power purchase agreement."

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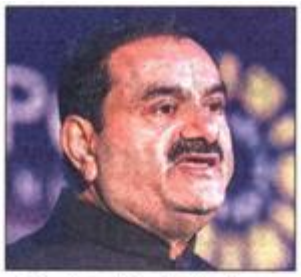
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Bharat Elec	250.35	-11.20
Bharti Airtel	1717.05	2.45
BPCL	251.00	-4.75
Britannia Ind	4939.65	50.95
Cipla	1459.45	-12.70
Coal India	354.20	-7.45
Dr Reddys Lab	1197.05	-26.55
Eicher Motors	4703.35	-117.05
Grasim Ind	2431.30	-58.80
HCL Tech	1711.25	8.15
HDFC Bank	1694.85	-2.85
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IndusInd Bank	1024.40	-22.85
Infosys	1856.40	13.15
ITC	410.25	0.55
JSW Steel	964.60	-5.20
Kotak Bank	1952.40	-20.40
L&T	3237.65	-26.00
M&M	2942.60	-35.40
Maruti Suzuki	12680.25	8.95
NestleIndia	2195.85	18.30
NTPC	300.35	-6.35
ONGC	230.50	-4.45
PowerGrid Corp	257.35	-1.80
Reliance Ind	1217.25	1.15
SBI Life	1465.45	-5.05
State Bank	722.15	-5.50
Shriram Finance Ltd.	539.15	-9.50
Sun Pharma	1700.50	-45.85
TataConsumerProduct	1022.55	-0.25
Tata Motors	680.65	-3.20
Tata Steel	134.47	-1.78
TCS	3934.85	24.70
Tech Mahindra	1659.10	-16.20
Titan	3213.25	-18.25
Trent Ltd.	5117.35	-139.45
UltraTech Cement	11263.85	-282.60
Wipro	308.10	-0.45

EXCHANGE RATES

Indicative direct rates in rupees a unit except yen at 4 p.m. on February 14

CURRENCY	TT BUY	TT SELL
US Dollar	86.62	86.94
Euro	90.66	91.00
British Pound	108.95	109.35
Japanese Yen (100)	56.79	57.00
Chinese Yuan	11.92	11.97
Swiss Franc	96.04	96.41
Singapore Dollar	64.56	64.81
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Malaysian Ringitt	19.52	19.61
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NEW DELHI

The Congress on Friday charged Prime Minister Narendra Modi with "covering up" alleged corruption of industrialist Gautam Adani, following a response given by Mr. Modi to a query on the indictment of Mr. Adani by a U.S. court in a bribery allegation, at a joint press conference with U.S. President Donald Trump.

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At the press conference, when a reporter asked if the case against Mr. Adani, who was indicted by a U.S. court in a bribery allegation, figured in the talks with Mr. Trump, the Prime Minister said, "India is a democracy and our culture is *Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam*. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine. Such individual matters are not discussed in talks between two leaders."



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Congress general secretary, in-charge of communications, Jairam Ramesh, in a post on X, said, "Modi*ji*'s face turned pale on hearing Adani's name. Then he gave a roundabout and irrelevant answer - this is a personal matter. Since when has corruption become a personal matter."

In another post, Mr. Ramesh said, "Mr. Modi likes to display his knowledge of algebraic equations acquired through his training in entire political science. First he likened Indo-Canada relations to (a+b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab. Now he says in the context of India and USA that MAGA + MIGA = MEGA. Actually the only equation that counts is Modi + Adani = Modani."

Meanwhile, in contrast to the Congress' official position, party senior leader and Lok Sabha member from Thiruvananthapuram Shashi Thaoor praised the Prime Minister's engagement with the U.S.

'Concerns addressed'

"The press statements by both the Prime Minister and President Trump are very encouraging. The big concerns, we all had, have been addressed. For example, on the question of trade and tariffs, they have decided to sit down together and do a serious negotiation and conclude by the fall (September-October)," Mr. Tharoor said in Bengaluru on the sidelines of the Invest Karnataka summit being held here.

On the illegal immigration issue, Mr. Tharoor said, "The only thing missing there from what Prime Minister Modi said was the question of the manner in which these people were treated and sent back. I think his stand was absolutely correct. I hope some things were said behind closed doors and not in the press conference."

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In your Q3 performance, India operations helped offset the weakness seen for Novelis. Do you expect this trend to prevail?

In Q4, Novelis will bounce back. Both India and Novelis should do well and it should be a good quarter. Q3 for Novelis is a seasonally low quarter because of maintenance during the holiday season. This was compounded by the scrap spreads tightening. But the volumes will come back in Q4. With LME (London Metal Exchange) still holding, India operations should be good in Q4 as well.

Q&A

SATISH PAI
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With the US imposing tariffs on aluminium, what is the outlook for the two markets you have a presence in: India and US?

(US President Donald) Trump tariff: There is no negative for our India business because we do not export anything to the US. We are not impacted. Well, it is neutral to positive for what is happening in the US (for Novelis) as the scrap benefit will go up when the Midwest (premiums) goes up.

There are concerns that the US tariffs could mean exports meant for that country will be diverted. What will be the likely impact for your other export markets?

The primary aluminium that the US uses – 90 per cent – comes from one country: Canada. It is not that there is a lot of aluminium from many different parts of the world going there. I do not expect worldwide aluminium prices to get impacted. Regional premiums may get impacted, but there is not going to be a huge directional flow because every country has got 25 per cent.

You had flagged concerns about Chinese aluminium imports. Do you still see those concerns?

No. What China has done, which is more important than this Trump tariff, is that they have taken away that 13 per cent VAT rebate. For China to import into India, the prices have gone up. China, probably to protect itself under US tariffs, has been removing its subsidies. With this 13 per cent rebate going away, it makes it more expensive for China to export aluminium now. They should not be able to dump in India at very low prices.



Any update on plans for Novelis to have an initial public offering (IPO)?

For us now, we have to get Novelis' profitability back to $500 per tonne. We have to finish the Bay Minette project that is to be commissioned in September of 2026. Until those two happen, the IPO is not a priority right now. At least for another year, we are not going to think about it.

There is a considerable rise in your debt numbers from a year ago. Do we expect any changes there?

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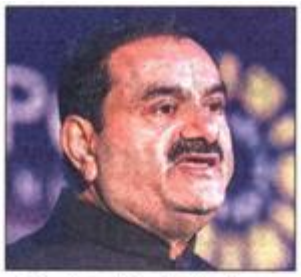
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Kotak Bank	1952.40	-20.40
L&T	3237.65	-26.00
M&M	2942.60	-35.40
Maruti Suzuki	12680.25	8.95
NestleIndia	2195.85	18.30
NTPC	300.35	-6.35
ONGC	230.50	-4.45
PowerGrid Corp	257.35	-1.80
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SBI Life	1465.45	-5.05
State Bank	722.15	-5.50
Shriram Finance Ltd.	539.15	-9.50
Sun Pharma	1700.50	-45.85
TataConsumerProduct	1022.55	-0.25
Tata Motors	680.65	-3.20
Tata Steel	134.47	-1.78
TCS	3934.85	24.70
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Swiss Franc	96.04	96.41
Singapore Dollar	64.56	64.81
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MARKET WATCH

	FRIDAY	% CHANGE
Sensex	75,939	-0.26
US Dollar	86.71	0.25
Gold	89,400	0.21
Brent oil	74.97	0.03

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	PRICE	CHANGE
Adani Enter	2152.65	-92.05
Adani Ports	1062.70	-48.85
Apollo Hosp	6270.50	-101.70
Asian Paints	2231.30	-5.10
Axis Bank	997.50	-10.70
Bajaj Auto	8506.50	-184.85
Bajaj Finserv	1841.30	-7.95
Bajaj Finance	8392.30	-16.70
Bharat Elec	250.35	-11.20
Bharti Airtel	1717.05	2.45
BPCL	251.00	-4.75
Britannia Ind	4939.65	50.95
Cipla	1459.45	-12.70
Coal India	354.20	-7.45
Dr Reddys Lab	1197.05	-26.55
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"India is a democratic country and our culture and philosophy is 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'... we consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine," Modi said.

"Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," the Prime Minister said. The question put to him was: "Can I ask whether you discussed at all today, the case of Gautam Adani, who is one of the wealthiest man in Asia, and perceived as an ally of Prime Minister? Prime Minister Modi, have you asked the President to take action on that case?"

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Gautam Adani and 7 others were indicted by a grand jury in New York last November in an alleged Rs 2,029 crore bribery case.

Trump had signed an executive order on Monday directing the US Justice Department to halt prosecuting Americans accused of bribing foreign government officials to win overseas business. While the order is meant to provide relief to US citizens, it will likely come as a breather for key executives of the Adani Group currently facing bribery charges in a US court. The executive order would provide relief to Azure Power— which had a contract (a build, operate and transfer deal) with an Adani Group firm for a solar project — and, by extension, the Adani Group.

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That's because the Vajpayee government asked them to do so. This DS, which provides continuity and also assurance on broad policies and sovereign commitments remaining intact, also changes when political leaders command so. Those we describe as the shallow state.

"Shallow" is not to denote weakness but because they're transient. Actually, they are the ones with real power. It is used only because the political leaderships will have the deeper state apparatus at their command. It is only when the shallow state is weak that DS takes over the agenda. We saw this play out just after Manmohan Singh signed the nuclear deal.

Much of the opposition to it was based on leaks from his office and his Ministry of External Affairs by career civil servants, partly motivated by ingrained anti-Americanism and partly by those who found the change too drastic.

That is why the nuclear liability law was so poisoned as to make the entire deal fruitless. This is precisely what the Modi government's Budget just promised to change and which the Modi-Trump joint statement has taken note of.

And finally, where does non-state feature? From ancient times, sovereigns have used the cover of non-state actors to take their cause forward.

From bhikshus of Ashokan 3rd century BC and medieval Sufis to Oxfam, Omidyar and Soros now, non-state actors have any real power only when they work in conjunction with a real state. What is the US Agency for International Development, for example? It can't be DS because it is very much an instrument of the American state. So much so that Marco Rubio has now taken direct charge of it and moved it in the state department. The Trumpian objection is that it had been hijacked by Leftist ideologues who were using it to indulge their own fancy and not to further American interests.

Jump millennia to present-day India and ask what the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh is. The Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) will say it is a non-state entity, and, in fact, the world's largest non-government organisation. Ask the Congress, and they will call it the BJP's DS. The exact equation will apply if you asked the BJP and the Congress what Sonia Gandhi's National Advisory Council was. One shallow state antagonist's DS is the other's non-state entity.

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'Trump's volley of tariffs will not hurt India business'

Hindalco Industries plans to spend ₹6,000 crore as capex in India in 2024-25 (FY25) and ₹8,000 crore the next year. **SATISH PAI**, the company's managing director, told **Amritha Pillay** in a video interview that he expects Novelis, a subsidiary, to bounce back in the fourth quarter (Q4). Pai said America's announcement of trade tariffs will not have a "negative" impact on Hindalco, and Chinese aluminium imports to India are no longer cheaper. Edited excerpts:

In your Q3 performance, India operations helped offset the weakness seen for Novelis. Do you expect this trend to prevail?

In Q4, Novelis will bounce back. Both India and Novelis should do well and it should be a good quarter. Q3 for Novelis is a seasonally low quarter because of maintenance during the holiday season. This was compounded by the scrap spreads tightening. But the volumes will come back in Q4. With LME (London Metal Exchange) still holding, India operations should be good in Q4 as well.

Q&A

SATISH PAI
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With the US imposing tariffs on aluminium, what is the outlook for the two markets you have a presence in: India and US?

(US President Donald) Trump tariff: There is no negative for our India business because we do not export anything to the US. We are not impacted. Well, it is neutral to positive for what is happening in the US (for Novelis) as the scrap benefit will go up when the Midwest (premiums) goes up.

There are concerns that the US tariffs could mean exports meant for that country will be diverted. What will be the likely impact for your other export markets?

The primary aluminium that the US uses – 90 per cent – comes from one country: Canada. It is not that there is a lot of aluminium from many different parts of the world going there. I do not expect worldwide aluminium prices to get impacted. Regional premiums may get impacted, but there is not going to be a huge directional flow because every country has got 25 per cent.

You had flagged concerns about Chinese aluminium imports. Do you still see those concerns?

No. What China has done, which is more important than this Trump tariff, is that they have taken away that 13 per cent VAT rebate. For China to import into India, the prices have gone up. China, probably to protect itself under US tariffs, has been removing its subsidies. With this 13 per cent rebate going away, it makes it more expensive for China to export aluminium now. They should not be able to dump in India at very low prices.



Any update on plans for Novelis to have an initial public offering (IPO)?

For us now, we have to get Novelis' profitability back to $500 per tonne. We have to finish the Bay Minette project that is to be commissioned in September of 2026. Until those two happen, the IPO is not a priority right now. At least for another year, we are not going to think about it.

There is a considerable rise in your debt numbers from a year ago. Do we expect any changes there?

Novelis needs to get more debt to fund the payment. Novelis did a $750 million bond offering in January and probably in the latter half of FY26 they'll do another $750 million. On the India side, we are net cash positive.

For your India copper operations, two big conglomerates, Adani and JSW, are now competitors. What is Hindalco's strategy?

Competition is coming in and that is okay. The way we look at it is that we are going more and more into copper downstream. Just like we did in aluminium. We will keep our differentiation on having an upstream and a downstream. If the upstream comes under pressure, the downstream will help. The integrated business model is the way we will differentiate ourselves.

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That's because the Vajpayee government asked them to do so. This DS, which provides continuity and also assurance on broad policies and sovereign commitments remaining intact, also changes when political leaders command so. Those we describe as the shallow state.

"Shallow" is not to denote weakness but because they're transient. Actually, they are the ones with real power. It is used only because the political leaderships will have the deeper state apparatus at their command. It is only when the shallow state is weak that DS takes over the agenda. We saw this play out just after Manmohan Singh signed the nuclear deal.

Much of the opposition to it was based on leaks from his office and his Ministry of External Affairs by career civil servants, partly motivated by ingrained anti-Americanism and partly by those who found the change too drastic.

That is why the nuclear liability law was so poisoned as to make the entire deal fruitless. This is precisely what the Modi government's Budget just promised to change and which the Modi-Trump joint statement has taken note of.

And finally, where does non-state feature? From ancient times, sovereigns have used the cover of non-state actors to take their cause forward.

From bhikshus of Ashokan 3rd century BC and medieval Sufis to Oxfam, Omidyar and Soros now, non-state actors have any real power only when they work in conjunction with a real state. What is the US Agency for International Development, for example? It can't be DS because it is very much an instrument of the American state. So much so that Marco Rubio has now taken direct charge of it and moved it in the state department. The Trumpian objection is that it had been hijacked by Leftist ideologues who were using it to indulge their own fancy and not to further American interests.

Jump millennia to present-day India and ask what the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh is. The Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) will say it is a non-state entity, and, in fact, the world's largest non-government organisation. Ask the Congress, and they will call it the BJP's DS. The exact equation will apply if you asked the BJP and the Congress what Sonia Gandhi's National Advisory Council was. One shallow state antagonist's DS is the other's non-state entity.

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Prime Minister Narendra Modi left Washington for home on Friday morning after a meeting with US President Donald Trump, with the Indian side confident that the Trump administration would be "softer" on New Delhi on issues ranging from tariffs to illegal immigration than it has been on several of its other allies and strategic partners.

The US President conveyed that the friction witnessed in India-US ties during the tenure of his predecessor Joe Biden, especially on the issue of the alleged plot to murder a Khalistani separatist leader, was a thing of the past. Trump didn't dismiss the possibility that USAID might have interfered with the 2020 US Presidential and 2024 Lok Sabha elections. But the highlight of the Trump-Modi meeting, and the subsequent press conference, was their spirited personal rapport, and evidence of the two leaders having seamlessly picked up the threads of the friendship they had struck during the US President's previous term (2016-20).

At the press briefing, in his opening statement, the PM said: "If I say in the language of America, developed India means Make India Great Again, i.e. "MIGA". When the United States and India work together, i.e. "MAGA" plus "MIGA", the "MEGA" Partnership for prosperity is formed. And this mega spirit gives new scale and scope to our goals."

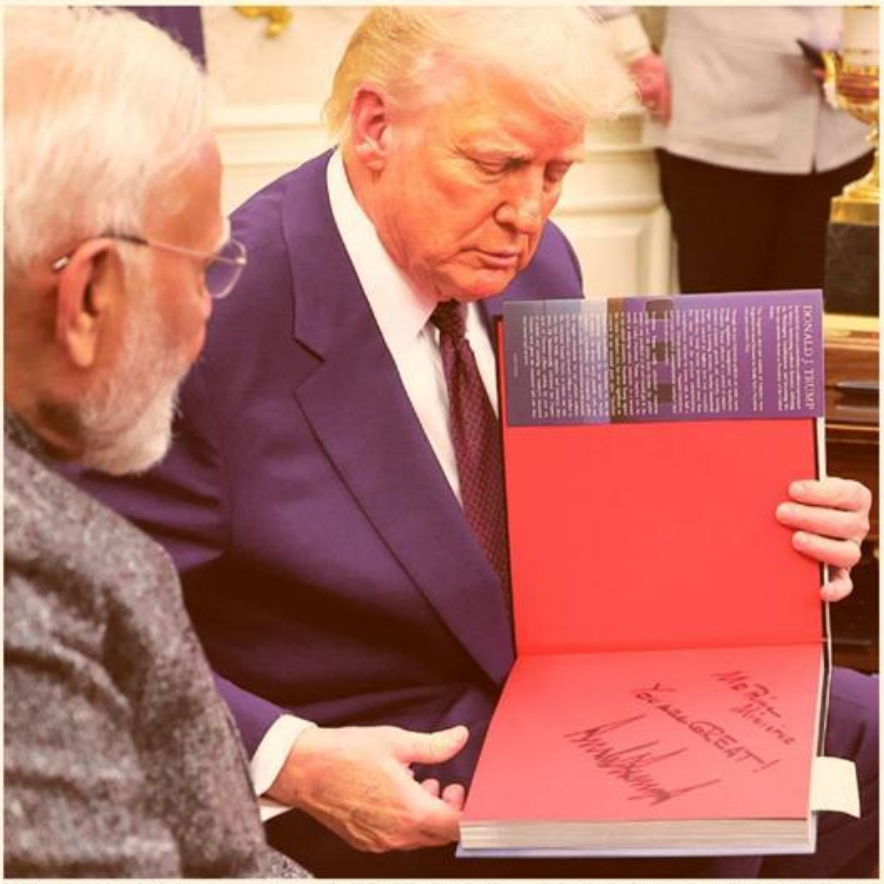
The joint statement, issued after the talks, spoke of the two sides committing to deepen their cooperation in the energy sector, counter-terrorism, defence, nuclear energy, sharing of technology, their synergy in the Indo-Pacific region and West Asia, and the centrality of Quad with India hosting the summit this year. Trump and Modi also committed "to break new ground to support and sustain the overseas deployments of the US and Indian militaries in the Indo-Pacific". It said India will "soon" open new consulates in Los Angeles and Boston. It also had enough to suggest that the Trump administration has heeded New Delhi's concerns on legal and illegal immigration. With the next batch of 119 Indian deportees set to land in Amritsar over the weekend, the Indian side returned home confident that these women and men will be treated better.

On legal immigration, the two sides agreed to put in place "innovative, mutually advantageous and secure mobility frameworks". Modi and Trump committed to streamlining avenues for legal mobility of students and professionals, and facilitating short-term tourist and business travel. The two sides said they will "aggressively" address illegal immigration and human trafficking by taking action against bad actors, criminal facilitators, and illegal immigration networks. For this, both committed themselves to strengthen law enforcement cooperation.

The two sides noted that the over 300,000-strong Indian student community contributes over $8 billion annually to the US economy and helped create a number of direct and indirect jobs. They recognised that the talent flow and movement of students, researchers and employees, has mutually benefited both countries. The two sides said they will work to strengthen collaborations between the higher education institutions through efforts such as joint/dual degree and twinning programs, establishing joint Centres of Excellence, and setting up offshore campuses of premier educational institutions of the US in India.

Terrorism

On terrorism, Trump expressed his understanding of and support for India's fight against the menace. "We are going to have a fantastic relationship and it will make both countries much stronger," he said of the two countries combating ISIS, and other terror groups together. The US announced that the extradition to India of Tahawwur Rana has been approved. The leaders called on Pakistan to expeditiously bring to justice the perpetrators of the 26/11 Mumbai and Pathankot attacks, and ensure that its territory is not used to carry out cross-border terrorism.



US President Donald Trump presented Narendra Modi a book, 'Our Journey Together', where he wrote: "Mr Prime Minister, you are great" PHOTO: PTI

Personal chemistry

Modi is among the first few world leaders to visit the US after Trump assumed office for his second term. The US President presented Modi a book, "Our Journey Together", where he wrote: "Mr Prime Minister, You Are Great". "We spent a lot of time here, and a lot of time in India... Prime Minister, it's a pleasure to extend to you the same hospitality that you showed Melania (Trump) and myself when we travelled to your beautiful country five years ago," the President said, alluding to his India visit in 2020. Trump described the PM as "a very special man". "I think our relationship is the best it has ever been between two leaders of the two countries," he said. Trump said, "Everybody talks about him (Modi). He's doing a really fantastic job. He's a great leader."

On allegations levelled against Indian agencies related to the alleged plot to murder Khalistani separatist leader Gurpatwant Singh Pannun, Trump said, "I don't think India had a very good relationship with the (Joe) Biden administration. A lot of things happened that were not very appropriate between India and the Biden administration."

Modi told Trump that he is grateful to the US President for the latter's great friendship and strong commitment towards India. On India-US negotiations on tariffs, Trump said of Modi, "He is a much tougher negotiator than me, and he is a much better negotiator. There's not even a contest." After the meeting, Modi said there was satisfaction of the two having achieved so much together during Trump's first term and the trust built then acted as a bridge during their discussions on Friday. Officials said despite Trump's hawkish stand on tariffs, he displayed a "softer" side for India by noting that it is alone not responsible for the trade practices which he believes harm the US business.

To a question on whether the issue relating to business tycoon Gautam Adani figured in the talks, Modi said, "India is a democracy and our culture is *Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam*. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine." "Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," he added.

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Leaders of 2 nations don't meet to discuss an individual matter: Modi on Adani issue

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Transcript Of Modi's Joint Press Conference In The US With President Trump

Prime Minister, the US is giving a lot of push to curb illegal immigration, and India has been cooperating on this issue. How does India see this issue in the larger context?

■ Modi: I don't think this is a question that is about India only, but even globally, you can talk about this issue. And we are of the opinion that anybody who enters another country illegally, they have absolutely no right to be in that country. And as far as India and the US is concerned, we have always been of the same opinion, and that is any verified Indian who is in the US illegally, we are fully prepared to take them back to India.

However, it doesn't stop there. These are children of very ordinary families, and they are lured by big dreams and big promises. A lot of them are brought in without them knowing about why they are going to a country. And in fact, they are connected with a human trafficking system, and we have to make sure that we fight against this system. As far as the US and India are concerned, I think what we should do is make efforts to make sure that we uproot these from within the system so that we can reduce or remove human trafficking.

And basically, the young, vulnerable, poor people of India are fooled into coming over as illegal immigrants. And our bigger fight actually is against this ecosystem or this system that encourages such gangs to thrive. And I can tell you that India will completely support your endeavour in achieving this.



Trump presents a book to Modi with a personal message (right)

I wanted to ask you, did you discuss any possible business deals with Elon Musk during your meetings today, Mr Prime Minister?

■ Modi: I have known him for a very long time. I was not even the prime minister at the time when I first met him. I was chief minister and today he came to meet me along with all his family with his children and so we had a nice discussion.

As far as EVs are concerned, the word EV has a copyright and that is one person who has a copyright to the word EV and that is Trump.

Mr President. Can I ask whether you discussed at all today the case of Gautam Adani who is one of the wealthiest men in Asia and perceived as an ally of Prime Minister Modi. Prime Minister Modi, have you asked the President to take action on that case?

■ Modi: Firstly, India is a democratic country, and our culture and our thought philosophy is Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam, which basically means that the entire world is a family. Every Indian is my own family member. And when it comes to such personal matters, two leaders of two countries will not get together on that topic and discuss anything on an individual matter.

Mr Prime Minister, how do you see India's role? You have had discussions with President Trump about de-escalating the conflict in Russia and Ukraine.

■ Modi: As you know, I have been in constant contact with both Russia and Ukraine. I have also visited both countries. And many people are mistaken, and they feel that India is neutral. I would like to clarify, India is not neutral. We have taken a side, and we have taken the side of peace. And it is based on this principle of ours that in the presence of President Putin, I clearly said in front of the media that this is not the era of war and even today it is my conviction that solutions cannot be found on the battlefield.

Ultimately, you have to come to the negotiating table and India has constantly made efforts that there are talks that take place where both parties are present. It is only then that we will find a solution. The efforts being made by President Trump, I support them, I welcome them and I would like that President Trump is successful as soon as possible so that the world is on the path to peace once again.

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Congress MP Rahul Gandhi accused PM Modi of "covering up" Gautam Adani's alleged corruption. "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence, If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption!" he said. Finding faults with PM's foreign visits has become a habit of Congress, said BJP's Syed Shahnawaz Hussain. AGENCIES

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'Trump tariff won't hurt Hindalco's India biz'

SATISH PAI, Hindalco MD, told Amritha Pillay that US' announcement of trade tariffs will not have a "negative" impact on the firm, and Chinese aluminium imports to India are no longer cheaper.

'Trump's volley of tariffs will not hurt India business'

Hindalco Industries plans to spend ₹6,000 crore as capex in India in 2024-25 (FY25) and ₹8,000 crore the next year. **SATISH PAI**, the company's managing director, told **Amritha Pillay** in a video interview that he expects Novelis, a subsidiary, to bounce back in the fourth quarter (Q4). Pai said America's announcement of trade tariffs will not have a "negative" impact on Hindalco, and Chinese aluminium imports to India are no longer cheaper. Edited excerpts:

In your Q3 performance, India operations helped offset the weakness seen for Novelis. Do you expect this trend to prevail?

In Q4, Novelis will bounce back. Both India and Novelis should do well and it should be a good quarter. Q3 for Novelis is a seasonally low quarter because of maintenance during the holiday season. This was compounded by the scrap spreads tightening. But the volumes will come back in Q4. With LME (London Metal Exchange) still holding, India operations should be good in Q4 as well.

Q&A

SATISH PAI
MD, Hindalco Industries

With the US imposing tariffs on aluminium, what is the outlook for the two markets you have a presence in: India and US?

(US President Donald) Trump tariff: There is no negative for our India business because we do not export anything to the US. We are not impacted. Well, it is neutral to positive for what is happening in the US (for Novelis) as the scrap benefit will go up when the Midwest (premiums) goes up.

There are concerns that the US tariffs could mean exports meant for that country will be diverted. What will be the likely impact for your other export markets?

The primary aluminium that the US uses – 90 per cent – comes from one country: Canada. It is not that there is a lot of aluminium from many different parts of the world going there. I do not expect worldwide aluminium prices to get impacted. Regional premiums may get impacted, but there is not going to be a huge directional flow because every country has got 25 per cent.

You had flagged concerns about Chinese aluminium imports. Do you still see those concerns?

No. What China has done, which is more important than this Trump tariff, is that they have taken away that 13 per cent VAT rebate. For China to import into India, the prices have gone up. China, probably to protect itself under US tariffs, has been removing its subsidies. With this 13 per cent rebate going away, it makes it more expensive for China to export aluminium now. They should not be able to dump in India at very low prices.



Any update on plans for Novelis to have an initial public offering (IPO)?

For us now, we have to get Novelis' profitability back to $500 per tonne. We have to finish the Bay Minette project that is to be commissioned in September of 2026. Until those two happen, the IPO is not a priority right now. At least for another year, we are not going to think about it.

There is a considerable rise in your debt numbers from a year ago. Do we expect any changes there?

Novelis needs to get more debt to fund the payment. Novelis did a $750 million bond offering in January and probably in the latter half of FY26 they'll do another $750 million. On the India side, we are net cash positive.

For your India copper operations, two big conglomerates, Adani and JSW, are now competitors. What is Hindalco's strategy?

Competition is coming in and that is okay. The way we look at it is that we are going more and more into copper downstream. Just like we did in aluminium. We will keep our differentiation on having an upstream and a downstream. If the upstream comes under pressure, the downstream will help. The integrated business model is the way we will differentiate ourselves.

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							₹ crore	$bn/$mn	YoY change %	₹ crore	YoY change %
1	Suzuki Motor Corporation	3	Japan	Suzuki Motor Corporation	Subsidiary	Automobile*	1,56,576	$18.6 bn	20.82	1,51,620	19.99
2	Hyundai Motor Co Group	14	South Korea	Hyundai Motor Co Group	Subsidiary	Automobile*	1,52,293	$18.1bn	21.45	1,50,072	21.80
3	Nayara Energy	1	Russia	Rosneft	Joint Venture	Energy	1,34,371	$16.0 bn	15.60	1,33,114	13.40
4	Walmart Inc	7	US	Walmart Inc	Subsidiary	Retail*	1,24,086	$14.8 bn	20.25	1,21,681	19.26
5	Samsung Group	7	South Korea	Samsung Group	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics*	1,16,365	$13.9 bn	5.10	1,14,170	6.12
6	BBK Electronics	5	China	BBK Electronics	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics	85,316	$10.2 bn	-2.87	85,618	-1.75
7	Toyota Motor Co Group	9	Japan	Toyota Motor Co Group	Subsidiary	Automobile*	77,677	$9.2 bn	51.58	76,498	52.91
8	Apple India	1	US	Apple Inc	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics	67,610	$8.0 bn	34.79	66,728	35.66
9	Accenture Solutions	1	Ireland	Accenture PLC	Subsidiary	IT - Services	66,359	$7.9 bn	6.38	65,505	5.69
10	Hindustan Unilever	1	UK	Unilever PLC	Subsidiary	FMCG	62,911	$7.5 bn	2.56	61,896	2.17
11	Wilmar Intenational#	2	Singapore	Wilmar Intenational	Joint Venture#	FMCG	61,690	$7.3 bn	-4.20	60,621	-5.97
12	Amazon Group	7	US	Amazon Inc	Subsidiary	Retail*	58,072	$6.9 bn	-15.16	59,735	-13.32
13	Foxconn Hon Hai Technology	3	Taiwan	Hon Hai Technology Group	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics - Contract Mfg	49,828	$5.9 bn	79.93	44,968	60.55
14	Honda Motor Co Group	3	Japan	Honda Motor Co Group	Subsidiary	Automobile*	46,156	$5.5 bn	19.88	44,546	17.67
15	Hewlett-Packard	8	US	Hewlett-Packard	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics*	40,351	$4.8 bn	5.65	39,024	3.04
16	Cognizant Technology Solutions India	1	US	Cognizant	Subsidiary	IT - Services	39,876	$4.7 bn	17.11	39,267	16.80
17	Bosch Group	5	Germany	Bosch Group	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries*	39,406	$4.7 bn	15.95	37,567	14.52
18	MMTC-PAMP India	1	Switzerland	MKS PAMP Group	Joint Venture (76%)	Retail	37,699	$4.5 bn	18.91	37,808	19.99

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742	690	$82.1 mn	79	46.81	13.76	530	2,113	164	23.70	8	1,543	152	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
427	306	$36.4 mn	145	53.42	6.23	1,047	1,545	207	30.91	1	1,312	169	26.38	31.58	NAP	NAP
1,034	733	$87.3 mn	72	38.05	14.97	850	3,429	121	25.09	25	1,952	131	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
312	218	$25.9 mn	177	L2P	4.47	378	2,310	155	15.91	3,909	1,948	132	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
112	242	$28.8 mn	171	-40.02	4.99	369	1,574	204	9.91	5,336	1,550	151	4.54	4.57	NAP	NAP

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2025 RANK	Company	Group companies considered	Headquarters (Country of Origin)	Ultimate Holding/ Parent company	Subsidiary/JV	Industry/ Sector	TOTAL INCOME			NET INCOME	
							₹crore	$bn/$mn	YoY change %	₹crore	YoY change %
142	Sany Heavy Industry India	1	China	Sany Heavy Industry Co Ltd	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	4,851	$577.5 mn	29.79	4,632	53.62
143	Yara Fertilisers India	1	Norway	Yara International ASA	Subsidiary	Chemicals - Agro chem	4,829	$574.8 mn	-23.46	4,842	-20.73
144	Ageas Federal Life Insurance Company	1	Belgium	Ageas Insurance International NV	Joint Venture (76%)	BFSI - Insurance	4,792	$570.4 mn	53.78	4,785	53.66
145	HeidelbergCement Co Group	2	Germany	HeidelbergCement Co Group	Subsidiary	Cement	4,791	$570.3 mn	3.88	4,757	4.91
146	Verizon Data Services India	1	US	Verizon Communications Inc	Subsidiary	IT - Managed Services	4,785	$569.7 mn	18.27	4,686	17.71
147	Johnson Matthey PLC	2	UK	Johnson Matthey PLC	Subsidiary	Capital Goods*	4,763	$567.1 mn	-17.23	4,777	-16.33
148	Nvidia Graphics	1	US	Nvidia Corporation	Subsidiary	IT - Semiconductors	4,692	$558.6 mn	19.27	4,626	20.29
149	Pfizer	2	New York	Pfizer	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	4,683	$557.5 mn	11.04	4,541	11.93
150	TE Connectivity	4	Ireland	TE Connectivity	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	4,672	$556.2 mn	32.80	4,569	42.00
151	Technip Energies India	1	France	Technip Energies	Subsidiary	Energy - EPC	4,535	$539.8 mn	-9.44	4,509	-9.77
152	Tetra-Pak India	2	Switzerland	Tetra Laval SA	Subsidiary	Packaging*	4,516	$537.6 mn	8.48	4,633	13.11
153	PayPal Holdings Inc.	2	US	PayPal Holdings Inc.	Subsidiary	IT Services	4,501	$535.8 mn	-1.41	4,425	-2.69
154	3M Company	2	US	3M Company	Subsidiary	Industrials - Diversified Products	4,454	$530.3 mn	3.70	4,416	5.91
155	Sandvik AB	5	Sweden	Sandvik AB	Subsidiary	Engineering*	4,422	$526.4 mn	9.57	4,284	11.42
156	Asahi India Glass	1	Japan	AGC Inc	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	4,376	$520.9 mn	6.03	4,341	8.01
157	Navitasys India	1	Japan	TDK Corporation	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	4,318	$514.1 mn	33.03	4,315	33.47
158	Tata Bluescope Steel	1	Australia	BlueScope	Subsidiary	Metals - Steel	4,295	$511.3 mn	34.44	4,240	30.25
159	Aptiv Components India	1	Ireland	Aptiv PLC	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	4,269	$508.2 mn	14.89	4,233	14.49
160	Schenker India	1	Germany	DB Schenker	Subsidiary	Logistics	4,242	$505.0 mn	-2.19	4,218	-2.23
161	Asus India	1	Taiwan	ASUSTeK Computer Inc.	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics - Laptops	4,164	$495.7 mn	15.89	4,118	9.52
162	Flextronics Technologies India	1	Singapore	Flex	Subsidiary	Electronics	4,162	$495.5 mn	-25.41	4,083	-26.16
163	BYD India	1	California	BYD Motors LLC	Subsidiary	Automobile	4,139	$492.8 mn	224.12	3,856	234.18
164	Komatsu India	1	Japan	Komatsu Ltd	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Heavy Machinery	4,103	$488.5 mn	16.06	4,156	20.93
165	Decathlon Sports India	1	France	Mulliez Family Association	Subsidiary	Retail	4,083	$486.1 mn	26.19	3,920	35.29
166	Unicharm India	1	Japan	Unicharm Corporation	Subsidiary	FMCG	4,080	$485.7 mn	-3.27	3,716	3.59
167	Johnson & Johnson	1	US	Johnson & Johnson	Subsidiary	FMCG	4,021	$478.7 mn	14.66	3,947	13.32
168	Akzo Nobel India	1	Netherlands	Akzo Nobel	Subsidiary	Paints	3,992	$475.3 mn	4.45	3,962	4.20
169	CGI Information Systems & Mgt Consultants	1	Canada	CGI Inc	Subsidiary	IT Services	3,983	$474.2 mn	20.71	3,940	21.03
170	Covestro India	1	Germany	Covestro	Subsidiary	Chemicals	3,978	$473.5 mn	-10.69	4,064	-8.72
171	Mars Inc	2	US	Mars Inc	Subsidiary	FMCG	3,951	$470.3 mn	4.43	3,925	3.40
172	The Timken Company	2	US	The Timken Company	Subsidiary	Industrial Engg. - Bearings	3,941	$469.2 mn	3.58	3,806	2.22

PBIDT Excl. Other Income	PROFIT/LOSS					Cash & Bank Balance	TOTAL ASSETS			Share Capital	NETWORTH		RONW	ROCE	Market Cap	P/E
₹ crore	₹ crore	$bn/$mn	Rank	YoY change %	% of total income	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	YoY change %	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	(%)	(%)	₹ crore	X
98	112	$13.4 mn	245	L2P	2.31	46	820	279	-0.42	142	503	299	18.82	19.30	NAP	NAP
132	2	$0.2 mn	439	-97.59	0.04	119	1,718	195	-27.85	1,633	1,495	155	1.85	3.85	NAP	NAP
143	107	$12.7 mn	251	-6.46	2.23	107	17,564	23	14.93	800	1,165	185	9.38	0.8	NAP	NAP
475	103	$12.2 mn	257	213.86	2.14	573	4,687	97	-1.78	502	2,940	104	NAP	NAP	4,846	37.07
760	462	$55.0 mn	106	20.41	9.65	1,156	2,296	157	20.24	4	1,620	148	33.21	32.15	NAP	NAP
399	172	$20.5 mn	203	-38.87	3.62	154	2,561	147	9.07	171	983	208	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
707	399	$47.5 mn	119	12.03	8.51	836	1,383	222	-31.87	1	943	213	31.64	32.9	NAP	NAP
1,356	854	$101.6 mn	62	50.35	18.23	2,270	6,461	76	3.55	53	4,665	70	NAP	NAP	23,257	38
562	348	$41.4 mn	130	60.82	7.45	185	2,018	170	21.23	49	1,591	149	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
140	46	$5.5 mn	324	-66.93	1.02	57	1,393	221	20.38	20	960	212	4.96	8.25	NAP	NAP
568	321	$38.3 mn	141	36.23	7.12	126	937	263	-24.20	150	649	257	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
19	-77	-$9.2 mn	473	P2L	NAP	2,174	3,238	128	25.63	0.02	2,710	108	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
815	624	$74.3 mn	87	27.13	14.02	1,376	2,410	152	24.50	13	2,359	118	NAP	NAP	32,791	53.64
613	354	$42.2 mn	127	2.82	8.01	412	2,770	138	-0.88	48	2,566	111	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
722	328	$39.0 mn	137	-10.11	7.50	179	4,333	102	24.35	24	2,353	119	14.68	14.72	15,614	50.25
99	37	$4.4 mn	339	-35.15	0.86	318	372	376	94.23	423	352	334	10.09	10.58	NAP	NAP
178	29	$3.4 mn	364	-89.87	0.67	248	2,162	162	32.90	866	1,368	165	1.59	5.29	NAP	NAP
404	173	$20.6 mn	202	-53.22	4.05	311	1,582	202	12.35	363	1,429	162	12.91	16.63	NAP	NAP
415	243	$29.0 mn	169	6.91	5.74	457	1,216	237	16.96	1	806	232	33.19	32.53	NAP	NAP
39	37	$4.3 mn	343	L2P	0.88	281	154	446	32.48	34	148	414	28.03	36.67	NAP	NAP
39	-69	-$8.2 mn	469	HL	NAP	366	2,233	160	4.15	69	785	236	NAP	-4.28	NAP	NAP
37	-12	-$1.5 mn	454	LL	NAP	355	644	313	50.09	256	-10	492	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
766	556	$66.1 mn	94	137.50	13.54	687	1,893	180	34.51	1,096	1,868	135	34.16	45.41	NAP	NAP
377	-19	-$2.2 mn	459	P2L	NAP	244	1,996	171	-0.98	189	614	265	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
194	296	$35.3 mn	148	-38.14	7.26	107	3,247	127	0.38	3,712	1,926	133	-2.07	0.98	NAP	NAP
819	543	$64.7 mn	96	-51.97	13.51	1,025	3,818	110	23.02	14	2,394	116	25.09	33.86	NAP	NAP
632	427	$50.8 mn	113	27.31	10.69	524	1,496	209	0.16	46	1,329	167	32.27	39.21	16,724	38.45
681	459	$54.6 mn	107	24.26	11.51	155	1,230	236	-7.60	1	826	227	51.64	51	NAP	NAP
138	58	$7.0 mn	310	-19.77	1.47	4	1,413	219	0.44	208	1,091	191	5.31	7.82	NAP	NAP
257	95	$11.3 mn	266	17.62	2.40	294	1,270	233	2.37	2,241	593	273	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
729	469	$55.9 mn	105	-1.40	11.91	356	3,088	133	9.15	181	2,974	103	NAP	NAP	21,285	53.86

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SERVICENOW SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT INDIA: The company has been expanding its presence in India and globally with a focus on digital workflows, Cloud-based services, and automation.

2025 RANK	Company	Group companies considered	Headquarters (Country of Origin)	Ultimate Holding / Parent company	Subsidiary / JV	Industry/ Sector	TOTAL INCOME			NET INCOME	
							₹crore	$bn/$mn	YoY change %	₹crore	YoY change %
173	Valeo Group	4	France	Valeo Group	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	3,930	$467.8 mn	19.88	3,817	19.10
174	Vestas Wind Technology India	1	Denmark	Vestas Wind Systems A/s	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	3,909	$465.4 mn	-31.25	4,519	-8.98
175	Pricewaterhouse Coopers	1	UK	PricewaterhouseCoopers International Limited	Subsidiary	Professional Service	3,862	$459.8 mn	-15.64	3,746	-13.87
176	Servicenow Software Development India	1	US	ServiceNow	Subsidiary	IT Services	3,837	$456.8 mn	37.94	3,834	37.95
177	Groupe Lactalis S.A.	2	France	Groupe Lactalis S.A.	Subsidiary	FMCG	3,788	$451.0 mn	9.94	3,750	12.25
178	Sutherland Global Services	1	US	Sutherland Global Services Inc	Subsidiary	IT Services - BPO	3,724	$443.4 mn	17.72	3,635	19.30
179	Hubergroup India	1	Germany	Mhm Holding Gmbh	Subsidiary	Chemicals	3,679	$437.9 mn	-5.87	3,605	-6.06
180	RHI Magnesita India	1	Austria	RHI Magnesita GMbh	Subsidiary	Metallurgy - Refractories	3,663	$436.0 mn	31.80	3,781	38.69
181	GlaxoSmithKline Pharmaceuticals	1	UK	GSK plc	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	3,660	$435.7 mn	11.01	3,454	6.21
182	Mitsui Kinzoku Components India	1	Japan	Mitsui Mining & Smelting	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	3,646	$434.1 mn	6.95	3,597	3.88
183	Henkel AG	2	Germany	Henkel AG	Subsidiary	Chemicals	3,624	$431.4 mn	21.10	3,589	23.47
184	CPF India	1	Thailand	Charoen Pokphand Foods Public Company Limited (CPFP)	Subsidiary	Agro - Aquaculture	3,614	$430.3 mn	-10.45	3,640	-8.53
185	Novateur Electrical & Digital Systems	1	Netherlands	Legrand	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	3,578	$426.0 mn	25.30	3,504	23.62
186	Piaggio Vehicles	1	Italy	Piaggio & C. SpA	Subsidiary	Automobile	3,575	$425.6 mn	10.86	3,531	11.10
187	Bata India	1	Switzerland	Bata Corporation	Subsidiary	Retail	3,573	$425.4 mn	1.32	3,479	0.78
188	Yazaki India	1	Japan	Yazaki Corporation	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	3,514	$418.3 mn	47.33	3,439	46.64
189	Autoliv India	1	Sweden	Autoliv Inc.	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	3,491	$415.6 mn	19.99	3,432	19.21
190	Juniper Networks India	1	California	Juniper Networks International LLC	Subsidiary	IT Services	3,490	$415.4 mn	35.18	3,026	21.02
191	FedEx Corporation	2	US	FedEx Corporation	Subsidiary	Logistics	3,466	$412.6 mn	-6.59	3,446	-6.64
192	Lear Corporation	1	US	Lear Corporation	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	3,454	$411.2 mn	11.65	3,447	11.81
193	Boeing Group	2	US	Boeing Group	Subsidiary	Aerospace & Defence	3,451	$410.9 mn	39.73	3,276	35.27
194	FCA India Automobiles	1	Netherlands	Stellantis. PSA Group (Peugeot Société Anonyme)	Subsidiary	Automobile	3,421	$407.3 mn	16.94	3,355	16.43
195	Syntel	1	US	Syntel Inc	Subsidiary	IT Services	3,407	$405.6 mn	7.54	3,246	7.45
196	The Boston Consulting Group (India)	1	US	BCG Holding Corporation	Subsidiary	Professional services - Business Consultancy	3,406	$405.5 mn	22.40	3,334	20.70
197	Haleon Plc#	2	UK	Haleon Plc	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	3,388	$403.4 mn	19.87	3,336	20.04
198	KONE Elevator India	1	Finland	KONE Corporation	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	3,377	$402.0 mn	21.57	3,321	22.20
199	Indian Oil Petronas	1	Malaysia, India	Petronas, IOCL	Joint Venture	Energy	3,367	$400.8 mn	-0.73	3,268	-2.58
200	Puma Sports India	1	Germany	PUMA	Subsidiary	Retail	3,348	$398.5 mn	0.53	3,262	10.45

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YAZAKI INDIA: Yazaki's strategic focus and partnerships with leading Indian automakers place it at the forefront of the evolving EV market in India.

PBIDT Excl. Other Income	PROFIT/LOSS					Cash & Bank Balance	TOTAL ASSETS			Share Capital	NETWORTH		RONW	ROCE	Market Cap	P/E
₹ crore	₹ crore	$bn/$mn	Rank	YoY change %	% of total income	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	YoY change %	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	(%)	(%)	₹ crore	X
323	140	$16.7 mn	225	53.34	3.57	324	1,282	231	3.08	854	1,020	200	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
267	-20	-$2.4 mn	460	LL	NAP	269	2,070	167	-17.16	194	318	342	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
-64	46	$5.5 mn	325	-75.49	1.19	109	1,479	211	49.94	14	577	281	-6.36	0.07	NAP	NAP
628	301	$35.9 mn	146	162.19	7.86	343	1,644	198	83.69	0.01	999	207	36.74	35.34	NAP	NAP
26	-58	-$6.9 mn	465	HL	NAP	171	2,670	141	5.19	567	2,359	117	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
908	661	$78.7 mn	83	0.03	17.75	678	3,317	125	11.61	3	3,122	98	23.76	28.79	NAP	NAP
328	234	$27.8 mn	174	12.51	6.35	50	1,936	179	-8.49	25	1,776	140	13.07	16.91	NAP	NAP
221	-100	-$12.0 mn	477	LL	NAP	53	4,348	101	-5.13	21	3,846	85	NAP	8.64	9,950	49.96
745	590	$70.2 mn	90	-3.39	16.12	1,063	2,044	168	1.57	169	1,778	139	37.32	44.97	35,189	43.88
175	141	$16.8 mn	223	L2P	3.87	65	699	300	11.89	40	88	458	809.53	24.65	NAP	NAP
339	189	$22.4 mn	192	79.77	5.20	273	1,430	216	7.75	51	1,381	164	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
-62	-151	-$18.0 mn	487	LL	NAP	46	2,442	151	3.83	591	1,294	171	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
865	620	$73.8 mn	88	39.92	17.32	1,036	1,962	174	-1.81	1,434	1,709	145	34.93	42.58	NAP	NAP
278	108	$12.9 mn	250	L2P	3.03	516	663	310	6.40	34	511	296	19.05	24.10	NAP	NAP
754	263	$31.3 mn	161	-18.73	7.35	408	2,889	137	7.59	64	1,527	153	19.76	18.64	17,293	49.74
304	128	$15.2 mn	229	1218.85	3.64	27	1,463	213	8.23	262	255	364	26.53	13.42	NAP	NAP
279	155	$18.5 mn	215	68.88	4.45	266	745	290	1.55	8	665	251	24.00	31.72	NAP	NAP
809	713	$84.9 mn	74	204.70	20.43	956	2,527	148	34.79	20	2,495	114	21.16	26.38	NAP	NAP
148	143	$17.0 mn	221	-50.63	4.11	229	1,844	184	87.56	30	1,479	159	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
182	91	$10.8 mn	270	100.75	2.63	264	789	285	3.75	34	582	279	15.88	18.52	NAP	NAP
656	369	$43.9 mn	124	18.01	10.68	752	3,284	126	18.73	1,509	2,549	112	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
153	157	$18.7 mn	212	-2.52	4.58	309	382	369	13.68	516	380	324	6.07	6.23	NAP	NAP
509	407	$48.5 mn	116	-24.35	11.95	891	3,237	129	-18.71	1	2,824	105	16.53	17.07	NAP	NAP
415	209	$24.8 mn	186	172.47	6.13	141	2,122	163	18.07	5	1,017	202	22.7	17.13	NAP	NAP
746	567	$67.5 mn	92	46.48	16.75	700	3,589	115	8.24	167	2,134	124	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
553	372	$44.3 mn	122	49.36	11.01	495	695	302	-29.49	35	609	267	47.99	60.59	NAP	NAP
413	326	$38.8 mn	138	30.81	9.68	1,065	1,842	185	10.53	268	1,698	147	20.21	25.90	NAP	NAP
262	9	$1.0 mn	420	-91.60	0.26	7	1,145	244	11.43	113	214	389	4.07	12.36	NAP	NAP



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201	ADM Agro Industries India	1	US	Archer Daniels Midland Company	Subsidiary	FMCG	3,339	$397.5 mn	1.38	3,281	4.01
202	GMM Pfaudler	1	US	GMM	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	3,336	$397.1 mn	2.16	3,446	8.46
203	Metso Outotec India	1	Finland	Metso Corporation	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	3,269	$389.1 mn	7.85	3,243	11.36
204	H & M Hennes & Mauritz Retail	1	Sweden	H & M	Subsidiary	Retail	3,243	$386.0 mn	4.91	3,278	11.43
205	Canon India	1	Japan	Canon Inc.	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables	3,232	$384.8 mn	6.71	3,148	7.23
206	Sanofi India	1	Germany	Hoechst Group	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	3,227	$384.1 mn	NAP	2,851	NAP
207	Sodexo India Services	1	France	Sodexo SA	Subsidiary	Faciities Management	3,150	$375.0 mn	18.39	3,125	20.43
208	AMD India	1	US	AMD	Subsidiary	IT - Semiconductors	3,142	$374.1 mn	54.27	3,097	53.94
209	Roche Pharm Holding	3	Switzerland	Roche Pharm Holding	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	3,134	$373.1 mn	-18.25	2,907	-22.74
210	US Technology Intl.	1	US	UST	Subsidiary	IT Services	3,116	$371.0 mn	9.33	3,051	10.82
211	International Flavors & Fragrances Inc.	2	US	International Flavors & Fragrances Inc.	Subsidiary	Chemicals*	3,115	$370.8 mn	1.23	3,009	-0.96
212	Randstad India	1	Netherlands	Randstad Holding nv	Subsidiary	Professional Services - Business Consultancy	3,093	$368.2 mn	20.13	3,087	20.54
213	Signify Innovations India	1	Netherlands	Signify N.V.	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	3,084	$367.1 mn	-2.17	3,069	-1.21
214	Mckinsey & Company India LLP	1	US	Mckinsey & Company, Inc	Subsidiary	Professional Services - Business Consultancy	3,072	$365.7 mn	27.65	3,070	27.86
215	Meta Platforms	1	US	Meta Platforms	Subsidiary	IT services - Online Digital	3,064	$364.7 mn	8.86	3,035	9.33
216	ZS Associates India	1	US	ZS Associates International, Inc.	Subsidiary	IT Services	3,004	$357.6 mn	31.02	2,943	29.56
217	Evonik India	1	Germany	Evonik Industries AG	Subsidiary	Chemicals	2,972	$353.8 mn	16.55	2,879	15.72
218	Arkema	4	France	Arkema	Subsidiary	Chemicals - Petrochem*	2,967	$353.3 mn	-15.00	2,994	-12.38
219	Adidas India	1	Germany	Adidas	Subsidiary	Retail	2,962	$352.6 mn	80.20	2,507	66.05
220	Indo-MIM	1	US	green meadows investments Ltd	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	2,960	$352.4 mn	6.48	2,888	4.89
221	Huhtamaki India	1	Finland	Huhtamaki	Subsidiary	Packaging	2,957	$352.0 mn	-0.91	2,549	-14.53
222	Avery Dennison India	1	US	Avery Dennison Corporation	Subsidiary	Packaging	2,956	$351.9 mn	14.29	2,935	14.56
223	Firmenich Aromatics Production India	1	Switzerland	Firmenich	Subsidiary	Chemicals	2,934	$349.3 mn	18.21	2,894	21.30
224	Merck	2	Germany	Merck	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	2,908	$346.2 mn	-1.23	2,879	5.17
225	Isuzu Motors India	1	Japan	Isuzu Motors	Subsidiary	Automobile	2,889	$343.9 mn	8.88	2,824	15.93
226	IMCD India	1	Netherlands	IMCD Group	Subsidiary	Chemicals	2,885	$343.4 mn	27.38	2,623	16.80
227	Roquette India	1	France	Roquette Freres	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals - Ingredients	2,881	$343.0 mn	-0.57	2,840	-0.80
228	Linde India	1	UK	Linde Plc	Subsidiary	Chemicals	2,857	$340.2 mn	NAP	2,769	NAP
229	Lanxess India	1	Germany	Lanxess AG	Subsidiary	Chemicals	2,857	$340.1 mn	-12.99	2,856	-4.68
230	OTIS Elevator Company (India)	1	US	Otis Worldwide Corporation	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	2,833	$337.3 mn	14.19	2,771	13.79

PBIDT Excl. Other Income	PROFIT/LOSS					Cash & Bank Balance	TOTAL ASSETS			Share Capital	NETWORTH		RONW	ROCE	Market Cap	P/E
₹ crore	₹ crore	$bn/$mn	Rank	YoY change %	% of total income	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	YoY change %	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	(%)	(%)	₹ crore	X
-16	-6	-$0.7 mn	449	LL	NAP	16	516	336	7.01	613	44	478	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
477	179	$21.3 mn	199	9.43	5.36	344	2,183	161	5.05	9	968	211	19.69	16.50	5,400	52.69
384	174	$20.7 mn	201	-0.71	5.33	182	2,090	165	-11.57	97	713	247	25.20	15.19	NAP	NAP
171	7	$0.8 mn	425	-83.36	0.22	135	483	344	-24.63	5	241	375	2.31	14.09	NAP	NAP
194	140	$16.7 mn	224	17.59	4.34	234	968	260	1.95	298	859	224	16.54	20.98	NAP	NAP
804	603	$71.8 mn	89	NAP	18.69	407	1,065	249	NAP	23	1,015	203	59.39	79.56	12,808	30.38
166	120	$14.3 mn	239	6.39	3.81	178	608	321	21.64	195	489	301	26.63	27.44	NAP	NAP
424	217	$25.8 mn	180	73.65	6.90	715	1,550	206	44.54	1	900	218	27.41	25.47	NAP	NAP
287	113	$13.5 mn	244	-22.78	3.61	130	1,429	217	17.12	18	1,017	201	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
421	200	$23.9 mn	188	-34.17	6.43	105	2,664	142	8.93	5	1,994	129	10.66	12.65	NAP	NAP
341	226	$26.9 mn	175	56.05	7.26	159	1,307	227	22.19	49	1,089	192	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
56	31	$3.7 mn	356	53.39	1.01	1	505	338		59	425	317	5.54	5.75	NAP	NAP
442	269	$32.0 mn	159	0.86	8.72	484	719	296	-11.15	58	549	286	45.16	49.11	NAP	NAP
127	75	$8.9 mn	288	241.23	2.43	287	1,944	176	40.83	10	427	315	19.14	30.39	NAP	NAP
1,123	505	$60.1 mn	97	43.07	16.48	2,265	2,664	143	52.24	10	2,220	122	26.52	39.92	NAP	NAP
605	367	$43.7 mn	125	28.50	12.22	120	1,483	210	66.33	2	1,006	205	44.69	43.59	NAP	NAP
131	123	$14.6 mn	236	44.79	4.14	138	473	346	35.45	2	472	303	30	41.42	NAP	NAP
119	63	$7.4 mn	302	-8.34	2.11	80	857	273	10.85	82	643	259	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
438	258	$30.7 mn	164	72.56	8.70	464	1,965	173	38.94	466	1,448	161	19.5	23.49	NAP	NAP
757	352	$41.9 mn	129	-25.39	11.88	246	3,386	123	13.00	48	2,086	126	17.17	19.36	NAP	NAP
156	410	$48.8 mn	115	725.20	13.85	312	1,423	218	20.49	15	1,150	186	13.04	12.3	1,929	22
310	180	$21.5 mn	198	-7.47	6.10	147	1,044	252	14.63	48	1,014	204	19.53	25.85	NAP	NAP
405	246	$29.3 mn	167	46.87	8.39	119	1,851	183	9.80	4	1,764	141	14.76	19.36	NAP	NAP
521	377	$44.9 mn	121	2.59	12.96	851	3,072	134	5.59	98	2,690	109	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
19	13	$1.5 mn	402	L2P	0.45	222	1,044	253	1.87	5,000	1,002	206	0.43	0.77	NAP	NAP
368	171	$20.3 mn	204	-19.67	5.91	260	3,401	122	-25.80	53	3,261	96	5.05	6.4	NAP	NAP
147	50	$5.9 mn	322	L2P	1.72	39	1,554	205	-4.23	53	795	235	4.75	4.78	NAP	NAP
702	434	$51.7 mn	112	NAP	15.19	980	3,606	114	NAP	85	3,468	92	13.14	17.04	52,092	116.91
177	89	$10.6 mn	274	-78.76	3.11	384	1,574	203	-30.78	1,035	1,516	154	4.76	6.62	NAP	NAP
255	210	$25.0 mn	184	35.47	7.40	660	376	373	14.99	12	269	357	85.85	82.81	NAP	NAP

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NIPPON PAINT INDIA: The company is not only growing its market share but also improving its operational efficiency.

2025 RANK	Company	Group companies considered	Headquarters (Country of Origin)	Ultimate Holding / Parent company	Subsidiary / JV	Industry/ Sector	TOTAL INCOME			NET INCOME	
							₹ crore	$bn/$mn	YoY change %	₹ crore	YoY change %
231	Inditex Trent Retail India	1	Spain	Inditex SA	Subsidiary	Retail	2,799	$333.2 mn	9.22	2,769	8.42
232	Toyo Engineering India	1	Japan	Toyo Engineering Corporation	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	2,794	$332.6 mn	17.44	2,741	17.34
233	Texas Instruments (India)	1	US	Texas Instruments	Subsidiary	IT Services	2,765	$329.2 mn	31.49	2,726	32.88
234	Perfetti Van Melle India	1	Italy	Perfetti Van Melle	Subsidiary	FMCG	2,753	$327.7 mn	26.24	2,677	26.02
235	Uber India Systems	1	US	Uber Technologies Inc	Subsidiary	Shared mobility	2,744	$326.7 mn	46.36	2,666	54.42
236	Novo Nordisk (India)	1	Denmark	Novo Nordisk	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	2,743	$326.6 mn	24.22	2,485	16.20
237	Sandoz	1	Switzerland	Sandoz	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	2,733	$325.3 mn	9.95	2,820	16.20
238	Synopsys India	1	US	Synopsys Inc	Subsidiary	IT Services	2,720	$323.9 mn	32.71	2,688	32.00
239	SHV Energy	1	Netherlands	SHV Holdings	Subsidiary	Logistics	2,691	$320.4 mn	31.70	2,567	29.63
240	Bharat Mumbai Container Terminals	1	Singapore	PSA International	Subsidiary	Logistics	2,657	$316.3 mn	9.17	2,604	7.91
241	IGT Solutions	1	Singapore	Aion Direct Ii Singapore Pte. Ltd	Subsidiary	IT Services	2,655	$316.1 mn	1.64	2,632	1.65
242	Nippon Paint India	1	Japan	Nippon Paint Holding	Subsidiary	Paints	2,632	$313.4 mn	14.38	2,614	16.89
243	Clariant AG	2	Germany	Clariant AG	Subsidiary, JV	Chemicals	2,623	$312.3 mn	18.10	2,546	20.34
244	Andrew Telecommunications India	1	US	CommScope Inc (Andrew Corporation, Andrew LLC)	Subsidiary	Telecom Equipment	2,610	$310.8 mn	25.21	2,605	24.00
245	Praxair India	1	UK	Linde plc, Praxair	Subsidiary	Chemicals	2,608	$310.5 mn	9.26	2,582	9.39
246	Goodyear India	1	US	Goodyear Tyer and Rubber Company	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	2,585	$307.7 mn	-11.66	2,552	-12.84
247	Can-Pack India	1	Poland	Canpack Group (Giorgi Global Holdings)	Subsidiary	Packaging	2,584	$307.6 mn	2.16	2,507	2.68
248	Goodrich Aerospace Services	1	US	Goodrich Corporation	Subsidiary	Aerospace & Defence	2,578	$306.9 mn	50.66	2,506	50.72
249	TRL Krosaki Refractories	1	Japan	Nippon Steel Corporation	Subsidiary	Metallurgy - Refractories	2,575	$306.5 mn	10.68	2,503	9.29
250	Danfoss Industries	1	Denmark	Danfoss	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	2,566	$305.4 mn	45.02	2,570	48.02
251	Plasser India	1	Austria	Plasser & Theurer	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	2,560	$304.8 mn	8.66	2,507	12.65
252	Wabtec Locomotive	1	US	Wabtec	Joint Venture	Capital Goods - Railway Locomotive	2,516	$299.5 mn	9.14	2,480	8.24
253	ExxonMobil Corporation	2	US	ExxonMobil Corporation	Subsidiary	Energy*	2,479	$295.1 mn	-1.11	2,466	7.38
254	Umicore Autocat India	1	Germany	Umicore AG & Co. KG	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	2,458	$292.6 mn	-12.43	2,572	-4.17
255	Hwashin Automotive India	1	South Korea	Hwashin Co Ltd	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	2,450	$291.6 mn	34.49	2,432	34.37
256	Samsonite South Asia	1	Luxembourg, USA	Samsonite International S.A	Subsidiary	Retail	2,421	$288.2 mn	18.59	2,299	22.11
257	Seiko Epson Corporation	1	Japan	Seiko Epson Corporation	Subsidiary	Consumer Appliances	2,405	$286.3 mn	-0.80	2,498	13.96
258	Delta Electronics India	1	Thailand	Delta Electronics	Subsidiary	Telecom Equipment	2,404	$286.1 mn	43.99	2,323	47.01

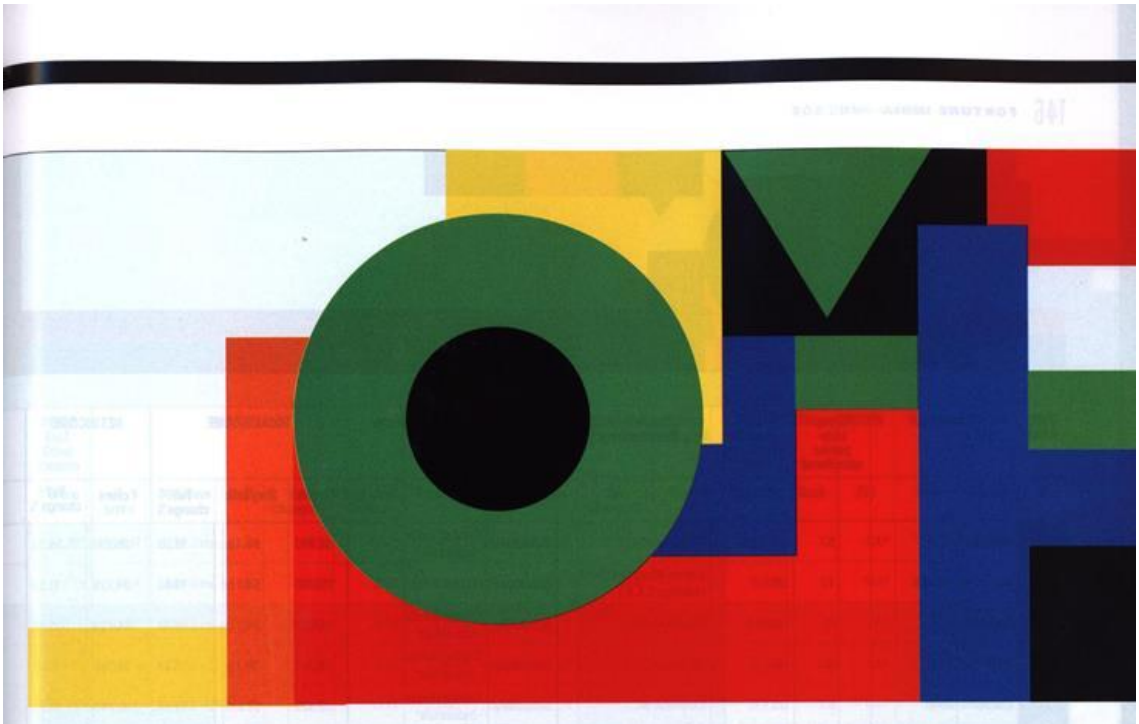
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DANFOSS INDUSTRIES: Danfoss is expanding its presence in India's renewable energy sector, capitalising on the growing demand for green solutions.

PBIDT Excl. Other Income	PROFIT/LOSS					Cash & Bank Balance	TOTAL ASSETS			Share Capital	NETWORTH		RONW	ROCE	Market Cap	P/E
₹ crore	₹ crore	$bn/$mn	Rank	YoY change %	% of total income	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	YoY change %	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	(%)	(%)	₹ crore	X
455	244	$29.0 mn	168	-7.74	8.71	62	675	304	15.90	65	486	302	55.47	60.22	NAP	NAP
156	102	$12.1 mn	259	33.25	3.64	89	1,830	188	3.70	100	1,077	193	9.73	9.29	NAP	NAP
508	325	$38.7 mn	139	8.08	11.77	171	989	259	26.44	0.27	764	239	46.41	51.05	NAP	NAP
322	247	$29.4 mn	166	39.39	8.97	675	916	266	9.73	28	823	229	30.91	39.11	NAP	NAP
-363	-311	-$37.1 mn	491	HL	NAP	683	2,301	156	-3.72	27	2,164	123	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
190	130	$15.5 mn	227	44.35	4.76	53	762	288	75.41	27	529	292	27.33	31.35	NAP	NAP
359	185	$22.0 mn	195	23.94	6.76	1	1,702	197	57.31	3	823	228	24.55	19.7	NAP	NAP
177	-96	-$11.4 mn	476	HL	NAP	594	1,213	239	26.40	2	1,052	197	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
183	119	$14.1 mn	241	-33.91	4.40	94	914	267	-7.69	102	571	283	18.48	17.04	NAP	NAP
481	-60	-$7.1 mn	467	LL	NAP	481	8,038	57	15.07	3,880	1,238	178	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
455	78	$9.2 mn	285	-65.19	2.93	158	1,274	232	-0.51	0.02	853	226	10.99	13.88	NAP	NAP
114	68	$8.1 mn	295	4766.43	2.59	233	698	301	12.11	563	638	262	11.27	16	NAP	NAP
537	390	$46.4 mn	120	-11.21	14.85	40	1,741	192	-0.78	2	1,333	166	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
116	40	$4.7 mn	337	-6.31	1.52	52	737	293	6.81	7	704	249	5.81	7.81	NAP	NAP
843	371	$44.2 mn	123	46.45	14.24	553	3,226	130	13.38	357	3,173	97	12.36	18.7	NAP	NAP
171	95	$11.3 mn	265	-22.80	3.67	124	619	318	-4.27	23	579	280	16.05	21.00	2,207	37.78
449	316	$37.6 mn	142	173.07	12.24	156	1,832	186	20.69	831	1,812	138	19.11	23.81	NAP	NAP
283	152	$18.1 mn	217	41.50	5.91	183	1,409	220	5.50	1	1,291	172	12.30	16.21	NAP	NAP
317	243	$29.0 mn	170	53.73	9.45	34	1,144	245	8.16	21	911	215	25.71	26.52	NAP	NAP
265	126	$15.0 mn	234	77.03	4.91	9	1,937	178	4.49	100	1,235	179	10.74	11.24	NAP	NAP
352	155	$18.4 mn	216	-42.71	6.05	219	1,757	190	8.66	1	815	230	21.00	18.37	NAP	NAP
543	322	$38.3 mn	140	17.37	12.79	788	1,753	191	-17.93	400	599	271	44.52	24.35	NAP	NAP
-101	-58	-$6.9 mn	466	LL	NAP	659	1,731	194	27.42	1,821	1,023	199	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
108	62	$7.4 mn	305	-41.36	2.52	52	670	306	-7.87	1	615	264	10.62	14.77	NAP	NAP
172	96	$11.4 mn	262	66.15	3.93	121	586	324	36.28	395	252	366	24.34	18.70	NAP	NAP
370	213	$25.4 mn	182	23.66	8.81	239	995	258	47.32	35	645	258	39.57	38.44	NAP	NAP
146	128	$15.2 mn	230	37.27	5.31	544	559	328	0.54	11	506	298	24.96	30.90	NAP	NAP
162	62	$7.4 mn	304	439.24	2.60	224	2,646	144	26.75	1,108	1,970	130	3.7	4.48	NAP	NAP

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2025 RANK	Company	Group com-panies considered	Head-quarters (Country of Origin)	Ultimate Holding / Parent company	Subsid-iary / JV	Industry/Sector	TOTAL INCOME			NET INCOME	
							₹crore	$bn/$mn	YoY change %	₹crore	YoY change %
259	Hanon Automotive Systems India	1	South Korea	Hanon Systems	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	2,402	$286.0 mn	23.36	2,350	21.66
260	DSV Air & Sea	1	Denmark	DSV A/S	Subsidiary	Logistics	2,384	$283.8 mn	-46.82	2,338	-47.59
261	NXP India	1	Netherlands	NXP Semiconductors	Subsidiary	IT - Semiconductors	2,342	$278.8 mn	44.87	2,302	44.11
262	Trent Hypermarket	1	UK, India	Tesco & Trent	Joint Venture	Retail	2,297	$273.5 mn	24.63	2,189	20.87
263	Netflix Entertainment Services India LLP	1	US	Netflix, Inc	Subsidiary	Media	2,286	$272.2 mn	24.44	2,214	24.14
264	KSB	1	Germany	KSB SE & Co. KGaA	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	2,271	$270.4 mn	16.65	2,247	23.34
265	Kirby Building Systems & Structures India	1	Kuwait	Alghanim Industries	Subsidiary	Construction	2,249	$267.7 mn	NAP	2,211	NAP
266	Carrier Airconditioning & Refrigeration	1	US	Carrier Global	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables	2,223	$264.7 mn	7.28	2,131	5.88
267	Michelin India	1	France	Michelin SCA	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	2,207	$262.7 mn	9.91	2,124	4.32
268	Knorr-Bremse India	1	Germany	Knorr-Bremse AG	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Railway Vehicle Systems	2,187	$260.4 mn	NAP	2,169	NAP
269	Orkla India	1	Norway	Orkla ASA	Subsidiary	FMCG	2,187	$260.3 mn	17.59	2,172	18.23
270	Vesuvius Group	2	UK	Vesuvius Group	Subsidiary	Chemicals*	2,182	$259.7 mn	21.75	2,081	18.93
271	Schreiber Dynamix Dairies	1	US	Schreiber Foods	Subsidiary	FMCG	2,173	$258.7 mn	-6.64	2,165	-5.13
272	Thermo Fisher Scientific India	1	US	Thermo Fisher Scientific INC	Subsidiary	Healthcare	2,137	$254.4 mn	19.58	2,084	21.51
273	Seg Automotive India	1	Germany	Seg Automotive Germany, Gmbh	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	2,136	$254.3 mn	47.54	2,131	47.44
274	Carl Zeiss India (Bangalore)	1	Germany	Carl Zeiss AG	Subsidiary	Optical Systems	2,080	$247.7 mn	20.37	2,041	25.35
275	PPG Asian Paints	1	US	PPG Inc, Asian Paints Ltd	Joint Venture	FMCG	2,078	$247.4 mn	11.71	2,020	10.38
276	Meritor HVS India	1	US, India	Meritor Inc, Kalyani Group	Joint Venture	Auto Ancillaries	2,078	$247.3 mn	0.33	2,085	2.36
277	Applied Materials India	1	US	Applied Materials Inc	Subsidiary	IT- Semiconductor Ancillary	2,045	$243.5 mn	34.98	2,029	34.87
278	Nippon Life India Asset Management	1	Japan	Nippon Life Insurance Company	Subsidiary	BFSI - AMC	2,037	$242.5 mn	34.34	2,036	34.66
279	Ferrero India	1	Italy	Ferrero International S.A.	Subsidiary	FMCG	1,999	$238.0 mn	6.64	1,940	9.28
280	S Mobile Devices	1	China	Transsion group	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics	1,991	$237.0 mn	-30.83	2,179	-18.23
281	Kohler India Corporation	1	US	Kohler Co	Subsidiary	Retail	1,962	$233.6 mn	26.99	1,977	32.47
282	Bacardi India	1	Bermuda	Bacardi Ltd	Subsidiary	FMCG	1,896	$225.7 mn	50.96	1,767	45.76
283	Ikea India	1	Netherlands	INGKA Group	Subsidiary	Retail	1,892	$225.2 mn	49.05	1,732	60.74
284	Levi Strauss (India)	1	US	Levi Strauss & Co	Subsidiary	Retail	1,853	$220.6 mn	54.99	1,767	54.10
285	Carraro India	1	Italy	Carraro S.p.A	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	1,831	$217.9 mn	4.72	1,789	4.43
286	Doosan	3	South Korea	Doosan	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Heavy Machinery*	1,732	$206.2 mn	-23.65	1,689	-25.15



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₹ crore	₹ crore	$bn/$mn	Rank	YoY change %	% of total income	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	YoY change %	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	(%)	(%)	₹ crore	X
19,662	14,455	$1.7 bn	1	64.51	9.23	5,849	93,883	1	13.97	1,940	90,434	1	NAP	NAP	3,69,187	26.33
16,690	10,369	$1.2 bn	3	44.57	6.81	20,311	38,018	8	-18.03	6,772	27,082	6	NAP	NAP	1,44,896	24.28
19,731	12,321	$1.5 bn	2	30.71	9.17	6,035	59,258	3	12.11	1,507	43,491	3	33.29	33.31	NAP	NAP
-9,617	-11,635	-$1385.1 mn	500	LL	NAP	4,961	37,942	9	19.28	5,030.66	22,157	9	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
10,930	8,732	$1.0 bn	5	134.82	7.50	19,662	41,530	7	25.30	562	31,969	5	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
-597	-1,013	-$120.6 mn	497	HL	NAP	2,612	3,795	111	-13.97	65	-5,021	500	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
9,008	5,633	$670.5 mn	8	205.26	7.25	13,545	33,236	10	38.15	4,019	15,504	16	NAP	NAP	3,954	50.69
3,920	2,746	$326.9 mn	19	23.15	4.06	2,912	5,317	88	-8.71	0.04	3,083	100	81.63	68.68	NAP	NAP
10,457	6,735	$801.8 mn	6	4.57	10.15	2,147	19,256	21	12.43	2,264	7,514	41	93.25	52.93	NAP	NAP
14,472	10,277	$1.2 bn	4	1.55	16.34	7,559	59,444	2	7.98	235	51,218	2	20.26	25.00	5,56,301	54.12
1,756	-479	-$57.0 mn	494	P2L	NAP	2,863	15,944	29	0.08	343	5,870	53	NAP	NAP	34,695	35.34
3,555	-3,861	-$459.6 mn	499	LL	NAP	6,397	54,622	4	2.11	81,359	39,826	4	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
1,237	703	$83.7 mn	77	L2P	1.41	1,679	11,689	37	48.10	10,756	11,206	26	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
4,725	2,605	$310.1 mn	21	4.64	5.64	10,117	17,069	25	12.75	1,393	12,737	23	NAP	NAP	2,638	40.11
3,212	2,129	$253.4 mn	24	10.73	5.28	5,100	22,387	17	14.20	881	15,585	15	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
7,359	3,736	$444.7 mn	13	24.45	9.37	192	27,279	12	-3.87	8	23,855	8	15.63	22.11	NAP	NAP
5,370	4,356	$518.6 mn	9	48.03	11.05	3,246	21,009	19	11.50	273	18,563	11	NAP	NAP	93,373	46.59
710	457	$54.3 mn	108	330.16	1.21	211	957	261	-31.55	67	900	220	67.43	60.15	NAP	NAP

PBIDT Excl. Other Income	PROFIT/LOSS					Cash & Bank Balance	TOTAL ASSETS			Share Capital	NETWORTH		RONW	ROCE	Market Cap	P/E
₹ crore	₹ crore	$bn/$mn	Rank	YoY change %	% of total income	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	YoY change %	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	(%)	(%)	₹ crore	X
141	58	$6.9 mn	313	-10.48	2.42	178	758	289	7.54	50	751	242	6.01	9.54	NAP	NAP
252	193	$23.0 mn	189	-18.50	8.11	296	670	307	-8.88	1	606	269	32.18	39.09	NAP	NAP
502	270	$32.2 mn	158	47.42	11.53	516	1,172	241	25.59	146	854	225	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
38	-1	-$0.1 mn	443	LL	NAP	28	671	305	-30.33	216	655	254	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
27	35	$4.2 mn	347	75.54	1.55	411	657	311	31.86	65	145	415	27.65	42.08	NAP	NAP
294	209	$24.8 mn	185	14.22	9.19	275	1,349	223	13.41	35	1,302	170	17.07	22.51	12,482	54.44
243	169	$20.2 mn	206	NAP	7.53	450	492	340	NAP	19	445	308	46.75	63.53	NAP	NAP
174	151	$17.9 mn	218	36.92	6.77	428	648	312	40.87	106	509	297	34.14	35.41	NAP	NAP
-11	-68	-$8.1 mn	468	LL	NAP	134	843	277	-6.22	7,020	130	431	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
405	284	$33.8 mn	154	NAP	13.00	558	1,312	225	NAP	138	1,132	187	18.45	23.35	NAP	NAP
309	339	$40.4 mn	135	189.41	15.51	75	2,335	154	16.21	14	2,240	121	16.32	13.02	NAP	NAP
358	286	$34.0 mn	153	75.67	13.10	695	1,520	208	20.35	27	1,480	158	NAP	NAP	8,279	31.64
165	61	$7.3 mn	308	-9.86	2.81	189	864	272	6.47	136	808	231	7.86	10.41	NAP	NAP
186	114	$13.6 mn	243	1.33	5.33	502	1,003	257	16.33	15	900	219	13.67	19.10	NAP	NAP
154	81	$9.7 mn	280	202.60	3.81	53	890	269	12.80	1	260	362	31.55	38.09	NAP	NAP
233	149	$17.8 mn	220	23.41	7.17	369	1,024	256	42.68	5	903	216	19.57	24.15	NAP	NAP
371	265	$31.5 mn	160	50.19	12.75	54	1,197	240	3.80	57	1,166	184	23.17	30.51	NAP	NAP
145	110	$13.1 mn	249	2.20	5.30	64	273	408	13.77	2	265	358	43.67	57.79	NAP	NAP
390	217	$25.8 mn	179	50.21	10.60	176	1,151	243	28.87	0.01	977	209	25.25	29.61	NAP	NAP
1,386	1,107	$131.8 mn	53	53.09	54.35	271	3,982	108	13.27	630	3,982	81	29.51	36.24	40,258	30.51
223	217	$25.8 mn	180	176.18	10.85	380	1,258	234	13.68	1,449	1,184	183	14.22	8.63	NAP	NAP
-9	-14	-$1.6 mn	456	P2L	NAP	6	152	447	-7.32	0.25	139	422	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
236	186	$22.1 mn	194	258.40	9.47	406	876	271	35.34	941	653	255	19.54	15.08	NAP	NAP
87	120	$14.3 mn	240	60.16	6.32	24	490	341	44.30	542	281	351	22.11	16.44	NAP	NAP
-601	-1,133	-$134.9 mn	498	HL	NAP	511	5,580	86	10.14	4,615	-340	495	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
242	184	$21.9 mn	197	267.47	9.93	163	234	420	13.71	42	226	381	87.60	113.42	NAP	NAP
132	63	$7.4 mn	302	29.11	3.42	104	632	315	9.85	57	370	328	17.69	17.70	3,234	52.16
-457	-714	-$85.0 mn	496	LL	NAP	307	856	274	-46.53	1,666	-1,816	499	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP

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AIRBUS INDIA: The company annually sources over $1 billion in components and services for global exports.

2025 RANK	Company	Group companies considered	Headquarters (Country of Origin)	Ultimate Holding / Parent company	Subsidiary / JV	Industry/ Sector	TOTAL INCOME			NET INCOME	
							₹crore	$bn/$mn	YoY change %	₹crore	YoY change %
287	Lotte Group	2	South Korea	Lotte Group	Subsidiary	FMCG	1,729	$205.8 mn	5.61	1,715	9.11
288	Versuni India Home Solutions	1	Netherlands	Versuni	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables	1,724	$205.2 mn	-2.93	1,745	-2.01
289	Lubrizol India	1	US, India	Lubrizol, IOC	Subsidiary	Energy	1,719	$204.6 mn	10.77	1,743	18.55
290	Becton Dickinson & Co	2	US	Becton Dickinson & Co	Subsidiary	Healthcare	1,670	$198.8 mn	6.69	1,658	8.20
291	Stanley Black & Decker, Inc.	2	US	Stanley Black & Decker, Inc.	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	1,664	$198.0 mn	2.44	1,707	16.92
292	NEC Corporation India	1	Japan	NEC	Subsidiary	Telecom Equipment	1,653	$196.8 mn	-10.89	1,589	-12.48
293	Fresenius Kabi	2	Germany	Fresenius Kabi	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	1,616	$192.4 mn	1.14	1,550	3.89
294	Carrier Midea India	1	US, China	Midea Electric, Carrier	Joint Venture	Consumer Durables - ACs	1,576	$187.6 mn	44.53	1,535	46.21
295	General Mills India	1	US	General Mills	Subsidiary	FMCG	1,548	$184.3 mn	26.94	1,545	28.25
296	IPM India Wholesale Trading	1	Switzerland, India	Philip Morris Brands Sarl, Godfrey Phillips India Ltd and K.K. Modi Investment	Joint Venture	FMCG (Tobacco)	1,547	$184.2 mn	54.05	1,522	54.16
297	Nivea India	1	Germany	Beiersdorf AG	Subsidiary	FMCG (Personal Care)	1,537	$183.0 mn	9.63	1,491	5.39
298	Ingersoll Rand Plc	3	US	Ingersoll Rand Plc	Subsidiary	Capital Goods*	1,524	$181.5 mn	7.26	1,486	6.18
299	Same Deutz-Fahr India	1	Italy	SDF SpA	Subsidiary	Agro- Tractors & implements	1,524	$181.4 mn	-12.53	1,459	-13.63
300	Marks & Spencer Reliance India	1	UK, India	Marks & Spencer, Reliance India	Joint Venture	Retail	1,519	$180.8 mn	-30.24	1,742	4.95
301	Bloomberg Data Services (India)	1	US	Bloomberg	Subsidiary	Media	1,518	$180.7 mn	17.02	1,491	16.06
302	UPS Express	1	US	United Parcel Service, Inc	Subsidiary	Logistics	1,503	$179.0 mn	-11.35	1,475	-11.29
303	Airbus India	1	France	Airbus	Subsidiary	Aerospace & Defence	1,502	$178.8 mn	71.14	1,474	70.00
304	Hettich India Private Limited	1	Germany, India	Hettich Group, Adventz Group	Joint Venture	Retail - Furniture & Fixture	1,501	$178.7 mn	18.89	1,415	16.98
305	Rockwell Automation India	1	US	Rockwell Automation International Holdings LLC	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Industrials	1,493	$177.7 mn	34.09	1,460	30.84
306	Orix Auto Infrastructure Services	1	Japan	Orix Corporation	Subsidiary	Logistics	1,492	$177.6 mn	37.83	1,409	36.09
307	Skechers South Asia	1	US	Skechers	Subsidiary	Retail	1,484	$176.6 mn	-31.13	1,746	0.38
308	Kingfa Science & Technology (India)	1	China	Kingfa Science & Technology	Subsidiary	Chemicals - Specialty	1,484	$176.6 mn	5.69	1,488	5.99
309	Yokogawa India	1	Japan	Yokogawa Electric Corporation,	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Industrials	1,466	$174.6 mn	14.31	1,420	11.57
310	Liugong India	1	China	Guangxi Liugong Machinery Co. Ltd		Capital Goods	1,417	$168.6 mn	49.95	1,397	48.35
311	Cinepolis India	1	Mexico	Cinépolis	Subsidiary	Entertainment	1,388	$165.3 mn	33.39	1,346	31.25
312	Opmobility (Plastic Omnium)	3	France	Opmobility (Plastic Omnium)	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	1,384	$164.7 mn	33.74	1,330	24.15
313	Astrazeneca Pharma India	1	UK	Astrazeneca	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	1,381	$164.3 mn	28.07	1,296	29.17
314	Huawei Group	2	China	Huawei Group	Subsidiary	Telecom equipment	1,367	$162.7 mn	-35.04	1,279	-38.43

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ORIX AUTO INFRASTRUCTURE SERVICES: Orix Auto is capitalising on the growing demand for vehicle leasing and fleet management services, as businesses increasingly seek flexible mobility solutions.

PBIDT Excl. Other Income	PROFIT/LOSS					Cash & Bank Balance	TOTAL ASSETS			Share Capital	NETWORTH		RONW	ROCE	Market Cap	P/E
₹ crore	₹ crore	$bn/$mn	Rank	YoY change %	% of total income	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	YoY change %	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	(%)	(%)	₹ crore	X
252	111	$13.2 mn	247	56.32	6.40	134	1,216	238	7.04	24	1,062	196	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
184	121	$14.4 mn	238	-16.70	7.00	158	397	365	-3.66	58	333	339	34.29	41.88	NAP	NAP
246	167	$19.9 mn	207	220.76	9.72	228	851	276	19.75	19	803	233	22.78	28.62	NAP	NAP
149	87	$10.4 mn	277	30.81	5.21	212	1,102	248	7.35	2	433	314	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
151	81	$9.7 mn	281	123.42	4.88	81	667	308	19.45	80	607	268	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
83	79	$9.3 mn	284	-20.40	4.75	566	1,122	247	7.88	264	1,093	190	5.91	7.5	NAP	NAP
179	142	$16.9 mn	222	L2P	8.76	348	1,943	177	14.61	459	1,762	142	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
64	33	$3.9 mn	351	352.20	2.08	3	575	327	3.79	66	454	305	7.21	8.02	NAP	NAP
196	99	$11.8 mn	261	36.41	6.40	124	533	333	14.61	96	426	316	26.38	29.99	NAP	NAP
461	342	$40.8 mn	133	24.53	22.13	406	237	417	552.27	20	212	391	286.59	269.35	NAP	NAP
122	87	$10.4 mn	276	37.94	5.68	544	727	294	16.25	597	659	253	13.93	21.28	NAP	NAP
340	260	$30.9 mn	162	21.91	17.05	276	806	283	1.24	33	717	246	NAP	NAP	11,855	49.16
92	100	$12.0 mn	260	-1.24	6.59	148	1,052	251	10.77	74	972	210	10.90	14.02	NAP	NAP
95	-132	-$15.7 mn	484	P2L	NAP	65	1,327	224	3.63	114	246	372	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
79	50	$6.0 mn	320	32.12	3.32	506	579	326	17.41	3	535	288	9.89	13.58	NAP	NAP
103	71	$8.4 mn	293	-15.18	4.71	268	373	375	-6.69	21	301	346	20.82	26.12	NAP	NAP
280	167	$19.9 mn	208	318.05	11.11	436	818	281	26.34	46	597	272	32.43	33.28	NAP	NAP
263	175.37	$20.9 mn	200	-3.75	11.68	136	820	278	13.51	6	783	237	24.22	30.98	NAP	NAP
127	58	$6.9 mn	312	-23.88	3.89	162	713	298	10.77	34	532	290	11.45	14.40	NAP	NAP
763	104	$12.4 mn	255	209.06	6.98	95	5,635	85	30.57	128	884	223	11.41	9.74	NAP	NAP
348	106	$12.6 mn	253	-48.34	7.12	56	1,774	189	25.98	72	689	250	16.60	14.61	NAP	NAP
185	123	$14.6 mn	237	50.50	8.26	5	622	317	22.11	12	589	276	23.24	30.01	4,052	30.19
126	75	$8.9 mn	287	-9.30	5.09	251	470	347	19.56	9	453	306	17.95	28.52	NAP	NAP
119	94	$11.2 mn	267	449.25	6.66	72	1,040	254	54.33	234	338	337	32.44	44.71	NAP	NAP
398	32	$3.8 mn	353	L2P	2.31	55	1,881	182	5.41	54	-74	493	1.17	7.56	NAP	NAP
195	192	$22.8 mn	191	173.00	13.86	175	777	287	35.87	384	551	284	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
184	162	$19.2 mn	211	62.66	11.70	506	723	295	19.56	5	712	248	24.84	33.26	17,576	136.53
295	289	$34.4 mn	150	7.40	21.13	618	1,626	199	6.64	40	1,557	150	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP

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315	Takeda pharmaceuticals	2	Japan	Takeda pharmaceuticals	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	1,321	$157.3 mn	8.09	1,337	13.75
316	Yusen Logistics (India)	1	Japan	NYK Logistics & Yusen Air and Sea	Subsidiary	Logistics	1,309	$155.8 mn	-8.79	1,305	-8.77
317	Bimbo Bakeries India	1	Mexico	Grupo Bimbo SA de CV	Subsidiary	FMCG	1,296	$154.3 mn	31.85	1,289	31.69
318	Beam Global Spirits & Wine India	1	US	Suntory Global Spirits	Subsidiary	FMCG	1,291	$153.7 mn	6.17	1,251	11.21
319	Sanyo Special Steel Manufacturing	1	Japan	Sanyo Special Steel Group	Subsidiary	Metals	1,289	$153.4 mn	-5.83	1,328	0.43
320	McCain Foods India	1	Canada	McCain Foods Limited	Subsidiary	FMCG	1,282	$152.6 mn	8.00	1,214	3.60
321	ConAgra Foods Inc	2	US	ConAgra Foods Inc	Subsidiary	FMCG	1,282	$152.6 mn	-8.56	1,302	-6.04
322	Amway India Enterprises	1	US	Alticor Global Holdings Inc	Subsidiary	FMCG	1,269	$151.1 mn	-2.29	1,284	0.40
323	Sungwoo Stamping	1	South Korea	Sungwoo Hitech Co. Ltd	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	1,261	$150.1 mn	30.68	1,252	32.14
324	ESAB India	1	Sweden	ESAB Corporation	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	1,253	$149.2 mn	13.22	1,243	13.98
325	Tata Starbucks	1	US	Starbucks Corporation (Emerald City C.V.)	Subsidiary	Retail	1,236	$147.1 mn	11.97	1,218	12.07
326	Nike India	1	US	Nike Inc	Subsidiary	Retail	1,212	$144.3 mn	-4.58	1,180	4.05
327	D-Link India	1	Taiwan	D-Link Corporation	Subsidiary	Telecom Equipment	1,192	$141.9 mn	-3.09	1,236	4.67
328	Corning Technologies India	1	US	Corning Inc.	Subsidiary	Electricals - Cables	1,175	$139.9 mn	40.48	1,097	39.31
329	Bain & Company India	1	US	Bain & Company Inc	Subsidiary	Professional Services - Business Consultancy	1,168	$139.0 mn	2.91	1,159	4.09
330	Hafele India	1	Germany	Hafele Holding GmbH	Subsidiary	Consumer Appliances	1,162	$138.4 mn	4.20	1,112	11.06
331	Fujitsu General India	1	Japan	Fujitsu	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables	1,152	$137.1 mn	-27.55	1,581	12.83
332	Kennametal India	1	US	Kennametal Inc	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	1,138	$135.5 mn	7.16	1,100	2.12
333	Swatch Group India	1	Switzerland	The Swatch Group Ltd	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables	1,120	$133.4 mn	21.81	1,099	21.48
334	Daiki Aluminium Industry India	1	Japan	Daiki Aluminium Industry Co. Ltd	Subsidiary	Metallurgy	1,104	$131.5 mn	-17.39	1,096	-18.55
335	Alleima India	1	Sweden	Alleima	Subsidiary	Metals	1,103	$131.3 mn	-0.77	1,093	-0.44
336	Dassault Group	2	France	Dassault Group	Subsidiary	IT Services*	1,102	$131.2 mn	16.18	1,096	16.41
337	Virbac Animal Health India	1	France	Virbac SA	Subsidiary	Veterinary Healthcare	1,084	$129.1 mn	10.74	1,047	10.53
338	Altana AG	2	Germany	Altana AG	Subsidiary	Chemicals*	1,077	$128.3 mn	13.92	1,029	12.38
339	Discovery Communications India	1	US	Warner Bros. Discovery, Inc.	Subsidiary	Entertainment	1,073	$127.8 mn	-8.47	1,055	-9.61
340	Gujarat Pipavav Port	1	Netherlands	APM Terminals	Subsidiary	Logistics	1,073	$127.7 mn	8.44	988	7.80
341	Kimberly-Clark India	1	US	Kimberly-Clark Corporation	Subsidiary	FMCG	1,070	$127.4 mn	-8.16	1,084	-6.45
342	Daeseong India Automotive	1	South Korea	Ms Auto Tech Co Ltd	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	1,069	$127.3 mn	32.55	1,055	32.30
343	GKN Driveline (India)	1	UK	Dowlais Group plc	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	1,067	$127.0 mn	7.67	1,052	6.83
344	Benetton India	1	Italy	Benetton Group SRL	Subsidiary	Retail	1,057	$125.8 mn	NAP	924	NAP
345	Broadridge Financial Solutions	1	US	Broadridge Netherlands II B. V.	Subsidiary	IT Services	1,056	$125.7 mn	26.44	1,032	25.44

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331	239	$28.4 mn	173	51.69	18.07	79	921	264	14.81	236	894	221	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
66	40	$4.8 mn	334	22.62	3.09	14	229	423	-2.77	161	218	386	19.49	25.82	NAP	NAP
90	30	$3.5 mn	360	2.42	2.29	98	1,618	200	8.60	14	1,252	176	2.44	3.31	NAP	NAP
-245	-329	-$39.2 mn	492	HL	NAP	9	603	322	0.11	74	-1,018	498	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
59	12	$1.4 mn	404	L2P	0.94	16	445	351	9.89	20	221	384	2.92	5.51	NAP	NAP
147	89	$10.6 mn	272	-29.16	6.95	204	791	284	13.61	482	758	241	12.49	16.29	NAP	NAP
55	8	$0.9 mn	422	L2P	0.61	20	741	291	0.07	415	534	289	NAP	NAP	2,181	822.95
54	-53	-$6.3 mn	464	HL	NAP	896	1,162	242	-6.57	276	1,100	189	NAP	-2.42	NAP	NAP
83	28	$3.3 mn	367	3.04	2.23	88	398	364	-6.25	76	271	356	10.95	14.71	NAP	NAP
228	163	$19.4 mn	210	20.12	13.00	88	318	394	17.35	15	306	344	57.56	74.88	8,141	47.94
235	-80	-$9.5 mn	474	HL	NAP	52	1,479	212	8.99	1,195	517	294	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
-108	-117	-$13.9 mn	482	HL	NAP	228	415	359	-20.84	610	357	333	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
117	93	$11.0 mn	268	7.26	7.77	62	443	352	13.97	7	435	313	22.77	30.09	1,828	18.58
263	184	$21.9 mn	196	480.18	15.67	305	1,058	250	23.13	811	1,036	198	19.51	26.69	NAP	NAP
-88	-70	-$8.4 mn	472	P2L	NAP	61	378	371	-6.99	150	163	411	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
149	89	$10.6 mn	273	-12.37	7.65	30	409	360	16.14	42	350	335	27.31	32.92	NAP	NAP
6	1	$0.1 mn	441	L2P	0.09	92	-121	499	4.72	100	-135	494	NAP	-15.02	NAP	NAP
171	111	$13.2 mn	248	26.00	9.71	113	737	292	5.52	22	734	244	13.69	18.69	6,129	52.34
178	128	$15.2 mn	231	22.39	11.38	382	889	270	17.66	528	719	245	19.47	26.15	NAP	NAP
-66	-107	-$12.8 mn	479	P2L	NAP	23	549	330	43.94	200	138	423	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
112	77	$9.1 mn	286	-40.80	6.94	155	556	329	15.88	2	551	285	14.96	20.83	NAP	NAP
80	40	$4.7 mn	335	-2.33	3.62	150	524	335	34.15	63	440	310	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
328	273	$32.5 mn	157	26.83	25.17	1,019	1,291	230	26.65	0.38	1,287	174	23.72	31.74	NAP	NAP
188	170	$20.2 mn	205	21.91	15.78	119	1,029	255	25.79	12	894	222	NAP	NAP	9,054	61.67
123	68	$8.1 mn	297	1.12	6.33	220	917	265	12.68	38	498	300	13.65	22.21	NAP	NAP
520	342	$40.7 mn	134	9.22	31.88	1,045	2,444	150	-0.52	483	2,313	120	16.45	22.14	8,013	20.18
-64	-174	-$20.7 mn	488	HL	NAP	148	1,128	246	6.20	442	232	378	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
99	23	$2.8 mn	377	L2P	2.16	52	640	314	-4.21	465	229	379	10.68	8.41	NAP	NAP
151	86	$10.2 mn	278	11.06	8.05	111	320	391	0.88	13	301	347	28.79	37.02	NAP	NAP
16	10	$1.2 mn	410	NAP	0.94	4	329	386	NAP	620	130	430	0.19	1.77	NAP	NAP
206	124	$14.8 mn	235	37.45	11.77	177	329	387	-0.46	49	192	398	74.97	54.39	NAP	NAP

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LVMH: The luxury major is expanding its presence in the Indian market, particularly with its premium fashion, cosmetics, and luxury goods to cater to the growing affluent consumer base in India.

2025 RANK	Company	Group companies considered	Headquarters (Country of Origin)	Ultimate Holding/ Parent company	Subsidiary/ JV	Industry/ Sector	TOTAL INCOME			NET INCOME	
							₹crore	$bn/$mn	YoY change %	₹crore	YoY change %
346	PCA Motors	1	France	Groupe PSA	Subsidiary	Automobile	1,051	$125.1 mn	141.21	1,027	149.97
347	Kokuyo Co	2	Japan	Kokuyo Co	Subsidiary	Printing & Stationery	1,045	$124.4 mn	11.12	1,016	10.73
348	Nutricia International	1	France	Danone	Subsidiary	FMCG	1,026	$122.1 mn	19.63	989	19.21
349	Ciena India	1	US	Ciena Corporation	Subsidiary	Telecom Infrastructure	1,019	$121.3 mn	32.21	1,003	31.30
350	Red Bull India	1	Austria	Red Bull GmbH	Subsidiary	FMCG	1,007	$119.8 mn	-22.02	1,114	-0.41
351	Air India Sats Airport Services	1	Singapore	SATS Group	Subsidiary	Logistics	1,005	$119.6 mn	21.70	983	23.77
352	LVMH	2	France	LVMH	Subsidiary	Retail	998	$118.8 mn	30.29	985	36.31
353	Kores (India)	1	Switzerland	Kores Holding Zug AG	Subsidiary	Printing & Stationery	973	$115.8 mn	2.06	973	2.85
354	Expleo Solutions	1	Germany	Expleo Group	Subsidiary	IT Services	972	$115.8 mn	5.76	965	6.82
355	Nikon India	1	Japan	Nikon Corporation	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics	972	$115.7 mn	0.37	965	4.62
356	FCI OEN Connectors	1	France	FCI	Subsidiary	Telecom Equipment	958	$114.1 mn	-9.89	950	-9.60
357	Grundfos Pumps India	1	Denmark	Grundfos	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	951	$113.2 mn	11.28	935	14.84
358	Boston Scientific India	1	US	Boston Scientific Corporation	Subsidiary	Healthcare	938	$111.6 mn	17.30	905	20.60
359	Boehringer Ingelheim India	1	Germany	Boehringer Ingelheim International GmbH	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	933	$111.1 mn	-19.59	1,001	-7.99
360	AT&T Global Network Services India	1	US	AT&T Inc	Subsidiary	Telecom Services	899	$107.0 mn	-1.22	862	-2.13
361	Eli Lilly & Company India	1	US	Eli Lilly and Company	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	880	$104.7 mn	27.09	787	4.06
362	Franke Faber India	1	Italy	Fabriano	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables	878	$104.5 mn	11.53	877	12.54
363	BorgWarner Group	2	US	BorgWarner Group	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries*	876	$104.3 mn	28.22	865	27.29
364	Mitsui Chemicals India	1	Japan	Mitsui Chemicals, Inc	Subsidiary	Chemicals	862	$102.6 mn	48.24	854	53.15
365	Rohde & Schwarz India	1	Germany	Rohde & Schwarz Gmbh & Co Kg	Subsidiary	Electricals - Equipment	850	$101.2 mn	120.47	838	143.47
366	DIC India	1	Japan	DIC Corporation	Subsidiary	Chemicals	837	$99.6 mn	-7.37	829	-4.95
367	STMicroelectronics	1	Netherlands	STMicroelectronics NV	Subsidiary	IT - Semiconductors	832	$99.0 mn	38.35	793	37.13
368	Goodricke Group	1	UK	Camellia PLC	Subsidiary	FMCG	831	$98.9 mn	-7.63	824	-6.60
369	Grupo Antolin India	1	Spain	Grupo Antolin	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	817	$97.3 mn	37.68	799	36.42
370	Sakata Inx India	1	Japan	Sakata Inx Corporation	Subsidiary	Chemicals	805	$95.8 mn	21.14	798	23.12
371	Uniqlo India	1	Canada	Fast Retailing Co	Subsidiary	Retail	802	$95.5 mn	19.86	815	31.03
372	Casio India Co.	1	Japan	Casio Computer Co. Ltd	Subsidiary	Retail	791	$94.2 mn	10.69	774	14.84
373	Factset Systems India	1	US	Factset Benelux Bv	Subsidiary	IT Services - Analytics	788	$93.9 mn	26.37	767	26.57
374	Highly Electrical Appliances India	1	China, Japan	Shanghai Highly Group, Johnson Controls Hitachi	Joint Venture	Capital Goods	782	$93.1 mn	-9.62	790	-3.24
375	Omnicom Media Group India	1	US	Omnicom Media Group	Subsidiary	Advertising & Communications	779	$92.8 mn	92.20	741	94.85
376	Sulzer India	1	Switzerland	Sulzer	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Industrials	771	$91.8 mn	20.62	742	6.19
377	Autodesk India	1	US	Autodesk, Inc.	Subsidiary	IT Services	769	$91.6 mn	61.84	767	61.37
378	Bristol-Myers Squibb India	1	US	Bristol-Myers Squibb Company	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	755	$89.9 mn	42.21	620	29.73

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MITSUI CHEMICALS INDIA: The company is expanding its operations, particularly in chemicals for automotive and packaging industries.

PBIDT Excl. Other Income	PROFIT/LOSS					Cash & Bank Balance	TOTAL ASSETS			Share Capital	NETWORTH		RONW	ROCE	Market Cap	P/E
₹ crore	₹ crore	$bn/$mn	Rank	YoY change %	% of total income	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	YoY change %	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	(%)	(%)	₹ crore	X
127	103	$12.2 mn	256	225.13	9.77	9	287	404	53.26	102	283	350	44.38	53.29	NAP	NAP
92	53	$6.3 mn	318	79.12	5.09	31	500	339	12.62	63	380	325	NAP	NAP	1,241	57.46
143	111	$13.2 mn	246	24.45	10.84	591	1,297	228	9.21	209	1,290	173	8.89	12.67	NAP	NAP
193	93	$11.0 mn	269	35.22	9.08	495	782	286	18.73	20	512	295	19.80	21.77	NAP	NAP
91	22	$2.6 mn	378	60.55	2.19	66	149	448	18.17	3	144	417	16.63	47.49	NAP	NAP
183	73	$8.7 mn	289	56.18	7.29	57	913	268	41.14	235	765	238	11.25	15.78	NAP	NAP
238	187	$22.3 mn	193	39.12	18.75	133	288	402	10.51	373	280	352	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
88	37	$4.4 mn	342	37.10	3.78	7	374	374	5.84	13	184	402	23.06	21.01	NAP	NAP
148	90	$10.8 mn	271	-32.45	9.30	184	666	309	17.73	16	611	266	15.85	19.84	2,018	18.49
55	57	$6.8 mn	315	-16.24	5.91	340	425	354	-4.22	8	410	319	13.55	17.91	NAP	NAP
109	66	$7.9 mn	299	-37.22	6.94	144	612	320	9.52	6	590	275	11.68	15.62	NAP	NAP
68	46	$5.5 mn	326	-33.41	4.82	220	385	368	12.11	16	371	327	13.19	17.80	NAP	NAP
57	28	$3.4 mn	366	L2P	3.02	45	162	445	21.33	28	120	435	27.07	28.93	NAP	NAP
50	44	$5.2 mn	329	8.82	4.69	40	281	406	-1.91	6	249	368	17.67	19.44	NAP	NAP
289	156	$18.6 mn	213	28.69	17.40	905	1,234	235	0.37	7	1,111	188	14.14	21.74	NAP	NAP
39	32	$3.8 mn	352	18.31	3.65	172	376	372	12.30	23	369	330	9.13	12.66	NAP	NAP
79	54	$6.4 mn	316	-11.19	6.13	67	289	401	21.58	94	278	354	21.43	28.45	NAP	NAP
191	126	$15.0 mn	233	38.51	14.38	130	485	342	7.76	26	388	321	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
172	139	$16.5 mn	226	136.74	16.13	325	369	378	61.40	13	363	332	47.36	62.64	NAP	NAP
194	116	$13.8 mn	242	414.37	13.68	41	284	405	65.93	2	251	367	56.97	69.70	NAP	NAP
-14	-23	-$2.7 mn	462	P2L	NAP	47	419	357	-7.18	9	396	320	NAP	NAP	554	50.53
114	81	$9.6 mn	282	49.68	9.74	620	699	299	10.26	4	606	270	14.33	16.58	NAP	NAP
-49	-69	-$8.3 mn	470	HL	NAP	16	406	363	-1.16	22	241	374	NAP	NAP	565	NAP
23	5	$0.5 mn	432	39.57	0.56	36	259	411	-4.11	152	249	369	1.45	0.66	NAP	NAP
31	10	$1.2 mn	409	-29.39	1.24	30	341	384	3.08	58	314	343	3.17	6.03	NAP	NAP
154	85	$10.1 mn	279	25.01	10.61	192	344	382	25.98	33	253	365	37.60	39.54	NAP	NAP
75	58	$6.9 mn	314	-34.03	7.31	222	415	358	15.89	30	384	322	16.31	20.68	NAP	NAP
195	127	$15.2 mn	232	38.71	16.14	310	819	280	14.96	0.01	661	252	21.22	22.05	NAP	NAP
48	-3	-$0.4 mn	448	LL	NAP	59	615	319	-9.19	445	364	331	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
123	102	$12.1 mn	258	132.77	13.05	142	505	337	34.60	1	275	355	45.42	33.86	NAP	NAP
87	62	$7.3 mn	306	44.57	8.00	178	469	348	17.36	3	439	312	15.09	18.83	NAP	NAP
-115	-149	-$17.7 mn	486	HL	NAP	453	316	395	29.93	1	181	405	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
119	73	$8.7 mn	291	-24.33	9.64	172	452	349	19.59	347	441	309	18.08	30.23	NAP	NAP

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2025 RANK	Company	Group companies considered	Headquarters (Country of Origin)	Ultimate Holding/ Parent company	Subsidiary/JV	Industry/Sector	TOTAL INCOME			NET INCOME	
							₹crore	$bn/$mn	YoY change %	₹crore	YoY change %
379	EagleBurgmann India	1	Germany, Japan	German Freudenberg and EKK group	Joint Venture	Capital Goods	751	$89.4 mn	9.12	734	12.71
380	Marubeni-Itochu Steel India	1	Japan	Marubeni-Itochu Steel Inc.	Subsidiary	Metals	738	$87.8 mn	-11.27	730	-10.89
381	Igarashi Motors India	1	Japan	Igarashi Electric Works, Others	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	728	$86.7 mn	8.08	725	10.48
382	Enkei Wheels India	1	Japan	Enkei Corporation	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	718	$85.4 mn	4.90	716	7.94
383	Ortho Clinical Diagnostics India	1	US	Quidel Corporation	Subsidiary	Healthcare	699	$83.2 mn	18.78	672	15.33
384	Dyson Technology India	1	UK	Dyson	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables	682	$81.2 mn	42.29	685	23.77
385	MacDermid Alpha Electronics Solutions India	1	US	Element Solutions	Subsidiary	Chemicals	681	$81.1 mn	20.13	659	19.66
386	Analog Devices, Inc.	1	US	Analog Devices, Inc.	Subsidiary	IT Services	672	$80.0 mn	29.33	672	29.33
387	John Cockerill India	1	Belgium	John Cockerill Group.	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	671	$79.9 mn	NAP	667	NAP
388	Knight Frank (India)	1	UK	Knight Frank	Subsidiary	Professional Services - Real Estate Consultant	670	$79.7 mn	15.57	662	16.71
389	TP-Link India	1	US	TP-Link	Subsidiary	Telecom Equipment	667	$79.4 mn	8.33	666	11.54
390	Saipem India Projects	1	Italy	Saipem S.p.A	Subsidiary	Energy - EPC	666	$79.3 mn	12.81	658	18.72
391	Nemak Aluminium Castings India	1	Mexico	Nemak Exterior Slu	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	657	$78.2 mn	53.19	656	53.24
392	Mirae Asset Global Investments India	1	South Korea	Mirae Asset Financial Group	Subsidiary	BFSI - AMC	655	$78.0 mn	31.27	654	31.27
393	GP Petroleums	1	UAE	Gulf Petrochem	Subsidiary	Chemicals	654	$77.9 mn	-15.34	655	-17.11
394	Tata Autocomp GY Batteries	1	Japan, India	GS Yuasa International, Tata group	Joint Venture	Auto Ancillaries	654	$77.9 mn	6.43	611	0.52
395	AbbVie Inc	2	US	AbbVie Inc	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	637	$75.9 mn	3.66	627	3.39
396	Stryker Global Technology Center	1	US	Stryker	Subsidiary	Healthcare	624	$74.3 mn	31.14	613	31.04
397	Gunnebo India	1	Sweden	Gunnebo AB	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables (Safes)	619	$73.7 mn	44.44	583	41.33
398	B Braun Medical India	1	US	B Braun Medical Inc.	Subsidiary	Healthcare	610	$72.7 mn	8.54	611	12.78
399	Crocs India	1	Japan	Crocs	Subsidiary	Retail	598	$71.1 mn	-10.77	597	-10.82
400	Hi-Lex India	1	Japan	HI-LEX Corporation	Subsidiary	Electricals	589	$70.1 mn	7.11	581	5.55
401	Franklin Templeton Asset Management	1	US	Franklin Resources, Inc	Subsidiary	BFSI - AMC	582	$69.2 mn	5.39	581	5.47
402	Intuitive Surgical India	1	US	Intuitive Surgical, Inc.	Subsidiary	Healthcare	579	$68.9 mn	57.52	582	64.43
403	Brother International India	1	US	Brother International	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables	573	$68.3 mn	30.73	534	37.18
404	Burns & McDonnell Engineering India	1	US	Burns & McDonnell	Subsidiary	Professional Service	571	$68.0 mn	42.70	569	42.60
405	AVT McCormick Ingredients	1	US, India	A.V. Thomas & Company, McCormick & Company	Joint Venture	FMCG	558	$66.5 mn	5.20	546	1.72
406	SK Hynix Semiconductor India	1	South Korea	SK Hynix	Subsidiary	IT - Semiconductors	556	$66.2 mn	122.03	556	122.00

PBIDT Excl. Other Income	PROFIT/LOSS					Cash & Bank Balance	TOTAL ASSETS			Share Capital	NETWORTH		RONW	ROCE	Market Cap	P/E
₹ crore	₹ crore	$bn/$mn	Rank	YoY change %	% of total income	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	YoY change %	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	(%)	(%)	₹ crore	X
145	105	$12.5 mn	254	-3.45	14.04	54	443	353	-4.57	3	440	311	23.45	31.49	NAP	NAP
12	3	$0.4 mn	436	-40.19	0.43	10	188	437	59.22	2	19	487	18.45	8.94	NAP	NAP
75	10	$1.1 mn	413	82.63	1.31	5	585	325	4.29	31	447	307	2.16	4.74	2,102	93
61	12	$1.4 mn	406	215.36	1.63	12	425	355	4.52	9	233	377	5.15	6.61	1,108	143.36
97	12	$1.4 mn	407	28.32	1.66	67	298	399	2.22	66	92	456	13.45	12.04	NAP	NAP
45	28	$3.4 mn	365	47.78	4.15	0.07	103	475	74.54	1	86	460	39.62	47.03	NAP	NAP
101	72	$8.6 mn	292	38.21	10.63	69	323	389	28.71	8	322	341	25.31	33.65	NAP	NAP
124	65	$7.7 mn	300	36.92	9.64	30	133	457	-28.99	0.30	101	450	49.96	54.70	NAP	NAP
26	22	$2.6 mn	379	NAP	3.22	130	252	413	NAP	5	211	392	14.29	16.58	1,880	293.27
44	36	$4.3 mn	345	20.75	5.40	39	109	472	34.43	3	94	454	46.80	51.39	NAP	NAP
44	33	$4.0 mn	349	176.46	4.98	31	82	485	39.62	8	81	462	48.06	65.2	NAP	NAP
93	33	$4.0 mn	349	-6.32	4.99	134	623	316	3.04	53	381	323	9.1	12.71	NAP	NAP
88	43	$5.1 mn	331	38.61	6.49	42	380	370	14.76	135	219	385	21.49	30.83	NAP	NAP
414	300	$35.7 mn	147	27.74	45.80	10	1,598	201	61.58	203	1,074	195	32.29	36.68	NAP	NAP
40	28	$3.3 mn	368	10.00	4.23	1	323	388	4.56	25	303	345	9.56	11.88	264	10.72
17	-14	-$1.7 mn	457	LL	NAP	14	264	410	8.69	263	83	461	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
173	130	$15.5 mn	228	1.96	20.43	130	409	361	11.98	10	214	388	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
135	73	$8.7 mn	290	10.24	11.66	59	450	350	15.38	0.15	338	338	24.14	25.52	NAP	NAP
57	49	$5.9 mn	323	32.95	7.94	63	119	466	12.60	0.06	108	443	46.95	60.56	NAP	NAP
56	1	$0.1 mn	442	L2P	0.12	0.45	247	415	-10.29	319	153	413	0.32	12.1	NAP	NAP
47	26	$3.1 mn	372	-32.26	4.29	105	371	377	2.09	7	132	428	18.35	32.99	NAP	NAP
17	-1	-$0.1 mn	444	LL	NAP	41	342	383	-0.29	344	332	340	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
312	222	$26.5 mn	176	8.51	38.25	1,247	1,832	187	13.92	239	1,832	137	12.94	17.4	NAP	NAP
94	31	$3.7 mn	359	92.39	5.33	183	221	427	21.44	1	201	395	16.61	20.99	NAP	NAP
47	37	$4.4 mn	341	21.83	6.43	82	136	455	7.70	42	132	429	29.01	38.65	NAP	NAP
112	96	$11.4 mn	264	1017.27	16.73	88	340	385	30.75	38	210	393	45.553	65.3178	NAP	NAP
34	16	$1.9 mn	395	381.18	2.93	16	320	392	6.09	22	237	376	7.19	9.87	NAP	NAP
3	2	$0.2 mn	438	10.15	0.37	40	94	479	72.78	0.03	18	488	11.60	13.41	NAP	NAP

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AMADEUS INDIA: Amadeus India is expanding its offerings in the travel technology sector, further reinforcing its market presence in the country.

2025 RANK	Company	Group companies considered	Headquarters (Country of Origin)	Ultimate Holding / Parent company	Subsidiary / JV	Industry/ Sector	TOTAL INCOME			NET INCOME	
							₹crore	$bn/$mn	YoY change %	₹crore	YoY change %
407	Hoganas India	1	Sweden	Höganäs AB	Subsidiary	Metallurgy	548	$65.2 mn	33.93	534	34.72
408	GKN Sinter Metals	1	UK	GKN PLC	Subsidiary	Metals	547	$65.1 mn	12.44	542	15.49
409	M+R Logistics (India)	1	Switzerland	M+R Spedag Group.	Subsidiary	Logistics	542	$64.5 mn	14.85	534	13.97
410	Amadeus India	1	spain	Amadeus IT Group, S.A.	Subsidiary	IT Services	537	$64.0 mn	95.07	528	103.90
411	Hershey India	1	US	The Hershey Company	Subsidiary	FMCG	537	$63.9 mn	-4.45	527	-3.42
412	Quaker Chemical India	1	US	Quaker Houhgton	Subsidiary	Chemicals	534	$63.6 mn	20.31	536	22.73
413	Dr. Oetker India	1	Germany	Dr. August Oetker	Subsidiary	FMCG	533	$63.5 mn	-2.03	532	-0.48
414	Electronic Arts Games India	1	US	Electronic Arts Inc	Subsidiary	Entertainment - Gaming	527	$62.7 mn	52.88	513	49.31
415	WFB Baird And Company India	1	UK	Wfb Baird And Company Limited	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Textile Machinery	514	$61.1 mn	41.60	512	41.50
416	HSBC Asset Management (India)	1	UK	HSBC Global Asset Management (UK) Limited	Subsidiary	BFSI - AMC	511	$60.9 mn	131.84	511	135.07
417	Baxter India	1	US	Baxter International Inc.	Subsidiary	Healthcare	508	$60.5 mn	-0.72	484	3.87
418	Lintas India	1	US	Interpublic Group (IPG).	Subsidiary	Advertising & Communications	506	$60.2 mn	21.43	467	23.09
419	Inspirisys Solutions	1	Japan	CAC Holdings Corporation,	Subsidiary	IT Services	494	$58.9 mn	31.55	490	31.97
420	Takshasila Hospitals Operating	1	Singapore, Japan	Secom Medical System (60%), Toyota Tsusho (40%)	Joint Venture	Healthcare - Hospitals	479	$57.1 mn	22.51	452	18.09
421	Wartsila India	1	Finland	Wartsila Corporation	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	478	$57.0 mn	18.15	459	14.65
422	Xerox India	1	US	Xerox Corporation	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics	463	$55.1 mn	-2.11	440	0.98
423	Singer India	1	US	Singer Sewing Machine Company	Subsidiary	Consumer Appliances	454	$54.1 mn	-4.94	425	-7.58
424	BenQ India	1	Taiwan	BenQ Asia Pacific Corporation	Subsidiary	Electronics	453	$53.9 mn	33.41	425	31.88
425	Truecaller International LLP	1	Sweden	True Software Scandinavia AB	Subsidiary	Telecom Services (Comms App)	452	$53.9 mn	57.59	451	57.03
426	Maschio Gaspardo India	1	Italy	Maschio Gaspardo S.p.A.	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	449	$53.4 mn	7.33	439	9.28
427	Fortinet Technologies India	1	US	Fortinet Inc	Subsidiary	IT (Cybersecurity)	448	$53.4 mn	34.39	443	34.92
428	Shandong Heavy Industry India	1	Hong Kong	Weichai Group	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Industrials	441	$52.5 mn	69.66	438	69.92
429	Timex Group India	1	Netherlands, US	Timex Group BV	Subsidiary	Consumer - Retail	437	$52.0 mn	4.47	419	9.25
430	Yuken India	1	Japan	Yuken Kogyo Company Limited	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	431	$51.3 mn	-9.78	423	13.45
431	HELLA India Lighting	1	Germany	HELLA KGaAHueck & Co	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	420	$50.0 mn	7.68	411	7.41

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2025 RANK	Company	Group companies considered	Headquarters (Country of Origin)	Ultimate Holding / Parent company	Subsidiary / JV	Industry/ Sector	TOTAL INCOME			NET INCOME	
							₹crore	$bn/$mn	YoY change %	₹crore	YoY change %
19	Siemens AG	5	Germany	Siemens AG	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Industrials*	36,692	$4.4 bn	18.33	35,691	16.20
20	Ingram Micro India	1	US	Ingram Micro Worldwide Holdings S.A.R.L	Subsidiary	IT (Distributor)	35,098	$4.2 bn	10.85	34,728	11.39
21	Hitachi Group	22	Japan	Hitachi Group	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Industrials*	35,037	$4.2 bn	18.47	34,433	18.44
22	GE Group	14	US	GE Group	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Industrials*	34,276	$4.1 bn	10.48	32,766	10.11
23	Cummins Group	6	US	Cummins Inc.	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Industrials*	32,322	$3.8 bn	14.24	31,240	14.73
24	Dell Technologies Inc	1	US	Dell Technologies Inc	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics*	31,423	$3.7 bn	-3.00	31,199	-0.75
25	IBM India	1	US	IBM	Subsidiary	IT - Services	31,096	$3.7 bn	8.20	30,459	9.35
26	Oracle Corporation	5	US	Oracle Corporation	Subsidiary	IT Services	30,328	$3.6 bn	12.56	29,762	14.13
27	Ericsson India	1	Sweden	Telefonaktiebolaget LM Ericsson	Subsidiary	Telecom Equipment	29,398	$3.5 bn	NAP	28,988	NAP
28	Xiaomi Technology India	1	China	Xiaomi	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics	29,266	$3.5 bn	8.42	25,816	-3.30
29	Mercedes-Benz Group AG	3	Germany	Mercedes-Benz Group AG	Subsidiary	Automobile	29,047	$3.5 bn	14.72	27,986	17.71
30	Capgemini Technology Services India	1	France	Capgemini	Subsidiary	IT - Services	28,750	$3.4 bn	-1.09	27,786	-2.60
31	Nokia Solutions & Network India	1	Finland	Nokia Corporation	Subsidiary	Telecom Equipment	27,595	$3.3 bn	-4.60	27,770	2.95
32	Shell Group	3	UK	Shell Group	Subsidiary	Energy	27,486	$3.3 bn	3.86	25,559	-2.46
33	Pernod Ricard India	1	France	Pernod Ricard	Subsidiary	FMCG	26,937	$3.2 bn	7.09	26,773	6.92
34	BP PLC	3	UK	BP PLC	Subsidiary	Energy	26,830	$3.2 bn	73.86	26,637	74.90
35	Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu	6	UK	Deloitte Touche Tohmatsu	Subsidiary	Professional Service	25,665	$3.1 bn	32.50	25,109	31.12
36	Schneider Group	5	US	Schneider Group	Subsidiary	Capital Goods*	25,595	$3.0 bn	17.52	24,514	18.98
37	Nestle India	1	Switzerland	Nestle	Subsidiary	FMCG	25,370	$3.0 bn	NAP	25,172	NAP
38	COFCO International	2	Switzerland	COFCO International	Subsidiary	Logistics	24,640	$2.9 bn	-12.86	24,630	-12.76
39	British American Tobacco PLC	2	UK	British American Tobacco PLC	Affiliate	FMCG	24,260	$2.9 bn	1.29	23,157	0.06
40	Cisco Systems, Inc.	2	US	Cisco Systems, Inc.	Subsidiary	IT - Services	23,355	$2.8 bn	25.44	23,284	29.27
41	BASF AG	2	Germany	BASF AG	Subsidiary	Chemicals	21,545	$2.6 bn	0.06	21,796	2.63
42	LG Corporation	3	South Korea	LG Corporation	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables	21,490	$2.6 bn	5.65	21,352	7.42
43	The Coca-Cola Company	2	US	The Coca-Cola Company	Subsidiary	FMCG	21,403	$2.5 bn	30.75	18,543	16.94
44	Microsoft Corporation	2	US	Microsoft Corporation	Subsidiary	IT - Services*	21,227	$2.5 bn	39.40	21,061	39.40
45	Fiat India Automobiles	1	Italy	Fiat Group Automobiles S.p.A.,	Subsidiary	Automobile	20,882	$2.5 bn	-3.07	19,944	-3.11
46	Skoda Auto Volkswagen India	1	Germany	Volkswagen Group	Subsidiary	Automobile	20,774	$2.5 bn	8.28	18,960	11.26
47	Posco Holding Inc	3	South Korea	Posco Holding Inc	Subsidiary	Metals - Steel	20,461	$2.4 bn	-0.17	20,238	3.01
48	DHL Express	8	Germany	DHL Express	Subsidiary	Logistics	19,381	$2.3 bn	2.69	19,052	2.04

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WARTSILA INDIA: The capital goods major continues to focus on sustainable energy solutions, with recent strategic developments in expanding its renewable energy business.

PBIDT Excl. Other Income	PROFIT/LOSS					Cash & Bank Balance	TOTAL ASSETS			Share Capital	NETWORTH		RONW	ROCE	Market Cap	P/E
₹ crore	₹ crore	$bn/$mn	Rank	YoY change %	% of total income	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	YoY change %	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	(%)	(%)	₹ crore	X
71	51	$6.1 mn	319	129.74	9.38	98	303	397	20.52	5	300	348	18.72	24.32	NAP	NAP
34	19	$2.3 mn	386	33.49	3.55	38	239	416	-5.88	2	227	380	14.16	20.04	NAP	NAP
16	15	$1.8 mn	398	-1.63	2.78	20	48	495	34.71	2	45	477	40.5	49.12	NAP	NAP
138	88	$10.4 mn	275	L2P	16.30	122	1,294	229	14.60	1	572	282	16.91	12.49	NAP	NAP
-59	-83	-$9.8 mn	475	LL	NAP	37	185	438	35.88	822	165	409	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
60	44	$5.2 mn	330	94.83	8.18	73	229	424	5.54	1	225	382	19.94	26.45	NAP	NAP
11	-2	-$0.3 mn	445	LL	NAP	39	301	398	-0.57	33	290	349	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
82	61	$7.3 mn	307	8.43	11.62	360	549	331	359.00	0.02	531	291	19.27	24.71	NAP	NAP
33	9	$1.1 mn	414	185.14	1.85	63	322	390	9.95	5	109	442	9.15	22.20	NAP	NAP
248	193	$23.0 mn	190	1297.25	37.77	6	3,868	109	5.79	344	3,846	84	5.15	6.33	NAP	NAP
86	69	$8.3 mn	294	31.41	13.67	498	677	303	-2.51	419	652	256	10.52	13.82	NAP	NAP
94	78.71	$9.4 mn	283	64.25	15.56	661	813	282	18.52	0.37	544	287	10.35	13.14	NAP	NAP
20	4	$0.4 mn	434	L2P	0.74	59	118	467	11.48	40	29	483	21.21	17.78	394	29.48
65	45	$5.3 mn	328	25.15	9.36	18	956	262	58.15	593	799	234	5.62	8.29	NAP	NAP
5	13	$1.5 mn	403	-40.93	2.65	47	388	367	1.65	11	188	401	6.75	12.89	NAP	NAP
24	18	$2.2 mn	391	42.47	3.99	140	288	403	5.60	45	249	370	7.71	8.93	NAP	NAP
2	5	$0.5 mn	433	-45.91	0.99	87	147	450	6.15	12	145	416	2.89	4.23	447	90.11
5	6	$0.8 mn	427	-50.35	1.40	78	47	496	23.78	44	26	484	14.40	11.19	NAP	NAP
66	42	$5.0 mn	332	-0.20	9.21	61	202	434	86.88	2	47	475	158.55	253.18	NAP	NAP
19	9	$1.1 mn	418	-53.15	1.97	24	190	436	94.44	58	105	446	8.76	8.91	NAP	NAP
73	34	$4.0 mn	348	-3.48	7.54	30	233	421	19.86	0.14	190	400	19.56	34.81	NAP	NAP
15	15	$1.8 mn	400	6041.67	3.34	89	353	381	71.45	82	113	440	13.75	15.63	NAP	NAP
32	21	$2.5 mn	381	-55.20	4.77	4	109	473	-1.78	86	7	490	153.12	24.92	1,876	72.62
45	19	$2.2 mn	388	96.66	4.37	11	360	379	12.26	13	280	353	7.85	10.4	1,298	50.36
52	29	$3.5 mn	362	8.26	6.94	60	237	418	57.14	21	164	410	23.81	22.98	NAP	NAP

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432	Ducon Infratechnologies	1	US	Ducon Technologies Inc.	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Desulfurization System	420	$49.9 mn	5.90	419	5.86
433	Swarovski India	1	Austria	Swarovski AG	Subsidiary	Retail	405	$48.2 mn	5.48	380	-1.19
434	Oriflame India	1	Switzerland	Oriflame Holding AG	Subsidiary	FMCG	400	$47.6 mn	-23.60	435	-14.35
435	Taegutec India	1	US	Mc International Metalworking Co. Bv	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	394	$46.9 mn	17.59	375	13.86
436	Koch Engineered Solutions India	1	US	Koch Industries	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	394	$46.9 mn	34.44	372	56.65
437	India Kawasaki Motors	1	Japan	Kawasaki Motors	Subsidiary	Automobile	391	$46.6 mn	11.07	384	12.79
438	Penguin Random House	1	Germany	Bertelsmann	Subsidiary	Publishing	387	$46.0 mn	42.17	340	28.98
439	Indo Nissin Foods	1	Japan	Nissin Foods	Subsidiary	FMCG	387	$46.0 mn	6.65	381	8.88
440	Seagate Technology HDD (India)	1	Ireland	Seagate Technology Holdings plc	Subsidiary	IT - Hardware	364	$43.4 mn	12.49	354	11.46
441	Ruhrpumpen India	1	Mexico	Industrias EG SA De CV	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Pumps & Fluid Solutions	362	$43.1 mn	40.40	371	51.01
442	OCS Group (India)	1	UK	OCS Group	Subsidiary	Professional Service	356	$42.4 mn	28.75	353	29.76
443	Somic ZF Components*	1	Japan	Somic	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	345	$41.1 mn	9.94	343	10.15
444	Osram Lighting	1	Germany	Osram Gmbh	Subsidiary	Electricals - Lightings	345	$41.1 mn	2.43	334	0.62
445	Thales India	1	France	Thales Group	Subsidiary	Aerospace & Defence	345	$41.0 mn	8.05	335	5.05
446	GATX India	1	US	GATX Corporation	Subsidiary	Logistics - Freight Wagons Lessor	332	$39.6 mn	50.07	322	50.10
447	Asta India	1	Austria	ASTA Energy Solution AG	Subsidiary	Metals (Copper Products)	326	$38.8 mn	-3.82	333	4.62
448	Dongyang Electric & Power India	1	South Korea	Dongyang E&P Korea	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics	322	$38.3 mn	11.22	325	13.80
449	InterContinental Hotels Group (India)	1	UK	InterContinental Hotels Group (IHG)	Subsidiary	Hospitality	319	$38.0 mn	18.72	314	21.73
450	Bausch & Lomb India	1	US	Valeant Pharmaceuticals International	Subsidiary	Healthcare	318	$37.8 mn	10.06	284	7.60
451	Youngshin Automotive India	1	South Korea	Young Shin Automotive co.	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	317	$37.8 mn	61.73	315	62.14
452	HarperCollins Publishers India	1	US	News Corp	Subsidiary	Publishing	311	$37.1 mn	48.76	278	26.77
453	Jamipol	1	India, Germany, Bhutan	Tata Gorup, SKW Stahl-Metallurgie GmbH, and Tai Industries	Joint Venture	Metallurgy	308	$36.7 mn	-18.34	302	-18.91
454	Zimmer India	1	US	Zimmer Biomet Holdings	Subsidiary	Healthcare	306	$36.4 mn	9.70	303	9.42
455	McCann-Erickson	1	US	McCann-Erickson and Interpublic Group	Subsidiary	Advertising & Communications	282	$33.6 mn	7.08	269	4.64
456	Air Liquide India Holding	1	France	Air Liquide S.A	Subsidiary	Chemicals - Industrial Gases	281	$33.4 mn	-26.40	274	32.07
457	Capsugel Healthcare	1	Switzerland	Lonza Group AG	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	276	$32.9 mn	24.72	266	26.92
458	Sivantos India	1	Germany	Sivantos GmbH	Subsidiary	Healthcare	276	$32.9 mn	36.58	267	40.41

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21	8	$0.9 mn	424	86.10	1.82	11	231	422	2.84	26	120	434	6.29	9.09	227	17.83
38	21	$2.5 mn	380	-4.29	5.29	42	173	443	13.88	74	159	412	14.37	17.98	NAP	NAP
-19	-23	-$2.7 mn	463	HL	NAP	56	89	481	-21.36	80	80	463	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
98	68	$8.0 mn	298	0.28	17.14	112	267	409	2.24	5	262	360	26.05	35.38	NAP	NAP
70	54	$6.4 mn	317	43.86	13.59	77	409	362	15.85	6	377	326	15.26	19.26	NAP	NAP
20	6	$0.7 mn	428	-25.53	1.45	33	181	440	3.36	81	179	406	2.92	6.04	NAP	NAP
31	24	$2.9 mn	373	68.38	6.25	21	106	474	-0.62	1	97	452	28.6	30.85	NAP	NAP
4	3	$0.4 mn	437	L2P	0.81	32	128	463	3.00	690	120	436	0.76	0.76	NAP	NAP
55	31	$3.7 mn	358	18.27	8.48	168	278	407	12.36	0.28	265	359	12.38	15.82	NAP	NAP
87	58	$6.9 mn	311	32.55	16.10	72	209	431	31.58	43	184	404	37.60	44.02	NAP	NAP
14	15	$1.8 mn	396	191.32	4.34	81	118	468	18.72	114	105	447	12.15	11.18	NAP	NAP
32	19	$2.3 mn	384	55.76	5.64	46	115	470	21.42	18	112	441	18.95	25.19	NAP	NAP
25	39	$4.6 mn	338	14.18	11.23	119	217	428	-13.53	73	140	418	28.99	38.27	NAP	NAP
10	10	$1.1 mn	412	-35.53	2.79	88	176	441	17.32	3	140	421	5.46	11.21	NAP	NAP
287	4	$0.4 mn	435	-91.89	1.06	18	2,517	149	57.95	62	1,460	160	0.24	2.74	NAP	NAP
4	-13	-$1.6 mn	455	P2L	NAP	0*	81	486	-46.60	87	13	489	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
17	9	$1.1 mn	415	95.94	2.85	4	72	491	7.07	41	72	466	13.2	19.16	NAP	NAP
25	18	$2.1 mn	393	-23.69	5.53	13	129	462	20.40	77	119	437	16.09	21.16	NAP	NAP
5	18	$2.2 mn	392	63.15	5.74	31	174	442	-3.71	33	166	408	4.94	6.63	NAP	NAP
36	19	$2.2 mn	390	394.43	5.88	13	91	480	-10.77	46	40	480	40.44	13.88	NAP	NAP
23	19	$2.2 mn	389	403.77	6.01	12	11	498	232.76	63	4	491	29.14	26.71	NAP	NAP
36	27	$3.2 mn	370	-13.24	8.78	7	172	444	8.35	11	169	407	16.68	22.55	NAP	NAP
29	15	$1.8 mn	397	95.91	5.01	75	119	465	22.42	2	106	445	15.59	16.68	NAP	NAP
34	32	$3.8 mn	354	30.68	11.36	22	216	429	8.71	0.17	208	394	15.92	21.33	NAP	NAP
39	-7.29	-$0.9 mn	452	P2L	NAP	1	715	297	12.35	130	369	329	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
27	8	$0.9 mn	421	L2P	2.83	66	250	414	3.39	299	88	457	3.53	4.76	NAP	NAP
4	1	$0.2 mn	440	-83.58	0.52	28	50	494	4.63	1	48	474	3.03	4.59	NAP	NAP

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PENGG USHA MARTIN WIRES: The company is expanding capacity to meet the rising demand from infrastructure and automotive sectors.

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							₹crore	$bn/$mn	YoY change %	₹crore	YoY change %
459	Armacell India	1	Germany	Armacell GmbH	Subsidiary	Energy - Insulation Solutions	272	$32.4 mn	28.56	271	28.80
460	A W Faber Castell (India)	1	Germany	Faber-Castell AG	Subsidiary	Consumer (Stationery)	266	$31.7 mn	0.11	263	9.32
461	Berkadia Services India	1	US	Berkshire Hathaway and Jefferies Financial Group	Subsidiary	Professional Services - Real Estate Consultancy	254	$30.2 mn	35.97	244	30.90
462	Egon Zehnder International	1	Switzerland	Egon Zehnder	Subsidiary	Professional Services - HR	244	$29.0 mn	0.98	236	-0.19
463	Hager Electro	1	Germany	Hager SE	Subsidiary	Electricals	242	$28.8 mn	-1.09	237	-0.91
464	Interpublic Group of Companies	2	US	Interpublic Group of Companies	Subsidiary	Advertising & Communications	239	$28.5 mn	13.40	234	15.73
465	Haldex Anand India	1	Sweden, India	Haldex AB, Anand Group	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	239	$28.4 mn	8.58	236	9.82
466	Havas Worldwide India	1	US	Vivendi	Subsidiary	Advertising & Communications	236	$28.1 mn	85.98	234	86.87
467	Invisalign India LLP	1	US	Aligntech Systems (DE) LLC	Subsidiary	Healthcare - Digital Solutions	234	$27.8 mn	53.40	221	44.80
468	Pengg Usha Martin Wires	1	Austria, India	Joh Pengg AG, Usha Martin	Joint Venture	Auto Ancillaries	232	$27.7 mn	11.77	232	13.43
469	Seal For Life India	1	US	Seal for Life Industries	Subsidiary	Chemicals	229	$27.3 mn	5.13	228	5.25
470	Petrofac Engineering India	1	UK	Petrofac	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	227	$27.0 mn	12.12	226	14.20
471	Kodak India	1	US	Eastman Kodak Company	Subsidiary	Printing & Stationery	226	$26.9 mn	28.38	218	30.21
472	HNI Autotech	1	South Korea	Hanil Precision Company Ltd.	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	219	$26.1 mn	6.99	216	9.20
473	Stovec Industries	1	Netherlands	SPGPrints B.V	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Textile Machinery	215	$25.5 mn	-16.82	207	-12.12
474	Crown Worldwide	1	Hong Kong	Crown Worldwide Group	Subsidiary	Logistics	209	$24.9 mn	3.52	205	4.34
475	Michael Page International Recruitment	1	US	Michael Page	Subsidiary	Professional Services - HR	206	$24.6 mn	6.88	206	6.51
476	Orion Nutritionals	1	South Korea	Orion Corporation	Subsidiary	FMCG	206	$24.5 mn	28.93	193	27.28
477	NHK Automotive Components India	1	Japan	NHK Spring Co Ltd	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	200	$23.8 mn	12.07	192	10.27
478	Dentsu Advertising & Media Services India	1	Japan	Dentsu	Subsidiary	Advertising & Communications	199	$23.7 mn	20.26	186	16.09
479	Voith Paper Fabrics India	1	Germany	Voith Group of Companies	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	194	$23.1 mn	9.13	180	9.28
480	Brikenstock India	1	Germany	Birkenstock Holding plc	Subsidiary	Retail	191	$22.7 mn	35.99	173	46.80
481	Ledvance	1	Germany	Ledvance	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	190	$22.6 mn	2.35	186	0.77
482	Avnet India	1	US	Avnet Inc	Subsidiary	Electronics - Distributor	184	$22.0 mn	5.78	192	31.20
483	JFE Engineering India	1	Japan	Jfe Engineering Corporation	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	183	$21.8 mn	420.13	179	484.70

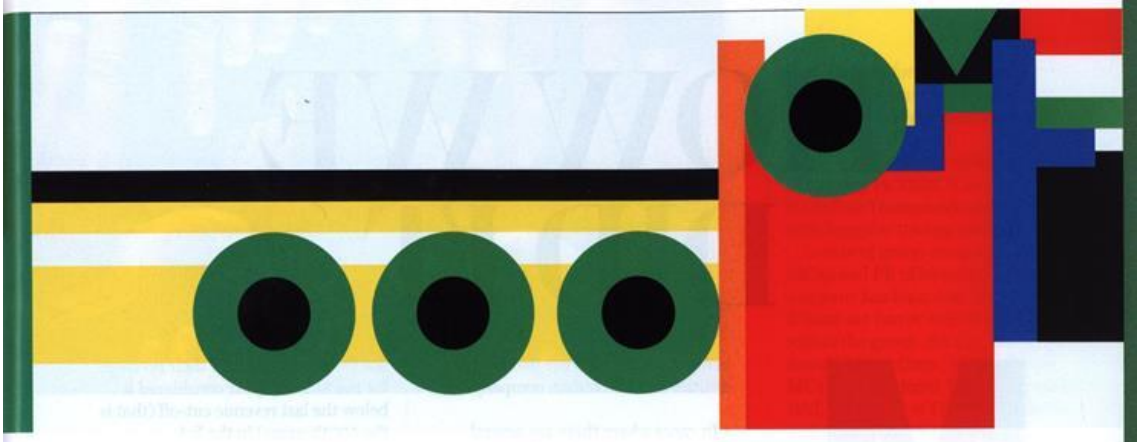
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JFE ENGINEERING INDIA: The company is expanding its manufacturing capacity and exploring new business partnerships to capitalise on the booming infra and energy market.

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₹ crore	₹ crore	$bn/$mn	Rank	YoY change %	% of total income	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	YoY change %	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	(%)	(%)	₹ crore	X
19	7	$0.8 mn	426	12980.00	2.41	23	130	461	0.23	1	103	449	6.55	7.72	NAP	NAP
12	5	$0.6 mn	430	10.39	1.91	4	97	478	8.00	46	42	479	5.15	6.71	NAP	NAP
44	31	$3.7 mn	355	70.62	12.37	49	139	454	30.31	1	113	439	32.20	38.93	NAP	NAP
63	50	$6.0 mn	321	20.87	20.68	82	130	459	-1.65	2	126	433	39.73	51.77	NAP	NAP
33	24	$2.8 mn	374	-23.55	9.86	45	208	432	-20.44	43	137	427	19.13	22.6	NAP	NAP
20	10	$1.2 mn	411	-28.71	4.08	142	319	393	-9.34	0.15	195	396	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
26	15	$1.8 mn	399	22.40	6.21	5	78	488	8.57	3	76	465	20.78	27.28	NAP	NAP
6	-7	-$0.8 mn	451	LL	NAP	19	83	484	-7.14	11	69	468	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
5	9	$1.1 mn	417	105.56	3.85	118	207	433	67.15	13	35	482	29.09	45.62	NAP	NAP
57	37	$4.4 mn	340	37.30	15.98	5	149	449	3.97	27	138	424	29.79	35.71	NAP	NAP
61	45	$5.4 mn	327	-16.01	19.69	13	424	356	3.95	4	413	318	11.21	14.99	NAP	NAP
66	36	$4.2 mn	346	94.49	15.74	3	135	456	23.24	0.19	95	453	46.12	43.47	NAP	NAP
-10	-9	-$1.0 mn	453	HL	NAP	21	78	487	-8.75	10	68	469	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
16	-3	-$0.4 mn	447	LL	NAP	17	223	426	-1.73	86	61	472	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
13	9	$1.1 mn	416	-63.50	4.21	34	142	452	-19.01	2	140	420	5.76	7.23	625	40.51
46	27	$3.2 mn	371	-8.76	12.83	65	296	400	22.23	29	242	373	11.75	13.48	NAP	NAP
18	12	$1.4 mn	405	-3.14	5.82	27	99	477	14.31	55	93	455	13.88	17.64	NAP	NAP
-110	-108	-$12.9 mn	480	HL	NAP	9	192	435	8.36	444	192	399	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
30	29	$3.4 mn	363	100.68	14.44	67	237	419	15.59	47	192	397	16.28	16.29	NAP	NAP
3	-3	-$0.3 mn	446	HL	NAP	43	395	366	48.03	54	100	451	NAP	3.49	NAP	NAP
45	36	$4.3 mn	344	14.26	18.70	176	353	380	10.62	4	348	336	10.94	14.51	876	23.33
14	9	$1.0 mn	419	56.96	4.55	23	29	497	44.87	3	19	486	58.65	53.45	NAP	NAP
20	23.34	$2.8 mn	376	-9.99	12.30	10	75	489	54.72	132	66	471	17.57	15.42	NAP	NAP
35	27	$3.3 mn	369	37.96	14.88	7	115	469	31.55	3	115	438	27.15	34.73	NAP	NAP
38	29	$3.5 mn	361	564.15	15.93	98	147	451	3.45	2	103	448	32.75	43.74	NAP	NAP

2025 RANK	Company	Group com-panies considered	Head-quarters (Country of Origin)	Ultimate Holding / Parent company	Subsid-iary / JV	Industry/ Sector	TOTAL INCOME			NET INCOME	
							₹crore	$bn/$mn	YoY change %	₹crore	YoY change %
484	ADC India Communications	1	US	CommScope Connectivity LLC	Subsidiary	IT- Solutions	180	$21.4 mn	18.99	179	25.07
485	Morganite Crucible (India)	1	UK	Morgan Advanced Materials Plc	Subsidiary	Metallurgy	173	$20.6 mn	8.56	168	8.63
486	Armstrong International	1	US	Armstrong World Industries, Inc.	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	170	$20.2 mn	9.67	171	23.66
487	Chubb Systems	1	UK	Chubb Group	Subsidiary	Electronics	168	$20.0 mn	113.84	166	114.36
488	Spotify India LLP	1	Sweden	Spotify AB	Subsidiary	Entertainment	167	$19.9 mn	85.22	167	85.22
489	Sakata Seed India	1	Japan	Sakata Seed Corportaion	Subsidiary	Agro - Seeds	165	$19.7 mn	15.62	162	23.28
490	Integra Engineering India	1	Switzerland	Integra Holding AG	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Railway Wagons	150	$17.8 mn	12.39	147	10.26
491	Trouw Nutrition India	1	Netherlands	Nutreco International B.v.	Subsidiary	Veterinary Healthcare	145	$17.3 mn	4.32	141	6.95
492	Valveworks India	1	US	Valveworks USA	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	137	$16.4 mn	85.37	122	95.88
493	Camfil India	1	Sweden	Camfil AB	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	130	$15.5 mn	28.20	121	23.23
494	Finolex J-Power Systems	1	Japan, India	J-Power Systems Corporation, Finolex	Joint Venture	Electricals	124	$14.8 mn	-1.67	120	-4.38
495	Avery India	1	US	Illinois Tool Works	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Industrial Weighing Scales	122	$14.5 mn	7.64	115	3.71
496	Organon (India)	1	US	Organon & Co	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	117	$13.9 mn	-5.84	108	2.97
497	Liebherr Appliances India	1	Germany	Liebherr-Hausgeräte GmbH	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables	113	$13.5 mn	6.09	98	-4.10
498	Hasbro India Toys	1	US	Hasbro	Subsidiary	Retail	109	$13.0 mn	-5.43	96	-5.85
499	Claas India	1	Japan	Yanmar Holdings Co	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	105	$12.5 mn	-36.95	104	-39.39
500	Thomson Reuters India	1	Canada	Thomson Reuters Corporation	Subsidiary	Media	102	$12.2 mn	40.58	84	19.91
				Grand Total			36,76,963	$437.7 bn		35,98,201	

FOOTNOTES: 1. ₹ AND CR NUMBERS HAVE BEEN ROUNDED TO THE NEAREST INTEGER. **2.** AN EXCHANGE RATE OF 1 USD = ₹84 HAS BEEN CONSIDERED. **3.** L2P REFERS TO COMPANIES TRANSITIONING FROM A LOSS TO A PROFIT. **4.** HL INDICATES COMPANIES WITH HIGHER LOSSES COMPARED TO THE PREVIOUS YEAR. **5.** LL INDICATES COMPANIES WITH LOWER LOSSES COMPARED TO THE PREVIOUS YEAR. **6.** P2L REFERS TO COMPANIES TRANSITIONING FROM A PROFIT TO A LOSS. **7.** NAP STANDS FOR "NOT APPLICABLE." **8.** FOR WILMAR INTERNATIONAL AND ADANI WILMAR LTD, TOTAL INCOME AND NET OPERATING INCOME HAVE BEEN ADJUSTED FOR THE COST OF TRADED/FINISHED GOODS. **9.** SIMILARLY, FOR GEMINI EDIBLES & FATS INDIA, TOTAL INCOME AND NET OPERATING INCOME HAVE ALSO BEEN ADJUSTED FOR THE COST OF TRADED/FINISHED GOODS. **10.** YOY CHANGE (%) IS NAP FOR THE FOLLOWING COMPANIES BECAUSE THEIR LAST TWO YEARS' FINANCIALS DO NOT COVER THE SAME 12-MONTH PERIOD: ● NESTLÉ INDIA ● LINDE INDIA ● KNORR-BREMSE INDIA ● BENETTON INDIA ● JOHN COCKERILL INDIA **11.** YOY CHANGE (%) IS NAP FOR ERICSSON INDIA AND KIRBY BUILDING SYSTEMS & STRUCTURES INDIA BECAUSE THEIR FINANCIALS ARE NOT



PBIDT Excl. Other Income	PROFIT/LOSS						Cash & Bank Balance	TOTAL ASSETS			Share Capital	NETWORTH		RONW	ROCE	Market Cap	P/E
₹ crore	₹ crore	$bn/$mn	Rank	YoY change %	% of total income		₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	YoY change %	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	(%)	(%)	₹ crore	X
26	21	$2.5 mn	382	153.24	11.53		45	71	492	35.61	5	71	467	33.69	44.86	687	23.69
35	23	$2.8 mn	375	45.72	13.55		50	130	460	2.13	3	128	432	20.24	28.28	776	29.16
14	5	$0.6 mn	429	-31.28	3.09		1	126	464	16.72	60	66	470	8.29	10	NAP	NAP
7	5	$0.5 mn	431	L2P	2.73		16	85	483	19.10	75	39	481	11.70	12.57	NAP	NAP
-338	-344	-$40.9 mn	493	LL	NAP		258	484	343	-9.90	1408.04	224	383	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
27	17	$2.0 mn	394	25.95	9.99		48	211	430	6.25	96	137	425	12.79	15.78	NAP	NAP
24	15	$1.7 mn	401	-20.18	9.71		8	102	476	23.44	3	77	464	20.89	24.18	755	49.92
-2	-6	-$0.7 mn	450	P2L	NAP		1	113	471	-17.49	26	26	485	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
50	40	$4.7 mn	336	85.07	28.94		8	140	453	39.67	1	140	419	33.1	44.69	NAP	NAP
9	8	$0.9 mn	423	172.03	5.99		1	72	490	33.36	62	52	473	9.82	11.07	NAP	NAP
5	-15	-$1.8 mn	458	LL	NAP		6	307	396	6.74	472	137	426	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
37	31	$3.7 mn	357	29.37	25.53		26	70	493	-4.77	9	45	476	69.5431	92.6211	NAP	NAP
23	19.57	$2.3 mn	383	-53.49	16.73		149	184	439	11.90	6	184	403	11.22	15.1	NAP	NAP
-106	-141	-$16.7 mn	485	HL	NAP		35	224	425	7.15	330	-562	496	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
4	10	$1.2 mn	408	22.22	9.60		81	89	482	0.93	64	87	459	12.12	16.65	NAP	NAP
-15	-21	-$2.5 mn	461	HL	NAP		4	133	458	-17.15	169	107	444	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
14	19	$2.3 mn	387	260.38	18.69		17	529	334	10.68	71	520	293	3.86	5.33	NAP	NAP
3,70,595	2,25,653	$26.9bn					4,05,191	19,10,100			3,19,838	13,01,221				38,81,987	

COMPARABLE DUE TO DIFFERENT REPORTING STRUCTURES (STANDALONE FOR THE LATEST YEAR, CONSOLIDATED FOR THE PREVIOUS YEAR). **12.** IN THE CASE OF SANOFI INDIA, CONSOLIDATED FIGURES ARE AVAILABLE FOR THE LATEST YEAR, WHILE STANDALONE FIGURES ARE AVAILABLE FOR THE PREVIOUS YEAR. **13.** * ACCORDING TO ASTA INDIA'S ANNUAL REPORT, THE CASH & BANK BALANCE REPORTED WAS ₹43,147. **14.** PROFIT AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL INCOME AND RONW (%) ARE NAP FOR COMPANIES THAT REPORTED HL, LL, OR P2L. **15.** MARKET CAPITALISATION AND P/E ARE NAP FOR UNLISTED COMPANIES. **16.** RONW (%) IS NAP FOR LOSS-MAKING COMPANIES, COMPANIES WITH NEGATIVE NET WORTH, OR BUSINESS GROUP COMPANIES. **18.** MARKET CAPITALISATION AND P/E DATA ARE AS OF JANUARY 14, 2025.

SOURCE: CAPITALINE, TOFLER, MCA FILINGS



PBIDT Excl. Other Income	PROFIT/LOSS					Cash & Bank Balance	TOTAL ASSETS			Share Capital	NETWORTH		RONW	ROCE	Market Cap	P/E
₹ crore	₹ crore	$bn/$mn	Rank	YoY change %	% of total income	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	YoY change %	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	(%)	(%)	₹ crore	X
3,287	1,867	$222.3 mn	29	-17.12	5.09	11,406	23,069	16	17.46	3,143	16,778	12	NAP	NAP	2,08,893	76.9
1,078	794	$94.6 mn	67	21.47	2.26	564	5,346	87	17.42	21	5,312	61	16.17	21.96	NAP	NAP
4,311	1,667	$198.5 mn	35	105.66	4.76	5,731	30,400	11	13.85	2,044	15,203	17	NAP	NAP	56,596	283.92
2,946	1,765	$210.1 mn	30	L2P	5.15	4,584	18,550	22	-4.67	7,104	11,761	25	NAP	NAP	47,907	121.34
5,357	4,244	$505.2 mn	10	30.13	13.13	2,060	15,985	28	4.85	271	13,221	22	NAP	NAP	81,545	41.8
2,472	1,351	$160.9 mn	43	1.82	4.30	3,659	10,744	43	17.29	23	8,174	38	18.04	20.21	NAP	NAP
4,704	2,798	$333.1 mn	17	-5.61	9.00	6,245	19,509	20	15.93	230	14,777	18	22.59	25.99	NAP	NAP
6,122	3,952	$470.5 mn	11	7.91	13.03	6,827	16,997	26	13.97	52	13,997	21	NAP	NAP	93,349	37.41
2,257	1,669	$198.6 mn	34	NAP	5.68	1,856	5,153	90	NAP	29	4,430	74	46.25	57.66	NAP	NAP
-1,085	288	$34.3 mn	151	20.84	0.99	4,351	7,344	66	4.93	0.02	6,041	50	-17.82	NAP	NAP	NAP
2,160	2,734	$325.5 mn	20	86.58	9.41	1,780	13,434	32	23.48	11,925	11,804	24	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
4,395	3,246	$386.4 mn	15	-0.94	11.29	1,774	21,812	18	16.99	59	20,710	10	17.07	21.53	NAP	NAP
2,472	1,204	$143.4 mn	48	-11.11	4.36	7,024	11,846	35	15.98	242	10,247	30	12.49	20.37	NAP	NAP
2,351	2,974	$354.1 mn	16	286.22	10.82	2,499	16,634	27	21.06	9,544	14,681	19	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
2,393	1,621	$192.9 mn	37	20.92	6.02	596	10,554	44	12.35	47	4,756	68	35.61	48.05	NAP	NAP
2,081	1,474	$175.5 mn	39	111.41	5.49	1,730	4,778	96	32.99	540	3,748	87	NAP	NAP	18,076	20.13
4,475	2,522	$300.2 mn	22	32.64	9.83	5,117	14,799	31	22.44	1	10,836	27	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
3,763	2,272	$270.5 mn	23	43.70	8.88	4,891	25,788	13	6.66	926	15,764	14	NAP	NAP	17,301	87.86
5,820	3,933	$468.2 mn	12	NAP	15.50	779	6,618	74	NAP	96	3,341	94	108.49	69.17	2,13,942	67.36
-110	-70	-$8.3 mn	471	P2L	NAP	18	856	275	-18.71	31	642	260	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
8,542	6,656	$792.4 mn	7	6.41	27.44	2,330	24,787	15	7.71	405	24,280	7	NAP	NAP	5,46,386	26.59
3,871	2,750	$327.3 mn	18	138.07	11.77	6,306	17,432	24	10.35	2	9,521	32	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
1,311	737	$87.8 mn	71	4.33	3.42	656	6,657	72	19.75	52	3,884	83	NAP	NAP	21,375	33.4
2,187	1,459	$173.7 mn	40	11.26	6.79	2,319	4,802	95	-5.69	431	3,933	82	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
2,752	3,531	$420.3 mn	14	177.51	16.50	2,464	10,876	40	49.63	911	10,635	28	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
2,827	824	$98.1 mn	65	34.36	3.88	4,638	12,828	33	7.49	7	8,339	36	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
315	500	$59.6 mn	98	-34.09	2.40	298	6,418	77	0.74	2,445	6,319	49	8.24	10.07	NAP	NAP
41	96	$11.4 mn	263	-69.02	0.46	995	10,745	42	7.20	724	5,190	63	3.47	3.12	NAP	NAP
-115	-300	-$35.7 mn	490	P2L	NAP	237	5,247	89	-3.30	3,948	3,488	91	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
2,295	1,311	$156.1 mn	45	31.75	6.76	2,452	8,706	54	11.55	279	4,882	67	NAP	NAP	14,765	52.19

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JCB: JCB has been expanding its presence in India by ramping up its manufacturing capacity amid a boom in demand for construction equipment.

2025 RANK	Company	Group companies considered	Headquarters (Country of Origin)	Ultimate Holding/ Parent company	Subsidiary/ JV	Industry/ Sector	TOTAL INCOME			NET INCOME	
							₹crore	$bn/$mn	YoY change%	₹crore	YoY change%
49	JCB	2	UK	JCB	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Heavy Machinery	19,295	$2.3 bn	22.51	19,072	22.97
50	Pegatron Technology India	1	Taiwan	Pegatron Corporation	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics	18,650	$2.2 bn	30.15	18,641	30.19
51	Deere & Company	2	US	Deere & Company	Subsidiary	Agro- Tractors & Implements	18,196	$2.2 bn	20.13	17,918	23.78
52	Procter And Gamble Group	4	US	Procter And Gamble Group	Subsidiary	FMCG*	16,607	$2.0 bn	15.92	16,342	14.82
53	Lenovo Group Limited	2	China	Lenovo Group Limited	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics	16,151	$1.9 bn	3.36	16,314	5.99
54	Abbott Laboratories	4	US	Abbott Inc	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	15,820	$1.9 bn	8.97	15,370	8.23
55	SAP SE	5	Germany	SAP SE	Subsidiary	IT - Enterprise Software	14,979	$1.8 bn	15.96	14,688	15.59
56	PNB MetLife India Insurance Company	1	India, New York	MetLife International Holdings LLC	Joint Venture	BFSI - Insurance	14,772	$1.8 bn	38.09	14,699	38.57
57	Intel Technology India	1	US	Intel Corporation	Subsidiary	IT - Semiconductors	14,663	$1.7 bn	26.46	14,419	25.25
58	ABB	3	Switzerland	ABB	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Industrials*	14,149	$1.7 bn	23.57	13,718	27.04
59	Caterpillar Inc	2	US	Caterpillar Inc	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Heavy Machinery*	14,035	$1.7 bn	-5.18	13,895	-1.45
60	Mondelez India Foods	1	US	Mondelez International Inc	Subsidiary	FMCG	13,950	$1.7 bn	20.63	12,747	13.34
61	Saint-Gobain Group	4	Germany	Saint-Gobain Group	Subsidiary	Glass & Glass Products*	13,839	$1.6 bn	4.57	13,487	7.29
62	Cargill India	1	US	Cargill Inc.	Subsidiary	FMCG	13,682	$1.6 bn	-6.72	13,485	-7.25
63	Alstom SA	2	France	Alstom SA	Subsidiary	Capital Goods*	13,353	$1.6 bn	7.86	13,321	9.49
64	Louis Dreyfus Co	1	Netherlands	Louis Dreyfus Group	Subsidiary	FMCG - Edible Oil	13,250	$1.6 bn	-8.36	15,682	15.42
65	Sony Group Corporation	2	Japan	Sony Group Corporation	Subsidiary	Media	13,189	$1.6 bn	9.29	12,864	8.60
66	Renault Nissan Automotive India	1	Japan	Nissan Motor Company, Renault	Joint Venture	Automobile	12,817	$1.5 bn	24.02	12,365	23.10
67	Ernst & Young LLP	7	UK	Ernst & Young LLP	Subsidiary	Professional Service	12,113	$1.4 bn	27.25	11,995	27.18
68	ZF Co Group	5	Germany	ZF Co Group	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries*	12,061	$1.4 bn	15.19	11,616	13.04
69	Genpact	3	US	Genpact	Subsidiary	IT - Services	11,681	$1.4 bn	15.93	11,487	17.65
70	United Spirits	1	UK	Diageo PLC	Subsidiary	FMCG	11,458	$1.4 bn	2.29	11,321	6.68
71	Panasonic Holdings Corporation	5	Japan	Panasonic Holdings Corporation	Subsidiary	Consumer Appliances*	10,724	$1.3 bn	17.33	10,654	17.20
72	India Yamaha Motor	1	Japan	Yamaha Motor Company	Subsidiary	Automobile	10,147	$1.2 bn	9.25	9,671	6.67
73	Reckitt Benckiser PLC	4	UK	Reckitt Benckiser PLC	Subsidiary	FMCG*	10,101	$1.2 bn	-4.12	9,948	5.34
74	Mylan Laboratories	1	US	Viatris (Mylan)	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	9,983	$1.2 bn	6.86	9,712	13.98
75	Ford Motor Co Group	2	US	Ford Motor Co	Subsidiary	Automobile*	9,949	$1.2 bn	-22.24	8,566	-15.06
76	BMW India	1	Germany	BMW	Subsidiary	Automobile	9,876	$1.2 bn	51.16	9,360	55.57
77	Dow Inc	1	US	Dow Inc	Subsidiary	Chemicals	9,720	$1.2 bn	-8.21	9,725	-9.49
78	CIE Automotive group	2	Spain	CIE Automotive group	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	9,654	$1.1 bn	7.78	9,301	6.01
79	Denso Corporation Group	7	Japan	Denso Corporation	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries*	9,483	$1.1 bn	15.16	9,401	15.53

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BMW INDIA: BMW India reported a total income of ₹9,876 crore, a YoY growth of 51.16% and 53% rise in profit.

PBIDT Excl. Other Income	PROFIT/LOSS					Cash & Bank Balance	TOTAL ASSETS			Share Capital	NETWORTH		RONW	ROCE	Market Cap	P/E
₹ crore	₹ crore	$bn/$mn	Rank	YoY change%	% of total income	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	YoY change%	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	(%)	(%)	₹ crore	X
2,843	2,095	$249.4 mn	26	42.10	10.86	1,167	4,466	99	-3.18	9	4,096	79	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
930	626	$74.6 mn	86	L2P	3.36	393	7,871	60	-24.67	1,100	1,277	175	49.04	54.92	NAP	NAP
2,139	1,368	$162.9 mn	42	26.12	7.52	709	11,789	36	5.34	253	7,398	42	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
2,782	1,707	$203.2 mn	32	10.83	10.28	3,182	6,316	78	-6.56	137	5,771	55	NAP	NAP	47,566	70.34
367	207	$24.6 mn	187	53.10	1.28	1,126	2,264	158	7.45	861	15,990	13	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
2,837	2,044	$243.3 mn	27	24.68	12.92	3,298	15,450	30	6.21	392	14,265	20	NAP	NAP	60,043	46.74
1,870	1,277	$152.1 mn	46	0.44	8.53	3,902	8,738	53	7.85	15	4,924	66	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
291	276	$32.8 mn	156	145.71	1.87	217	48,299	5	20.38	2,013	1,729	144	13.69	0.69	NAP	NAP
2,815	1,695	$201.7 mn	33	24.96	11.56	334	6,850	69	10.58	8	5,034	65	33.06	36.16	NAP	NAP
1,971	1,579	$188.0 mn	38	34.74	11.16	5,072	8,289	55	17.31	79	7,026	46	NAP	NAP	1,30,344	77.22
1,348	847	$100.8 mn	64	-3.04	6.03	1,803	7,997	58	9.58	270	7,315	44	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
2,470	2,021	$240.6 mn	28	71.85	14.49	700	2,027	169	40.03	30	1,741	143	154.16	158.45	NAP	NAP
2,627	1,756	$209.1 mn	31	9.39	12.69	527	11,040	38	11.53	294	10,599	29	NAP	NAP	19,997	53.41
20	-113	-$13.4 mn	481	P2L	NAP	22	4,988	92	-4.23	100	1,313	168	NAP	6.66	NAP	NAP
1,356	699	$83.2 mn	78	-1.64	5.23	1,129	4,292	104	40.69	4,389	3,703	88	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
287	149	$17.8 mn	219	-62.81	1.13	9	1,951	175	-56.42	36	761	240	19.47	9.95	NAP	NAP
1,319	976	$116.2 mn	58	-14.80	7.40	3,399	10,243	47	12.83	74	9,854	31	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
307	41	$4.8 mn	333	L2P	0.32	1,681	6,809	71	0.03	5,773	5,957	52	0.67	-0.46	NAP	NAP
980	438	$52.1 mn	111	27.54	3.62	101	4,269	105	26.66	167	1,209	181	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
1,422	1,177	$140.1 mn	50	33.43	9.76	1,994	7,362	65	16.46	1,195	6,391	48	NAP	NAP	21,436	52.34
2,311	489	$58.2 mn	100	-6.17	4.18	1,770	10,818	41	-4.12	41	7,794	39	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
1,952	1,408	$167.6 mn	41	23.83	12.29	1,269	7,401	64	19.49	145	7,121	45	20.97	27.81	1,02,316	71.17
1,037	650	$77.4 mn	84	-37.39	6.06	1,519	4,805	94	15.47	400	4,311	75	NAP	NAP	320	23.22
991	705	$83.9 mn	76	48.30	6.95	1,085	3,182	131	16.57	2,214	3,061	101	20.93	29.21	NAP	NAP
2,947	2,102	$250.3 mn	25	-22.59	20.81	3,096	6,464	75	-4.53	195	5,586	58	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
1,284	260	$30.9 mn	163	-45.93	2.60	126	9,796	49	-31.13	49	5,603	57	3.85	7.88	NAP	NAP
-95	732	$87.2 mn	73	-8.14	7.36	1,983	6,289	79	3.84	14,829	4,557	72	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
620	312	$37.1 mn	143	52.57	3.16	298	3,345	124	56.97	156	915	214	35.92	19.96	NAP	NAP
419	210	$25.0 mn	183	223.22	2.16	264	1,431	215	6.53	5	1,075	194	18.41	24.11	NAP	NAP
1,429	1,129	$134.4 mn	51	L2P	11.69	239	7,064	68	11.71	379	6,004	51	NAP	NAP	17,453	21.33
804	475	$56.6 mn	104	297.05	5.01	62	3,005	135	-2.51	615	1,248	177	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP



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							₹crore	$bn/$mn	YoY change %	₹crore	YoY change %
80	Honeywell International Inc.	6	US	Honeywell International Inc.	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Industrials*	9,376	$1.1 bn	16.34	9,112	17.24
81	Schaeffler AG	3	Germany	Schaeffler AG	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries*	9,350	$1.1 bn	5.25	9,112	4.42
82	Escorts Kubota	1	Japan	Kubota Corporation	Subsidiary	Agro- Tractors & Implements	9,344	$1.1 bn	5.31	8,850	4.99
83	DXC Technology	6	Spain	DXC Technology	Subsidiary	IT Services	9,325	$1.1 bn	6.73	9,046	5.75
84	Salesforce.com India	1	US	SAAS	Subsidiary	IT - Enterprise Software	9,117	$1.1 bn	36.01	8,970	36.03
85	TotalEnergies	5	France	TotalEnergies	Joint Venture	Energy	9,093	$1.1 bn	-14.20	9,016	-14.29
86	Exor	2	Netherlands	Exor	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Heavy Machinery*	8,791	$1.0 bn	22.68	8,534	25.81
87	KPMG	5	Netherlands	KPMG	Subsidiary	Professional Service	8,688	$1.0 bn	37.89	8,485	38.04
88	Sumitomo Corporation	6	Japan	Sumitomo Corporation	Subsidiary	Chemicals*	8,587	$1.0 bn	1.75	8,495	2.23
89	Kansai Nerolac Paints	1	Japan	Kansai Paint Co., Ltd	Subsidiary	Paints	8,554	$1.0 bn	11.62	7,801	3.43
90	Star Union Dai-ichi Life Insurance Company	1	Japan	Dai-ichi Life Holdings	Joint Venture	BFSI - Insurance	8,552	$1.0 bn	27.13	8,455	26.46
91	WPP Group	19	UK	WPP Group	Subsidiary	Advertising & Communications	8,431	$1.0 bn	12.79	8,268	13.57
92	Syngenta Group	2	Switzerland	Syngenta Group	Subsidiary	Chemicals*	8,358	$995.1 mn	2.05	8,184	1.90
93	Nissan Motors India	1	Japan	Nissan Motor Co. Ltd	Subsidiary	Automobile	8,344	$993.3 mn	27.38	8,029	28.01
94	United Breweries	1	UK	Heineken International	Subsidiary	FMCG	8,230	$979.7 mn	8.27	8,123	8.30
95	JSW MG Motor India	1	China	SAIC Moto (MG Motor)	Subsidiary	Automobile	8,149	$970.1 mn	4.19	7,852	3.59
96	SMFG India Credit Company	1	Japan	Sumitomo Mitsui Financial Group (SMFG)	Subsidiary	BFSI - MFI	8,083	$962.3 mn	41.46	8,079	41.65
97	Alphabet Inc	2	US	Alphabet Inc	Subsidiary	IT Services - Online Digital	8,065	$960.1 mn	13.09	7,482	18.83
98	Herbalife International India	1	US	Herbalife Nutrition Ltd	Subsidiary	FMCG	8,030	$955.9 mn	21.11	7,916	20.72
99	Mitsubishi Electric Corporation	8	Japan	Mitsubishi Electric Corporation	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables*	8,018	$954.5 mn	15.85	7,673	16.23
100	Volvo Group	3	Sweden	Volvo Group	Subsidiary	Automobile	8,004	$952.8 mn	25.62	7,916	29.41
101	Gemini Edibles & Fats India	1	Singapore	Golden Agri-Resources	Subsidiary	FMCG	7,924	$943.4 mn	-16.56	7,433	-22.42
102	IHH Healthcare	2	Malaysia	Khazanah Nasional Berhad	Subsidiary	Healthcare - Hospitals	7,855	$935.1 mn	7.22	7,795	9.12
103	Pepsico Inc	3	US	PepsiCo, Inc	Subsidiary	FMCG*	7,668	$912.9 mn	-18.52	7,446	-19.50
104	Daikin Airconditioning India	1	Japan	Daikin Industries Ltd	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables	7,397	$880.6 mn	48.58	6,813	40.95
105	Bayer AG Group	5	Germany	Bayer AG Group	Subsidiary	Chemicals - Agro chem*	7,353	$875.4 mn	-2.15	7,339	3.46
106	Bunge India	1	US	Bunge Ltd	Subsidiary	FMCG	7,259	$864.2 mn	-17.12	7,175	-18.80
107	Emerson Electric Co	6	US	Emerson Electric Co	Subsidiary	Capital Goods - Industrials*	7,210	$858.3 mn	20.17	7,104	21.06
108	G-Mobile Devices	1	China	Transsion Holdings	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics	6,955	$828.0 mn	37.54	6,801	36.75

PBIDT Excl. Other Income	PROFIT/LOSS					Cash & Bank Balance	TOTAL ASSETS			Share Capital	NETWORTH		RONW	ROCE	Market Cap	P/E
₹ crore	₹ crore	$bn/$mn	Rank	YoY change %	% of total income	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	YoY change %	₹ crore	₹ crore	Rank	(%)	(%)	₹ crore	X
1,611	1,126	$134.0 mn	52	17.62	12.01	3,830	6,836	70	5.44	54	7,377	43	NAP	NAP	35,910	68.05
1,578	991	$118.0 mn	57	-2.56	10.60	1,949	6,084	80	7.97	261	5,674	56	NAP	NAP	50,856	55.61
1,167	1,049	$124.9 mn	54	64.75	11.23	1,179	9,298	51	11.79	111	9,176	33	12.08	16.06	38,488	33.13
1,482	1,007	$119.8 mn	56	13.95	10.79	18	5,894	82	-4.75	300	4,691	69	NAP	NAP	1,163	39.71
1,405	888	$105.8 mn	60	39.16	9.74	2,449	3,667	113	48.52	6	2,547	113	42.01	41.51	NAP	NAP
1,504	407	$48.4 mn	117	-52.68	4.47	688	12,811	34	5.80	323	5,289	62	NAP	NAP	73,599	104.84
976	705	$84.0 mn	75	45.48	8.02	1,235	7,752	61	15.42	1,266	5,176	64	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
1,197	857	$102.1 mn	61	54.17	9.87	621	2,760	139	19.90	109	902	217	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
856	477	$56.8 mn	103	-21.08	5.55	335	7,561	62	5.52	1,634	5,578	60	NAP	NAP	23,660	48.95
1,028	1,185	$141.1 mn	49	150.31	13.86	260	5,899	81	21.12	81	5,583	59	12.79	16.55	19,709	31.59
126	165	$19.6 mn	209	29.58	1.93	325	24,834	14	28.37	339	1,219	180	14.47	0.91	NAP	NAP
1,123	758	$90.2 mn	69	-4.61	8.99	670	5,784	83	17.43	44	1,421	163	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
697	455	$54.1 mn	109	-37.50	5.44	1,074	7,485	63	10.60	68	4,526	73	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
159	295	$35.1 mn	149	L2P	3.53	87	1,888	181	24.61	1,790	261	361	33.54	15.93	NAP	NAP
696	410	$48.8 mn	114	34.89	4.98	214	4,309	103	7.52	26	4,178	77	10.09	13.43	52,020	110.15
28	-586	-$69.8 mn	495	LL	NAP	1,514	3,446	120	23.66	3,382	213	390	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
4,074	670	$79.8 mn	82	-5.58	8.29	2,265	44,778	6	14.99	2,247	5,843	54	12.12	9.38	NAP	NAP
2,017	1,630	$194.1 mn	36	0.56	20.21	6,140	10,001	48	-1.01	8	8,229	37	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
1,174	851	$101.3 mn	63	10.96	10.60	206	254	412	4.23	7	214	387	398.18	463.25	NAP	NAP
568	353	$42.0 mn	128	L2P	4.40	1,893	3,999	107	17.18	1,875	3,530	90	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
656	344	$41.0 mn	132	25.86	4.30	464	1,715	196	-17.70	387	1,189	182	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
463	362	$43.1 mn	126	-19.71	4.56	6,130	7,953	59	2.53	10	2,452	115	15.44	11.94	NAP	NAP
1,298	568	$67.6 mn	91	-1.50	7.23	606	10,476	45	-8.00	892	7,682	40	NAP	NAP	50,103	72.42
632	400	$47.6 mn	118	2.35	5.22	201	4,924	93	4.25	3,645	4,095	80	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
552	306	$36.5 mn	144	32.52	4.14	353	3,090	132	42.94	1,303	2,724	107	13.19	17.56	NAP	NAP
1,195	892	$106.2 mn	59	-3.61	12.13	1,165	4,506	98	0.81	493	4,136	78	NAP	NAP	23,234	40.09
142	59	$7.0 mn	309	L2P	0.81	192	2,080	166	3.15	21	2,028	128	2.95	3.44	NAP	NAP
773	496	$59.0 mn	99	52.90	6.88	1,158	5,663	84	3.58	58	2,569	110	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP
-97	-106	-$12.6 mn	478	LL	NAP	87	-658	500	-19.11	5	-688	497	NAP	NAP	NAP	NAP

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109	Whirlpool of India	1	US	Whirlpool Corporation	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables	6,872	$818.1 mn	-0.84	6,830	2.43
110	Adobe Systems India	1	US	Adobe Inc	Subsidiary	IT - Enterprise Software	6,804	$810.0 mn	37.99	6,791	38.63
111	Vmware Software India	1	US	Broadcom Inc	Subsidiary	IT - Enterprise software	6,754	$804.0 mn	25.75	6,593	24.93
112	Jones Lang Lasalle Property Consult. (I)	1	US	JLL Inc	Joint Venture	Professional Services - Real Estate Consultant	6,677	$794.8 mn	20.16	6,617	20.90
113	Continental AG	8	Germany	Continental AG	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries*	6,610	$786.9 mn	0.27	6,539	2.55
114	Thyssenkrupp	8	Germany	Thyssenkrupp	Subsidiary	Engineering*	6,531	$777.5 mn	12.56	6,324	13.02
115	Future Generali Group	2	Netherlands, India	Future Group and Generali Participations	Joint Venture	BFSI - Insurance	6,511	$775.1 mn	14.51	6,334	19.39
116	Haier Appliances (India)	1	China	Haier Group	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables	6,319	$752.3 mn	13.38	6,305	16.15
117	DBG Technology India	1	China	DBG Group	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics	6,315	$751.8 mn	-22.68	6,240	-23.14
118	Philips India	1	Netherlands	Koninklijke Philips N.V.	Subsidiary	Consumer Durables	6,138	$730.7 mn	4.70	6,000	4.65
119	S&P Global Inc.	5	US	S&P Global Inc.	Subsidiary	BFSI - Rating agency*	6,030	$717.8 mn	14.20	5,923	15.68
120	Schwing Stetter India	1	Germany	Schwing Group of companies GmbH	Subsidiary	Construction (Equipment)	5,815	$692.2 mn	32.91	5,396	37.67
121	NTT Group	10	Japan	NTT Group	Subsidiary	IT Services*	5,753	$684.9 mn	28.15	5,512	21.26
122	Colgate-Palmolive (India)	1	US	Colgate-Palmolive	Subsidiary	FMCG	5,736	$682.9 mn	8.73	5,680	8.69
123	Eaton Corporation Plc	6	US, Ireland	Eaton Corporation Plc	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries*	5,716	$680.5 mn	13.29	5,178	28.15
124	Gland Pharma	1	China	Fosun Pharma	Subsidiary	Pharmaceuticals	5,707	$679.4 mn	45.89	5,665	56.29
125	LOreal India	1	France	Loreal group	Subsidiary	FMCG	5,685	$676.7 mn	13.84	5,576	12.60
126	AB SKF	3	Sweden	AB SKF	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	5,567	$662.7 mn	8.87	5,439	8.31
127	Novartis Healthcare	1	Switzerland	Novartis Pharma AG	Subsidiary	Healthcare	5,545	$660.1 mn	1.91	5,368	1.01
128	Expeditors International India	1	US	Expeditors International	Subsidiary	Logistics	5,405	$643.5 mn	-4.71	5,387	-4.83
129	ATC Tires	1	Japan	Yokohama Rubber Co	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	5,380	$640.5 mn	-17.96	5,501	-13.29
130	Bridgestone India	1	Japan	Bridgestone Corporation	Subsidiary	Auto Ancillaries	5,366	$638.8 mn	2.19	5,172	2.86
131	Teleperformance Group	3	France	Teleperformance Group	Subsidiary	IT Services	5,353	$637.3 mn	20.66	5,008	18.18
132	HL Mando Anand India	1	Korea, India	HL Mando Corporation, Anand Group	Joint Venture	Auto Ancillaries	5,239	$623.7 mn	5.64	5,188	7.24
133	Mosaic India	1	US	The Mosaic Company	Subsidiary	Chemicals	5,121	$609.6 mn	115.08	4,365	81.93
134	FMC Corporation	2	US	FMC Corp	Subsidiary	Chemicals - Agro chem	5,103	$607.5 mn	47.92	4,679	24.25
135	Acer India	1	US	Acer Inc	Subsidiary	Consumer Electronics - Laptops	5,062	$602.7 mn	23.15	4,996	22.16
136	Publicis Groupe network	3	France	Publicis Groupe network	Subsidiary	Advertising & Communications	5,060	$602.3 mn	3.09	4,844	3.56
137	IQVIA Holdings Inc	4	US	IQVIA Inc	Subsidiary	IT- Data analytics*	5,014	$596.8 mn	27.36	4,780	24.82
138	CBRE South Asia	1	US	CBRE Group, Inc.	Subsidiary	Professional Services - Real Estate Consultant	4,908	$584.3 mn	33.45	4,846	33.36
139	Atlas Copco	2	Sweden	Atlas Copco	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	4,899	$583.2 mn	20.77	4,854	20.58
140	Toshiba Group	5	Japan	Toshiba Corporation	Subsidiary	Capital Goods	4,878	$580.7 mn	15.93	4,675	15.29
141	Renault India	1	France	Renault Group	Subsidiary	Automobile	4,855	$578.0 mn	-46.12	4,905	-42.24

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Adani Power has agreed to fully restore supply from a 1,600 Mw India power plant to Bangladesh in a few days after a gap of three months but has rejected Dhaka's request for discounts and tax benefits, two sources told *Reuters*. It halved supply to Bangladesh on October 31 due to payment delays as the country battled foreign exchange shortage. REUTERS

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It's early days in 2025 yet, but the "deep state" looks like the frontrunner for winning the "word of the year" honours. Anything goes wrong and we blame this sinister entity — the deep state.

Except that it isn't so mythical. It is as much a part of our lives and system of governance as shallow state and non-state. We shall explore these definitions and how these intermesh as we go along. However, the deep state, often just called DS, has now become the engine of conspiracy theories across democracies.

The first thing we need to look at is the dictionary/Wikipedia definition of it: Potentially secret and unauthorised network of power operating independently of a state's political leadership in pursuit of its own agenda and goals. Of course, it all has a negative and conspiratorial connotation. Then, let's follow our usual three-example formula and list these specific issues/events.

- The regime change in Bangladesh. It was sudden, violent at street level, leaderless and dramatic. It's been widely blamed on the US deep state (we will use DS hereon). It's also been called a US (United States) DS success, with the insinuation that similar operations were planned in India as well. Because, of course, the Biden administration and the DS do not like Narendra Modi.
- Next, the series of exposés on the Adani group across two years. Many came from a shadowy short-seller Hindenburg, which vaporised as mysteriously as it had appeared on the scene. There were also many other stories that came in through organisations supported or funded by OCCRP (Organised Crime and Corruption Reporting Project). There is also the ICIJ, or the International Consortium of Investigative Journalists. Both are supported by the George Soros-founded Open Society Foundations. Mr Soros is an acknowledged Left-leaning anarchist (I won't call him liberal) and a stock and currency markets predator. He's the man who broke the pound and the Bank of England (1992) as well as many key East Asian countries in the 1997 financial crisis. Both these organisations supported investigations leading to stories on the Adani group. The conspiracy theory is that this was an indirect attack on the Modi government. In fact, Prime Minister Narendra Modi noted at the outset of the current Budget session of Parliament that this was the first in many years that a session was beginning without any "mischief from abroad".
- And the third, two difficult and embarrassing situations India was caught in — in Canada and the US — were linked to Sikh radical operations there. In each of these cases, the American media highlighted the stories in great detail and persisted with the coverage as did the *Financial Times* in the case of Adani. All of this, the argument is, couldn't be a coincidence. It must have been the work of DS. And you know what, now even Donald Trump, Elon Musk, and their lieutenants are all complaining about it as they set out to drain the swamp.

So far so good, and we then examine each in some detail. On Bangladesh are we sure this was merely the handiwork of some "potentially secret and unauthorised" group that worked under the US government radar? If you saw the pictures of George Soros' son flying in to meet Chief Adviser Mohammed Yunus in Dhaka last month, your suspicions will be strengthened.

Then also see that iconic (if I may be allowed to use just once the description I usually ban in my own newsroom for anything but a sculpture) picture of a doting Joe Biden with his arm around Yunus' shoulders.

If Hasina's downfall was really engineered by the Americans, was it by some DS working on its own? Or in conjunction with the Biden Administration? This won't pass the conspiracy theorists' definition of DS.

There are shadowy, amorphous, vaguely defined organisations that work as instruments of a regular, upfront state. A trick question follows: How will you describe the Lashkar-e-Taiba and Jaish-e-Mohammed? As non-state actors which the Pakistanis would? Or DS? Both will give the Pakistan state plausible deniability. They are the state, and they mean enormous harm to India.

The Adani issue might be a bit more complex because in most of the stories from Hindenburg and OCCRP, there is no clear US government role. So, was DS at play? But then, the US Department of Justice and Securities and Exchange Commission came up with indictments potentially and a lot more threatening than Hindenburg's. Now, were Hindenburg and OCCRP working independent of the state, or in cahoots with it? Or vice versa?

And finally, the issues India faced in Canada and the US over Nijjar and Pannun. The notion of this being DS activity was brought in mostly because some in the US and Canadian media were particularly active on this. All of their stories, however, were based on briefings by their own intelligence officials.

One way of looking at DS is the bureaucracy, civil services, police, armed forces, judiciary, regulators, election commission and other institutions that span the tenure of multiple governments.

They follow the rule book, provide continuity, and protect the family silver. Between 1996 and 1999, India had six Prime Ministers. It was a brilliant set of civil servants, military leaders, and nuclear scientists who kept continuity with our strategic programme, protected it, and didn't let a word leak.

The same system can act differently. If they kept the nuclear assets all so secret and defined as "peaceful" all of these decades, they made them open and military in 1998. Why?

That's because the Vajpayee government asked them to do so. This DS, which provides continuity and also assurance on broad policies and sovereign commitments remaining intact, also changes when political leaders command so. Those we describe as the shallow state.

"Shallow" is not to denote weakness but because they're transient. Actually, they are the ones with real power. It is used only because the political leaderships will have the deeper state apparatus at their command. It is only when the shallow state is weak that DS takes over the agenda. We saw this play out just after Manmohan Singh signed the nuclear deal.

Much of the opposition to it was based on leaks from his office and his Ministry of External Affairs by career civil servants, partly motivated by ingrained anti-Americanism and partly by those who found the change too drastic.

That is why the nuclear liability law was so poisoned as to make the entire deal fruitless. This is precisely what the Modi government's Budget just promised to change and which the Modi-Trump joint statement has taken note of.

And finally, where does non-state feature? From ancient times, sovereigns have used the cover of non-state actors to take their cause forward.

From bhikshus of Ashokan 3rd century BC and medieval Sufis to Oxfam, Omidyar and Soros now, non-state actors have any real power only when they work in conjunction with a real state. What is the US Agency for International Development, for example? It can't be DS because it is very much an instrument of the American state. So much so that Marco Rubio has now taken direct charge of it and moved it in the state department. The Trumpian objection is that it had been hijacked by Leftist ideologues who were using it to indulge their own fancy and not to further American interests.

Jump millennia to present-day India and ask what the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh is. The Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) will say it is a non-state entity, and, in fact, the world's largest non-government organisation. Ask the Congress, and they will call it the BJP's DS. The exact equation will apply if you asked the BJP and the Congress what Sonia Gandhi's National Advisory Council was. One shallow state antagonist's DS is the other's non-state entity.

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Gautam Adani related matter discussed in meeting

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गौतम अदाणी से जुड़ा मुद्दा बातचीत में उठा

भारतीय प्रधानमंत्री से यह पूछे जाने पर कि क्या कारोबारी गौतम अदाणी से जुड़ा मुद्दा बातचीत में उठा, तो मोदी ने कहा, 'भारत एक लोकतंत्र है और हमारी संस्कृति 'वसुधैव कुटुंबकम' की है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय से मेरा नाता है।' मोदी ने कहा कि 2 नेताओं के बीच बातचीत में ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर चर्चा नहीं की जाती। उन्होंने कहा, '2 देशों के 2 प्रमुख नेता कभी भी ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मुद्दों पर चर्चा नहीं करते।'



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Key world leaders don't discuss individual issues: PM Modi on Adani row

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Washington: At a press briefing at the White House, PM Narendra Modi was asked if he raised with US President Donald Trump the indictment of Gautam Adani and his key associates in a New York court over his involvement in an alleged bribery scheme.

"Firstly, India is a democratic country, and our culture and our thought philosophy is, 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine," he said, going to add, "Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues."

Trump made no mention of the case during the presser.

Last year, the Department of Justice (DoJ) under the previous President Joe Biden charged Adani with allegedly being part of a scheme to pay more than $250 million (about Rs 2,100 crore) bribe to Indian officials in exchange of favourable terms for solar power contracts.

This was concealed from the US banks and investors from whom the Adani group raised billions of dollars for the project, the prosecutors had alleged last year.

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Trump move seen as relief to Adani Group

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last year, the prosecutors had cited US FCPA law that allows pursuing foreign corruption allegations if they involve certain links to American investors or markets.

Adani group has denied the allegations as baseless. Earlier this month, President Trump signed an executive order directing the Department of Justice to pause enforcing a nearly half-century-old law that was used to launch the bribery investigation against the Adani Group. The move is being seen as a relief to the Adani Group but it remains to be seen what stand the DoJ takes after the six month review period. PTI

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Leaders of 2 nations don't meet to discuss an individual matter: Modi on Adani issue

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Transcript Of Modi's Joint Press Conference In The US With President Trump

Prime Minister, the US is giving a lot of push to curb illegal immigration, and India has been cooperating on this issue. How does India see this issue in the larger context?

■ Modi: I don't think this is a question that is about India only, but even globally, you can talk about this issue. And we are of the opinion that anybody who enters another country illegally, they have absolutely no right to be in that country. And as far as India and the US is concerned, we have always been of the same opinion, and that is any verified Indian who is in the US illegally, we are fully prepared to take them back to India.

However, it doesn't stop there. These are children of very ordinary families, and they are lured by big dreams and big promises. A lot of them are brought in without them knowing about why they are going to a country. And in fact, they are connected with a human trafficking system, and we have to make sure that we fight against this system. As far as the US and India are concerned, I think what we should do is make efforts to make sure that we uproot these from within the system so that we can reduce or remove human trafficking.

And basically, the young, vulnerable, poor people of India are fooled into coming over as illegal immigrants. And our bigger fight actually is against this ecosystem or this system that encourages such gangs to thrive. And I can tell you that India will completely support your endeavour in achieving this.



Trump presents a book to Modi with a personal message (right)

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Mr Prime Minister, how do you see India's role? You have had discussions with President Trump about de-escalating the conflict in Russia and Ukraine.

■ Modi: As you know, I have been in constant contact with both Russia and Ukraine. I have also visited both countries. And many people are mistaken, and they feel that India is neutral. I would like to clarify, India is not neutral. We have taken a side, and we have taken the side of peace. And it is based on this principle of ours that in the presence of President Putin, I clearly said in front of the media that this is not the era of war and even today it is my conviction that solutions cannot be found on the battlefield.

Ultimately, you have to come to the negotiating table and India has constantly made efforts that there are talks that take place where both parties are present. It is only then that we will find a solution. The efforts being made by President Trump, I support them, I welcome them and I would like that President Trump is successful as soon as possible so that the world is on the path to peace once again.

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Looting the country's wealth becomes a 'personal matter' for the PM abroad: Rahul Gandhi

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देश की संपत्ति को लूटना विदेश में प्रधानमंत्री के लिए 'व्यक्तिगत मामला' बन जाता है : राहुल गांधी

नई दिल्ली, 14 फरवरी (प.स.): लोकसभा में नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी द्वारा अमरीका में उद्योगपति गौतम अडानी से जुड़े मामले में की गई टिप्पणी को लेकर शुक्रवार आरोप लगाया कि विदेश में प्रधानमंत्री मोदी के लिए रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना 'व्यक्तिगत मामला' बन जाता है।



प्रधानमंत्री मोदी ने अमरीकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प के साथ संयुक्त प्रैस वार्ता में गौतम अडानी से जुड़े सवाल पर कहा, 'भारत एक लोकतंत्र है और हमारी संस्कृति 'वसुधैव कुटुंबकम' की है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय से मेरा नाता है।"

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कांग्रेस के पूर्व अध्यक्ष राहुल गांधी ने 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट किया, 'देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला। अमरीका में भी मोदी जी ने अडानी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया।"

उन्होंने आरोप लगाया, 'जब मित्र की जेब भरना मोदी जी के लिए 'राष्ट्र निर्माण' है, तब रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना 'व्यक्तिगत मामला' बन जाता है।"

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राहुल गांधी ने कहा है कि मणिपुर के बदतर हुए हालात के लिए प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी जिम्मेदार हैं और इससे वह बच नहीं सकते इसलिए देर से ही सही लेकिन उन्होंने मणिपुर में राष्ट्रपति शासन लगाने का फैसला किया है।

राहुल ने कहा कि मणिपुर में राष्ट्रपति शासन लागू करना भाजपा द्वारा मणिपुर में शासन करने में उनकी पूर्ण अक्षमता की देर से स्वीकारोक्ति है। अब मोदी मणिपुर के लिए अपनी सीधी जिम्मेदारी से इन्कार नहीं कर सकते।

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Looting the country's wealth becomes a 'personal matter' for the PM abroad: Rahul Gandhi

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ਦੇਸ਼ ਦੀ ਜਾਇਦਾਦ ਨੂੰ ਲੁੱਟਣਾ ਵਿਦੇਸ਼ 'ਚ ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨ ਮੰਤਰੀ ਲਈ 'ਨਿੱਜੀ ਮਾਮਲਾ' ਬਣ ਜਾਂਦੈ : ਰਾਹੁਲ ਗਾਂਧੀ

ਨਵੀਂ ਦਿੱਲੀ, 14 ਫਰਵਰੀ (ਭਾਸ਼ਾ)-ਲੋਕ ਸਭਾ 'ਚ ਵਿਰੋਧੀ ਧਿਰ ਦੇ ਨੇਤਾ ਰਾਹੁਲ ਗਾਂਧੀ ਨੇ ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨ ਮੰਤਰੀ ਨਰਿੰਦਰ ਮੋਦੀ ਵੱਲੋਂ



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ਮੋਦੀ ਨੇ ਕਿਹਾ ਕਿ ਦੋ ਆਗੂਆਂ ਵਿਚਕਾਰ ਗੱਲਬਾਤ ਵਿਚ ਅਜਿਹੇ ਨਿੱਜੀ ਮਾਮਲਿਆਂ 'ਤੇ ਚਰਚਾ ਨਹੀਂ ਕੀਤੀ ਜਾਂਦੀ। ਕਾਂਗਰਸ ਦੇ ਸਾਬਕਾ ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨ ਰਾਹੁਲ ਗਾਂਧੀ ਨੇ 'ਐਕਸ' 'ਤੇ ਪੋਸਟ ਕੀਤਾ ਕਿ ਦੇਸ਼ ਵਿਚ ਸਵਾਲ ਪੁੱਛੋ ਤਾਂ ਚੁੱਪ, ਵਿਦੇਸ਼ ਵਿਚ ਪੁੱਛੋ ਤਾਂ ਨਿੱਜੀ ਮਾਮਲਾ। ਅਮਰੀਕਾ 'ਚ ਵੀ ਮੋਦੀ ਜੀ ਨੇ ਅਡਾਣੀ ਜੀ ਦੇ ਭ੍ਰਿਸ਼ਟਾਚਾਰ 'ਤੇ ਪਰਦਾ ਪਾ ਦਿੱਤਾ। ਉਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਦੋਸ਼ ਲਾਇਆ ਕਿ ਜਦੋਂ ਦੋਸਤ ਦੀ ਜੇਬ ਭਰਨਾ ਮੋਦੀ ਜੀ ਲਈ 'ਰਾਸ਼ਟਰ ਨਿਰਮਾਣ' ਹੈ, ਤਾਂ ਰਿਸ਼ਵਤਖੋਰੀ ਅਤੇ ਦੇਸ਼ ਦੀ ਜਾਇਦਾਦ ਨੂੰ ਲੁੱਟਣਾ ਇਕ 'ਨਿੱਜੀ ਮਾਮਲਾ' ਬਣ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ।

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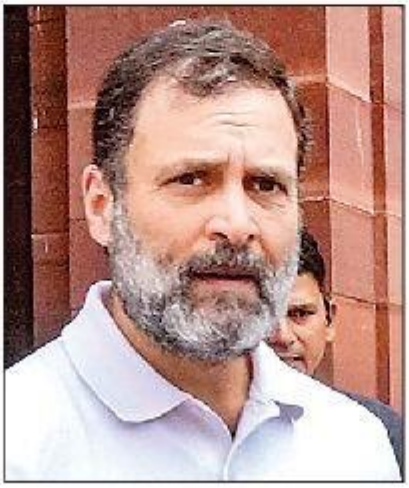
Modi also put curtain Adani's corruption in America: Rahul

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मोदी ने अमरीका में भी अडानी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाला : राहुल

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Trump tariff won't hurt Hindalco's India biz

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'Trump's volley of tariffs will not hurt India business'

Hindalco Industries plans to spend ₹6,000 crore as capex in India in 2024-25 (FY25) and ₹8,000 crore the next year. **SATISH PAI**, the company's managing director, told **Amritha Pillay** in a video interview that he expects Novelis, a subsidiary, to bounce back in the fourth quarter (Q4). Pai said America's announcement of trade tariffs will not have a "negative" impact on Hindalco, and Chinese aluminium imports to India are no longer cheaper. Edited excerpts:

In your Q3 performance, India operations helped offset the weakness seen for Novelis. Do you expect this trend to prevail?

In Q4, Novelis will bounce back. Both India and Novelis should do well and it should be a good quarter. Q3 for Novelis is a seasonally low quarter because of maintenance during the holiday season. This was compounded by the scrap spreads tightening. But the volumes will come back in Q4. With LME (London Metal Exchange) still holding, India operations should be good in Q4 as well.

Q&A

SATISH PAI
MD, Hindalco Industries

With the US imposing tariffs on aluminium, what is the outlook for the two markets you have a presence in: India and US?

(US President Donald) Trump tariff: There is no negative for our India business because we do not export anything to the US. We are not impacted. Well, it is neutral to positive for what is happening in the US (for Novelis) as the scrap benefit will go up when the Midwest (premiums) goes up.

There are concerns that the US tariffs could mean exports meant for that country will be diverted. What will be the likely impact for your other export markets?

The primary aluminium that the US uses – 90 per cent – comes from one country: Canada. It is not that there is a lot of aluminium from many different parts of the world going there. I do not expect worldwide aluminium prices to get impacted. Regional premiums may get impacted, but there is not going to be a huge directional flow because every country has got 25 per cent.

You had flagged concerns about Chinese aluminium imports. Do you still see those concerns?

No. What China has done, which is more important than this Trump tariff, is that they have taken away that 13 per cent VAT rebate. For China to import into India, the prices have gone up. China, probably to protect itself under US tariffs, has been removing its subsidies. With this 13 per cent rebate going away, it makes it more expensive for China to export aluminium now. They should not be able to dump in India at very low prices.



Any update on plans for Novelis to have an initial public offering (IPO)?

For us now, we have to get Novelis' profitability back to $500 per tonne. We have to finish the Bay Minette project that is to be commissioned in September of 2026. Until those two happen, the IPO is not a priority right now. At least for another year, we are not going to think about it.

There is a considerable rise in your debt numbers from a year ago. Do we expect any changes there?

Novelis needs to get more debt to fund the payment. Novelis did a $750 million bond offering in January and probably in the latter half of FY26 they'll do another $750 million. On the India side, we are net cash positive.

For your India copper operations, two big conglomerates, Adani and JSW, are now competitors. What is Hindalco's strategy?

Competition is coming in and that is okay. The way we look at it is that we are going more and more into copper downstream. Just like we did in aluminium. We will keep our differentiation on having an upstream and a downstream. If the upstream comes under pressure, the downstream will help. The integrated business model is the way we will differentiate ourselves.

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AIM TO DOUBLE BILATERAL TRADE TO $500 BN BY 2030

MPOST BUREAU

WASHINGTON: India and the U.S. relationship was re-energised on Friday with a summit between Prime Minister Narendra Modi and President Donald Trump yielding a range of benefits including US sale of oil, gas and F-35 fighter aircraft to India, a possible mega trade deal and the immediate extradition of 26/11 Mumbai terror attack accused Tahawwur Rana.

Trump said after talks with Modi that India will buy more oil, gas and military hardware from America to bring down the trade deficit while asserting that Washington will not spare New Delhi from reciprocal tariffs.

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"We missed you. We missed you a lot," Trump said as he greeted Modi.

The elaborate welcome allayed the trepidation and put to rest the uncertainty that had clouded bilateral relationship after Trump took office last month for the second time and unleashed a series of executive orders that have upended the global economic and diplomatic order.



Prime Minister Narendra Modi during a meeting with US President Donald Trump at the White House, in Washington, DC, USA PTI

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Yet, Modi's visit went off without any hiccups and in fact produced rich dividends. The only fly in the ointment was Trump's announcement a day before the summit that he would impose reciprocal tariffs on countries that do the same with American goods.

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India is among those countries Trump is targeting, and he did not mince his words when talking about reciprocal tariffs against India during a 44-minute joint news conference with Modi.

"Whatever India charges, we will charge them," Trump said. "We are being reciprocal with India."

He said both sides are looking at striking a major trade deal soon while calling import duties imposed by India on certain US products "very unfair" and "strong".

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PM Modi said: "We have set a target of more than doubling bilateral trade to 500 billion dollars by 2030. Our teams will work on an early conclusion of a mutually beneficial Trade Agreement. We will strengthen the oil and gas trade to ensure India's energy security. Investment in energy infrastructure will also increase. In the nuclear energy sector, we also talked about increasing cooperation in the direction of Small Modular Reactors."

On defence, he said that America has an important role in India's defence preparedness. As strategic and trusted partners, the two sides are actively moving in the direction of joint development, joint production and transfer of technology.

"In the coming time, new technology and equipment will increase our capability. We have decided to launch the Autonomous Systems Industry Alliance. The Defence Cooperation Framework will be created for the next decade. Defence interoperability, logistics, repair and maintenance will also be its main parts," he said.

PM Modi announced that the two countries will work together in Artificial Intelligence, Semiconductors, Quantum, Biotechnology, and other technologies.

He said the partnership between India and the U.S. underpins democracy and democratic values and systems. "We will work together to enhance peace, stability and prosperity in the Indo-Pacific. The Quad will have a special role to play in this. In the Quad Summit to be held in India this year, we will increase cooperation with partner countries in new areas. Under the "IMEC" and "I2U2" initiative, we will work together on economic corridors and connectivity infrastructure," he said.

PM Modi said the two sides agreed that concerted action is necessary to eradicate cross-border terrorism. "I am thankful to the President that he has decided to hand over the culprit who committed the killings in India in 2008, to India now. Indian courts will now take appropriate action," he informed.

On people-to-people ties, he said the Indian community in America is an important link in our relationship and added that India will soon open new Indian consulates in Los Angeles and Boston."We have invited American universities and educational institutions to open off-shore campuses in India," he said.

In a post on X, the prime minister said the "excellent" meeting will add "significant momentum to the India-USA friendship". Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri said it was a "very substantive and very productive" visit.

In his remarks, Trump said he and PM Modi have reached an agreement that could potentially make the US the "number one supplier" of oil and gas to India, suggesting it was part of measures to bring down the US trade deficit with India that stands at around USD 50 billion.

"Starting this year, we will be increasing military sales to India by many billions of dollars," Trump said.

"We are also paving the way to ultimately provide India with F-35 stealth fighters," he added. The F35 jets are known as the most lethal, survivable and connected fighter aircraft in the world.

Trump also announced that India and the US will work together like "never before" to confront the threat of radical Islamic terror across the world.

"I am pleased to announce that my administration has approved the extradition of one of the very evil people of the world," he said, referring to 26/11 Mumbai attack accused Tahawwur Rana to India.

"He is going to be going back to India to face justice," Trump said. "We're giving him back to India immediately and more such extraditions could follow as we have quite a few requests (from New Delhi)," he added.

The US president also noted positive momentum in India-US cooperation in the civil-nuclear energy sector. "In the ground-breaking development for the US nuclear industry, India is also reforming laws to welcome US nuclear technology to the Indian market," he said.

In his remarks, Prime Minister Modi said cooperation between India and the US can shape a better world.

A defence cooperation framework will be prepared for the next decade, he said. "One thing that I deeply appreciate, and I learn from President Trump, is that he keeps the national interest (of the US) supreme. Like him, I also keep the national interest of India at the top of everything else," Modi said.

To a question on whether the issue relating to business tycoon Gautam Adani figured in the talks, Modi said, "India is a democracy and our culture is 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine."

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On ties between India and China following the eastern Ladakh border row, Trump said, "I do see the skirmishes on the border which are quite vicious... If I could be of help."

The US president said he wished China, India, Russia and the US -- all could get along well. Prime Minister Modi and President Trump also answered questions on the Russia-Ukraine conflict.

"I support Donald Trump's efforts towards finding a possible solution to end the war. The world somehow feels India has been neutral during the war. But I would like to reiterate that India has not been neutral. In fact, India has been on the side of peace," Modi said.

"When I met President Putin, I had even said that this is not the era for war. I had also said that solutions cannot be found on the battlefield. They can only come when all parties sit at the table for dialogue," he said. On the ambitious India-Middle East-Europe Economic Corridor, Trump said both sides agreed to work to help build one of "greatest trade routes" in history globally. WITH AGENCY INPUTS

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Mumbai: The benchmark Sensex slipped nearly 200 points and extended its losing run for the eighth consecutive session as a combination of poor corporate earnings and US President Donald Trump's tariff threat spooked investors.

As a result of the risk-off behaviour, the 30-share gauge settled lower 199.76 points at 75939.21. During intra-day trades, it plummeted 699.33 points to 75439.64. At the NSE, the Nifty declined 102.15 points to 22929.25.

In these eight sessions, the Sensex has crashed 2644.6 points or 3.36 per cent while the Nifty saw cuts of 810 points.

Brokers said that while foreign portfolio investors (FPIs) have been persistent sellers, investor sentiment has been hit by the continuous loss in stock values, and Trump's tariff threats which have led to the fears of a global trade war.

Further, corporate earnings for the third quarter ended December 31, 2024 have been tepid, thereby leading to valuation concerns.

Provisional data showed FPIs selling stocks worth ₹4,295 crore in Friday even as domestic institutions were net buyers to the tune of ₹ 4,364 crore.

So far in this calendar year, the FPIs have offloaded stocks valued at nearly $11.50 billion. In January alone, their sales were at over $9 billion.

"The risk-averse sentiment continues to rule investors' minds as corporate earnings are significantly lower than the market expectations during the start of the year, especially for mid- and small-caps," Vinod Nair, head of research, Geojit Financial Services, said.

"Muted earnings trend, INR depreciation along with external factors like tariffs are expected to keep the sentiments weak in the near term, which could further push FPIs outflows," Vinod Nair, head of research, Geojit Financial Services, said.

Adani Ports was the largest loser in the Sensex pack on Friday with its shares falling over 4 per cent.

The picture was better in the forex markets where the rupee ended with gains against the dollar.

The domestic unit settled at 86.82 against its previous close of 86.89. The rupee has gained from an historic low of 87.95 on Monday due to heavy intervention from the Reserve Bank of India (RBI).

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The much-anticipated meeting of Prime Minister Narendra Modi with US President Donald Trump took place on Thursday, February 13. He was the fourth global leader to engage the new US President, who in his first three weeks has issued a flurry of executive orders. He was delivering on election promises and implementing the far-right Agenda 2025. The visit was crucial for renewing contact with Mr Trump and his new team, and to ensure that his undermining of existing norms, systems and institutions, at home and abroad, did not hamper relations with India.

On the very eve of his meeting with Mr Modi, President Trump signed an executive order imposing "reciprocal tariffs" that would be applicable across the world. Later at a post-meeting press conference, he called it the "easy way" to deal with the US trade imbalances with major nations. India, with a trade imbalance of $45.7 billion, is at number seven amongst nations with a trade surplus. But "reciprocal" may not be practicable as, for instance, India exports $1 billion worth of aluminium to the US and now faces spiked tariffs. But India does not need to import it from the US.

Despite the inauspicious beginning, India shrewdly adopted a Trump appeasement policy. India's foreign secretary Vikram Misri, who briefed the media about the meeting, signalled that India came prepared to address President Trump's oft-voiced concerns regarding imbalanced trade and illegal immigration. But India also wanted to renew Mr Modi's personal relationship with President Trump, ignored during Joe Biden's presidency.

Mr Misri shared the pathway forward. First, to grant Mr Trump a "win", India agreed that the first phase of a trade agreement shall be finalised by "fall", or in about seven months. The aim is to double bilateral trade to $500 billion by 2030. However, despite several media queries, it is unclear whether the reciprocal tariffs stand deferred in the interim period or if Mr Trump wants them as a hanging sword.

The other areas listed by Mr Misri for cooperation have been on the bilateral agenda over the last decade, with progressive deepening of engagement. Defence co-operation stands out, as India has gradually shifted to procuring American platforms after decades of dependence on Russia. A new ten-year framework, 2025-35, has been adopted, emphasising co-production. A defence procurement agreement is also imminent. Other areas for cooperation are autonomous systems, critical and emerging technologies, space and energy. The last covers both increased buying by India of oil and gas, to partly address the trade imbalance, and civil nuclear energy, especially the development of small modular reactors. India had already tweaked its domestic law, reducing the civil liability of foreign suppliers. The strict procedure had been introduced due to the 1984 Bhopal gas disaster involving America's Union Carbide.

Some other areas for collaboration are scientific research, a strategic minerals initiative, cooperation in higher education, etc. But hovering over all of them is the shadow of "Make America Great Again" (MAGA), with its evangelical Christian and racial undertones. There are also contradictions amidst Mr Trump's close associates. If technology billionaires from Silicon Valley favour H-1B visas for recruiting global talent, the MAGA supporters xenophobically oppose it. Mr Modi shrewdly took President Trump back to the happy memories of "Howdy Modi" and "Namaste Trump" public theatre. But the Indian diaspora's mood may turn sullen if the crusade against aliens includes legal entrants with their path to permanent residency blocked.

Foreign secretary Vikram Misri said the visit was "substantive and productive". President Trump announcing that the extradition of Tahawwur Rana, a Pakistani national involved in the 26/11 terror attacks in Mumbai, stands cleared indicated close counter-terrorism co-operation, even over Pakistani objections. But repeated queries by many Indian journalists about the activities of elements threatening Indian sovereignty and territorial integrity, had Mr Trump respond with generalities, ignoring the phrase "Khalistanis". Similarly, the Gautam Adani prosecution and the case involving the attempted murder of Gurpatwant Singh Pannun, allegedly by Indian agents, were side-stepped by both leaders.

Two international issues elicited interesting responses. When Indian journalists enquired if the China threat motivated India-US engagement, President Trump sidestepped and emphasised the importance of China for resolving many issues, including Ukraine. On Ukraine, Mr Modi said India was not neutral, just pro-peace. He added that repeatedly he advocated dialogue and diplomacy to resolve the issue without hostilities. Mr Modi also deftly backed Mr Trump's self-appointed role as peacemaker, although Europeans worried that the US President appeared partial to Russia.

On illegal immigration, once again Mr Modi chose cooperation rather than confrontation. While empathising with the misguided Indians adopting the "donkey" route illegal entry into the US, he said the real issue is the ecosystem facilitating the illegal human trafficking networks in the US and abroad.

However, the avoidance of deportation without shackling and handcuffing was not publicly discussed. Because of the huge Indian backlash, following the deportation via a US military aircraft that landed at Amritsar, the Indian delegation must have raised the Colombian solution. Colombia uses its own civilian aircraft to fly back citizens facing deportation.

All told, Indian diplomats and Prime Minister Modi handled the first engagement with Trump 2.0 well. Gentle flattery and non-confrontational addressing of issues currently dominating Mr Trump's agenda, besides isolating core areas of engagement from those irritants, was temporarily successful. It was also sensible to show the convergence between Mr Trump's approach to Israel, Gaza and West Asia and the India Middle East Europe Corridor (IMEC) and I2U2, finalised during the Biden presidency. But these ideas require normalcy in West Asia and a solution to the Gaza quagmire. Mr Trump's proposed mass relocation of two million Palestinians from Gaza has been generally rejected.

Similarly, his ambitious dispute resolution in Ukraine may or may not succeed. Europeans are waiting and watching as Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy fights American pressure of threatened withdrawal of military and economic assistance. Mr Trump has an exaggerated belief in his negotiating skills. His outreach to North Korea flopped badly during his first term.

However, India has shrewdly bought time to readjust its overprotective tariffs on imports. Meanwhile, India-US engagement across a wide swathe of areas will resume uninterrupted. Yet, tremors in one region and weakened rule of law globally makes an interconnected world more dangerous and prone to sudden jolts. Donald Trump can be a force for change or chaos. The BJP would be sensible to seek tolerant governance at home and a friendly outreach in the neighbourhood. As the famous saying goes: "Trust, but verify".

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The US President conveyed that the friction witnessed in India-US ties during the tenure of his predecessor Joe Biden, especially on the issue of the alleged plot to murder a Khalistani separatist leader, was a thing of the past. Trump didn't dismiss the possibility that USAID might have interfered with the 2020 US Presidential and 2024 Lok Sabha elections. But the highlight of the Trump-Modi meeting, and the subsequent press conference, was their spirited personal rapport, and evidence of the two leaders having seamlessly picked up the threads of the friendship they had struck during the US President's previous term (2016-20).

At the press briefing, in his opening statement, the PM said: "If I say in the language of America, developed India means Make India Great Again, i.e. "MIGA". When the United States and India work together, i.e. "MAGA" plus "MIGA", the "MEGA" Partnership for prosperity is formed. And this mega spirit gives new scale and scope to our goals."

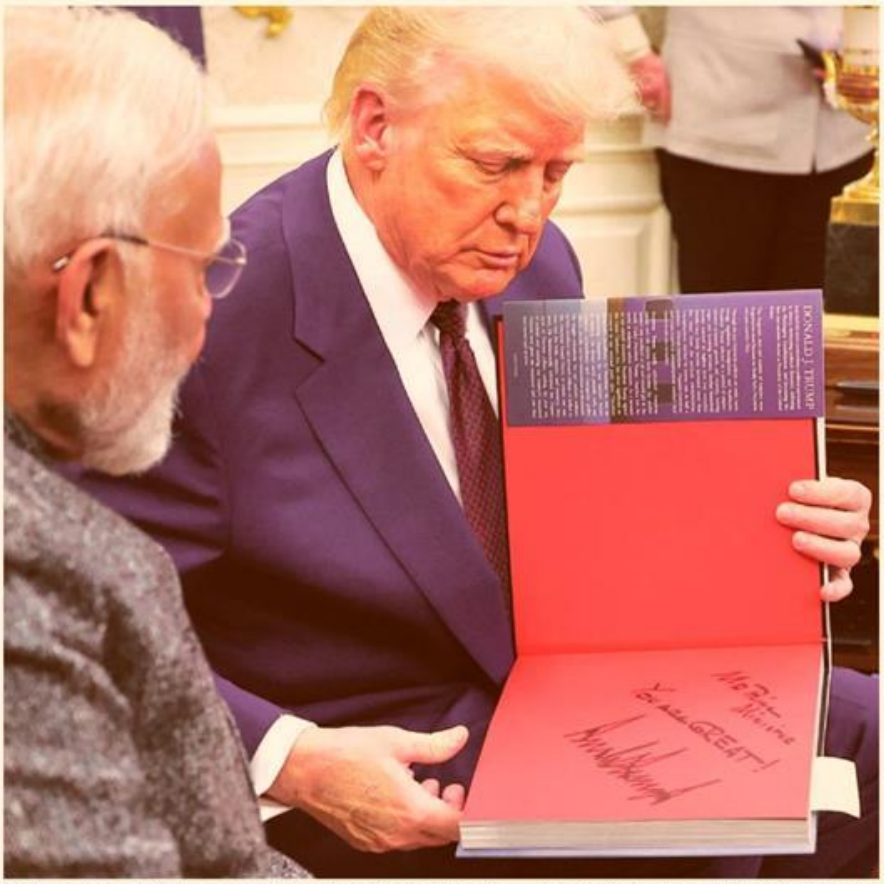
The joint statement, issued after the talks, spoke of the two sides committing to deepen their cooperation in the energy sector, counter-terrorism, defence, nuclear energy, sharing of technology, their synergy in the Indo-Pacific region and West Asia, and the centrality of Quad with India hosting the summit this year. Trump and Modi also committed "to break new ground to support and sustain the overseas deployments of the US and Indian militaries in the Indo-Pacific". It said India will "soon" open new consulates in Los Angeles and Boston. It also had enough to suggest that the Trump administration has heeded New Delhi's concerns on legal and illegal immigration. With the next batch of 119 Indian deportees set to land in Amritsar over the weekend, the Indian side returned home confident that these women and men will be treated better.

On legal immigration, the two sides agreed to put in place "innovative, mutually advantageous and secure mobility frameworks". Modi and Trump committed to streamlining avenues for legal mobility of students and professionals, and facilitating short-term tourist and business travel. The two sides said they will "aggressively" address illegal immigration and human trafficking by taking action against bad actors, criminal facilitators, and illegal immigration networks. For this, both committed themselves to strengthen law enforcement cooperation.

The two sides noted that the over 300,000-strong Indian student community contributes over $8 billion annually to the US economy and helped create a number of direct and indirect jobs. They recognised that the talent flow and movement of students, researchers and employees, has mutually benefited both countries. The two sides said they will work to strengthen collaborations between the higher education institutions through efforts such as joint/dual degree and twinning programs, establishing joint Centres of Excellence, and setting up offshore campuses of premier educational institutions of the US in India.

Terrorism

On terrorism, Trump expressed his understanding of and support for India's fight against the menace. "We are going to have a fantastic relationship and it will make both countries much stronger," he said of the two countries combating ISIS, and other terror groups together. The US announced that the extradition to India of Tahawwur Rana has been approved. The leaders called on Pakistan to expeditiously bring to justice the perpetrators of the 26/11 Mumbai and Pathankot attacks, and ensure that its territory is not used to carry out cross-border terrorism.



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Personal chemistry

Modi is among the first few world leaders to visit the US after Trump assumed office for his second term. The US President presented Modi a book, "Our Journey Together", where he wrote: "Mr Prime Minister, You Are Great". "We spent a lot of time here, and a lot of time in India... Prime Minister, it's a pleasure to extend to you the same hospitality that you showed Melania (Trump) and myself when we travelled to your beautiful country five years ago," the President said, alluding to his India visit in 2020. Trump described the PM as "a very special man". "I think our relationship is the best it has ever been between two leaders of the two countries," he said. Trump said, "Everybody talks about him (Modi). He's doing a really fantastic job. He's a great leader."

On allegations levelled against Indian agencies related to the alleged plot to murder Khalistani separatist leader Gurpatwant Singh Pannun, Trump said, "I don't think India had a very good relationship with the (Joe) Biden administration. A lot of things happened that were not very appropriate between India and the Biden administration."

Modi told Trump that he is grateful to the US President for the latter's great friendship and strong commitment towards India. On India-US negotiations on tariffs, Trump said of Modi, "He is a much tougher negotiator than me, and he is a much better negotiator. There's not even a contest." After the meeting, Modi said there was satisfaction of the two having achieved so much together during Trump's first term and the trust built then acted as a bridge during their discussions on Friday. Officials said despite Trump's hawkish stand on tariffs, he displayed a "softer" side for India by noting that it is alone not responsible for the trade practices which he believes harm the US business.

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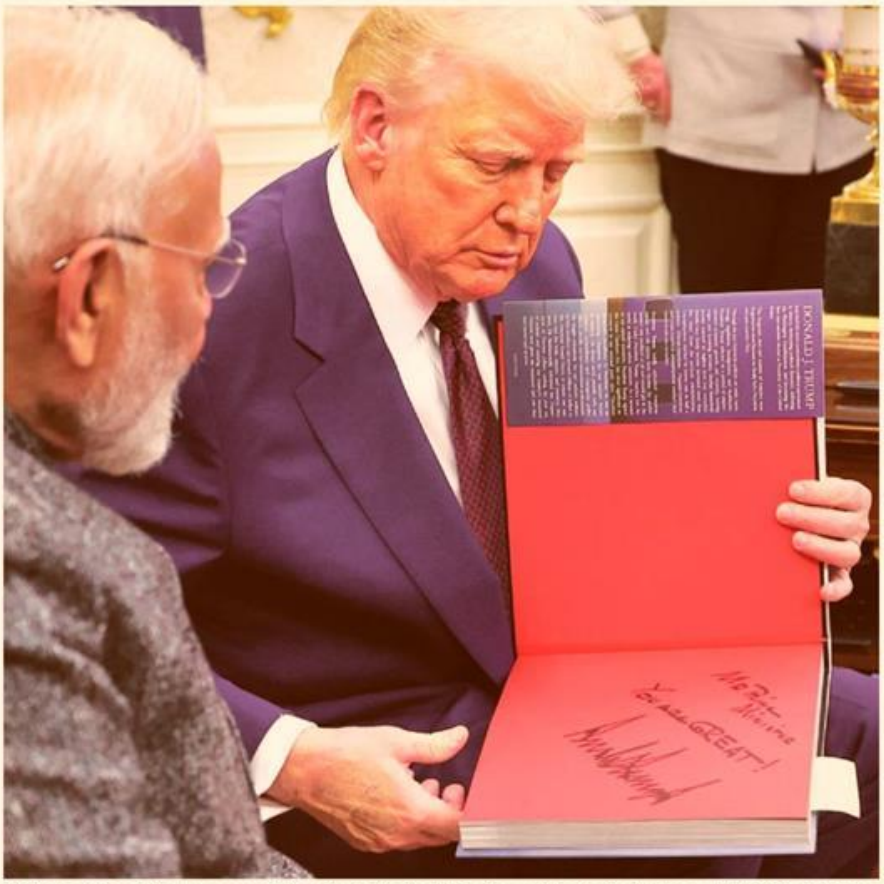
The joint statement, issued after the talks, spoke of the two sides committing to deepen their cooperation in the energy sector, counter-terrorism, defence, nuclear energy, sharing of technology, their synergy in the Indo-Pacific region and West Asia, and the centrality of Quad with India hosting the summit this year. Trump and Modi also committed "to break new ground to support and sustain the overseas deployments of the US and Indian militaries in the Indo-Pacific". It said India will "soon" open new consulates in Los Angeles and Boston. It also had enough to suggest that the Trump administration has heeded New Delhi's concerns on legal and illegal immigration. With the next batch of 119 Indian deportees set to land in Amritsar over the weekend, the Indian side returned home confident that these women and men will be treated better.

On legal immigration, the two sides agreed to put in place "innovative, mutually advantageous and secure mobility frameworks". Modi and Trump committed to streamlining avenues for legal mobility of students and professionals, and facilitating short-term tourist and business travel. The two sides said they will "aggressively" address illegal immigration and human trafficking by taking action against bad actors, criminal facilitators, and illegal immigration networks. For this, both committed themselves to strengthen law enforcement cooperation.

The two sides noted that the over 300,000-strong Indian student community contributes over $8 billion annually to the US economy and helped create a number of direct and indirect jobs. They recognised that the talent flow and movement of students, researchers and employees, has mutually benefited both countries. The two sides said they will work to strengthen collaborations between the higher education institutions through efforts such as joint/dual degree and twinning programs, establishing joint Centres of Excellence, and setting up offshore campuses of premier educational institutions of the US in India.

Terrorism

On terrorism, Trump expressed his understanding of and support for India's fight against the menace. "We are going to have a fantastic relationship and it will make both countries much stronger," he said of the two countries combating ISIS, and other terror groups together. The US announced that the extradition to India of Tahawwur Rana has been approved. The leaders called on Pakistan to expeditiously bring to justice the perpetrators of the 26/11 Mumbai and Pathankot attacks, and ensure that its territory is not used to carry out cross-border terrorism.



US President Donald Trump presented Narendra Modi a book, 'Our Journey Together', where he wrote: "Mr Prime Minister, you are great" PHOTO: PTI

Personal chemistry

Modi is among the first few world leaders to visit the US after Trump assumed office for his second term. The US President presented Modi a book, "Our Journey Together", where he wrote: "Mr Prime Minister, You Are Great". "We spent a lot of time here, and a lot of time in India... Prime Minister, it's a pleasure to extend to you the same hospitality that you showed Melania (Trump) and myself when we travelled to your beautiful country five years ago," the President said, alluding to his India visit in 2020. Trump described the PM as "a very special man". "I think our relationship is the best it has ever been between two leaders of the two countries," he said. Trump said, "Everybody talks about him (Modi). He's doing a really fantastic job. He's a great leader."

On allegations levelled against Indian agencies related to the alleged plot to murder Khalistani separatist leader Gurpatwant Singh Pannun, Trump said, "I don't think India had a very good relationship with the (Joe) Biden administration. A lot of things happened that were not very appropriate between India and the Biden administration."

Modi told Trump that he is grateful to the US President for the latter's great friendship and strong commitment towards India. On India-US negotiations on tariffs, Trump said of Modi, "He is a much tougher negotiator than me, and he is a much better negotiator. There's not even a contest." After the meeting, Modi said there was satisfaction of the two having achieved so much together during Trump's first term and the trust built then acted as a bridge during their discussions on Friday. Officials said despite Trump's hawkish stand on tariffs, he displayed a "softer" side for India by noting that it is alone not responsible for the trade practices which he believes harm the US business.

To a question on whether the issue relating to business tycoon Gautam Adani figured in the talks, Modi said, "India is a democracy and our culture is *Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam*. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine." "Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," he added.

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Leaders do not discuss personal matters: Modi on Adani issue

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Leaders do not discuss personal matters: Modi on Adani issue

Sriram Lakshman
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Prime Minister Narendra Modi suggested that he had not discussed with U.S. President Donald Trump, the U.S. charges against billionaire industrialist Gautam Adani, who is perceived as close to Mr. Modi. The Prime Minister said that such personal issues were not raised when world leaders met.

"Every Indian is family to me. The other thing is, the leaders of countries do not meet to discuss such personal matters," Mr. Modi said, animatedly.

Thursday's joint press conference, where the question was asked of Mr. Modi, is the second time the Prime Minister, who is perceived to keep away from unscripted interviews, has participated at a press conference at the White House (the first time was in 2023 at a joint press appearance with former U.S. President Joe Biden).

On Tuesday, Mr. Trump had paused the Foreign Practices Corruption Act, 1976 for six months. The law prohibits a U.S. company or person bribing foreign governments, political parties and others to secure business.

In November last year, the U.S. announced charges against associates of Mr. Adani for conspiracy to violate this law and Mr. Adani was also charged, but on other counts. The case pertains to an alleged bribery scheme involving more than $250 million between 2020 and 2024. Mr. Trump's suspension of the law may mean a reprieve for Mr. Adani and his associates.

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Oppn accuses PM of covering up Adani issue during US visit

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SHEMIN JOY
NEW DELHI, DHNS

The Opposition on Friday targeted Narendra Modi over the Adani issue, with top Congress leader Rahul Gandhi accusing the prime minister of trying to 'cover up' the industrialist's alleged corruption, even in the United States.

In a post on social media, Rahul said the PM maintained silence when questioned in India while calling everything a 'personal matter' when asked abroad.

"If you ask questions in the country, there is silence, if you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi-ji covered up Adani-ji's corruption!" Rahul said.

His response came as Modi said during a joint press conference with US President Donald Trump in Washington that such issues were not discussed when the two leaders met.

The AAP said in a post on X (formerly Twitter), "Prime Minister Narendra Modi showed his friendship with Adani in America...It is extremely reprehensible and shameful that the Prime Minister has termed Adani's misdeed of looting the country's wealth and distributing bribes as a personal matter."

Referring to Modi's assertion on the "MEGA Partnership for Prosperity" with the US, Congress General Secretary (Communications) Jairam Ramesh said Modi liked to "display his knowledge of algebraic equations acquired through his training in entire political science".

Modi said, "if I say in the language of America, developed India (Vikshit Bharat) means Make India Great Again, i.e. 'MIGA'. When the US and India work together, i.e. 'MAGA' (Trump's slogan Make America Great Again) plus 'MIGA', the 'MEGA' Partnership for prosperity is formed. And this mega spirit gives new scale and scope to our goals."

Citing Sri Lankan officials' testimony in their Parliament on Adani Group projects, Congress Communications Department's research and monitoring in-charge Amitabh Dubey said: "If the PM looks visibly uncomfortable while claiming that world leaders don't discuss personal matters such as Adani, it may be because he has done exactly that" with Trump.

Dubey said Modi had "never hesitated in promoting his cronies' financial interests" with foreign leaders, and now that political survival required him to distance himself from them, he had "rediscovered these high principles".

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PM blunts question on Adani

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WASHINGTON

Prime Minister Narendra Modi made a sharp retort to a question on whether the Adani Group case featured in the discussions between him and US President Donald Trump and said two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues"

"India is a democracy and our culture is 'Vasudhaiva Kutum-

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PM blunts question

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bakam', we consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine. Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," he said. He was asked if the "Gautam Adani case" was discussed in the meeting with Donald Trump.

PM Modi had bilateral discussions with President Trump during "a very substantive and productive visit" to the United States. It was the Prime Minister's first visit to the United States after the inauguration of President Trump for a second term. The discussions at the White House went on for four hours. The discussions covered a lot of ground, and the entire gamut of the relationship, apart from regional and global issues of concern, were discussed.

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PM's 'silence' on Adani draws Oppn ire

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PM's 'silence' on Adani draws Oppn ire

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NEW DELHI: The opposition Congress on Friday launched an attack on Prime Minister Narendra Modi for "covering up" alleged corruption by businessman Gautam Adani during a press briefing at the White House where he termed the charges against the industrialist a "personal matter".

Leading the charge for the party, leader of opposition in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi accused the PM of maintaining silence when questions are asked in the country and terming it a personal matter when asked abroad.

"If you ask questions in the country, there is silence, if you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption!" Gandhi said in a post on X. "When filling a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modiji, then taking bribes and looting the nation's wealth becomes a 'personal matter'," Gandhi said in the post in Hindi.

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The comments came hours after the PM concluded his bilateral meeting with US President Donald Trump during the second leg of his foreign trip.

On questions about the charges against Adani, the PM said, "Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such personal issues," he said. President Trump did not mention the case during the briefing.

Congress leader Jairam Ramesh also reacted, asking, "Since when has corruption become a personal matter?"

The Aam Aadmi Party (AAP) also condemned Modi's remarks saying, "Prime Minister Narendra Modi showed his friendship with Adani in America... It is highly condemnable and shameful that the Prime Minister described Adani's acts of looting the country's assets and distributing bribes as a private matter."

Trinamool Congress (TMC) MP Sagarika Ghose said, "An American journalist asks what Indian journalists are too terrified to ask."

The US Department of Justice indictment has alleged that between 2020 and 2024, Adani executives collaborated with those from another company, Azure Power, to pay bribes to Indian government officials in five states to obtain solar energy supply contracts projected to generate more than $2 billion in profits over 20 years.

The Adani Group has strongly denied the allegations as "baseless" and vowed to "seek all possible legal recourse."

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Private matters' like Adani not discussed with US President: Modi

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'Private matters' like Adani not discussed with US President: Modi

NEW DELHI, DHNS: The indictment of billionaire industrialist Gautam Adani in a US court is a "private matter", Prime Minister Narendra Modi said after meeting American President Donald Trump at the White House.

He also said that the leaders of the two nations would not meet to discuss such "private matters".

Modi made these comments when a journalist asked if the issue of Adani's indictment came up during their meeting.

"Firstly, India is a democratic country, and our culture and philosophy are based on the concept of Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam, which means we consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine," Modi said, apparently reacting to the journalist's characterisation of Adani as an ally of the prime minister.

"Secondly, the leaders of the two nations never meet, sit or talk about such private matters," he added.

Gautam Adani and his nephew Sagar Adani were indicted in a US federal court in November 2024 for allegedly conspiring to commit securities and wire fraud, as well as substantive securities fraud, for their roles in a multi-billion-dollar scheme to obtain funds from American investors and global financial institutions based on false and misleading statements.



Prime Minister Narendra Modi with US President Donald Trump during a meeting at the White House in Washington DC. PTI

US prosecutors alleged that Gautam and Sagar Adani agreed to pay over $250 million in bribes to Indian government officials to secure lucrative solar energy supply contracts.

The legal proceedings by the American Department of Justice against the Adani Group provided new ammunition for the Opposition parties to attack the BJP-led government at the Centre, both inside and outside Parliament.

Earlier, the Ministry of External Affairs stated that Adani's indictment was a "legal matter" involving private firms, private individuals and the US Department of Justice.

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US gets tough on tariffs: Modi, Trump vow $500bn trade by 2030; elevate defence ties

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■ High India tariffs will face reciprocal levies, says Prez

■ US offers F-35 jet, Stryker, Javelin; to sell more oil, gas

■ US Prez calls PM 'tougher negotiator' & 'great friend'

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Trump invited to visit India for 2025 Quad meet

SRIDHAR KUMARASWAMI
NEW DELHI, FEB. 14

After holding extensive four hour-long talks with Prime Minister Narendra Modi at the White House in the early hours of Friday (Indian time) and hailing him as a "very special man", a "great friend" and a "better and tougher negotiator", US President Donald Trump announced his intention to increase military sales to India by billions of dollars, including the sale of the new F-35 Stealth fighter aircraft. With an obvious eye on China, both leaders "pledged to elevate military cooperation across all domains — air, land, sea, space, and cyberspace".

Seeking to assuage US concerns over high Indian tariffs, Mr Modi and President Trump also "set a bold new goal for bilateral trade — Mission 500 — to double total bilateral trade to $500 billion by 2030" and also announced plans to negotiate "a mutually beneficial, multi-sector bilateral trade agreement (BTA)" by autumn this year. Both nations also decided to increase energy trade "to establish the United States as a leading supplier of crude oil and petroleum products and liquified natural gas to India". President Trump said the two countries were going to have a "fantastic relationship" that would make both stronger.

In his remarks at a joint press conference, Mr Modi said that President Trump's Make America Great Again (MAGA) plan and India's "Viksit Bharat" (Developed India) 2047 plan, which he said would "Make India Great Again" (MIGA) would together result in a "mega partnership and prosperity" between the two nations of a "new scale and scope". Mr Modi said the US has an "important role in India's defence preparedness including "joint design, joint manufacture and transfer of technology (ToT) as a strategic and trusted partner" of New Delhi. Footage of the meeting showed both leaders warmly embracing each other and fondly recalling their previous in-person interactions.

At a special MEA briefing later, foreign secretary Vikram Misri said the two nations had envisaged a new 10 year-framework for a major defence bilateral partnership from 2025-35 that is expected to be finalised later this year. A joint statement released mentioned that the two leaders "announced plans this year to pursue new procurements and co-production arrangements for Javelin anti-tank guided missiles and Stryker infantry combat vehicles in India to rapidly meet India's defence requirements. They "also expect completion of procurement for six additional P-8I maritime patrol aircraft to enhance India's maritime surveillance reach in the Indian Ocean Region following agreement on sale terms". The foreign secretary said the two nations have launched an "Autonomous Systems Industry Alliance" on the "next generation of defence collaboration" and "underwater domain awareness".



Prime Minister Narendra Modi being greeted by US President Donald Trump at the White House in Washington on Friday. Below: The message written by Mr Trump in a book which he presented to Mr Modi. — *PTI*



INDIA AND the US have agreed to strengthen collaborations between their higher education institutions, facilitate study abroad and explore opportunities for setting up campuses of premier American colleges in India

But doing some tough talking at the joint press conference, the US President announced that under his new policy, reciprocal tariffs will be levied on all countries, including India, that would be of the exact quantum that other nations levied on the US. Demanding a "level playing field", the US President said India "been just about the highest tariff nation anywhere in the world" with the levy on US goods ranging from 30 to 70 per cent tariff, but that now it does not matter how much India levies because the US would take the "easy way" out and "reciprocate" with equal

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Modi, Trump vow $500bn trade by 2030

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level of tariffs on India. "They (India) have been very strong on tariffs. I don't necessarily blame them. It's just a different way of doing business," he said. President Trump also said the trade deficit imbalance with India that is nearly $100 billion will be addressed through measures like the sale of oil and gas to New Delhi, and hoped the US can become India's "number one oil and gas supplier". Speaking of the need for "greater fairness and reciprocity" in bilateral trade, President Trump appreciated that "in a signal of good faith", Mr Modi had recently announced reduction of India's unfair and very strong tariffs that limit access to US goods in the Indian market. President Trump pointed out how India levies a 70 per cent tariff on US-made cars that makes it very difficult to sell these cars in the Indian market. "We are a reciprocal nation. Whatever India charges, we (will) charge them," he added.

But the joint statement on this score was more positive in its tone and tenor. It said: "The leaders welcomed early steps to demonstrate mutual commitment to address bilateral trade barriers. The United States welcomed India's recent measures to lower tariffs on US products of interest in the areas of bourbon, motorcycles, ICT products and metals, as well as measures to enhance market access for US agricultural products, like alfalfa hay and duck meat, and medical devices. India also expressed appreciation for US measures taken to enhance exports of Indian mangoes and pomegranates to the United States."

On illegal immigration, Mr Modi batted for destruction of the human trafficking ecosystem that lures and misleads people in India to unlawfully enter other countries. He said India had always been ready to take back its nationals who were illegal immigrants abroad provided their nationality is first verified to be Indian. "India and the US will destroy this (human trafficking) ecosystem," he vowed. Mr Modi also reiterated his earlier announcement made initially last year that India would open two new consulates in Los Angeles and Boston.

Mr Trump, meanwhile, also announced that both nations would "reinvigorate" the four-nation Quad for peace and tranquillity in the Indo-Pacific. Mr Modi invited President Trump to visit India on the occasion of the Quad summit that will be hosted by India later this year. On connectivity, Mr Trump spoke about the India Middle East Europe Corridor (IMEC), which he said would connect countries including India, Israel, Italy and the United States through a series of ports and underwater cables. The US President also mentioned the civil nuclear energy cooperation between the two nations, including building of US-designed nuclear reactors, "would bring tens of billions to the US". The two nations also discussed manufacture of small modular reactors.

Asked by the American media on whether the charges levelled by the US during the previous Biden administration against the Adani Group were discussed with Mr Trump, Mr Modi replied such individual cases are never discussed by leaders of two countries when they meet. Asked whether any "deal" had been reached during the bilateral meeting with tech billionaire Elon Musk that took place earlier, Mr Modi remarked in jest that if there is any copyright on the word "deal", then it belongs to President Trump.

On defence cooperation, the joint statement said: "The leaders welcomed the significant integration of US-origin defence items into India's inventory to date, including C-130J Super Hercules, C-17 Globemaster III, P-8I Poseidon aircraft; CH-47F Chinooks, MH-60R Seahawks, and AH-64E Apaches; Harpoon antiship missiles; M777 howitzers; and MQ-9Bs. The leaders determined that the US would expand defence sales and co-production with India to strengthen interoperability and defence industrial cooperation." It added: "The leaders committed to break new ground to support and sustain the overseas deployments of the US and Indian militaries in the Indo-Pacific."

On people-to-people ties, it noted: "President Trump and Prime Minister Modi noted the importance of advancing the people-to-people ties between the two countries. In this context, they noted that the more than 300,000-strong Indian student community contributes over $8 billion annually to the US economy and helped create a number of direct and indirect jobs. They recognised that the talent flow and movement of students, researchers and employees, has mutually benefitted both countries... Both resolved to strengthen collaborations between the higher education institutions through efforts such as joint/dual degree and twinning programmes, establishing joint centres of excellence, and setting up of offshore campuses of premier educational institutions of the US in India."

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Adani group picked as a finalist for private production of SSLV

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Bengaluru: Adani group is a finalist, with two government-linked groups, to take over private production of India's Small Satellite Launch Vehicle, three persons familiar with the matter told *Reuters*. The SSLV, developed by Isro, is a low-cost vehicle capable of deploying satellites of up to 500 kg (1,100 pounds) into low-Earth orbit, or LEO—the most sought-after segment of the satellite launch market. After its first successful launch in 2023, the government moved to transfer the vehicle's production and technology to private industry. REUTERS

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Adani to Musk, Modi deftly handles media

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PM Narendra Modi

WASHINGTON: A press conference addressed by Prime Minister Narendra Modi is not a regular occurrence. To be sure, he did dozens of interviews in the run-up to the 2024 elections. But there are only three occasions where he has addressed the press—all in the White House.

The first one was in June 2023 in the East Room as he concluded his state visit to the US. And the second and third were on Thursday, when President Donald Trump.

And guess what — Modi is good at the back and forth with reporters. This should be no surprise given his obvious political sharpness and skilled use of language, the ability to condense and convey a thought in simple and accessible terms and his humour. This is not about whether one agrees or disagrees with the answer, but about the fact that there is a certain ease and comfort with which he engaged with a hall packed with journalists, not all of them friendly.

This was reflected in two questions that came his way on Thursday evening. The first, on billionaire tycoon Elon Musk, and the second, potentially trickier question, on industrialist Gautam Adani.

Modi delivered his punch line, combining flattery of Trump with a deflection of whether any business proposal was indeed discussed. In response to the other question, he said, "We consider the whole world our family. And I consider each Indian my family." He then said, with a note of annoyance, "The leaders of two countries don't sit or meet or talk on such personal matters."

Again, whether the question or the answer was adequate is not the point. The point is that Modi knew how to deal with it in a way that was both succinct and clear.

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Asked about Adani, PM Modi says leaders don't discuss 'individual issues

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EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
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PRIME MINISTER Narendra Modi said "individual issues" are never discussed when prominent leaders of countries meet, in response to a question if he had asked US President Donald Trump to take action on the Gautam Adani case.

"India is a democratic country and our culture and philosophy is 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'... we consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine," Modi said.

"Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," the Prime Minister said. The question put to him was: "Can I ask whether you discussed at all today, the case of Gautam Adani, who is one of the wealthiest man in Asia, and perceived as an ally of Prime Minister? Prime Minister Modi, have you asked the President to take action on that case?"

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Adani

Gautam Adani and 7 others were indicted by a grand jury in New York last November in an alleged Rs 2,029 crore bribery case.

Trump had signed an executive order on Monday directing the US Justice Department to halt prosecuting Americans accused of bribing foreign government officials to win overseas business. While the order is meant to provide relief to US citizens, it will likely come as a breather for key executives of the Adani Group currently facing bribery charges in a US court. The executive order would provide relief to Azure Power— which had a contract (a build, operate and transfer deal) with an Adani Group firm for a solar project — and, by extension, the Adani Group.

Last November, the Department of Justice under President Joe Biden had charged Adani for allegedly being part of a scheme to pay over US $250 million (about Rs 2,100 crore) bribe to Indian officials in exchange of favourable terms for solar power contracts. This was concealed from the US banks and investors from whom the Adani group raised billions of dollars for the project, the prosecutors had alleged.The charges had sparked concerns about the impact on US-India business ties and the broader strategic relationship between the two nations.

Reacting to the PM's response, Leader of Opposition in Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi attacked him for "maintaining silence" over the Adani issue while in the country, and terming it a "personal matter" on foreign soil. "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence. If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption!" he posted on X. "When filling a friend's pocket is "nation building" for Modiji, then taking bribes and looting the nation's wealth becomes a "personal matter," he said.

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BJP hails PM Modi's US visit as landmark, slams Rahul Gandhi for criticism

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NEW DELHI

The BJP on Friday hailed Prime Minister Narendra Modi's US visit as "landmark" and slammed Rahul Gandhi for his remarks on him, saying it has become a habit of Congress leaders to find fault in the prime minister's foreign visits.

In a social media post, BJP national spokesperson Shehzad Poonawalla wrote, "PM Narendra Modi's impactful USA visit solidified India-US bonds like never before." "A landmark visit," he added, listing Modi's achievements during his US visit.

Party national spokesperson Syed Shahnawaz Hussain said US President Donald Trump's announcement about his administration's go-ahead to the extradition of 26/11 Mumbai terror attack accused Tahawwur Rana is a "very big diplomatic victory for India".

"Tahawwur Rana, the master mind of 26/11 terror attack, will be brought to india. He (PM Modi) convinced the US for this. This is a very big diplomatic victory for India," Hussain said.

He also slammed Rahul Gandhi for accusing Modi of "covering up" the alleged corruption of businessman Gautam Adani, saying the Congress leader should keep in mind that Modi visited the US as the prime minister of the country and leader of its 140 crore people, not as a BJP leader.

"Finding faults with the prime minister's foreign visits has become a habit of the Congress," he said, responding to Gandhi's remarks.

Earlier, Rahul Gandhi said Modi maintains silence when questions are asked in the country and terms it a personal matter when asked abroad. "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence. If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption!" Gandhi charged in a social media post in Hindi.

The Congress leader criticised Modi, apparently latching on to his reply to a media query on Adani in the US. To a question on whether the issue relating to Adani figured in the talks, Modi at a joint media briefing with Trump in Washington said: "India is a democracy and our culture is 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'.

We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine." Modi further said such individual matters are not discussed in talks between two leaders. "Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," he said.

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Congress accuses Modi of 'covering up' Adani's U.S. bribery allegations

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The Congress on Friday charged Prime Minister Narendra Modi with "covering up" the alleged corruption of industrialist Gautam Adani, following a response given by Mr. Modi to a query on the indictment of Mr. Adani by a U.S. court in a bribery allegation, at a joint press conference with U.S. President Donald Trump.

The Leader of the Opposition in the Lok Sabha, Rahul Gandhi, on X, said, "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence. If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi*ji* covered up Adani*ji*'s corruption!"

Mr. Gandhi added, "When filling a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modi*ji*, then bribery and looting the country's wealth becomes a 'personal matter'."



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> **RAHUL GANDHI**
> Leader of the Opposition

'PM's face turned pale'

Jairam Ramesh, Congress general secretary, communications, said on X, "Modi*ji*'s face turned pale on hearing Adani's name. Then he gave a roundabout and irrelevant answer – this is a personal matter. Since when has corruption become a personal matter."

In another post, Mr. Ramesh said, "Mr. Modi likes to display his knowledge of algebraic equations acquired through his training in entire political science. First he likened Indo-Canada relations to (a+b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab. Now he says in the context of India and USA that MAGA + MIGA = MEGA. Actually the only equation that counts is Modi + Adani = Modani."

In contrast to the Congress's official position, party senior leader and Lok Sabha member from Thiruvananthapuram Shashi Tharoor praised the Prime Minister's engagement with the U.S. "The press statements by both the Prime Minister and President Trump are very encouraging. The big concerns, we all had, have been addressed, For example, on the question of trade and tariffs, they have decided to sit down together and do a serious negotiation and conclude by the fall (September-October)," Mr. Tharoor said in Bengaluru on the sidelines of the Invest Karnataka summit.

On the illegal immigration issue, Mr. Tharoor said, "The only thing missing there from what Prime Minister Narendra Modi said was the question of the manner in which these people were treated and sent back. I think his stand was absolutely correct. I hope some things were said behind closed doors and not in the press conference."

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CONGRESS SLAMS MODI'S 'MEGA' REMARK

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CONGRESS SLAMS MODI'S 'MEGA' REMARK

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Congress MP Jairam Ramesh on Friday took a dig at Prime Minister Narendra Modi over his "MEGA" remark after meeting US President Donald Trump, saying that the only equation that counts is 'Modani,' referring to businessman Gautam Adani.

In a post on X, Ramesh said, "This is Prime Minister Modi's first visit to the United States since President Donald Trump's inauguration for his second presidential term last month. Now, he says, in the context of India and the USA, that MAGA + MIGA = MEGA. Actually, the only equation that counts is Modi + Adani = Modani."

Earlier in the day, PM Modi drew a parallel between India's "Viksit Bharat" vision and the "Make America Great Again" (MAGA) slogan in the United States, coining the term "Make India Great Again" (MIGA).

Taking to social media platform X, PM Modi noted that India and the US have formed a "MEGA" partnership to drive prosperity for both nations.

"President Trump often talks about MAGA. In India, we are working towards a Viksit Bharat, which in the American context translates into MIGA. And together, India and the USA have a MEGA partnership for prosperity!" the Prime Minister



said in a post.

This is Prime Minister Modi's first visit to the United States since President Donald Trump's inauguration for his second presidential term last month.

PM Modi is among the first world leaders to visit the United States following the inauguration of President Trump and has been invited to the US within barely three weeks of the new administration.

Following the bilateral meeting between Prime Minister Narendra Modi and President Donald Trump, Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri provided a detailed overview of the key initiatives launched during the visit and said that the leaders launched Mission-500 in the sector of trade and investment, aiming to more than double two-way trade to USD 500 billion by 2030.

He added that the leaders unveiled the US-India Compact for the 21st Century, aimed at accelerating military partnerships, commerce, and technological advancements.

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Deep state, shallow state, non-state

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Deep state, shallow state, non-state

The deep state has now become the engine of conspiracy theories across democracies. America was the first and India is catching up fast. Many European democracies are on the bandwagon too

It's early days in 2025 yet, but the "deep state" looks like the frontrunner for winning the "word of the year" honours. Anything goes wrong and we blame this sinister entity — the deep state.

Except that it isn't so mythical. It is as much a part of our lives and system of governance as shallow state and non-state. We shall explore these definitions and how these intermesh as we go along. However, the deep state, often just called DS, has now become the engine of conspiracy theories across democracies.

The first thing we need to look at is the dictionary/Wikipedia definition of it: Potentially secret and unauthorised network of power operating independently of a state's political leadership in pursuit of its own agenda and goals. Of course, it all has a negative and conspiratorial connotation. Then, let's follow our usual three-example formula and list these specific issues/events.



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- The regime change in Bangladesh. It was sudden, violent at street level, leaderless and dramatic. It's been widely blamed on the US deep state (we will use DS hereon). It's also been called a US (United States) DS success, with the insinuation that similar operations were planned in India as well. Because, of course, the Biden administration and the DS do not like Narendra Modi.
- Next, the series of exposés on the Adani group across two years. Many came from a shadowy short-seller Hindenburg, which vaporised as mysteriously as it had appeared on the scene. There were also many other stories that came in through organisations supported or funded by OCCRP (Organised Crime and Corruption Reporting Project). There is also the ICIJ, or the International Consortium of Investigative Journalists. Both are supported by the George Soros-founded Open Society Foundations. Mr Soros is an acknowledged Left-leaning anarchist (I won't call him liberal) and a stock and currency markets predator. He's the man who broke the pound and the Bank of England (1992) as well as many key East Asian countries in the 1997 financial crisis. Both these organisations supported investigations leading to stories on the Adani group. The conspiracy theory is that this was an indirect attack on the Modi government. In fact, Prime Minister Narendra Modi noted at the outset of the current Budget session of Parliament that this was the first in many years that a session was beginning without any "mischief from abroad".
- And the third, two difficult and embarrassing situations India was caught in — in Canada and the US — were linked to Sikh radical operations there. In each of these cases, the American media highlighted the stories in great detail and persisted with the coverage as did the *Financial Times* in the case of Adani. All of this, the argument is, couldn't be a coincidence. It must have been the work of DS. And you know what, now even Donald Trump, Elon Musk, and their lieutenants are all complaining about it as they set out to drain the swamp.

So far so good, and we then examine each in some detail. On Bangladesh are we sure this was merely the handiwork of some "potentially secret and unauthorised" group that worked under the US government radar? If you saw the pictures of George Soros' son flying in to meet Chief Adviser Mohammed Yunus in Dhaka last month, your suspicions will be strengthened.

Then also see that iconic (if I may be allowed to use just once the description I usually ban in my own newsroom for anything but a sculpture) picture of a doting Joe Biden with his arm around Yunus' shoulders.

If Hasina's downfall was really engineered by the Americans, was it by some DS working on its own? Or in conjunction with the Biden Administration? This won't pass the conspiracy theorists' definition of DS.

There are shadowy, amorphous, vaguely defined organisations that work as instruments of a regular, upfront state. A trick question follows: How will you describe the Lashkar-e-Taiba and Jaish-e-Mohammed? As non-state actors which the Pakistanis would? Or DS? Both will give the Pakistan state plausible deniability. They are the state, and they mean enormous harm to India.

The Adani issue might be a bit more complex because in most of the stories from Hindenburg and OCCRP, there is no clear US government role. So, was DS at play? But then, the US Department of Justice and Securities and Exchange Commission came up with indictments potentially and a lot more threatening than Hindenburg's. Now, were Hindenburg and OCCRP working independent of the state, or in cahoots with it? Or vice versa?

And finally, the issues India faced in Canada and the US over Nijjar and Pannun. The notion of this being DS activity was brought in mostly because some in the US and Canadian media were particularly active on this. All of their stories, however, were based on briefings by their own intelligence officials.

One way of looking at DS is the bureaucracy, civil services, police, armed forces, judiciary, regulators, election commission and other institutions that span the tenure of multiple governments.

They follow the rule book, provide continuity, and protect the family silver. Between 1996 and 1999, India had six Prime Ministers. It was a brilliant set of civil servants, military leaders, and nuclear scientists who kept continuity with our strategic programme, protected it, and didn't let a word leak.

The same system can act differently. If they kept the nuclear assets all so secret and defined as "peaceful" all of these decades, they made them open and military in 1998. Why?

That's because the Vajpayee government asked them to do so. This DS, which provides continuity and also assurance on broad policies and sovereign commitments remaining intact, also changes when political leaders command so. Those we describe as the shallow state.

"Shallow" is not to denote weakness but because they're transient. Actually, they are the ones with real power. It is used only because the political leaderships will have the deeper state apparatus at their command. It is only when the shallow state is weak that DS takes over the agenda. We saw this play out just after Manmohan Singh signed the nuclear deal.

Much of the opposition to it was based on leaks from his office and his Ministry of External Affairs by career civil servants, partly motivated by ingrained anti-Americanism and partly by those who found the change too drastic.

That is why the nuclear liability law was so poisoned as to make the entire deal fruitless. This is precisely what the Modi government's Budget just promised to change and which the Modi-Trump joint statement has taken note of.

And finally, where does non-state feature? From ancient times, sovereigns have used the cover of non-state actors to take their cause forward.

From bhikshus of Ashokan 3rd century BC and medieval Sufis to Oxfam, Omidyar and Soros now, non-state actors have any real power only when they work in conjunction with a real state. What is the US Agency for International Development, for example? It can't be DS because it is very much an instrument of the American state. So much so that Marco Rubio has now taken direct charge of it and moved it in the state department. The Trumpian objection is that it had been hijacked by Leftist ideologues who were using it to indulge their own fancy and not to further American interests.

Jump millennia to present-day India and ask what the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh is. The Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) will say it is a non-state entity, and, in fact, the world's largest non-government organisation. Ask the Congress, and they will call it the BJP's DS. The exact equation will apply if you asked the BJP and the Congress what Sonia Gandhi's National Advisory Council was. One shallow state antagonist's DS is the other's non-state entity.

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INDIA AND MODI RETURN WITH MUSCLE FROM THE USA

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INDIA AND MODI RETURN WITH MUSCLE FROM THE USA

■ Terroist to be extradited
■ Defence ties to be bolstered

PTI ■ WASHINGTON

US President Donald Trump announced after talks with Prime Minister Narendra Modi that India will buy more oil, gas and military hardware, including F-35 fighter jets, from America to bring down trade deficit but asserted that Washington will not spare New Delhi from reciprocal tariffs.

At his Oval Office in the White House on Thursday (Friday India time), Trump warmly welcomed Modi with a long handshake and a bear hug while describing the prime minister as a "great friend" for a long time and a "terrific" man.

The US president, at a joint media briefing with the Indian prime minister following the talks, said both sides are looking at striking a major trade deal soon while calling import duties imposed by India on certain US products as "very unfair" and "strong".

"Whatever India charges, we will charge them," Trump said, adding "We are being reciprocal with India."

The Modi-Trump meeting took place hours after the US President announced a new reciprocal tariff policy for all the trading partners of the US in the latest in a series of such actions initiated by his administration.

In his remarks, Trump said he and PM Modi have reached an agreement that could potentially make the US the "number one supplier" of oil and gas to India, suggesting it to be part of measures to bring down the US trade deficit with India that stands at around USD 45 billion.

The US president also said that both sides have decided to expand the overall defence partnership.

"Starting this year, we will be increasing military sales to India by many billions of dollars," Trump said.

"We are also paving the way to ultimately provide India with F-35 stealth fighters," he added. The F35 jets are known as the most lethal, survivable and connected fighter aircraft in the world.

Trump also announced that India and the US will be working together like "never before" to confront the threat of radical Islamic terror across the world.

"I am pleased to announce that my administration has approved the extradition of one of the very evil people of the world," he said, referring to the extradition of 26/11 Mumbai attack plotter Tahawwur Rana to India.

Rana, currently detained at a metropolitan detention centre in Los Angeles, is known to be associated with Pakistani-American terrorist David Coleman Headley, one of the main conspirators of the terror attack.

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Prime Minister Narendra Modi during a meeting with US President Donald Trump at the White House, in Washington, DC, USA PTI

India and Modi return with muscle from the USA

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"He is going to be going back to India to face justice," Trump said. "We're giving him back to India immediately" and more such extraditions could follow as we have quite a few requests (from New Delhi)," he added.
The US president also noted positive momentum in India-US cooperation in the civil-nuclear energy sector.
"In the groundbreaking development for the US nuclear industry, India is also reforming laws to welcome US nuclear technology to the Indian market," he said.
In his remarks, Prime Minister Modi said cooperation between India and the US can shape a better world.
A defence cooperation framework will be prepared for next decade, he said.
"One thing that I deeply appreciate, and I learn from President Trump, is that he keeps the national interest (of the US) supreme. Like him, I also keep the national interest of India at the top of everything else," Modi said.
To a question on whether the issue relating to business tycoon Gautam Adani figured in the talks, Modi said: "India is a democracy and our culture is 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine."
Modi said such individual matters are not discussed in talks between two leaders. "Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," he said.
On ties between India and China following the eastern Ladakh border row, Trump described the "skirmishes" as "vicious".
"I do see the skirmishes on the border which are quite vicious... If I could be of help," he said.
The US president said he wished China, India, Russia and the US — all could get along well.
Prime Minister Modi and President Trump also answered questions on the Russia-Ukraine conflict.
"I support Donald Trump's efforts towards finding a possible solution to end the war. The world somehow feels India has been neutral during the war. But I would like to reiterate that India has not been neutral. In fact, India has been on the side of peace," Modi said.
"When I met President Putin, I had even said that 'this is not the era for war'. I had also said that solutions cannot be found on the battlefield. They can only come when all parties sit at the table for dialogue," he said.
On the ambitious India-Middle East-Europe Economic Corridor, Trump said both sides agreed to work to help build one of "greatest trade routes" in history globally.
Before meeting Trump, Prime Minister Modi held separate talks with US National Security Advisor Mike Waltz, Director of National Intelligence Tulsi Gabbard, billionaire Elon Musk and Republican leader Vivek Ramaswamy.

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India, US eye trade deal by Oct as Trump vows reciprocal tariffs in talks with Modi

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Amid fears of an impending tariff war, India and the US have agreed to negotiate a multi-sector bilateral trade agreement by September-October this year as they announced "Mission 500", which aims to more than double the bilateral trade to $500 billion by 2030.

The two sides have further announced a framework to strengthen military ties by ramping up sales to India and re-committed to the US-India Energy Security Partnership, including in oil, gas and civil nuclear energy.

This came as Prime Minister Narendra Modi and US President Donald Trump held a bilateral meeting in Washington DC. Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri, speaking at a media briefing after the meeting, said "both countries have agreed to negotiate the first tranche of a mutually beneficial multi-sector bilateral trade agreement by fall (Sept-Oct) of 2025". The meeting took place hours after Trump

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PM Narendra Modi with US President Donald Trump ahead of talks at the White House in Washington DC. ANI

INDIVIDUAL ISSUES NEVER DISCUSSED BY WORLD LEADERS: PM ON ADANI CASE

PM Modi said he didn't discuss with President Trump the bribery charges levelled by the US against business tycoon Gautam Adani. Asked if he took up the issue of Adani's indictment, the PM said "two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues."

NO 'DEEP STATE' ROLE IN BANGLADESH, LET PM MODI HANDLE MATTER: TRUMP

Trump denied role of US "deep state' in last year's political tumult in Bangladesh. Replying to a query, he said: "There was no role for our deep state." The US President made it clear the matter would be handled by PM Modi, saying, "But I will leave Bangladesh to the PM."

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signed an executive order laying the groundwork for what he called reciprocal tariffs.

Trump, at a joint press conference with Modi, reiterated that India would face reciprocal tariffs — meaning whatever duties and taxes New Delhi charges on US goods, the same will apply to its goods entering the US. "Whatever you charge, we charge," he said.

"They (India) have been very strong on tariffs... It's very hard to sell into India because they have trade barriers, very strong tariffs," Trump said, who began by praising Modi, saying he aimed to "deepen every aspect of our partnership and our friendship".

PM Modi, in a post on X, said the "excellent" meeting with President Trump would add "significant momentum to the India-US friendship".

A joint statement said both sides were committed to addressing bilateral trade barriers and also recognised India's investments in the US — Indian companies' ongoing investments worth $7.355 billion have created 3,000 high-quality jobs in the US.

The two sides agreed on a deal that would facilitate India to import more US oil and gas to bring down Washington's trade deficit. In 2023, the bilateral trade between the two nations in goods and services stood at $190.08 billion with the US trade deficit of $50 billion. Misri said India was already sourcing some $15 billion worth of gas from the US and this could go up to $25 billion.

The US would build nuclear reactors in India through large-scale localisation and possible technology transfer, the joint statement said. It would further unlock plans to build large reactors and enable collaboration to develop, deploy and scale up nuclear power generation with advanced small modular reactors.

The two leaders agreed to work together to confront the global threat posed by radical Islamic terrorism and announced a new alliance — US-India COMPACT (Catalysing Opportunities for Military Partnership, Accelerated Commerce & Technology for the 21st century).

They agreed to review the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (ITAR) and accelerate defence technology cooperation across space, air defence, missile, maritime and undersea technologies.

The two sides decided to launch an Autonomous Systems Industry Alliance for cooperation in underwater domain awareness technologies. India is the first country to have such a partnership with the US defence industry on such sensitive technologies. They also launched the US-India TRUST (Transforming the Relationship Utilising Strategic Technology) initiative to promote application of critical and emerging technologies in defence, artificial intelligence, semiconductors, quantum, biotechnology, energy and space.

The US would help expand Indian manufacturing capacity for active pharmaceutical ingredients for critical medicines.

The joint statement underscored that the US had 3,00,000-strong Indian student community that contributed over $8 billion annually to its economy. India invited US educational institutions to open up campuses in the country. The two sides reaffirmed their commitment to Quad and the Indo-Pacific, and announced a plan to convene partners from the India-Middle East-Europe Corridor and the I2U2 group, comprising India, Israel, the UAE and the US, within the next six months in order to announce new initiatives within this year.

They also launched the Indian Ocean Strategic Venture — new bilateral forum to advance coordinated investments in economic connectivity and commerce.

Meta announced a multi-billion, multi-year investment in an undersea cable project. The work on the project would begin this year and would ultimately stretch 50,000 km to connect five continents and strengthen global digital highways in the Indian Ocean region and beyond.

PM Modi, while emplaning for Delhi later, termed the visit "productive". Modi told Trump that his slogan "MAGA" (make America great again) was similar to his "Viksit Bharat" mission, which translates to "MIGA" (make India great again). Together, the two countries had a "MEGA" partnership for prosperity, said Modi.

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Modi covered up Adani's corruption even in America: Rahul Gandhi

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Modi covered up Adani's corruption even in America: Rahul Gandhi

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Leader of Opposition in Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi on Friday said Prime Minister Narendra Modi covered up billionaire businessman Gautam Adani's alleged corruption even in the United States.

The statement comes in the wake of Modi's response to a query if he discussed the case of Adani with US President Donald Trump. Modi had stated that "when heads of two countries meet, they do not discuss such personal matters".

Gandhi, in a post on X, said: "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence. Abroad, it is a personal matter. Modi ji covered up Adani ji's corruption even in America."

The Leader of the Opposition who has been accusing Modi of favouring Adani further said: "When filing a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modi ji... bribery and looting the nation's wealth becomes a personal matter."

It may be mentioned that in November last year, Gandhi had demanded Adani's immediate arrest after the US Department of Justice (DoJ) and US Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) indicted him and others for alleged bribery.

"It is now pretty clear and established in America that Adani has broken both American law and Indian law. He has been indicted in the US. I am wondering why Adani is still running around a free man in this country, despite being accused of a Rs 2,000 scam and multiple others," he had said.

The Adani Group had denied all allegations made by the US DoJ and the US SEC, and said all possible legal recourse will be sought.

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PM maintains silence in country, says personal matter abroad

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PM maintains silence in country, says personal matter abroad'

Says Congress leader Rahul Gandhi on Adani issue

OUR CORRESPONDENT

NEW DELHI: Congress leader Rahul Gandhi on Friday accused Prime Minister Narendra Modi of "covering up" businessman Gautam Adani's alleged corruption.

In a post on X, he said the prime minister maintains silence when questions are asked in the country and terms it a personal matter when asked abroad.

"If you ask questions in the country, there is silence, If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter!

"Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption!" Gandhi charged in his post in Hindi.

"When filling a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modiji, then taking bribes and looting the nation's wealth becomes a 'personal matter'," he also said. Congress general secretary (communications) Jairam Ramesh said, "Modi ji's face turned pale on hearing Adani's name. Then he beat around the bush and gave irrelevant knowledge and said - this is a personal matter."



Rahul Gandhi

"Since when has corruption become a personal matter," he asked in a post on X.

"In Mr. Modi likes to display his knowledge of algebraic equations acquired through his training in entire political science. First he likened Indo-Canada relations to (a+b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab.

"Now he says in the context of India and USA that MAGA + MIGA = MEGA. Actually the only equation that counts is Modi + Adani = Modani," Ramesh said in another post.

The Congress also took a swipe at the prime minister and said in a post on its official X handle, "In America, a journalist asked a question related to the corruption of Narendra Modi's best friend Adani. Narendra Modi called it a personal matter and started talking about other things. His face turned pale as soon as he heard the question."

"Investigations are going on against Adani in Sri Lanka, Kenya, Bangladesh, Australia and many other countries, people are taking to the streets and protesting.

In America, a warrant was even issued in the corruption case. There are many allegations of corruption, but for Narendra Modi this is a personal matter. Shameful," the party said in a post in Hindi.

To a question on whether the issue relating to Adani figured in the talks, Modi at a joint media briefing with Donald Trump in Washington said: "India is a democracy and our culture is 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine."

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Tharoor praises PM's trip, breaks ranks with Cong

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Tharoor praises PM's trip, breaks ranks with Cong

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NEW DELHI, FEBRUARY 14

In a move that may not sit well with the Congress leadership, senior party leader Shashi Tharoor has praised the outcomes of Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visit to the United States. His remarks came just hours after former Congress chief Rahul Gandhi took a swipe at Modi over his ties with businessman Gautam Adani.

During a press interaction, Modi had dismissed a question about Adani, stating that heads of state do not discuss private individuals. Rahul Gandhi responded sharply, saying, "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence. If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption! When filling a friend's pocket becomes 'nation-building,' taking bribes and looting the nation's wealth becomes a personal matter."

HARD TO GET COMPLIMENT FROM TRUMP

> Calling Mr Modi a better negotiator than himself is remarkable because Mr Trump takes pride in his deal-making abilities. That's high praise from a man not known for giving compliments easily. This is good news. Shashi Tharoor

Tharoor, a four-term MP and chairman of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on External Affairs, took a different stance, calling US President Donald Trump's admiration for Modi "astonishing".

"Calling Mr Modi a better negotiator than himself is remarkable because Mr Trump takes pride in his deal-making abilities. His own Defence Secretary recently called him the greatest negotiator in the world, yet here he is saying Modi is better than him. That's high praise from a man not known for giving compliments easily. This is good news," Tharoor said.

He also highlighted key takeaways from the visit, stating that major concerns, including trade and defence, had been effectively addressed. "On trade and tariffs, both sides have agreed to serious negotiations that will conclude by October or November. This is a positive outcome, as it prevents hasty decisions that could impact our exports. I welcome that," Tharoor said.

He also hailed Trump's decision to sell F-35 fighter jets to India, calling it "very valuable." "With the Rafale already in our arsenal and now the F-35s, the Indian Air Force should be in excellent shape. Overall, we've secured everything we could have expected at this time," Tharoor remarked, adding that he looked forward to an official briefing from the Ministry of External Affairs.

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Trump tariff won't hurt Hindalco's India biz

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'Trump tariff won't hurt Hindalco's India biz'

SATISH PAI, Hindalco MD, told Amritha Pillay that US' announcement of trade tariffs will not have a "negative" impact on the firm, and Chinese aluminium imports to India are no longer cheaper.

'Trump's volley of tariffs will not hurt India business'

Hindalco Industries plans to spend ₹6,000 crore as capex in India in 2024-25 (FY25) and ₹8,000 crore the next year. **SATISH PAI**, the company's managing director, told **Amritha Pillay** in a video interview that he expects Novelis, a subsidiary, to bounce back in the fourth quarter (Q4). Pai said America's announcement of trade tariffs will not have a "negative" impact on Hindalco, and Chinese aluminium imports to India are no longer cheaper. Edited excerpts:

In your Q3 performance, India operations helped offset the weakness seen for Novelis. Do you expect this trend to prevail?

In Q4, Novelis will bounce back. Both India and Novelis should do well and it should be a good quarter. Q3 for Novelis is a seasonally low quarter because of maintenance during the holiday season. This was compounded by the scrap spreads tightening. But the volumes will come back in Q4. With LME (London Metal Exchange) still holding, India operations should be good in Q4 as well.

Q&A

SATISH PAI
MD, Hindalco Industries

With the US imposing tariffs on aluminium, what is the outlook for the two markets you have a presence in: India and US?

(US President Donald) Trump tariff: There is no negative for our India business because we do not export anything to the US. We are not impacted. Well, it is neutral to positive for what is happening in the US (for Novelis) as the scrap benefit will go up when the Midwest (premiums) goes up.

There are concerns that the US tariffs could mean exports meant for that country will be diverted. What will be the likely impact for your other export markets?

The primary aluminium that the US uses – 90 per cent – comes from one country: Canada. It is not that there is a lot of aluminium from many different parts of the world going there. I do not expect worldwide aluminium prices to get impacted. Regional premiums may get impacted, but there is not going to be a huge directional flow because every country has got 25 per cent.

You had flagged concerns about Chinese aluminium imports. Do you still see those concerns?

No. What China has done, which is more important than this Trump tariff, is that they have taken away that 13 per cent VAT rebate. For China to import into India, the prices have gone up. China, probably to protect itself under US tariffs, has been removing its subsidies. With this 13 per cent rebate going away, it makes it more expensive for China to export aluminium now. They should not be able to dump in India at very low prices.



Any update on plans for Novelis to have an initial public offering (IPO)?

For us now, we have to get Novelis' profitability back to $500 per tonne. We have to finish the Bay Minette project that is to be commissioned in September of 2026. Until those two happen, the IPO is not a priority right now. At least for another year, we are not going to think about it.

There is a considerable rise in your debt numbers from a year ago. Do we expect any changes there?

Novelis needs to get more debt to fund the payment. Novelis did a $750 million bond offering in January and probably in the latter half of FY26 they'll do another $750 million. On the India side, we are net cash positive.

For your India copper operations, two big conglomerates, Adani and JSW, are now competitors. What is Hindalco's strategy?

Competition is coming in and that is okay. The way we look at it is that we are going more and more into copper downstream. Just like we did in aluminium. We will keep our differentiation on having an upstream and a downstream. If the upstream comes under pressure, the downstream will help. The integrated business model is the way we will differentiate ourselves.

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Adani Group ka mamla vyaktigat

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अडाणी समूह का मामला व्यक्तिगत, इस पर चर्चा नहीं : मोदी

जनसत्ता ब्यूरो
नई दिल्ली, 14 फरवरी।

प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने वाशिंगटन में कहा कि भारत एक लोकतांत्रिक देश है और हमारी संस्कृति 'वसुधैव कुटुंबकम' की है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। अमेरिका में अडाणी समूह से जुड़े एक मामले पर उन्होंने कहा कि यह व्यक्तिगत मामला है और दो राष्ट्राध्यक्षों की वार्ता में ऐसे मामलों पर चर्चा नहीं की जाती है।

दरअसल, प्रधानमंत्री मोदी और अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप ने गत गुरुवार को द्विपक्षीय वार्ता के बाद वाशिंगटन में संवाददाता सम्मेलन किया। इस दौरान प्रधानमंत्री मोदी से अमेरिका में अडाणी समूह से जुड़े मामले को लेकर सवाल किया गया। इस पर मोदी ने कहा कि यह एक व्यक्तिगत मामला है और दो राष्ट्राध्यक्षों की वार्ता में ऐसे मामलों पर बात नहीं की जाती है।

प्रधानमंत्री मोदी की इस प्रतिक्रिया पर लोकसभा में नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी ने सवाल उठाए हैं। उन्होंने शुक्रवार को 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट कर कहा कि रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटने का मामला व्यक्तिगत कैसे हो सकता है। उन्होंने आरोप लगाया कि प्रधानमंत्री ने अमेरिका में भी अडाणी समूह के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डालने की कोशिश की है।

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Adani par desh mein chuppi sadhte hai, Videsh mein vyaktigat mamla batate hai PM: Rahul

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अदाणी पर देश में चुप्पी साधते हैं, विदेश में व्यक्तिगत मामला बताते हैं पीएम: राहुल

नई दिल्ली, (वीअ)। लोकसभा में नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी द्वारा अमेरिका में उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी से जुड़े मामले में की गई टिप्पणी को लेकर शुक्रवार को आरोप लगाया कि विदेश में प्रधानमंत्री मोदी के लिए रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना व्यक्तिगत मामला बन जाता है।

प्रधानमंत्री मोदी ने अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ संयुक्त प्रेस वार्ता में गौतम अदाणी से जुड़े सवाल पर कहा, भारत एक लोकतंत्र है और हमारी संस्कृति वसुधैव कुटुंबकम की है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय से मेरा नाता है। मोदी ने कहा कि दो नेताओं के बीच बातचीत में ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर चर्चा नहीं की जाती। कांग्रेस के पूर्व अध्यक्ष राहुल गांधी ने एक्स पर पोस्ट किया, देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला। अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने अदाणी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया। उन्होंने आरोप लगाया, जब मित्र की जेब भरना मोदी जी के लिए राष्ट्र निर्माण है, तब रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना व्यक्तिगत मामला बन जाता है। कांग्रेस महासचिव जयराम रमेश ने सवाल किया कि आखिर भ्रष्टाचार का मामला व्यक्तिगत कब से हो गया?

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Adani-backed co among 3 finalists in India's small satellite launch rocket privatisation

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MUMBAI

Indian conglomerate Adani Group is a finalist, alongside two government-linked groups, to take over private production of India's Small Satellite Launch Vehicle, three sources familiar with the matter told Reuters.

The SSLV, developed by the Indian Space Research Organisation, is a low-cost vehicle capable of deploying satellites of up to 500 kg (1,100 pounds) into low-Earth orbit, or LEO - the most sought after segment of the satellite launch



market, Reuters reported.

After its first successful launch in 2023, the government moved to transfer the vehicle's production and technology to private industry as part of a broader push to expand India's commercial space sector. That move has been the highest-profile piece of India's privatisation efforts, which the government hopes will help the country claim a greater share of the booming global satellite launch market, dominated by private players such as SpaceX.

"LEO is the name of the game right now, so the potential winner has the opportunity to really tap into a rapidly growing market," said Damodaran Raman, a director at Deloitte who soecialises in space tech. About 20 companies initially expressed interest in bidding for the SSLV, the first privatisation of its kind under PM Narendra Modi's policy drive to open up India's space industry.

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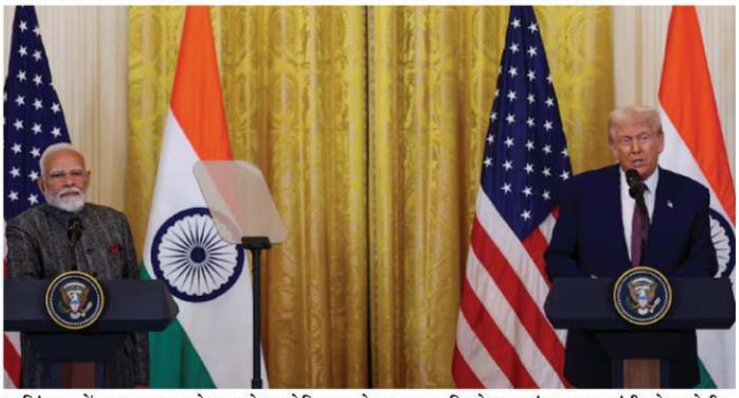
भारत को मिलेंगे एफ-35 लड़ाकू विमान

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वाशिंगटन, (भाषा)। अमेरिका के राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी से वार्ता के बाद यहां दोनों देशों के बीच रक्षा और ऊर्जा समेत अन्य रणनीतिक संबंधों को व्यापक बनाने की दिशा में बड़ी छलांग लगाने का ऐलान करते हुए कहा कि वाशिंगटन भारत को अत्याधुनिक एफ-35 लड़ाकू विमान देगा।

ट्रंप ने कहा कि भारत व्यापार घाटे को कम करने के लिए अमेरिका से एफ-35 लड़ाकू विमानों सहित अधिक तेल, गैस और सैन्य उपकरण खरीदेगा, लेकिन उन्होंने जोर देकर कहा कि वाशिंगटन जवाबी शुल्क से भारत को नहीं बख्शेगा। ट्रंप ने अमेरिका के राष्ट्रपति के आधिकारिक कार्यालय एवं आवास व्हाइट हाउस में स्थित अपने ओवल कार्यालय में बृहस्पतिवार (भारतीय समयानुसार, शुक्रवार) को मोदी से हाथ मिलाकर और गले लगाकर गर्मजोशी से उनका स्वागत किया तथा प्रधानमंत्री को लंबे समय से अपना अच्छा मित्र और शानदार व्यक्ति बताया। मोदी के साथ व्यापक बातचीत करने के बाद, ट्रंप ने कहा कि दुनिया के सबसे पुराने और सबसे बड़े लोकतंत्रों के बीच एक विशेष संबंध है और दोनों पक्षों ने ऊर्जा, महत्वपूर्ण प्रौद्योगिकियों और संचार-संपर्क जैसे विभिन्न क्षेत्रों में सहयोग बढ़ाने का फैसला किया है। वार्ता के बाद प्रधानमंत्री के साथ संयुक्त संवाददाता सम्मेलन में अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति ने कहा कि दोनों पक्ष जल्द एक बड़े व्यापार समझौते पर पहुंचने की उम्मीद कर रहे है। उन्होंने भारत द्वारा कुछ अमेरिकी उत्पादों पर लगाए गए आयात शुल्क को बहुत अनुचित और कड़ा बताया। ट्रंप ने कहा, भारत जो भी शुल्क लगाएगा, हम भी वही शुल्क लगाएंगे। उन्होंने कहा, भारत हमारे साथ जो कर रहा है, हम उसके साथ भी वही व्यवहार कर रहे है। मोदी-ट्रंप की यह बैठक अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति द्वारा अमेरिका के सभी व्यापारिक साझेदारों के लिए नई जवाबी शुल्क नीति की घोषणा के कुछ ही घंटों बाद हुई है, जो उनके प्रशासन द्वारा शुरू की गई ऐसी कार्वाइयों की श्रृंखला में नवीनतम है। अपने संबोधन में ट्रंप ने कहा कि वह और प्रधानमंत्री मोदी ऊर्जा पर एक समझौते पर पहुंचे है, जिससे भारत में अमेरिका तेल और गैस का प्रमुख आपूर्तिकर्ता बन जाएगा। उन्हों ने कहा कि यह भारत के साथ अमेरिका के व्यापार घाटे को कम करने के उपायों का हिस्सा है, जो वर्तमान में लगभग 45 अरब अमेरिकी डॉलर है। अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति ने यह भी कहा कि दोनों पक्षों ने समग्र रक्षा साझेदारी का विस्तार करने का निर्णय लिया है। ट्रंप ने कहा, इस वर्ष से हम भारत को सैन्य बिक्री में कई अरब डॉलर की वृद्धि करेंगे। उन्होंने कहा, हम भारत को अंतत: एफ-35 लड़ाकू विमान उपलब्ध कराने का मार्ग भी प्रशस्त कर रहे है। एफ35 जेट विमानों को दुनिया में सबसे घातक, टिकाऊ और कनेक्टेड लड़ाकू विमानों के रूप में जाना जाता है। अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति ने यह भी घोषणा की कि भारत और अमेरिका दुनिया भर में कट्टरपंथी इस्लामी आतंक के खतरे का मुकाबला करने के लिए इस तरह काम करेंगे जैसा पहले कभी नहीं किया गया। उन्होंने मुंबई पर 26/11 हमले के साजिशकर्ता तहव्वुर राणा के भारत प्रत्यर्पण का जिक्र करते हुए कहा, मुझे यह घोषणा करते हुए खुशी हो रही है कि मेरे प्रशासन ने दुनिया के सबसे बुरे लोगों में से एक के प्रत्यर्पण को मंजूरी दे दी है। राणा वर्तमान में लॉस एंजिलिस के एक मेट्रोपोलिटन डिटेंशन सेंटर में हिरासत में है। माना जाता है कि उसके पाकिस्तानी-अमेरिकी आतंकवादी डेविड कोलमैन हेडली से संबंध है, जो आतंकी हमले के मुख्य साजिशकर्ताओं में से एक है। ट्रंप ने कहा, वह न्याय का सामना करने के लिए भारत वापस जा रहा है। उन्होंने कहा, हम उसे तुरंत भारत वापस भेज रहे है और इस तरह के और प्रत्यर्पण हो सकते है क्योंकि हमारे पास (भारत से) काफी अनुरोध है। अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति ने असैन्य-परमाणु ऊर्जा क्षेत्र में भारत-अमेरिका सहयोग में सकारात्मक प्रगति का भी उल्लेख किया।

अपनी टिप्पणी में प्रधानमंत्री मोदी ने कहा कि भारत और अमेरिका के बीच सहयोग एक बेहतर दुनिया को आकार दे सकता है। मोदी ने कहा कि अगले दशक के लिए एक रक्षा सहयोग ढांचा तैयार किया जाएगा। मोदी ने कहा, एक बात जिसकी मै गहराई से सराहना करता हूं और जो मैंने राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप से सीखी है, वह यह है कि वे (अमेरिका के) राष्ट्रीय हित को सर्वोच्च मानते है। उनकी तरह मैं भी भारत के राष्ट्रीय हित को हर चीज से ऊपर रखता हूं। यह पूछे जाने पर कि क्या कारोबारी गौतम अदाणी से जुड़ा मुद्दा बातचीत में उठा, मोदी ने कहा, भारत एक लोकतंत्र है और हमारी संस्कृति वसुधैव कुटुंबकम की है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते है। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय से मेरा नाता है। मोदी ने कहा कि दो नेताओं के बीच बातचीत में ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर चर्चा नहीं की जाती। दो देशों के दो प्रमुख नेता कभी भी ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मुद्दों पर चर्चा नहीं करते। पूर्वी लद्दाख सीमा विवाद के बाद भारत और चीन के बीच संबंधों पर ट्रंप ने इन झड़पों को निंदनीय बताया। मै सीमा पर झड़पों को देख रहा हूं जो काफी निंदनीय है...। अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति ने कहा कि वह चाहते है कि चीन, भारत, रूस और अमेरिका - सभी अच्छी तरह से मिल-जुलकर रहें। प्रधानमंत्री मोदी और राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप ने रूस-यूक्रेन संघर्ष पर सवालों के जवाब भी दिए।मोदी ने कहा, मै युद्ध को समाप्त करने के लिए संभावित समाधान खोजने की दिशा में डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के प्रयासों का समर्थन करता हूं।



वाशिंगटन में सवाददाता सम्मेलन को सम्बोधित करते हुए राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप व प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी।

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भारत व्यापार घाटे को कम करने के लिए अमेरिका से अधिक तेल, गैस और सैन्य उपकरण भी खरीदेगा

▶मुकाबला

दोनों देशों ने तय किया कि भारत- अमेरिका दुनिया भर में कट्टरपंथी इस्लामी आतंक के खतरे का मुकाबला करने के लिए इस तरह काम करेंगे जैसा पहले कभी नहीं किया गया

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पीएम मोदी की अमेरिकी यात्रा पर राहुल का बयान बेतुका : भाजपा

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भारतीय जनता पार्टी (भाजपा) ने नरेन्द्र मोदी की अमेरिका यात्रा को ऐतिहासिक बताया और शुक्रवार को नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी की प्रधानमंत्री पर की गई टिप्पणी को लेकर उनकी आलोचना करते हुए आरोप लगाया कि वह (नेता प्रतिपक्ष) एक मानसिक बीमारी से ग्रस्त हैं जिसके कारण अदाणी, हिंडनबर्ग और राफेल के प्रति आसक्त हैं।भाजपा का यह आरोप राहुल गांधी द्वारा मोदी पर उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी के कथित भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डालने का आरोप लगाए जाने के बाद आया।

भाजपा के राष्ट्रीय प्रवक्ता अजय आलोक ने यहां पार्टी मुख्यालय में एक संवाददाता सम्मेलन में कहा,'वह ऑब्सेसिव कंपल्सिव डिसऑर्डर से पीड़ित हैं। इसलिए, वह अदाणी, हिंडनबर्ग और राफेल के प्रति आसक्त है। उनकी दुनिया इन्हीं सवालों के इर्द-गिर्द घूमती है। वह मानसिक अस्थिरता की ओर बढ़ रहे हैं।ओसीडी यानी ऑब्सेसिव कंपल्सिव डिसऑर्डर एक मानसिक बीमारी है। भाजपा प्रवक्ता ने कहा कि दोनों देशों के शासनाध्यक्ष वाशिंगटन में मिले और वहां (ऐसी बैठकों में) किसी व्यक्ति विशेष के बारे में चर्चा करने का समय नहीं होता। प्रवक्ता शहजाद पूनावाला ने सोशल मीडिया मंच एक्स पर एक पोस्ट में कहा, प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी की प्रभावशाली अमेरिका यात्रा ने भारत-अमेरिका के संबंधों को मजबूत किया है, जैसा पहले कभी नहीं हुआ।

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टीटागढ़ रेल सिस्टम्स लिमिटेड (टीआरएसएल), को अदाणी सीमेंट की अनुषंगी कंपनियों अंबुजा सीमेंट्स लिमिटेड और एसीसी लिमिटेड से विशेष मालवाहक डिब्बों के विनिर्माण और आपूर्ति के लिए 537.11 करोड़ रुपये का अनुबंध मिला है। कंपनी ने शुक्रवार को यह जानकारी दी। *भाषा*

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वाशिंगटन, (भाषा)। प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी ने कहा कि उन्होंने अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ मुलाकात के दौरान उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी के खिलाफ अमेरिकी सरकार के रिश्वतखोरी के आरोपों पर चर्चा नहीं की। व्हाइट हाउस में एक प्रेस वार्ता के दौरान मोदी से पूछा गया कि क्या उन्होंने कथित रिश्वतखोरी योजना में शामिल होने को लेकर न्यूयॉर्क की एक अदालत में अदाणी और उनके प्रमुख सहयोगियों पर चल रहे मुकदमे का मुद्दा उठाया। उन्होंने कहा, सबसे पहले, भारत एक लोकतांत्रिक देश है और हमारी संस्कृति और हमारा विचार दर्शन वसुधैव कुटुंबकम है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय मेरा है। इसके बाद उन्होंने कहा कि जब दो वैश्विक नेता मिलते है, तो ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर चर्चा नहीं की जाती है। उन्होंने कहा, दो देशों के दो प्रमुख नेता ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर कभी चर्चा नहीं करते हैं। ट्रंप ने प्रेस वार्ता के दौरान इस मामले का कोई जिक्र नहीं किया। बंदरगाहों से लेकर ऊर्जा तक के कारोबार से जुड़े अदाणी समूह के संस्थापक चेयरमैन गौतम अदाणी, सागर अदाणी और प्रमुख कार्यकारी अधिकारी विनीत जैन पर अमेरिकी न्याय मंत्रालय ने आरोप लगाया है कि वे भारतीय अधिकारियों को 26.5 करोड़ अमेरिकी डॉलर की रिश्वत देने की कथित साजिश का हिस्सा थे। यह रिश्वत कथित रूप से सौर बिजली की आपूर्ति के लिए ठेका हासिल करने के लिए दी गई थी। अदाणी समूह ने इन आरोपों को पूरी तरह से निराधार बताया।

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India may review Singapore's call for raising flight quota

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India may review Singapore's call for raising flight quota

It has also sought nod to access more Indian airports; several countries have made such requests, but govt. has been reluctant to accept the demands fearing loss of passengers for Indian airlines

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India is now open to reviewing Singapore's request for a liberalised air service agreement, potentially allowing more flights and expanded access to Indian airports – a shift from its stance in recent years.

"The government is open to considering demands for a revision in bilateral agreements for Singapore but Indian airlines have to first utilise the seat capacity allocated under these agreements," a senior official of the Civil Aviation Ministry told *The Hindu* on the condition of anonymity.

A bilateral air service agreement (ASA) is a treaty between two countries that allows airlines to provide air connectivity. These specify the number of flights or seats allocated to the two countries, apart from the airports that can be served.

Following a surge in travel post pandemic, there have been demands from the UAE, Qatar, Singapore, Turkiye, and several other countries for enhanced seat allocation, but the government has been reluctant to accede to these demands fearing loss of passengers for Indian airlines, with Qatar Airways and Emirates redirecting passengers bound for the U.S. and Europe through their hubs in Doha and Dubai.



Rising demand: The UAE, Singapore, Qatar, Turkiye, and others have asked for enhanced seat allocation. PTI

Air India has placed large aircraft orders and has been expanding direct flights to far-flung international destinations.

But there is no policy change for the West Asian countries yet, according to the official.

Singapore Airlines and its low-cost subsidiary, Scoot, have fully exhausted the number of seats they are allowed to deploy on Indian routes, while Indian carriers are "almost at seat cap", according to industry and diplomatic sources.

Last year, Brian Torrey, general manager for India and West Asia at Scoot, told journalists that along with more seats there was a need for bilateral agreements to provide permission to fly to more Indian airports.

The two sides last revised a memorandum of understanding on air services in April 2013. The agreement provides 28,700 seats each to the two sides to and from seven airports in Mumbai, Delhi, Chennai, Kolkata, Hyderabad, Bengaluru, and Coimbatore. This is in addition to unlimited seating capacity to 18 points in India which is available for all ASEAN countries, including Singapore.

'Flights are full'

"The flights are full, and there is scope to work on the expansion of the air services agreement that benefits both countries and economies," Singaporean President Tharman Shanmugaratnam told journalists during his visit to India last month.

Last November, Singapore Airlines acquired 25.1% stake in Air India allowing the former to bolster its presence in India.

The decision to review Singapore's demand comes at a time Delhi's second airport, Noida International Airport, is expected to open in mid-April and needs access to top global markets to grow.

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Tetagarh Rail ko Adani Cement se bada order

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टीटागढ़ रेल को अदाणी सीमेंट से बड़ा ऑर्डर

टीटागढ़ रेल सिस्टम्स लिमिटेड (टीआरएसएल), को अदाणी सीमेंट की अनुषंगी कंपनियों अंबुजा सीमेंट्स लिमिटेड और एसीसी लिमिटेड से विशेष मालवाहक डिब्बों के विनिर्माण और आपूर्ति के लिए 537.11 करोड़ रुपये का अनुबंध मिला है। कंपनी ने शुक्रवार को यह जानकारी दी। *भाषा*

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Trump ke sath Adani ke muddhe par charcha nahi: PM Modi

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ट्रंप के साथ अदाणी के मुद्दे पर चर्चा नहीं: पीएम मोदी

वाशिंगटन, (भाषा)। प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी ने कहा कि उन्होंने अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ मुलाकात के दौरान उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी के खिलाफ अमेरिकी सरकार के रिश्वतखोरी के आरोपों पर चर्चा नहीं की। व्हाइट हाउस में एक प्रेस वार्ता के दौरान मोदी से पूछा गया कि क्या उन्होंने कथित रिश्वतखोरी योजना में शामिल होने को लेकर न्यूयॉर्क की एक अदालत में अदाणी और उनके प्रमुख सहयोगियों पर चल रहे मुकदमे का मुद्दा उठाया। उन्होंने कहा, सबसे पहले, भारत एक लोकतांत्रिक देश है और हमारी संस्कृति और हमारा विचार दर्शन वसुधैव कुटुंबकम है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय मेरा है। इसके बाद उन्होंने कहा कि जब दो वैश्विक नेता मिलते है, तो ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर चर्चा नहीं की जाती है। उन्होंने कहा, दो देशों के दो प्रमुख नेता ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर कभी चर्चा नहीं करते हैं। ट्रंप ने प्रेस वार्ता के दौरान इस मामले का कोई जिक्र नहीं किया। बंदरगाहों से लेकर ऊर्जा तक के कारोबार से जुड़े अदाणी समूह के संस्थापक चेयरमैन गौतम अदाणी, सागर अदाणी और प्रमुख कार्यकारी अधिकारी विनीत जैन पर अमेरिकी न्याय मंत्रालय ने आरोप लगाया है कि वे भारतीय अधिकारियों को 26.5 करोड़ अमेरिकी डॉलर की रिश्वत देने की कथित साजिश का हिस्सा थे। यह रिश्वत कथित रूप से सौर बिजली की आपूर्ति के लिए ठेका हासिल करने के लिए दी गई थी। अदाणी समूह ने इन आरोपों को पूरी तरह से निराधार बताया।

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Tharoor praises PM's trip, breaks ranks with Cong

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Tharoor praises PM's trip, breaks ranks with Cong

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In a move that may not sit well with the Congress leadership, senior party leader Shashi Tharoor has praised the outcomes of Prime Minister Narendra Modi's visit to the United States. His remarks came just hours after former Congress chief Rahul Gandhi took a swipe at Modi over his ties with businessman Gautam Adani.

During a press interaction, Modi had dismissed a question about Adani, stating that heads of state do not discuss private individuals. Rahul Gandhi responded sharply, saying, "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence. If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption! When filling a friend's pocket becomes 'nation-building,' taking bribes and looting the nation's wealth becomes a personal matter."

HARD TO GET COMPLIMENT FROM TRUMP

> Calling Mr Modi a better negotiator than himself is remarkable because Mr Trump takes pride in his deal-making abilities. That's high praise from a man not known for giving compliments easily. This is good news. Shashi Tharoor

Tharoor, a four-term MP and chairman of the Parliamentary Standing Committee on External Affairs, took a different stance, calling US President Donald Trump's admiration for Modi "astonishing".

"Calling Mr Modi a better negotiator than himself is remarkable because Mr Trump takes pride in his deal-making abilities. His own Defence Secretary recently called him the greatest negotiator in the world, yet here he is saying Modi is better than him. That's high praise from a man not known for giving compliments easily. This is good news," Tharoor said.

He also highlighted key takeaways from the visit, stating that major concerns, including trade and defence, had been effectively addressed. "On trade and tariffs, both sides have agreed to serious negotiations that will conclude by October or November. This is a positive outcome, as it prevents hasty decisions that could impact our exports. I welcome that," Tharoor said.

He also hailed Trump's decision to sell F-35 fighter jets to India, calling it "very valuable." "With the Rafale already in our arsenal and now the F-35s, the Indian Air Force should be in excellent shape. Overall, we've secured everything we could have expected at this time," Tharoor remarked, adding that he looked forward to an official briefing from the Ministry of External Affairs.

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World netas don't discuss individual issues: PM on Adani

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1	English	41	N/A	Middle Center	169382	4.69M

World netas don't discuss individual issues: PM on Adani

Washington: At a presser at White House, PM Modi was asked if he raised with President Trump the indictment of Gautam Adani and his key associates in a New York court over his involvement in an alleged bribery scheme.

"India is a democratic country, and our culture and our philosophy is, 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine," he said. "Prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues." Trump made no mention of the case during the presser. PTI

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10 years on, still no 'point of call' designation for Chd int'l airport

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10 years on, still no 'point of call' designation for Chd int'l airport

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Mohali: Ten years on, Chandigarh International Airport has not been designated as a point of call (PoC) for international airlines and, therefore, is not on the 'bilateral offer list', which is a prerequisite for foreign airlines to be able to fly in and out of the Shaheed-e-Azam Bhagat Singh Chandigarh International Airport.

The airport was inaugurated by PM Narendra Modi in Sep 2015. Since then, the airport attained international connectivity status but failed to consolidate on the foreign sector. Presently, there are only two international destinations connected with Chandigarh International Airport: Abu Dhabi and Dubai. Earlier flights to Bangkok and Sharjah were withdrawn.

Chandigarh MP Manish Tewari wrote a letter to the union minister of civil aviation to add the airport as a PoC to the list of 18 airports in India, in addition to Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata, and Chennai, which are designated as PoC and are therefore on the 'Bilateral Offer List' for foreign airlines to be able to fly to these airports.



The airport was inaugurated by PM Narendra Modi in Sep 2015

In his letter to Union minister of civil aviation Kinjarapu Rammohan Naidu, Tewari said a large number of people travel internationally from Punjab, Haryana, and Himachal Pradesh, both for work and tourism purposes.

Unfortunately, the Shaheed-e-Azam Bhagat Singh International Airport has not been designated as a Point of Call (POC) for international airlines and, therefore, is not on the 'bilateral offer list', which is a prerequisite for foreign airlines to be able to fly in and out of the Shaheed-e-Azam Bhagat Singh Chandigarh International Airport.

He mentioned, "Under those circumstances, I would be extremely grateful if Shaheed-e-Azam Bhagat Singh Chandigarh International Airport is added as a point of call (PoC) to the list of 18 airports in India, in addition to, of course, Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata, and Chennai, which are designated as points of call (PoC) and are therefore on the 'bilateral offer list' for foreign airlines to be able to fly to these airports."

Chandigarh International Airport Limited (CHIAL) CEO Ajay Kumar, while welcoming the initiative taken by the MP, said, "It is good of him to have taken up this issue."

WHAT IS 'POINT OF CALL'?

A 'point of call' (PoC) refers to a designated airport where a foreign airline can operate to or from, as per the air services agreement (ASA) with India. A PoC is a specific airport in India that is authorized for international airline operations under the ASA.

The ASA, which is an agreement between countries, outlines the terms and conditions for international air travel, including which airports can be used as PoCs.

The Indian government promotes international operations by Indian carriers from non-metro points, either directly or through their own domestic operations.

Any foreign airline can operate to/from a point in India if it is designated as a point of call (PoC) in the ASA.

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Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain

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3	English	19	N/A	Middle Left	9443	89.49K

Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain

Adani Power has agreed to fully restore supply from a 1,600 Mw India power plant to Bangladesh in a few days after a gap of three months but has rejected Dhaka's request for discounts and tax benefits, two sources told *Reuters*. It halved supply to Bangladesh on October 31 due to payment delays as the country battled foreign exchange shortage. REUTERS

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Corporate Briefs

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CORPORATE BRIEFS

UPDATE (GPO)

Pension Adalat

The Chief Postmaster General, Maharashtra Circle, Mumbai will be holding the56th Postal Pension Adalat for pensioners/family pensioners of Postal Department on 05th March 2025 at 11.30 Hrs, in the Office of Chief Postmaster General, Maharashtra Circle, Mumbai -400 001. Grievances regarding pensionary benefits pertaining to those who retired/died while in service from Department of Posts, Pensioners of Postal Department, Maharashtra and Goa States, which have not been settled within 3 months, will only be entertained in the Postal Pension Adalat. Cases involving purely legal points i.e. succession, Notional pension, TBOP/MACP Promotion, stepping up of pay and disciplinary cases involving policy matters, and cases pending for review of DPC will not be considered in Pension Adalat. Pensioner should forward their grievance individually (not in bulk or on behalf of others) in triplicate in the proforma attached to Accounts Officer/ Secretary, Pension Adalat, O/o Chief Postmaster General, Maharashtra Circle, Mumbai GPO Bldg., 2nd Floor, Mumbai -400 001 on or before 14.02.2025. The applications received after 14.02.2025 will not be considered in the Pension Adalat.

UPDATE (WR)

Wr Successfully Completes Regirdering Of Bridge No.5 Between Mumbai Central & Grant Road Stations

On the intervening night of 8th/9th February, 2025, Western Railway took a major block to replace the existing steel girders with PSC slabs of Bridge No. 5 between Mumbai Central and Grant Road stations. According to a press release issued by Chief Public Relations Officer of Western Railway, Shri Vineet Abhishek, the said bridge is a skew bridge with a 49-degree inclination and a 12-meter span. The existing steel girder was replaced with a specially designed Non-Standard PSC slab of 11,565 mm overall length and 650 mm depth. A total of 10 slabs, along with ballast retainers, were launched during the block period. Considering the space constraints, the crane for the regirdering work had to be placed on the Fast lines, necessitating the removal of the Overhead Equipment (OHE) of three railway tracks. The work required a meticulously planned block of approx. 13 hours but due to efficient execution and dedicated efforts, the work was successfully completed within 10 hours. The success of the work is a remarkable feat in providing better and continued safer train travel experience for passengers.

UPDATE (WR)

Electrical Training Centre, Emu Carshed At Virar Celebrates '100 Years Of Railway Electrification'



To mark the remarkable journey of Indian Railways from the inception of electrification to the present day, completing 100 years of Railway Electrification, a special event was organized at Western Railway's Electrical Training Centre, EMU Carshed in Virar. As part of the celebrations, various activities were organized from 23rd January to 3rd February, 2025. Officers, trainees, students from nearby engineering colleges (Vartak & Viva College), employees of Virar Carshed, and their children actively participated in these events. The competitions were conducted with great enthusiasm, making the celebrations memorable. According to a press release issued by Chief Public Relations Officer of Western Railway, Shri Vineet Abhishek, several engaging activities were organized by the EMU Carshed, Virar including drawing, essay writing, quiz competitions, and 'Kavita Paath'. Employees, students and children participated whole-heartedly in the competitions to keep the celebrations alive. Two EMU rakes (Medha Underslung and Alstom rake) were decorated at the carshed to spread cheer and awareness among passengers about this remarkable feat of 100 years of Railway Electrification. To culminate the events, an award distribution ceremony was also organized to felicitate the winners with trophies and appreciation certificates by the Principal of Electrical Training Centre.

UPDATE (ADANI ELECTRICITY)

Hot Prasadam Immediately After Snan: Adani & ISKCON Set Up Fourth Kitchen at Sangam

Prayagraj, Kumbh Mela: Ensuring that pilgrims receive hot, nourishing prasadam immediately after their sacred snan, Adani and ISKCON have established a fourth kitchen right at Sangam. At the suggestion of Mela Adhikari, this kitchen was set up to avoid vehicle movement from other kitchens and ensure a seamless distribution process. Previously, food had to be transported across the Mela grounds, causing logistical delays. Now, with this new setup, devotees can instantly receive prasadam at Sangam itself, right after completing their holy dip. This timely initiative reflects the commitment of Adani and ISKCON to selfless service, ensuring that no pilgrim goes hungry and every devotee is nourished both spiritually and physically. The smooth coordination and dedication of these teams continue to uplift the sacred experience of the Maha Kumbh.



UPDATE (D. J. SANGHVI COLLEGE)

Dwarkadas J. Sanghvi College of Engineering, Mumbai securing 2nd Runner-Up position at the International Rover Challenge (IRC) 2025

DJS Antariksh, the official Martian Rover Team of Dwarkadas J. Sanghvi College of Engineering, Mumbai, has once again demonstrated its excellence on the global stage by securing the prestigious 2nd Runner-Up position at the International Rover Challenge (IRC) 2025. The competition, organized by the Space Robotics Society (SPROS), took place from 28th January to 2nd February 2025 at the BITS Pilani K K Birla Goa Campus. This marks the second consecutive year that DJS Antariksh has made it to the podium at IRC, having also secured the 2nd Runner-Up position in the 2024 edition. Their consistent top-tier performance underscores their commitment to excellence in space robotics. The team competed among the top 25 international teams that qualified for the finals, showcasing their technical prowess and problem-solving skills on a global stage. The International Rover Challenge is one of the most competitive space robotics contests, bringing together the brightest minds from around the world to design, build, and operate advanced planetary rovers capable of performing intricate tasks in simulated extraterrestrial environments. Expressing their excitement, the team stated, "Our journey at IRC 2025 has been a testament to months of relentless effort, rigorous testing, and an unwavering passion for space robotics. Securing the 2nd Runner-Up position on an international platform is a proud moment for us, and we are grateful for the support of our mentors, sponsors, and institution. With their motto, "ToDecipherUnimaginable", DJS Antariksh remains committed to shaping the future of planetary exploration through ingenuity, teamwork, and cutting-edge research.

UPDATE (MET)

MET Utsav 2025 - A Grand Celebration of Indian Sanskriti

Mumbai Educational Trust (MET) once again set the stage for an extraordinary celebration of culture and talent with MET Utsav 2025, its mega annual fest themed 'Sanskriti', the event was a tribute to India's rich heritage, bringing to life the nation's diverse traditions and performing arts. The Grand Finale - Cultural Night of MET Utsav 2025 was a spectacle to behold, seamlessly blending electrifying performances, star-studded appearances, and an unmatchable energy of enthusiasm. During the celebration, the MET Ratna & MET Gaurav Awards were conferred upon students & faculty for the Academic excellence by MET Founder Chairman Mr. Chhagan Bhujbal, Hon. Trustees Mr. Pankaj Bhujbal and Mr. Samir Bhujbal along with other Trustees. During the MET Utsav celebrations celebrities including Bollywood Actor Vicky Kaushal and Veer Pahariya, playback singer Jaspinder Narula, Bollywood actresses Bhumi Pednekar and Wamiqa Gabbi, Film and television actor Chetan Hansraj, and music composer Sidhant Kapoor graced the occasion. With aerial dance performances and a dazzling Bollywood sequence well choreographed by professionals of fame and performed perfectly by MET students captivated spectators, making for a fitting conclusion to this celebration of talent, unity, and artistic brilliance.



UPDATE (ADANI ELECTRICITY)

Arun Govil and Mahant Peer Shernath Ji Praise Mahaprasad Service by adani group and iskcon at Mahakumbh

As part of the massive spiritual gathering, Adani Group, in partnership with ISKCON, has been providing free food prasad (sacred offerings) to millions of devotees. On the fifteenth day of the Mahakumbh, a notable event unfolded when Meerut MP Shri Arun Govil, famously known for his portrayal of Lord Ram in the iconic television series Ramayan, joined the Mahaprasad distribution service. Shri Govil personally distributed food prasad to devotees, further cementing the initiative's impact. Shri Arun Govil praised the efforts of the Adani Group and ISKCON in providing free, satvik (pure) food to the devotees, calling it a remarkable service during such a grand religious event. "This free and selfless food prasad service by Adani and ISKCON is a great service for the devotees in Mahakumbh," said Govil. "Providing quality satvik food is commendable, and I extend my best wishes and gratitude to both the Adani and ISKCON groups for their efforts."



UPDATE (JNPA)

JNPA handled 635,665 TEUs of containers in January 2025 with a rise of 23.21%; JNPA handled the highest-ever rail traffic of 101984 TEUs in January 2025

Jawaharlal Nehru Port Authority (JNPA), India's Best-Performing Port, handled 635,665 TEUs of containers in January 2025, which is higher by 23.21% as compared to traffic in January 2024. JNPA handled 6,013,086 TEUs of container traffic from April 2024 to January 2025 which is higher by 14.08% as compared to the corresponding period in the previous financial year.JNPA handled 635,665 TEUs of containers & 7.92 Million Tonnes of total cargo in Jan-2025 which is higher by 23.21% & 17.77 % respectively as compared to traffic in Jan-2024. During Jan-2025, JNPA handled 641 container rakes and 101,984 TEUs as compared to 542 rakes and 84,752 TEUs during the corresponding period in the previous financial year. This is the highest-ever rail traffic handled in a month surpassing the previous highest of 100,166 TEUs in Mar-2010. With consistent efforts to enhance operational efficiency and trade-centric services, JNPA continues to drive India's maritime trade growth. As the nation's premier port, JNPA remains committed to delivering seamless, sustainable, and future-ready port operations, setting new benchmarks for the sector.

UPDATE (WR)

WR's Major Block Between Borivali & Goregaon Stations On Sunday, 16th February, 2025

To carry out maintenance work of tracks, signalling and overhead equipment, a Major Block of five hours will be taken on UP and DOWN Fast lines between Borivali and Goregaon stations from 10:00 hrs to 15:00 hrs on Sunday, 16th February, 2025. According to a press release issued by Chief Public Relations Officer of Western Railway, Shri Vineet Abhishek, during the block period, all UP and DOWN Fast line trains will run on Slow lines between Goregaon and Borivali stations. Due to block some Up & Down suburban services will remain cancelled and some of the Andheri and Borivali locals will run up to Goregaon station on Harbour line. Detailed information to this effect is available with concerned Station Masters. Passengers are requested to please take note of the above arrangements.

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India, US eye trade deal by Oct as Trump vows reciprocal tariffs in talks with Modi

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Amid fears of an impending tariff war, India and the US have agreed to negotiate a multi-sector bilateral trade agreement by September-October this year as they announced "Mission 500", which aims to more than double the bilateral trade to $500 billion by 2030.

The two sides have further announced a framework to strengthen military ties by ramping up sales to India and re-committed to the US-India Energy Security Partnership, including in oil, gas and civil nuclear energy.

This came as Prime Minister Narendra Modi and US President Donald Trump held a bilateral meeting in Washington DC. Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri, speaking at a media briefing after the meeting, said "both countries have agreed to negotiate the first tranche of a mutually beneficial multi-sector bilateral trade agreement by fall (Sept-Oct) of 2025". The meeting took place hours after Trump

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PM Narendra Modi with US President Donald Trump ahead of talks at the White House in Washington DC. ANI

INDIVIDUAL ISSUES NEVER DISCUSSED BY WORLD LEADERS: PM ON ADANI CASE

PM Modi said he didn't discuss with President Trump the bribery charges levelled by the US against business tycoon Gautam Adani. Asked if he took up the issue of Adani's indictment, the PM said "two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues."

NO 'DEEP STATE' ROLE IN BANGLADESH, LET PM MODI HANDLE MATTER: TRUMP

Trump denied role of US "deep state' in last year's political tumult in Bangladesh. Replying to a query, he said: "There was no role for our deep state." The US President made it clear the matter would be handled by PM Modi, saying, "But I will leave Bangladesh to the PM."

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signed an executive order laying the groundwork for what he called reciprocal tariffs.

Trump, at a joint press conference with Modi, reiterated that India would face reciprocal tariffs — meaning whatever duties and taxes New Delhi charges on US goods, the same will apply to its goods entering the US. "Whatever you charge, we charge," he said.

"They (India) have been very strong on tariffs... It's very hard to sell into India because they have trade barriers, very strong tariffs," Trump said, who began by praising Modi, saying he aimed to "deepen every aspect of our partnership and our friendship".

PM Modi, in a post on X, said the "excellent" meeting with President Trump would add "significant momentum to the India-US friendship".

A joint statement said both sides were committed to addressing bilateral trade barriers and also recognised India's investments in the US — Indian companies' ongoing investments worth $7.355 billion have created 3,000 high-quality jobs in the US.

The two sides agreed on a deal that would facilitate India to import more US oil and gas to bring down Washington's trade deficit. In 2023, the bilateral trade between the two nations in goods and services stood at $190.08 billion with the US trade deficit of $50 billion. Misri said India was already sourcing some $15 billion worth of gas from the US and this could go up to $25 billion.

The US would build nuclear reactors in India through large-scale localisation and possible technology transfer, the joint statement said. It would further unlock plans to build large reactors and enable collaboration to develop, deploy and scale up nuclear power generation with advanced small modular reactors.

The two leaders agreed to work together to confront the global threat posed by radical Islamic terrorism and announced a new alliance — US-India COMPACT (Catalysing Opportunities for Military Partnership, Accelerated Commerce & Technology for the 21st century).

They agreed to review the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (ITAR) and accelerate defence technology cooperation across space, air defence, missile, maritime and undersea technologies.

The two sides decided to launch an Autonomous Systems Industry Alliance for cooperation in underwater domain awareness technologies. India is the first country to have such a partnership with the US defence industry on such sensitive technologies. They also launched the US-India TRUST (Transforming the Relationship Utilising Strategic Technology) initiative to promote application of critical and emerging technologies in defence, artificial intelligence, semiconductors, quantum, biotechnology, energy and space.

The US would help expand Indian manufacturing capacity for active pharmaceutical ingredients for critical medicines.

The joint statement underscored that the US had 3,00,000-strong Indian student community that contributed over $8 billion annually to its economy. India invited US educational institutions to open up campuses in the country. The two sides reaffirmed their commitment to Quad and the Indo-Pacific, and announced a plan to convene partners from the India-Middle East-Europe Corridor and the I2U2 group, comprising India, Israel, the UAE and the US, within the next six months in order to announce new initiatives within this year.

They also launched the Indian Ocean Strategic Venture — new bilateral forum to advance coordinated investments in economic connectivity and commerce.

Meta announced a multi-billion, multi-year investment in an undersea cable project. The work on the project would begin this year and would ultimately stretch 50,000 km to connect five continents and strengthen global digital highways in the Indian Ocean region and beyond.

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MUMBAI: Equity benchmark indices Sensex and Nifty extended their downward trend to eighth day in a row on Friday as investors' sentiments were plagued due to persistent foreign fund outflows.

The 30-share BSE benchmark Sensex dropped 199.76 points or 0.26 per cent to settle at 75,939.21. The NSE Nifty declined 102.15 points or 0.44 per cent to 22,929.25.

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The market capitalisation of BSE-listed firms dropped by Rs 25,31,579.11 crore to Rs 4,00,19,247 crore ($4.61 trillion) in eight days.

From the 30-share blue-chip pack, Adani Ports dropped over 4 per cent. UltraTech Cement, Sun Pharma, IndusInd Bank, NTPC and Tata Steel were also the among the laggards.

Nestle, ICICI Bank, Infosys, Tata Consultancy Services and HCL Tech were among the gainers.

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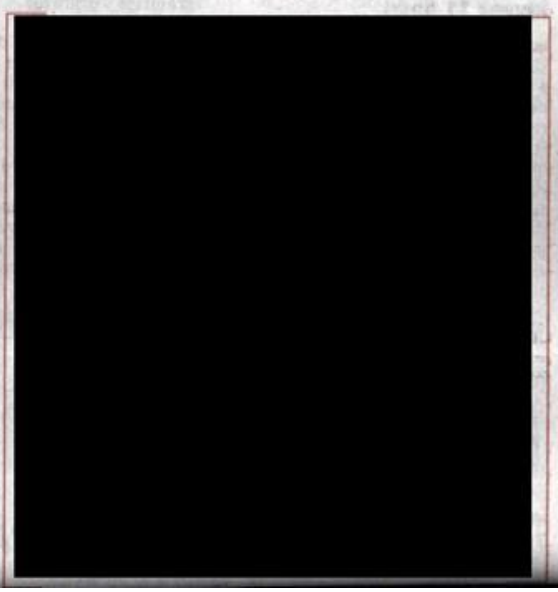
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Hindalco Industries plans to spend ₹6,000 crore as capex in India in 2024-25 (FY25) and ₹8,000 crore the next year. **SATISH PAI**, the company's managing director, told **Amritha Pillay** in a video interview that he expects Novelis, a subsidiary, to bounce back in the fourth quarter (Q4). Pai said America's announcement of trade tariffs will not have a "negative" impact on Hindalco, and Chinese aluminium imports to India are no longer cheaper. Edited excerpts:

In your Q3 performance, India operations helped offset the weakness seen for Novelis. Do you expect this trend to prevail?

In Q4, Novelis will bounce back. Both India and Novelis should do well and it should be a good quarter. Q3 for Novelis is a seasonally low quarter because of maintenance during the holiday season. This was compounded by the scrap spreads tightening. But the volumes will come back in Q4. With LME (London Metal Exchange) still holding, India operations should be good in Q4 as well.

Q&A

SATISH PAI
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With the US imposing tariffs on aluminium, what is the outlook for the two markets you have a presence in: India and US?

(US President Donald) Trump tariff: There is no negative for our India business because we do not export anything to the US. We are not impacted. Well, it is neutral to positive for what is happening in the US (for Novelis) as the scrap benefit will go up when the Midwest (premiums) goes up.

There are concerns that the US tariffs could mean exports meant for that country will be diverted. What will be the likely impact for your other export markets?

The primary aluminium that the US uses – 90 per cent – comes from one country: Canada. It is not that there is a lot of aluminium from many different parts of the world going there. I do not expect worldwide aluminium prices to get impacted. Regional premiums may get impacted, but there is not going to be a huge directional flow because every country has got 25 per cent.

You had flagged concerns about Chinese aluminium imports. Do you still see those concerns?

No. What China has done, which is more important than this Trump tariff, is that they have taken away that 13 per cent VAT rebate. For China to import into India, the prices have gone up. China, probably to protect itself under US tariffs, has been removing its subsidies. With this 13 per cent rebate going away, it makes it more expensive for China to export aluminium now. They should not be able to dump in India at very low prices.



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There is a considerable rise in your debt numbers from a year ago. Do we expect any changes there?

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For your India copper operations, two big conglomerates, Adani and JSW, are now competitors. What is Hindalco's strategy?

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Customs dept cracks down on staff after senior officer's suspension

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Following a surge in gold smuggling cases at Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel International Airport, senior Customs officials have launched surprise inspections to monitor their staff. This heightened vigilance comes in the wake of a Customs Superintendent's suspension over alleged smuggling links.

In the past ten days, airport authorities have intercepted half a dozen passengers arriving from Dubai, Sharjah and Jeddah carrying smuggled gold. Simultaneously, several outbound passengers to Middle Eastern destinations were caught with American dollars worth lakhs, suggesting an active hawala network. Officials suspect these dollars are being illegally transferred from India to purchase gold in Dubai before being smuggled back.



Gold has been smuggled by various means, including frying pan handle, capsules, etc

Internal collusion suspected

A senior Customs officer said, "The frequency of gold smuggling cases at the airport in the last ten days suggests possible involvement of officials or staff. Recently, Customs Superintendent Sunil Gupta was suspended after allowing foreign cigarettes through passenger luggage without checks. Scanner detection led to an internal inquiry and his subsequent suspension."

Staff caught off-guard

To combat the issue, Customs officials have intensified surprise inspections, particularly during night shifts, to ensure strict adherence to protocols. The department has directed all officers to maintain heightened vigilance and follow security procedures meticulously.

"Senior Customs officials will not tolerate any irregularities. Officers have been instructed to perform their duties diligently, and we've implemented night-time surprise checks to prevent negligence or involvement in smuggling activities," a senior official said.

Sources sayl the crackdown has created unease among employees, with many concerned about ongoing investigations. Central security agencies have also been alerted to strengthen airport surveillance.

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Adani issue will not be discussed with Trump: Modi

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ट्रम्प के साथ अडानी के मुद्दे पर चर्चा नहीं: मोदी

प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने कहा कि उन्होंने अमरीकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ मुलाकात के दौरान उद्योगपति गौतम अडानी के खिलाफ अमरीकी सरकार के रिश्वतखोरी के आरोपों पर चर्चा नहीं की। व्हाइट हाउस में एक प्रेस वार्ता के दौरान मोदी से पूछा गया कि क्या उन्होंने कथित रिश्वतखोरी योजना में शामिल होने को लेकर न्यूयॉर्क की एक अदालत में अडानी और उनके प्रमुख सहयोगियों पर चल रहे मुकदमे का मुद्दा उठाया। उन्होंने कहा, "सबसे पहले, भारत एक लोकतांत्रिक देश है और हमारी संस्कृति और हमारा विचार दर्शन 'वसुधैव कुटुंबकम' है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय मेरा है।"

इसके बाद उन्होंने कहा कि जब दो वैश्विक नेता मिलते हैं, तो ऐसे 'व्यक्तिगत मामलों' पर चर्चा नहीं की जाती है। उन्होंने कहा, "दो देशों के दो प्रमुख नेता ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर कभी चर्चा नहीं करते हैं।" ट्रंप ने प्रेस वार्ता के दौरान इस मामले का कोई जिक्र नहीं किया।

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Deep State, Shallow state, Non- state

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Deep state, shallow state, non-state

The deep state has now become the engine of conspiracy theories across democracies. America was the first and India is catching up fast. Many European democracies are on the bandwagon too

It's early days in 2025 yet, but the "deep state" looks like the frontrunner for winning the "word of the year" honours. Anything goes wrong and we blame this sinister entity — the deep state.

Except that it isn't so mythical. It is as much a part of our lives and system of governance as shallow state and non-state. We shall explore these definitions and how these intermesh as we go along. However, the deep state, often just called DS, has now become the engine of conspiracy theories across democracies.

The first thing we need to look at is the dictionary/Wikipedia definition of it: Potentially secret and unauthorised network of power operating independently of a state's political leadership in pursuit of its own agenda and goals. Of course, it all has a negative and conspiratorial connotation. Then, let's follow our usual three-example formula and list these specific issues/events.

- The regime change in Bangladesh. It was sudden, violent at street level, leaderless and dramatic. It's been widely blamed on the US deep state (we will use DS hereon). It's also been called a US (United States) DS success, with the insinuation that similar operations were planned in India as well. Because, of course, the Biden administration and the DS do not like Narendra Modi.
- Next, the series of exposés on the Adani group across two years. Many came from a shadowy short-seller Hindenburg, which vaporised as mysteriously as it had appeared on the scene. There were also many other stories that came in through organisations supported or funded by OCCRP (Organised Crime and Corruption Reporting Project). There is also the ICIJ, or the International Consortium of Investigative Journalists. Both are supported by the George Soros-founded Open Society Foundations. Mr Soros is an acknowledged Left-leaning anarchist (I won't call him liberal) and a stock and currency markets predator. He's the man who broke the pound and the Bank of England (1992) as well as many key East Asian countries in the 1997 financial crisis. Both these organisations supported investigations leading to stories on the Adani group. The conspiracy theory is that this was an indirect attack on the Modi government. In fact, Prime Minister Narendra Modi noted at the outset of the current Budget session of Parliament that this was the first in many years that a session was beginning without any "mischief from abroad".
- And the third, two difficult and embarrassing situations India was caught in — in Canada and the US — were linked to Sikh radical operations there. In each of these cases, the American media highlighted the stories in great detail and persisted with the coverage as did the *Financial Times* in the case of Adani. All of this, the argument is, couldn't be a coincidence. It must have been the work of DS. And you know what, now even Donald Trump, Elon Musk, and their lieutenants are all complaining about it as they set out to drain the swamp.



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SHEKHAR GUPTA

So far so good, and we then examine each in some detail. On Bangladesh are we sure this was merely the handiwork of some "potentially secret and unauthorised" group that worked under the US government radar? If you saw the pictures of George Soros' son flying in to meet Chief Adviser Mohammed Yunus in Dhaka last month, your suspicions will be strengthened.

Then also see that iconic (if I may be allowed to use just once the description I usually ban in my own newsroom for anything but a sculpture) picture of a doting Joe Biden with his arm around Yunus' shoulders.

If Hasina's downfall was really engineered by the Americans, was it by some DS working on its own? Or in conjunction with the Biden Administration? This won't pass the conspiracy theorists' definition of DS.

There are shadowy, amorphous, vaguely defined organisations that work as instruments of a regular, upfront state. A trick question follows: How will you describe the Lashkar-e-Taiba and Jaish-e-Mohammed? As non-state actors which the Pakistanis would? Or DS? Both will give the Pakistan state plausible deniability. They are the state, and they mean enormous harm to India.

The Adani issue might be a bit more complex because in most of the stories from Hindenburg and OCCRP, there is no clear US government role. So, was DS at play? But then, the US Department of Justice and Securities and Exchange Commission came up with indictments potentially and a lot more threatening than Hindenburg's. Now, were Hindenburg and OCCRP working independent of the state, or in cahoots with it? Or vice versa?

And finally, the issues India faced in Canada and the US over Nijjar and Pannun. The notion of this being DS activity was brought in mostly because some in the US and Canadian media were particularly active on this. All of their stories, however, were based on briefings by their own intelligence officials.

One way of looking at DS is the bureaucracy, civil services, police, armed forces, judiciary, regulators, election commission and other institutions that span the tenure of multiple governments.

They follow the rule book, provide continuity, and protect the family silver. Between 1996 and 1999, India had six Prime Ministers. It was a brilliant set of civil servants, military leaders, and nuclear scientists who kept continuity with our strategic programme, protected it, and didn't let a word leak.

The same system can act differently. If they kept the nuclear assets all so secret and defined as "peaceful" all of these decades, they made them open and military in 1998. Why?

That's because the Vajpayee government asked them to do so. This DS, which provides continuity and also assurance on broad policies and sovereign commitments remaining intact, also changes when political leaders command so. Those we describe as the shallow state.

"Shallow" is not to denote weakness but because they're transient. Actually, they are the ones with real power. It is used only because the political leaderships will have the deeper state apparatus at their command. It is only when the shallow state is weak that DS takes over the agenda. We saw this play out just after Manmohan Singh signed the nuclear deal.

Much of the opposition to it was based on leaks from his office and his Ministry of External Affairs by career civil servants, partly motivated by ingrained anti-Americanism and partly by those who found the change too drastic.

That is why the nuclear liability law was so poisoned as to make the entire deal fruitless. This is precisely what the Modi government's Budget just promised to change and which the Modi-Trump joint statement has taken note of.

And finally, where does non-state feature? From ancient times, sovereigns have used the cover of non-state actors to take their cause forward.

From bhikshus of Ashokan 3rd century BC and medieval Sufis to Oxfam, Omidyar and Soros now, non-state actors have any real power only when they work in conjunction with a real state. What is the US Agency for International Development, for example? It can't be DS because it is very much an instrument of the American state. So much so that Marco Rubio has now taken direct charge of it and moved it in the state department. The Trumpian objection is that it had been hijacked by Leftist ideologues who were using it to indulge their own fancy and not to further American interests.

Jump millennia to present-day India and ask what the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh is. The Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) will say it is a non-state entity, and, in fact, the world's largest non-government organisation. Ask the Congress, and they will call it the BJP's DS. The exact equation will apply if you asked the BJP and the Congress what Sonia Gandhi's National Advisory Council was. One shallow state antagonist's DS is the other's non-state entity.

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Didn't discuss Adani's issue with Trump: Modi

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Didn't discuss Adani's issue with Trump: Modi

Prime Minister Narendra Modi said he did not discuss the bribery charges that the US government had levelled against infrastructure tycoon Gautam Adani during his meeting with US President Donald Trump.

At a press briefing at the White House, Modi was asked if he raised the indictment of Adani and his key associates in a New York court over his involvement in an alleged bribery scheme.

"Firstly, India is a democratic country, and our culture and our thought philosophy is, 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'.

We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine," he said.

He then went on to state that such "individual issues" are not discussed when two world leaders meet.

"Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," he said.

Trump made no mention of the case during the presser.

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India sure US will be 'softer on us

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India sure US will be 'softer on us'

ARCHIS MOHAN
New Delhi, 14 February

Prime Minister Narendra Modi left Washington for home on Friday morning after a meeting with US President Donald Trump, with the Indian side confident that the Trump administration would be "softer" on New Delhi on issues ranging from tariffs to illegal immigration than it has been on several of its other allies and strategic partners.

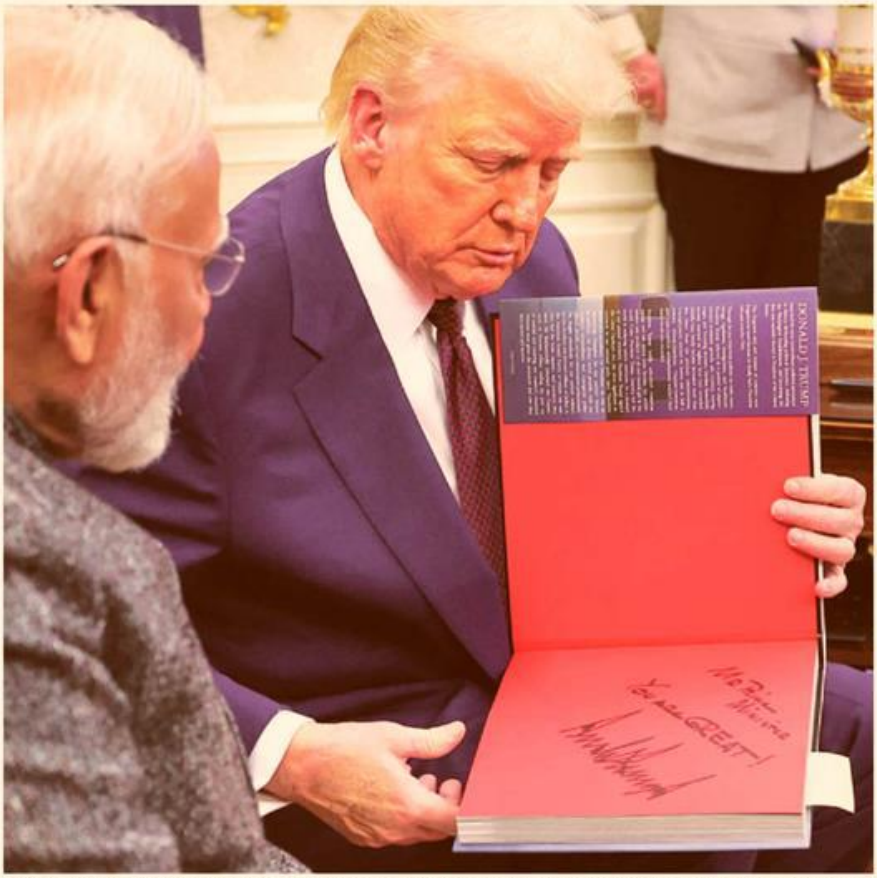
The US President conveyed that the friction witnessed in India-US ties during the tenure of his predecessor Joe Biden, especially on the issue of the alleged plot to murder a Khalistani separatist leader, was a thing of the past. Trump didn't dismiss the possibility that USAID might have interfered with the 2020 US Presidential and 2024 Lok Sabha elections. But the highlight of the Trump-Modi meeting, and the subsequent press conference, was their spirited personal rapport, and evidence of the two leaders having seamlessly picked up the threads of the friendship they had struck during the US President's previous term (2016-20).

At the press briefing, in his opening statement, the PM said: "If I say in the language of America, developed India means Make India Great Again, i.e. "MIGA". When the United States and India work together, i.e. "MAGA" plus "MIGA", the "MEGA" Partnership for prosperity is formed. And this mega spirit gives new scale and scope to our goals."

The joint statement, issued after the talks, spoke of the two sides committing to deepen their cooperation in the energy sector, counter-terrorism, defence, nuclear energy, sharing of technology, their synergy in the Indo-Pacific region and West Asia, and the centrality of Quad with India hosting the summit this year. Trump and Modi also committed "to break new ground to support and sustain the overseas deployments of the US and Indian militaries in the Indo-Pacific". It said India will "soon" open new consulates in Los Angeles and Boston. It also had enough to suggest that the Trump administration has heeded New Delhi's concerns on legal and illegal immigration. With the next batch of 119 Indian deportees set to land in Amritsar over the weekend, the Indian side returned home confident that these women and men will be treated better.

On legal immigration, the two sides agreed to put in place "innovative, mutually advantageous and secure mobility frameworks". Modi and Trump committed to streamlining avenues for legal mobility of students and professionals, and facilitating short-term tourist and business travel. The two sides said they will "aggressively" address illegal immigration and human trafficking by taking action against bad actors, criminal facilitators, and illegal immigration networks. For this, both committed themselves to strengthen law enforcement cooperation.

The two sides noted that the over 300,000-strong Indian student community contributes over $8 billion annually to the US economy and helped create a number of direct and indirect jobs. They recognised that the talent flow and movement of students, researchers and employees, has mutually benefited both countries. The two sides said they will work to strengthen collaborations between the higher education institutions through efforts such as joint/dual degree and twinning programs, establishing joint Centres of Excellence, and setting up offshore campuses of premier educational institutions of the US in India.



US President Donald Trump presented Narendra Modi a book, 'Our Journey Together', where he wrote: "Mr Prime Minister, you are great" PHOTO: PTI

Terrorism

On terrorism, Trump expressed his understanding of and support for India's fight against the menace. "We are going to have a fantastic relationship and it will make both countries much stronger," he said of the two countries combating ISIS, and other terror groups together. The US announced that the extradition to India of Tahawwur Rana has been approved. The leaders called on Pakistan to expeditiously bring to justice the perpetrators of the 26/11 Mumbai and Pathankot attacks, and ensure that its territory is not used to carry out cross-border terrorism.

Personal chemistry

Modi is among the first few world leaders to visit the US after Trump assumed office for his second term. The US President presented Modi a book, "Our Journey Together", where he wrote: "Mr Prime Minister, You Are Great". "We spent a lot of time here, and a lot of time in India... Prime Minister, it's a pleasure to extend to you the same hospitality that you showed Melania (Trump) and myself when we travelled to your beautiful country five years ago," the President said, alluding to his India visit in 2020. Trump described the PM as "a very special man". "I think our relationship is the best it has ever been between two leaders of the two countries," he said. Trump said, "Everybody talks about him (Modi). He's doing a really fantastic job. He's a great leader."

On allegations levelled against Indian agencies related to the alleged plot to murder Khalistani separatist leader Gurpatwant Singh Pannun, Trump said, "I don't think India had a very good relationship with the (Joe) Biden administration. A lot of things happened that were not very appropriate between India and the Biden administration."

Modi told Trump that he is grateful to the US President for the latter's great friendship and strong commitment towards India. On India-US negotiations on tariffs, Trump said of Modi, "He is a much tougher negotiator than me, and he is a much better negotiator. There's not even a contest." After the meeting, Modi said there was satisfaction of the two having achieved so much together during Trump's first term and the trust built then acted as a bridge during their discussions on Friday. Officials said despite Trump's hawkish stand on tariffs, he displayed a "softer" side for India by noting that it is alone not responsible for the trade practices which he believes harm the US business.

To a question on whether the issue relating to business tycoon Gautam Adani figured in the talks, Modi said, "India is a democracy and our culture is *Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam*. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine." "Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," he added.

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New era in Indo-US ties

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New era in Indo-US ties

Trump, Modi firm up big-ticket defence partnership

US paves way for supply of F-35 combat jets to India

PNS ■ WASHINGTON

India and the United States rekindled their relationship on a high note on Friday with a summit between Prime Minister Narendra Modi and President Donald Trump yielding a range of benefits including US sale of oil, gas and F-35 fighter aircraft to India, a possible mega trade deal and the immediate extradition of Mumbai attack accused Tahawwur Rana.

After talks with Modi, Trump said that India will buy more oil, gas and military hardware from America to bring down the trade deficit while asserting that Washington will not spare New Delhi from reciprocal tariffs.

At his Oval Office in the White House on Thursday (Friday India time), Trump warmly welcomed Modi with a long handshake and a bear hug and described the prime minister as a "great friend" for a long time and a "terrific" man. "We missed you. We missed you a lot," Trump said as he greeted Modi.

The elaborate welcome allayed the trepidation and put to rest the uncertainty that had clouded bilateral relationship after Trump took office last month and unleashed a series of executive orders that have upended the global economic and diplomatic order.



Yet, Modi's visit went off without any hiccups and in fact, produced rich dividends. The only fly in the ointment was Trump's announcement a day before the summit that he would impose reciprocal tariffs on countries that do the same with American goods.

The Modi-Trump meeting with an expansive agenda took place hours after the US President announced a new reciprocal tariff policy for all trading partners of the US, the latest in a series of such actions by his administration.

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In his remarks, Trump said he and PM Modi have reached an agreement that could potentially make the US the "number one supplier" of oil and gas to India, suggesting it was part of measures to bring down the US trade deficit with India that stands at around USD 50 billion.

The US President also said that both sides have decided to expand the overall defence partnership.

"Starting this year, we will be increasing military sales to India by many billions of dollars," Trump said.

"We are also paving the way to ultimately provide India with F-35 stealth fighters," he added. The F35 jets are known as the most lethal, survivable and connected fighter aircraft in the world.

Trump also announced that India and the US will work together like "never before" to confront the threat of radical Islamic terror across the world.

"I am pleased to announce that my administration has approved the extradition of one of the very evil people of the world," he said, referring to the 26/11 Mumbai attack accused Tahawwur Rana to India.

The US President also noted positive momentum in India-US cooperation in the civil nuclear energy sector.

"In the ground-breaking development for the US nuclear industry, India is also reforming laws to welcome US nuclear technology to the Indian market," he said.

In his remarks, Prime Minister Modi said cooperation between India and the US can shape a better world.

A defence cooperation framework will be prepared for the next decade, he said.

"One thing that I deeply appreciate, and I learn from President Trump, is that he keeps the national interest (of the US) supreme. Like him, I also keep the national interest of India at the top of everything else," Modi said.

To a question on whether the issue relating to business tycoon Gautam Adani figured in the talks, Modi said, "India is a democracy and our culture is 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine."

"Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," he added.

On ties between India and China following the eastern Ladakh border row, Trump said, "I do see the skirmishes on the border which are quite vicious... If I could be of help."

The US president said he wished China, India, Russia and the US -- all could get along well.

Prime Minister Modi and President Trump also answered questions on the Russia-Ukraine conflict.

"I support Donald Trump's efforts towards finding a possible solution to end the war. The world somehow feels India has been neutral during the war. But I would like to reiterate that India has not been neutral. In fact, India has been on the side of peace," Modi said.

"When I met President Putin, I had even said that this is not the era for war. I had also said that solutions cannot be found on the battlefield. They can only come when all parties sit at the table for dialogue," he said.

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Titagarh Rail bags Rs537 cr order from Adani cement

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Titagarh Rail bags ₹537 cr order from Adani Cement

Titagarh Rail Systems Ltd (TRSL) on Friday said it has secured a contract worth ₹537.11 crore from Ambuja Cements Ltd and ACC Ltd – subsidiaries of Adani Cement – to manufacture and supply 16 rakes of specialised freight wagons. The order includes bogie covered fly ash/cement wagons and bogie brake van type wagons, a statement said. PTI

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Synthetic diamonds seized at Mumbai airport

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मुम्बई एयरपोर्ट पर सिंथेटिक हीरे पकड़े

नई दिल्ली, (नवोदय टाइम्स) : सीआईएसएफ ने मुम्बई के छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज इंटरनेशनल (सीएसएमआई) एयरपोर्ट पर लैपटॉप में छिपाकर रखे गए 4.93 करोड़ रुपए मूल्य के सिंथेटिक हीरे बरामद किए हैं। इस संबंध में गोविंदभाई नथानी नामक व्यक्ति को पकड़ा गया है। वह बैंकाक जाने वाली फ्लाइट पकड़ने एयरपोर्ट पहुंचा था। सीआईएसएफ के डीआईजी अजय दहिया ने बताया कि सीएसएमआई एयरपोर्ट के टर्मिनल 2 पर एक यात्री बैंकाक की फ्लाइट पकड़ने पहुंचा था। एयरपोर्ट पर चेक इन प्रोसेस पूरा करने के बाद वह जांच के लिए सीआईएसएफ के चेकिंग प्वाइंट पर पहुंचा।

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Tewari demands point of call status for Chandigarh airport

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For the convenience of international travellers from neighbouring states, a point of call (PoC) status has been sought for the Shaheed-e-Azam Bhagat Singh Chandigarh International Airport situated in Mohali for international airlines to facilitate flights to and from here.

In a letter to Union Civil Aviation Minister Kinjarapu Rammohan Naidu, Chandigarh MP Manish Tewari stated that a large number of people travel internationally from Punjab, Haryana and Himachal Pradesh both for the purpose of work as well as tourism.

"Unfortunately, the airport has not been designated as a point of call for international airlines and therefore is not on the 'Bilateral Offer List', which is a prerequisite for foreign airlines to be able to fly in-and-out for the Chandigarh airport," he said.

The MP said he would be extremely grateful if the airport was added as a PoC to the list of 18 airports in India in addition to Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata and Chennai, which are designated as PoC and therefore on the 'Bilateral Offer List' for foreign airlines, to be able to fly to these airports. "This cannot happen till the time it does not become the 23rd airport to be put on 'Bilateral Offer List'," said Tewari.

Kataria urged to regularise structures outside lal dora

Chandigarh MP Manish Tewari and city Congress president HS Lucky have urged UT Administrator Gulab Chand Kataria to take a compassionate approach toward the regularisation of structures situated outside the lal dora limits. In the interim, they have called for an immediate provision of water connections to these areas. Emphasising that this has been a long-standing demand of villagers, both leaders underscored the need for an urgent action.

They argued that the cash-strapped MC should be told to implement this measure, as it would not only legalise unauthorised water connections but also generate revenue.

Tewari and Lucky added that despite villages falling under the jurisdiction of the MC, the outdated concept of lal dora continues to persist. Ideally, they asserted, the demarcation should have been abolished following the villages' integration into the municipal framework.

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Transcript Of Modi's Joint Press Conference In The US With President Trump

Prime Minister, the US is giving a lot of push to curb illegal immigration, and India has been cooperating on this issue. How does India see this issue in the larger context?

■ Modi: I don't think this is a question that is about India only, but even globally, you can talk about this issue. And we are of the opinion that anybody who enters another country illegally, they have absolutely no right to be in that country. And as far as India and the US is concerned, we have always been of the same opinion, and that is any verified Indian who is in the US illegally, we are fully prepared to take them back to India.

However, it doesn't stop there. These are children of very ordinary families, and they are lured by big dreams and big promises. A lot of them are brought in without them knowing about why they are going to a country. And in fact, they are connected with a human trafficking system, and we have to make sure that we fight against this system. As far as the US and India are concerned, I think what we should do is make efforts to make sure that we uproot these from within the system so that we can reduce or remove human trafficking.

And basically, the young, vulnerable, poor people of India are fooled into coming over as illegal immigrants. And our bigger fight actually is against this ecosystem or this system that encourages such gangs to thrive. And I can tell you that India will completely support your endeavour in achieving this.



Trump presents a book to Modi with a personal message (right)

I wanted to ask you, did you discuss any possible business deals with Elon Musk during your meetings today, Mr Prime Minister?

■ Modi: I have known him for a very long time. I was not even the prime minister at the time when I first met him. I was chief minister and today he came to meet me along with all his family with his children and so we had a nice discussion.

As far as EVs are concerned, the word EV has a copyright and that is one person who has a copyright to the word EV and that is Trump.

Mr President. Can I ask whether you discussed at all today the case of Gautam Adani who is one of the wealthiest men in Asia and perceived as an ally of Prime Minister Modi. Prime Minister Modi, have you asked the President to take action on that case?

■ Modi: Firstly, India is a democratic country, and our culture and our thought philosophy is Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam, which basically means that the entire world is a family. Every Indian is my own family member. And when it comes to such personal matters, two leaders of two countries will not get together on that topic and discuss anything on an individual matter.

Mr Prime Minister, how do you see India's role? You have had discussions with President Trump about de-escalating the conflict in Russia and Ukraine.

■ Modi: As you know, I have been in constant contact with both Russia and Ukraine. I have also visited both countries. And many people are mistaken, and they feel that India is neutral. I would like to clarify, India is not neutral. We have taken a side, and we have taken the side of peace. And it is based on this principle of ours that in the presence of President Putin, I clearly said in front of the media that this is not the era of war and even today it is my conviction that solutions cannot be found on the battlefield.

Ultimately, you have to come to the negotiating table and India has constantly made efforts that there are talks that take place where both parties are present. It is only then that we will find a solution. The efforts being made by President Trump, I support them, I welcome them and I would like that President Trump is successful as soon as possible so that the world is on the path to peace once again.

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PRIME MINISTER Narendra Modi said "individual issues" are never discussed when prominent leaders of countries meet, in response to a question if he had asked US President Donald Trump to take action on the Gautam Adani case.

"India is a democratic country and our culture and philosophy is 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'... we consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine," Modi said.

"Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," the Prime Minister said. The question put to him was: "Can I ask whether you discussed at all today, the case of Gautam Adani, who is one of the wealthiest man in Asia, and perceived as an ally of Prime Minister? Prime Minister Modi, have you asked the President to take action on that case?"

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Adani

Gautam Adani and 7 others were indicted by a grand jury in New York last November in an alleged Rs 2,029 crore bribery case.

Trump had signed an executive order on Monday directing the US Justice Department to halt prosecuting Americans accused of bribing foreign government officials to win overseas business. While the order is meant to provide relief to US citizens, it will likely come as a breather for key executives of the Adani Group currently facing bribery charges in a US court. The executive order would provide relief to Azure Power— which had a contract (a build, operate and transfer deal) with an Adani Group firm for a solar project — and, by extension, the Adani Group.

Last November, the Department of Justice under President Joe Biden had charged Adani for allegedly being part of a scheme to pay over US $ 250 million (about Rs 2,100 crore) bribe to Indian officials in exchange of favourable terms for solar power contracts. This was concealed from the US banks and investors from whom the Adani group raised billions of dollars for the project, the prosecutors had alleged. The charges had sparked concerns about the impact on US-India business ties and the broader strategic relationship between the two nations.

Reacting to the PM's response, Leader of Opposition in Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi attacked him for "maintaining silence" over the Adani issue while in the country, and terming it a "personal matter" on foreign soil. "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence. If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption!" he posted on X. "When filling a friend's pocket is "nation building" for Modiji, then taking bribes and looting the nation's wealth becomes a "personal matter," he said.

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ARCHIS MOHAN
New Delhi, 14 February

Prime Minister Narendra Modi left Washington for home on Friday morning after a meeting with US President Donald Trump, with the Indian side confident that the Trump administration would be "softer" on New Delhi on issues ranging from tariffs to illegal immigration than it has been on several of its other allies and strategic partners.

The US President conveyed that the friction witnessed in India-US ties during the tenure of his predecessor Joe Biden, especially on the issue of the alleged plot to murder a Khalistani separatist leader, was a thing of the past. Trump didn't dismiss the possibility that USAID might have interfered with the 2020 US Presidential and 2024 Lok Sabha elections. But the highlight of the Trump-Modi meeting, and the subsequent press conference, was their spirited personal rapport, and evidence of the two leaders having seamlessly picked up the threads of the friendship they had struck during the US President's previous term (2016-20).

At the press briefing, in his opening statement, the PM said: "If I say in the language of America, developed India means Make India Great Again, i.e. "MIGA". When the United States and India work together, i.e. "MAGA" plus "MIGA", the "MEGA" Partnership for prosperity is formed. And this mega spirit gives new scale and scope to our goals."

The joint statement, issued after the talks, spoke of the two sides committing to deepen their cooperation in the energy sector, counter-terrorism, defence, nuclear energy, sharing of technology, their synergy in the Indo-Pacific region and West Asia, and the centrality of Quad with India hosting the summit this year. Trump and Modi also committed "to break new ground to support and sustain the overseas deployments of the US and Indian militaries in the Indo-Pacific". It said India will "soon" open new consulates in Los Angeles and Boston. It also had enough to suggest that the Trump administration has heeded New Delhi's concerns on legal and illegal immigration. With the next batch of 119 Indian deportees set to land in Amritsar over the weekend, the Indian side returned home confident that these women and men will be treated better.

On legal immigration, the two sides agreed to put in place "innovative, mutually advantageous and secure mobility frameworks". Modi and Trump committed to streamlining avenues for legal mobility of students and professionals, and facilitating short-term tourist and business travel. The two sides said they will "aggressively" address illegal immigration and human trafficking by taking action against bad actors, criminal facilitators, and illegal immigration networks. For this, both committed themselves to strengthen law enforcement cooperation.

The two sides noted that the over 300,000-strong Indian student community contributes over $8 billion annually to the US economy and helped create a number of direct and indirect jobs. They recognised that the talent flow and movement of students, researchers and employees, has mutually benefited both countries. The two sides said they will work to strengthen collaborations between the higher education institutions through efforts such as joint/dual degree and twinning programs, establishing joint Centres of Excellence, and setting up offshore campuses of premier educational institutions of the US in India.

Terrorism

On terrorism, Trump expressed his understanding of and support for India's fight against the menace. "We are going to have a fantastic relationship and it will make both countries much stronger," he said of the two countries combating ISIS, and other terror groups together. The US announced that the extradition to India of Tahawwur Rana has been approved. The leaders called on Pakistan to expeditiously bring to justice the perpetrators of the 26/11 Mumbai and Pathankot attacks, and ensure that its territory is not used to carry out cross-border terrorism.



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Personal chemistry

Modi is among the first few world leaders to visit the US after Trump assumed office for his second term. The US President presented Modi a book, "Our Journey Together", where he wrote: "Mr Prime Minister, You Are Great". "We spent a lot of time here, and a lot of time in India... Prime Minister, it's a pleasure to extend to you the same hospitality that you showed Melania (Trump) and myself when we travelled to your beautiful country five years ago," the President said, alluding to his India visit in 2020. Trump described the PM as "a very special man". "I think our relationship is the best it has ever been between two leaders of the two countries," he said. Trump said, "Everybody talks about him (Modi). He's doing a really fantastic job. He's a great leader."

On allegations levelled against Indian agencies related to the alleged plot to murder Khalistani separatist leader Gurpatwant Singh Pannun, Trump said, "I don't think India had a very good relationship with the (Joe) Biden administration. A lot of things happened that were not very appropriate between India and the Biden administration."

Modi told Trump that he is grateful to the US President for the latter's great friendship and strong commitment towards India. On India-US negotiations on tariffs, Trump said of Modi, "He is a much tougher negotiator than me, and he is a much better negotiator. There's not even a contest." After the meeting, Modi said there was satisfaction of the two having achieved so much together during Trump's first term and the trust built then acted as a bridge during their discussions on Friday. Officials said despite Trump's hawkish stand on tariffs, he displayed a "softer" side for India by noting that it is alone not responsible for the trade practices which he believes harm the US business.

To a question on whether the issue relating to business tycoon Gautam Adani figured in the talks, Modi said, "India is a democracy and our culture is *Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam*. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine." "Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," he added.

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- Legal action over improper use of AI recordings sought

ADITYA KALRA
New Delhi, February 14

A GROUP OF top Bollywood music labels, from T-Series to Saregama and Sony, is seeking to join a copyright lawsuit against OpenAI in New Delhi, highlighting worries about improper use of recordings to train AI models, legal documents show.

Microsoft-backed OpenAI's legal challenges are mounting globally and in India, its second biggest market by users. But the company says it follows fair-use principles in employing publicly available data to build its AI models. On Thursday, the Indian Music Industry (IMI) group, T-Series and Saregama India asked a New Delhi court to hear concerns about "unauthorised use of sound recordings" in training AI models that breaches their copyright.

The companies' contentions in the lawsuit "are crucial for the entire music industry in India, and even worldwide," they said in their filing, which is not public but was reviewed by *Reuters*. OpenAI and the music labels did not respond to requests for comments on Friday.

The music labels want to join a lawsuit launched last year by Indian news agency *ANI* that accused OpenAI's ChatGPT application of using its content without permission to train AI models. Since then, book publishers and media groups, some backed by billionaires Mukesh Ambani and Gautam Adani, have banded together to oppose the company in the New Delhi court.

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Bollywood and Hindi pop music are big business in India.

T-Series is one of India's largest music record labels which releases about 2,000 sound records or songs annually, while Saregama, more than 100 years old, owns a repertoire of famed Indian singers such as Mohammed Rafi and Lata Mangeshkar.

On its website, the IMI group says it also represents global names such as Sony Music and Warner Music. In India, the music labels are "concerned OpenAI and other AI systems can extract lyrics, music compositions and sound recordings from the internet," said an industry source who spoke on condition of anonymity as the matter is in court.

The Indian companies' latest action comes after Germany's GEMA, which represents composers, lyricists and publishers, said in November it had sued OpenAI for ChatGPT's alleged unlicensed reproduction of song lyrics with which "the system has obviously been trained".

OpenAI, which is grappling with new challenges from Chinese startup DeepSeek's breakthrough in cheap AI computing, opposed the ANI lawsuit on the grounds that Indian courts lack jurisdiction, as the company is US-based, with servers abroad.

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OpenAI chief Sam Altman visited India last week, meeting the infotech minister, and discussing the country's plan to pursue low-cost AI. **REUTERS**

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Diamonds in laptops, gold in underwear

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2	Marathi	63	N/A	Middle Right	41365	352.42K

लॅपटॉपमध्ये हिरे, अंतर्वस्त्रात सोने

मुंबई, ता. १४ : कस्टम विभागाने बुधवारी (ता. १२) तब्बल नऊ कोटी रुपयांचे सोने आणि हिऱ्यांची तस्करी रोखली. यातील हिरे लॅपटॉपमध्ये दडवून परदेशात नेण्याचा तर अंतर्वस्त्रात दडवून सोने आणण्याचा कट उधळला.

मुंबईहून बँकॉकला जाणाऱ्या प्रवाशाकडील लॅपटॉपमध्ये संशयास्पद वस्तू दडविल्याचा संशय निर्माण झाला. तपासणी केल्यावर लॅपटॉपमध्ये दडवलेले सुमारे पाच कोटी मूल्य असलेले हिरे आढळले. अन्य कारवाईत दुबईहून मुंबई विमानतळावर उतरलेल्या तीन प्रवाशांकडून ७७५ ग्रॅम सोने जप्त करण्यात आले. सोन्याच्या रिंग आणि बटणांना रोडियम धातूचा मुलामा देण्यात आला होता. त्यातील बटणे चामडी पट्ट्यावर गुंफण्यात आली होती. त्यांच्याकडून जप्त करण्यात आलेल्या सोन्याची किंमत ६१ लाख इतकी आहे. अन्य कारवाईत नैरोबीहून आलेल्या केनिया देशाच्या १४ नागरिकांच्या अंतर्वस्त्रात चपखलपणे दडविलेल्या २,७४१ ग्रॅम वजनाच्या सोन्याच्या तारा जप्त करण्यात आल्या. त्याची किंमत १.८५ कोटी रुपये इतकी आहे.

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Diamonds, gold worth nine crores seized from the airport

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9	Marathi	337	N/A	Top Right	1323201	784.32K

विमानतळावरून नऊ कोटींचे हिरे, सोने जप्त

लोकसत्ता खास प्रतिनिधी

मुंबई : सीमाशुल्क विभागाने मुंबई विमानतळावर केलेल्या कारवाईत सहा किलो सोने व २१४७ कॅरेट हिरे जप्त केले असून, त्यांची किंमत सव्वानऊ कोटी रुपये असल्याची माहिती अधिकाऱ्यांनी दिली. आरोपी प्रवाशाने पट्ट्यामध्ये सोने लपवले होते. तसेच लॅपटॉपमध्ये हिरे सापडले. गेल्या काही दिवसांत बँकॉकहून गांजाची मोठ्या प्रमाणात तस्करी होत असून त्यातील पैशांची हवालामार्फत देवाणघेवाण करण्यासाठी हिऱ्यांची तस्करी केली जात होती का, याबाबत सीमाशुल्क विभाग तपास करीत आहे.

सीमाशुल्क विभागाने मुंबई विमानतळावर ११ फेब्रुवारी रोजी मध्यरात्री ५ किलो ९२ ग्रॅम सोने आणि २१४७ कॅरेट हिरे जप्त केले. त्यांची किंमत अंदाजे ९ कोटी १२ लाख रुपये आहे. तस्करी करणाऱ्या प्रवाशांनी पट्ट्याचे बक्कल, ट्रॉली बॅग आणि अंतर्वस्त्रांमध्ये सोने लपवले होते. तर प्रवाशाच्या ट्रॉली बॅगमधील लॅपटॉपमध्ये हिरे दडविण्यात आले होते. या प्रकरणात एका प्रवाशाला अटक करण्यात आली आहे.

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Smuggling busted

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1	Marathi	111	Mumbai Plus	Middle Right	183692	500.5K

विमानतळावर कारवाई • ९ कोटींचे हिरे, सोने जप्त

तस्करीचा पर्दाफाश

मुंबई, (वा.) मुंबईतील छत्रपती शिवाजी महाराज आंतरराष्ट्रीय विमानतळावर सीमाशुल्क विभागाने तस्करीचा पर्दाफाश केला. सीमाशुल्क विभागाने ११ आणि १२ फेब्रुवारी दरम्यान कारवाई करत ९.१२ कोटी रुपयांचे सोने आणि हिरे जप्त करण्यात आले आहेत. याप्रकरणी सीमाशुल्क विभागाने एका व्यक्तीला अटक केली आहे.

सीमाशुल्क विभागाच्या अधिकाऱ्यांनी तीन वेगवेगळ्या कारवाईत सुमारे 6 किलो सोने आणि २,१४७ कॅरेट हिरे जप्त केले. बेल्ट बकल, ट्रॉली बॅग आणि अंतर्वस्त्रांमध्ये सोने लपवून ठेवले होते. तर हिरे लॅपटॉपमध्ये लपवण्यात आले होते. पहिल्या घटनेत मुंबईहून बँकॉकला चाललेल्या प्रवाशाच्या लॅपटॉपमध्ये संशयास्पद वस्तू आढळून आल्या. त्या व्यक्तीला तात्काळ एअर इंटेलिजन्स युनिटकडे सोपवण्यात आले. त्याची कसून तपासणी केली असता त्याच्याकडे २,१४७.२० कॅरेट हिरे आढळू आले. याची बाजारात किंमत ४,९३,०५,८५० रुपये आहे. अधिकाऱ्यांनी या प्रवाशाला अटक केली आहे.



बेल्ट बकल, ट्रॉली बॅगमध्ये लपविले

- दुसऱ्या घटनेत दुबईहून मुंबईला आलेल्या तीन प्रवाशांकडून ७७५ ग्रॅम वजनाच्या २४ कॅरेट कच्च्या सोन्याच्या रोडियम प्लेटेड अंगठ्या आणि बटणे जप्त करण्यात आली. याची बाजारात किंमत ६१,४५,३४७ रुपये आहे.
- बेल्ट बकल आणि ट्रॉली बॅगमध्ये हे सोने लपवण्यात आले होते.
- तिसऱ्या घटनेत नैरोबीहून मुंबईला आलेल्या १४ केनियन नागरिकांना अटक करत त्यांच्याकडून २२ कॅरेटच्या वितळलेल्या सोन्याचे बार आणि २,७४१ ग्रॅम वजनाचे दागिने जप्त करण्यात आले. ज्याची किंमत १.८५ कोटी रुपये आहे.

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26/11 ke aropi Tehvoor Rana ko sopega US

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1	Hindi	413	N/A	Top Center	806050	2.68M

26/11 के आरोपी तहव्वुर राणा को सौंपेगा US

मोदी-ट्रंप ने पाक का नाम लेकर आतंक पर घेरा | चीन पर ट्रंप से ऑफर, भारत बोला- नो थैंक्यू

■ पीटीआई, वॉशिंगटन (अमेरिका)

अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डॉनल्ड ट्रंप ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी से हुई बातचीत में उन्हें काफी सराहा और कई मुद्दों पर भारत के रुख को गंभीरता से समझने की कोशिश की। मोदी संग साझा प्रेस कॉन्फ्रेंस में ट्रंप ने ऐलान किया कि 2008 के मुंबई हमलों के आरोपी तहव्वुर राणा को भारत को सौंपने की मंजूरी दे दी है। ट्रंप ने यह भरोसा भी दिया कि ऐसे और प्रत्यर्पण हो सकते हैं।

मोदी-ट्रंप के साझा बयान में पाकिस्तान का नाम लेकर कहा गया कि वह मुंबई के 26/11 और पठानकोट हमलों के दोषियों को न्याय के कठघरे में जल्द लाए और ध्यान रखे कि उसकी सरजमीं का इस्तेमाल आतंकी हमलों में न हो। अल-कायदा, ISIS, जैश, लश्कर जैसे आतंकी संगठनों से भारत के साथ मिलकर लड़ने की बात कही गई। ट्रंप ने भारत-चीन विवाद में मदद की पेशकश की, लेकिन भारत ने तीसरे पक्ष की भूमिका को पहले की तरह खारिज किया। बयान में अपना नाम देख पाकिस्तान नाराज हुआ। (ब्यूरो इनपुट)



"जैसे ट्रंप (अमेरिका के) राष्ट्रीय हित को सर्वोच्च मानते हैं। मैं भी भारत के राष्ट्रीय हित को हर चीज से ऊपर रखता हूं।
-नरेन्द्र मोदी, प्रधानमंत्री

मोदी अच्छा काम कर रहे हैं। वह मुझसे ज्यादा सख्त और बेहतर Negotiator हैं। ...भारत अकेले उन प्रथाओं का जिम्मेदार नहीं, जो अमेरिकी व्यापार को नुकसान पहुंचाती हैं।
-डॉनल्ड ट्रंप, अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति

ट्रंप ने मोदी को गिफ्ट की किताब : वाइट हाउस के 'ओवल ऑफिस' में मुलाकात के दौरान अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी से कहा कि मैंने आपको बहुत मिस (Miss) किया। राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप ने 'Our Journey Together' किताब मोदी को गिफ्ट की। इसमें ट्रंप ने लिखा, 'प्रधानमंत्री जी आप महान हैं।' ट्रंप ने इसमें अपने भारत दौरे को याद किया है।

ट्रंप से भारत को F-35 फाइटर जेट की पेशकश

अमेरिका ने भारत को अपना पांचवीं पीढ़ी का फाइटर जेट F-35 देने की पेशकश की। ट्रंप ने ऐलान किया कि भारत व्यापार घाटे को कम करने के लिए अमेरिका से F-35 समेत पहले से ज्यादा तेल, गैस और सैनिक साजोसामान लेगा। भारत बोला- यह प्रस्ताव है।

2030 तक साझा ट्रेड के लिए 'मिशन 500'

भारत-अमेरिका में सहमति बनी कि 2030 तक साझा व्यापार को दोगुने से ज्यादा बढ़ाकर 500 अरब डॉलर तक पहुंचाया जाएगा। इसे 'मिशन 500' नाम दिया गया। साथ ही, टैरिफ में कमी लाने और बाजार पहुंच बढ़ाने वाले कारोबारी करार की योजना की घोषणा की।

अवैध प्रवासियों की दो खेप आज और कल में

भारत के अवैध प्रवासियों को लेकर एक अमेरिकी विमान शनिवार रात और दूसरा रविवार को अमृतसर हवाई अड्डे पर उतर सकता है। मोदी ने कहा कि जो भारतीय अवैध रूप से अमेरिका में रह रहे हैं, उन्हें वापस लाने को तैयार हैं।

अदाणी पर मोदी का जवाब, राहुल बिफरे

पीएम मोदी से पूछा गया कि क्या गौतम अदाणी का मुद्दा उठा, मोदी ने कहा- ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों के लिए दो देशों के मुखिया न मिलते हैं, न बैठते हैं, न ही बात करते हैं। राहुल गांधी ने कहा कि देश में चुप्पी, विदेश में 'व्यक्तिगत मामला' बताते हैं।

भारत ने अमेरिकी विस्की पर घटाई कस्टम ड्यूटी

■ पीटीआई, वॉशिंगटन: ट्रंप ने मोदी से मुलाकात के दो घंटे पहले भारत समेत सभी देशों पर जैसे को तैसा (Reciprocal) टैरिफ लगाने का ऐलान किया है। यानी जो देश अमेरिकी सामान पर जितना टैरिफ लगाएगा, अमेरिका भी उस देश के सामान पर उतना ही टैरिफ लगाएगा। ट्रंप ने हालांकि डेविडसन नाइक का उदाहरण देते हुए भारत पर ज्यादा टैरिफ लगाने का आरोप लगाया। उधर, भारत ने अमेरिका से कारोबारी समझौते पर बातचीत शुरू करने की योजना के बीच अमेरिकी शराब Bourbon Whiskey पर कस्टम ड्यूटी 100% घटाकर इसे 50% कर दिया। पहले इस पर 150% ड्यूटी थी। भारत आने वाली ऐसी शराब का एक चौथाई हिस्सा अमेरिका से आता है।

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Adani Group plans to start wind power plants in Sri Lanka

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2	Gujarati	193	N/A	Middle Center	40052	38.92K

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શ્રીલંકા સરકારને પત્ર પાઠવી પ્રોજેક્ટ્સમાંથી ખસી જવાની જાણ કરી

નવી દિલ્હી, તા. ૧૪ ફેબ્રુઆરી અદાણી ગ્રીન એનર્જીએ આજે શ્રીલંકા સરકારની એજન્સીને એક પત્ર પાઠવી શ્રીલંકામાં બે વિન્ડ પાવર પ્લાન્ટ શરૂ કરવાની યોજના રદ કરી હોવાનું જણાવ્યું છે.

અદાણી ગ્રીન એનર્જીએ તેના બોર્ડ દ્વારા લેવામાં આવેલા આ નિર્ણયની જાણ શ્રીલંકાના સત્તાવાળાઓને કરી જણાવ્યું કે, અમે વિનમ્રતાપૂર્વક આરઈ વિન્ડ પાવર પ્રોજેક્ટ્સ અને બે ટ્રાન્સમિશન પ્રોજેક્ટ્સ શરૂ કરવાની યોજનાને રદ કરી રહ્યા છે. જોકે, શ્રીલંકા સરકાર ચાહે તો અમે ભવિષ્યમાં સહકાર કરવા ખુલ્લું મન રાખીએ છીએ, એમ અદાણી ગ્રુપના એક પ્રવક્તાએ જણાવ્યું હતું. ગયા મહિને શ્રીલંકા સરકારે જણાવ્યું હતું કે, તેમણે અદાણી ગ્રુપ સાથે સૂચિત વીજ પ્રોજેક્ટ વિશે ચર્ચા શરૂ કરી છે જેનો અંદાજિત ખર્ચ આશરે એક અબજ ડોલરનો છે.



શ્રીલંકા સરકારના પ્રધાનમંડળ દ્વારા વાટાઘાટ સમિતિ અને પ્રોજેક્ટ પ્રપોઝલ વિશે નવેસરથી મંત્રણા કરવા માટે સમિતિ નિયુક્ત કરવામાં આવશે એવી અમને જાણ થઈ છે, એમ કંપનીએ પાઠવેલા પત્રમાં જણાવ્યું હતું. શ્રીલંકન સરકારના આ પાસા વિશે બોર્ડની બેઠકમાં ચર્ચા થઈ હતી અને તેમાં શ્રીલંકન સરકારની સ્વાયત્તતા વિશે પૂર્ણ આદર રાખી અમે આ યોજનામાંથી આદર સાથે ખસી જવાનો નિર્ણય લીધો છે, એમ ૧૨મી ફેબ્રુઆરીએ પાઠવેલા પત્રમાં જણાવવામાં આવ્યું હતું.

આ ઘટના સંદર્ભે શ્રીલંકા સરકારના ઊર્જા મંત્રાલય દ્વારા તેમ જ અદાણી ગ્રુપ દ્વારા કોઈ ટિપ્પણી કરવામાં આવી નથી. અમેરિકામાં જો બાયડનની સરકાર સમયે હિન્ડનબર્ગ અને ડિપાર્ટમેન્ટ ઓફ જસ્ટિસ દ્વારા અદાણી ગ્રુપ સામે પાવર પ્રોજેક્ટ્સ હસ્તગત કરવા માટે ભારતીય અધિકારીઓને કથિત લાંચ આપવાના થયેલા આક્ષેપો બાદ શ્રીલંકન સરકારે અદાણીના સ્થાનિક પ્રોજેક્ટ્સની સમીક્ષા કરવાનો નિર્ણય લીધો હતો. જોકે, અદાણીએ આ આક્ષેપોને જુઠ્ઠાણાંનું રિસાઈકલ ગણાવી ફગાવી દીધા હતા અને અમેરિકા દ્વારા થયેલા આ આક્ષેપોનો જવાબ આપવા કાયદાકીય પગલાં વિચાર્યા હતા. તે પછી સરકાર પરિવર્તન થતાં ટ્રમ્પ સરકારે અદાણી સામેના કેસને ચલાવવા માટેના સ્થાનિક કાયદાને તાજેતરમાં અટકાવી દીધા હતા.

અદાણી ગ્રુપ અત્યારે શ્રીલંકામાં કોલંબો ખાતે ત્યાંના સૌથી મોટા બંદરને બાંધવાની ૭૦ કરોડ ડોલરની યોજના આગળ વધારી રહ્યું છે.

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Adani's company pulled out of power projects in Sri Lanka

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श्रीलंकेतील वीज प्रकल्पांमधून अदानींची कंपनी बाहेर पडली

नवी दिल्ली - श्रीलंकेतील नव्या सरकारने दर ठरविण्यासाठी पुन्हा वाटाघाटी करण्याचा निर्णय घेतल्याने अदानी समूहातील अदानी ग्रीन एनर्जी ही कंपनी दोन नियोजित पवनऊर्जा प्रकल्पांमधून बाहेर पडली. श्रीलंकेतील या दोन पवन ऊर्जा प्रकल्पांची उभारणी, विजेची निर्मिती आणि वहन करण्यासाठीची वीजवाहक तारांचे जाळे तयार करणे या कामांसाठी अदानी ग्रीन एनर्जी १ अब्ज अमेरिकन डॉलर्सची गुंतवणूक करणार होती. दरम्यानच्या काळात झालेल्या सत्तांतरानंतर नवे राष्ट्राध्यक्ष अनुरा कुमार दिसानायके यांच्या सरकारने वीज दर कमी करण्याच्या उद्देशाने या पवन ऊर्जा प्रकल्पांची छाननी करण्याचा निर्णय घेतला. त्यानंतर अदानी ग्रीन एनर्जी कंपनी दोन्ही प्रकल्पातून बाहेर पडली.

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Congress Taunting

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कांग्रेस का तंज़- मोदी के लिए देश की संपत्ति का लुटना निजी मामला

राहुल गांधी ने मोदी के US दौरे पर की टिप्पणी

■ NBT रिपोर्ट, नई दिल्ली

कांग्रेस ने पीएम मोदी के अमेरिकी दौरे, खासकर राष्ट्रपति डॉनल्ड ट्रंप के साथ उनके मीडिया से मुलाकात को लेकर निशाना साधा है। कांग्रेस ने खासकर अदाणी पर पीएम मोदी के जवाब को लेकर तीखे वार किए हैं।

लोकसभा में नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी ने तंज कसते हुए कहा कि विदेश में मोदी के लिए रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति का लुटना निजी मामला बन जाता है। दरअसल, मोदी से अदाणी को लेकर किए गए एक सवाल पर उन्होंने कहा था कि जब दो देशों के शीर्ष नेता मिलते हैं तो उनके बीच ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों को लेकर न बात होती है, न वे बैठते हैं और न ही मुलाकात होती है। पीएम के इस जवाब पर राहुल ने कहा कि 'देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला! अमेरिका में भी पीएम ने अदाणी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया! जब मित्र का जेब भरना पीएम के लिए राष्ट्र निर्माण है, तब रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना व्यक्तिगत मामला बन जाता है।'

वहीं, कांग्रेस ने मुंबई में 2008 में हुए आतंकी हमले में वॉन्टेड तहव्वुर राणा के भारत प्रत्यर्पण का रास्ता साफ होने का श्रेय खुद को देते हुए कहा कि राणा को दोषी ठहरवाने में कांग्रेस नीत UPA सरकार ने अहम भूमिका निभाई थी। कांग्रेस के मीडिया विभाग के प्रमुख पवन खेड़ा ने कहा कि 10 जून 2011 को यूपीए सरकार ने औपचारिक रूप से अमेरिका से भारत-अमेरिका प्रत्यर्पण संधि (1997) के तहत डेविड हेडली और तहव्वुर राणा दोनों के प्रत्यर्पण का अनुरोध किया था।

मोदी की विदेश यात्राओं में खामियां निकालना कांग्रेस की आदत: BJP

■ भाषा, नई दिल्ली : बीजेपी ने शुक्रवार को पीएम नरेंद्र मोदी की अमेरिका यात्रा को 'ऐतिहासिक' बताया और नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी की टिप्पणी को लेकर उनकी आलोचना करते हुए कहा कि प्रधानमंत्री की विदेश यात्राओं में खामियां निकालना कांग्रेस नेताओं की आदत बन गई है। बीजेपी के राष्ट्रीय प्रवक्ता शहजाद पूनावाला ने सोशल मीडिया मंच X पर एक पोस्ट में कहा, 'पीएम मोदी की प्रभावशाली अमेरिका यात्रा ने भारत-अमेरिका के संबंधों को मजबूत किया है, जैसा पहले कभी नहीं हुआ। यह एक ऐतिहासिक यात्रा थी।' उन्होंने अमेरिका यात्रा के दौरान मोदी की उपलब्धियां भी गिनाईं।

पार्टी के राष्ट्रीय प्रवक्ता सैयद शाहनवाज हुसैन ने 26/11 मुंबई आतंकवादी हमले के आरोपी तहव्वुर राणा के प्रत्यर्पण को मंजूरी के बारे में अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डॉनल्ड ट्रंप की घोषणा को 'भारत के लिए एक बहुत बड़ी कूटनीतिक जीत' बताया। शाहनवाज ने उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी के कथित भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डालने का मोदी पर आरोप लगाने के लिए राहुल गांधी की आलोचना करते हुए कहा कि कांग्रेस नेता को यह ध्यान रखना चाहिए कि मोदी ने देश के पीएम और 140 करोड़ लोगों के नेता के रूप में अमेरिका का दौरा किया था, न कि बीजेपी नेता के रूप में।

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Gautam Adani's issue is not in discussion

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गौतम अदाणींचा मुद्दा चर्चेत नाही



गौतम अदाणी

वॉशिंग्टन, ता. १४ (पीटीआय) : उद्योगपती गौतम अदाणी यांचा मुद्दा अमेरिकेचे अध्यक्ष डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प आणि पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी यांच्या चर्चेत नसल्याचे निष्पन्न झाले.

अदानी यांचा मुद्दा उपस्थित झाला का, असे पत्रकारांनी विचारले असता मोदी म्हणाले, "भारताची वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम् ही संस्कृती आहे. त्यामुळे सर्व भारतीयांना आम्ही आपले मानतो. मात्र, दोन देशांचे नेते चर्चा करत असतात तेव्हा एखाद्या व्यक्तीशी निगडित चर्चा होत नसते," असे मोदी यावेळी म्हणाले.

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INDIA SURE US WILL BE 'SOFTER ON US

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India sure US will be 'softer on us'

ARCHIS MOHAN
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Prime Minister Narendra Modi left Washington for home on Friday morning after a meeting with US President Donald Trump, with the Indian side confident that the Trump administration would be "softer" on New Delhi on issues ranging from tariffs to illegal immigration than it has been on several of its other allies and strategic partners.

The US President conveyed that the friction witnessed in India-US ties during the tenure of his predecessor Joe Biden, especially on the issue of the alleged plot to murder a Khalistani separatist leader, was a thing of the past. Trump didn't dismiss the possibility that USAID might have interfered with the 2020 US Presidential and 2024 Lok Sabha elections. But the highlight of the Trump-Modi meeting, and the subsequent press conference, was their spirited personal rapport, and evidence of the two leaders having seamlessly picked up the threads of the friendship they had struck during the US President's previous term (2016-20).

At the press briefing, in his opening statement, the PM said: "If I say in the language of America, developed India means Make India Great Again, i.e. "MIGA". When the United States and India work together, i.e. "MAGA" plus "MIGA", the "MEGA" Partnership for prosperity is formed. And this mega spirit gives new scale and scope to our goals."

The joint statement, issued after the talks, spoke of the two sides committing to deepen their cooperation in the energy sector, counter-terrorism, defence, nuclear energy, sharing of technology, their synergy in the Indo-Pacific region and West Asia, and the centrality of Quad with India hosting the summit this year. Trump and Modi also committed "to break new ground to support and sustain the overseas deployments of the US and Indian militaries in the Indo-Pacific". It said India will "soon" open new consulates in Los Angeles and Boston. It also had enough to suggest that the Trump administration has heeded New Delhi's concerns on legal and illegal immigration. With the next batch of 119 Indian deportees set to land in Amritsar over the weekend, the Indian side returned home confident that these women and men will be treated better.

On legal immigration, the two sides agreed to put in place "innovative, mutually advantageous and secure mobility frameworks". Modi and Trump committed to streamlining avenues for legal mobility of students and professionals, and facilitating short-term tourist and business travel. The two sides said they will "aggressively" address illegal immigration and human trafficking by taking action against bad actors, criminal facilitators, and illegal immigration networks. For this, both committed themselves to strengthen law enforcement cooperation.

The two sides noted that the over 300,000-strong Indian student community contributes over $8 billion annually to the US economy and helped create a number of direct and indirect jobs. They recognised that the talent flow and movement of students, researchers and employees, has mutually benefited both countries. The two sides said they will work to strengthen collaborations between the higher education institutions through efforts such as joint/dual degree and twinning programs, establishing joint Centres of Excellence, and setting up offshore campuses of premier educational institutions of the US in India.

Terrorism

On terrorism, Trump expressed his understanding of and support for India's fight against the menace. "We are going to have a fantastic relationship and it will make both countries much stronger," he said of the two countries combating ISIS, and other terror groups together. The US announced that the extradition to India of Tahawwur Rana has been approved. The leaders called on Pakistan to expeditiously bring to justice the perpetrators of the 26/11 Mumbai and Pathankot attacks, and ensure that its territory is not used to carry out cross-border terrorism.



US President Donald Trump presented Narendra Modi a book, 'Our Journey Together', where he wrote: "Mr Prime Minister, you are great" PHOTO: PTI

Personal chemistry

Modi is among the first few world leaders to visit the US after Trump assumed office for his second term. The US President presented Modi a book, "Our Journey Together", where he wrote: "Mr Prime Minister, You Are Great". "We spent a lot of time here, and a lot of time in India... Prime Minister, it's a pleasure to extend to you the same hospitality that you showed Melania (Trump) and myself when we travelled to your beautiful country five years ago," the President said, alluding to his India visit in 2020. Trump described the PM as "a very special man". "I think our relationship is the best it has ever been between two leaders of the two countries," he said. Trump said, "Everybody talks about him (Modi). He's doing a really fantastic job. He's a great leader."

On allegations levelled against Indian agencies related to the alleged plot to murder Khalistani separatist leader Gurpatwant Singh Pannun, Trump said, "I don't think India had a very good relationship with the (Joe) Biden administration. A lot of things happened that were not very appropriate between India and the Biden administration."

Modi told Trump that he is grateful to the US President for the latter's great friendship and strong commitment towards India. On India-US negotiations on tariffs, Trump said of Modi, "He is a much tougher negotiator than me, and he is a much better negotiator. There's not even a contest." After the meeting, Modi said there was satisfaction of the two having achieved so much together during Trump's first term and the trust built then acted as a bridge during their discussions on Friday. Officials said despite Trump's hawkish stand on tariffs, he displayed a "softer" side for India by noting that it is alone not responsible for the trade practices which he believes harm the US business.

To a question on whether the issue relating to business tycoon Gautam Adani figured in the talks, Modi said, "India is a democracy and our culture is *Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam*. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine." "Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," he added.

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Modi 'covering up' Adani's corruption, says Congress

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8	English	266	N/A	Top Center	47873	117.58K

Modi 'covering up' Adani's corruption, says Congress

Rahul says, for Modi, bribery and looting the country's wealth becomes a 'personal matter', after PM says 'personal matters' not discussed in meeting with Trump when asked about Adani case

The Hindu Bureau
NEW DELHI

The Congress on Friday charged Prime Minister Narendra Modi with "covering up" alleged corruption of industrialist Gautam Adani, following a response given by Mr. Modi to a query on the indictment of Mr. Adani by a U.S. court in a bribery allegation, at a joint press conference with U.S. President Donald Trump.

The Leader of the Opposition in the Lok Sabha, Rahul Gandhi, in post on X, said, "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence. If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi*ji* covered up Adani*ji's* corruption!" Mr. Gandhi added, "When filling a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modi*ji*, then bribery and looting the country's wealth becomes a 'personal matter'."

At the press conference, when a reporter asked if the case against Mr. Adani, who was indicted by a U.S. court in a bribery allegation, figured in the talks with Mr. Trump, the Prime Minister said, "India is a democracy and our culture is *Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam*. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine. Such individual matters are not discussed in talks between two leaders."



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> Leader of the Opposition

'PM's face turned pale'

Congress general secretary, in-charge of communications, Jairam Ramesh, in a post on X, said, "Modi*ji*'s face turned pale on hearing Adani's name. Then he gave a roundabout and irrelevant answer - this is a personal matter. Since when has corruption become a personal matter."

In another post, Mr. Ramesh said, "Mr. Modi likes to display his knowledge of algebraic equations acquired through his training in entire political science. First he likened Indo-Canada relations to (a+b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab. Now he says in the context of India and USA that MAGA + MIGA = MEGA. Actually the only equation that counts is Modi + Adani = Modani."

Meanwhile, in contrast to the Congress' official position, party senior leader and Lok Sabha member from Thiruvananthapuram Shashi Thaoor praised the Prime Minister's engagement with the U.S.

'Concerns addressed'

"The press statements by both the Prime Minister and President Trump are very encouraging. The big concerns, we all had, have been addressed. For example, on the question of trade and tariffs, they have decided to sit down together and do a serious negotiation and conclude by the fall (September-October)," Mr. Tharoor said in Bengaluru on the sidelines of the Invest Karnataka summit being held here.

On the illegal immigration issue, Mr. Tharoor said, "The only thing missing there from what Prime Minister Modi said was the question of the manner in which these people were treated and sent back. I think his stand was absolutely correct. I hope some things were said behind closed doors and not in the press conference."

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Modi's attempt to cover up Adani's corruption

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अदानींच्या भ्रष्टाचारावर मोदींचा पांघरुण घालण्याचा प्रयत्न

राहुल गांधी यांचा आरोप

पीटीआय, नवी दिल्ली

'उद्योगपती गौतम अदानींनी केलेल्या भ्रष्टाचारावर पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी पांघरुण घालण्याचा प्रयत्न करीत आहेत,' असा आरोप काँग्रेसचे नेते राहुल गांधी यांनी शुक्रवारी केला.



राहुल गांधी म्हणाले, 'पंतप्रधान देशामध्ये या अदानींनी केलेल्या भ्रष्टाचारावर प्रश्न विचारला, तर मौन पाळतात आणि अमेरिकेत यावर बोलताना हा मुद्दा वैयक्तिक असल्याचे विधान करतात. अमेरिकेतही त्यांनी अदानींच्या भ्रष्टाचारावर पांघरुण घातले.'

राहुल गांधी यांनी 'एक्स'वर याबाबत टिप्पणी केली. 'मित्रांचे खिसे भरणे ही मोदींसाठी राष्ट्रउभारणी असेल, तर लाच घेणे आणि देशाची संपत्ती लुटणे हा वैयक्तिक मुद्दा बनतो,' असेही ते म्हणाले.

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Adani Group plans to start wind power plants in Sri Lanka

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2	Gujarati	193	N/A	Middle Center	40052	38.92K

અદાણી ગ્રુપે શ્રીલંકામાં વિન્ડ પાવર પ્લાન્ટ્સ શરૂ કરવાની યોજના માંડી વાળી

શ્રીલંકા સરકારને પત્ર પાઠવી પ્રોજેક્ટ્સમાંથી ખસી જવાની જાણ કરી

નવી દિલ્હી, તા. ૧૪ ફેબ્રુઆરી અદાણી ગ્રીન એનર્જીએ આજે શ્રીલંકા સરકારની એજન્સીને એક પત્ર પાઠવી શ્રીલંકામાં બે વિન્ડ પાવર પ્લાન્ટ શરૂ કરવાની યોજના રદ કરી હોવાનું જણાવ્યું છે.

અદાણી ગ્રીન એનર્જીએ તેના બોર્ડ દ્વારા લેવામાં આવેલા આ નિર્ણયની જાણ શ્રીલંકાના સત્તાવાળાઓને કરી જણાવ્યું કે, અમે વિનમ્રતાપૂર્વક આરઈ વિન્ડ પાવર પ્રોજેક્ટ્સ અને બે ટ્રાન્સમિશન પ્રોજેક્ટ્સ શરૂ કરવાની યોજનાને રદ કરી રહ્યા છે. જોકે, શ્રીલંકા સરકાર ચાહે તો અમે ભવિષ્યમાં સહકાર કરવા ખુલ્લું મન રાખીએ છીએ, એમ અદાણી ગ્રુપના એક પ્રવક્તાએ જણાવ્યું હતું. ગયા મહિને શ્રીલંકા સરકારે જણાવ્યું હતું કે, તેમણે અદાણી ગ્રુપ સાથે સૂચિત વીજ પ્રોજેક્ટ વિશે ચર્ચા શરૂ કરી છે જેનો અંદાજિત ખર્ચ આશરે એક અબજ ડોલરનો છે.



શ્રીલંકા સરકારના પ્રધાનમંડળ દ્વારા વાટાઘાટ સમિતિ અને પ્રોજેક્ટ પ્રપોઝલ વિશે નવેસરથી મંત્રણા કરવા માટે સમિતિ નિયુક્ત કરવામાં આવશે એવી અમને જાણ થઈ છે, એમ કંપનીએ પાઠવેલા પત્રમાં જણાવ્યું હતું. શ્રીલંકન સરકારના આ પાસા વિશે બોર્ડની બેઠકમાં ચર્ચા થઈ હતી અને તેમાં શ્રીલંકન સરકારની સ્વાયત્તતા વિશે પૂર્ણ આદર રાખી અમે આ યોજનામાંથી આદર સાથે ખસી જવાનો નિર્ણય લીધો છે, એમ ૧૨મી ફેબ્રુઆરીએ પાઠવેલા પત્રમાં જણાવવામાં આવ્યું હતું.

આ ઘટના સંદર્ભે શ્રીલંકા સરકારના ઊર્જા મંત્રાલય દ્વારા તેમ જ અદાણી ગ્રુપ દ્વારા કોઈ ટિપ્પણી કરવામાં આવી નથી. અમેરિકામાં જો બાયડનની સરકાર સમયે હિન્ડનબર્ગ અને ડિપાર્ટમેન્ટ ઓફ જસ્ટિસ દ્વારા અદાણી ગ્રુપ સામે પાવર પ્રોજેક્ટ્સ હસ્તગત કરવા માટે ભારતીય અધિકારીઓને કથિત લાંચ આપવાના થયેલા આક્ષેપો બાદ શ્રીલંકન સરકારે અદાણીના સ્થાનિક પ્રોજેક્ટ્સની સમીક્ષા કરવાનો નિર્ણય લીધો હતો. જોકે, અદાણીએ આ આક્ષેપોને જુઠ્ઠાણાંનું રિસાઈકલ ગણાવી ફગાવી દીધા હતા અને અમેરિકા દ્વારા થયેલા આ આક્ષેપોનો જવાબ આપવા કાયદાકીય પગલાં વિચાર્યા હતા. તે પછી સરકાર પરિવર્તન થતાં ટ્રમ્પ સરકારે અદાણી સામેના કેસને ચલાવવા માટેના સ્થાનિક કાયદાને તાજેતરમાં અટકાવી દીધા હતા.

અદાણી ગ્રુપ અત્યારે શ્રીલંકામાં કોલંબો ખાતે ત્યાંના સૌથી મોટા બંદરને બાંધવાની ૭૦ કરોડ ડોલરની યોજના આગળ વધારી રહ્યું છે.

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Adani's company pulled out of power projects in Sri Lanka

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श्रीलंकेतील वीज प्रकल्पांमधून अदानींची कंपनी बाहेर पडली

नवी दिल्ली - श्रीलंकेतील नव्या सरकारने दर ठरविण्यासाठी पुन्हा वाटाघाटी करण्याचा निर्णय घेतल्याने अदानी समूहातील अदानी ग्रीन एनर्जी ही कंपनी दोन नियोजित पवनऊर्जा प्रकल्पांमधून बाहेर पडली. श्रीलंकेतील या दोन पवन ऊर्जा प्रकल्पांची उभारणी, विजेची निर्मिती आणि वहन करण्यासाठीची वीजवाहक तारांचे जाळे तयार करणे या कामांसाठी अदानी ग्रीन एनर्जी १ अब्ज अमेरिकन डॉलर्सची गुंतवणूक करणार होती. दरम्यानच्या काळात झालेल्या सत्तांतरानंतर नवे राष्ट्राध्यक्ष अनुरा कुमार दिसानायके यांच्या सरकारने वीज दर कमी करण्याच्या उद्देशाने या पवन ऊर्जा प्रकल्पांची छाननी करण्याचा निर्णय घेतला. त्यानंतर अदानी ग्रीन एनर्जी कंपनी दोन्ही प्रकल्पातून बाहेर पडली.

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Eighth consecutive session of sell-off

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સતત આઠમા સત્રમાં વેચવાલી

મિડકૅપ, સ્મોલકૅપ શૅર્સમાં ભારે ધોવાણ યથાવત્



મુંબઈ શૅરબજાર



વૈશ્વિક બજાર

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સીએસી	૦.૩૯
ડીએએક્સ	- ૦.૨૯
ગિફ્ટ નિફ્ટી	૦.૧૮
નિક્કી ૨૨૫	- ૦.૮૦
હેન્ગ સેન્ગ	૩.૫૬
તાઈવાન વેઈટેડ	- ૧.૦૭
કોસ્પી	૦.૩૦
સેટ કોમ્પોસિટ	- ૦.૯૪
જાકાર્તા કોમ્પોસિટ	૦.૩૭
શાંઘાઈ કોમ્પોસિટ	૦.૪૩

(ભાવ આઈએસટી ૬.૩૦ પ્રમાણે)

વ્યાપાર ટીમ

મુંબઈ, તા. ૧૪ ફેબ્રુઆરી

સપ્તાહના અંતિમ સત્રમાં શુક્રવારે બજાર શરૂઆતમાં સકારાત્મક ખૂલ્યા બાદ ઘટીને બંધ રહ્યું હતું. સેન્સેક્સ ૧૯૯.૭૬ પૉઇન્ટ્સ (૦.૨૬ ટકા) ઘટીને ૭૫,૯૩૯.૨૧ પૉઇન્ટ્સ ઉપર અને નિફ્ટી ૧૦૨.૧૫ પૉઇન્ટ્સ (૦.૪૪ ટકા) ઘટીને ૨૨,૯૨૯.૨૫ પૉઇન્ટ્સ ઉપર બંધ રહ્યા હતા.

સતત આઠમા સત્રમાં બજાર ઘટ્યું હતું. ૧૩ ક્ષેત્રના સૂચકાંકો ઘટ્યા હતા. વિદેશી રોકાણકારોની સતત વેચવાલીને કારણે બજારનું સેન્ટિમેન્ટ ખરાબ થયું હતું. આઠ દિવસમાં સેન્સેક્સ ૨૬૪૪.૬ પૉઇન્ટ્સ (૩.૩૬ ટકા) ઘટ્યો છે, જ્યારે નિફ્ટી ૮૧૦ પૉઇન્ટ્સ (૩.૪૧ ટકા) ઘટ્યો હતો.

સેન્સેક્સમાં અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ ૪ ટકાથી વધુ ઘટ્યો હતો ત્યાર બાદ અલ્ટ્રાટેક સિમેન્ટ, સન ફાર્મા, ઇન્ડસઇન્ડ બેન્ક, એનટીપીસી અને તાતા સ્ટીલ ઘટ્યા હતા, જ્યારે નેસ્લે, આઈસીઆઈસીઆઈ બેન્ક, ઇન્ફોસીસ, ટીસીએસ અને એચસીએલ ટેક વધ્યા હતા.

નિફ્ટીમાં ભારત ઇલેક્ટ્રોનિક્સ, અદાણી એન્ટરપ્રાઇઝિસ, ટ્રેન્ટ, અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ અને સનફાર્માના ભાવ સૌથી વધુ ઘટ્યા હતા, જ્યારે બ્રિટાનિયા, આઈસીઆઈસીઆઈ બેન્ક, નેસ્લે, ઇન્ફોસીસ અને ટીસીએસના ભાવ વધ્યા હતા.

જિયોજિત ફાઇનાન્સિયલના વિનોદ નાયરે જણાવ્યું હતું કે, ખાસ કરીને મિડકૅપ અને સ્મોલકૅપમાં કૉર્પોરેટ કમાણી ધાર્યા કરતાં નોંધપાત્ર રીતે ઓછી હોવાથી રોકાણકારોમાં સાવચેતીનું વલણ છે.

ઓછી કૉર્પોરેટ કમાણી, રૂપિયાનું અવમૂલ્યન અને ટેરિફ યુદ્ધ જેવા બહારનાં પરિબળોને કારણે નજીકના સમયમાં બજારનું સેન્ટિમેન્ટ ખરાબ રહેશે અને એફઆઈઆઈની વેચવાલી ચાલુ રહેશે જ્યાં સુધી ટેરિફની સ્પષ્ટતા ન થાય અને કૉર્પોરેટ કમાણીની રિકવરી ન થાય ત્યાં સુધી બજારમાં અસ્થિરતા રહેશે, એમ નાયરે જણાવ્યું હતું.

બીએસઈ સ્મોલકૅપ ઇન્ડેક્સ અને મિડકૅપ ઇન્ડેક્સ એક તબક્કે ત્રણ ટકાથી વધુ ઘટ્યા હતા. એશિયન બજારોમાં સિઓલ, શાંઘાઈ અને હૉંગકૉંગ વધ્યા હતા, જ્યારે ટોકિયો ઘટ્યું હતું. યુરોપિયન બજારોમાં મિશ્ર વલણ હતું. ગુરુવારે રાત્રે અમેરિકન બજારો વધીને બંધ રહ્યા હતા.

એક્સચેન્જના એક અહેવાલ મુજબ ગુરુવારે એફઆઈઆઈએ રૂા. ૨૭૮૯.૯૧ કરોડની ચોખ્ખી વેચવાલી કરી હતી.

બે વર્ષ પછી શુક્રવારે સૌપ્રથમ વાર સેન્સેક્સ અને નિફ્ટી સતત આઠમા સત્રમાં ઘટ્યા હતા. ભારતમાં ફુગાવો નિયંત્રણમાં છે, રિઝર્વ બૅન્કે વ્યાજદર ઘટાડ્યો છે, રશિયા-યુક્રેન વચ્ચેનો તણાવ ઓછો થઈ રહ્યો છે, મોદી અને ટ્રમ્પ વચ્ચે ફળદાયી મંત્રણા થઈ છે. આ બધાં સકારાત્મક પરિબળો હાલમાં બજારનું સેન્ટિમેન્ટ સુધારી શક્યા નથી.

બીએસઈમાં સીટી પલ્સ મલ્ટિપ્લેક્સ, થ્રી બી બ્લેકબિયો ડીએક્સ, ખેમાણી ડિસ્ટ્રિબ્યુટર્સ, એરીસ ઇન્ટરનેશનલ, સોલેરિયમ ગ્રીન એનર્જી, આનંદ રેયોન્સ; આવીર ફૂડ્ઝ, ઇન્ડોકેમ, જ્યોતિ ઇન્ફ્રા, આરઆરપી સેમિ-કંડક્ટર્સ, ન્યુટ્રાઇટ એગ્રો, એલાઇટકોન ઇન્ટરનેશનલ, જીએચવીઈન્ફ્રા, અરુનિસ એબોડે, મિડવેસ્ટ ગોલ્ડ, ક્યુપીડ બ્લુઅરીઝ, આયુષ આર્ટ, એસબીઆઈ કાર્ડ્સ, રાજસ્થાન ટ્યુબ, સોલીટેર મશીન ટુલ્સ, આરવી ડેનીમ વગેરે શૅર્સના ભાવ બાવન સપ્તાહની ઊંચાઈએ હતા.

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It has also sought nod to access more Indian airports; several countries have made such requests, but govt. has been reluctant to accept the demands fearing loss of passengers for Indian airlines

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India is now open to reviewing Singapore's request for a liberalised air service agreement, potentially allowing more flights and expanded access to Indian airports – a shift from its stance in recent years.

"The government is open to considering demands for a revision in bilateral agreements for Singapore but Indian airlines have to first utilise the seat capacity allocated under these agreements," a senior official of the Civil Aviation Ministry told *The Hindu* on the condition of anonymity.

A bilateral air service agreement (ASA) is a treaty between two countries that allows airlines to provide air connectivity. These specify the number of flights or seats allocated to the two countries, apart from the airports that can be served.

Following a surge in travel post pandemic, there have been demands from the UAE, Qatar, Singapore, Turkiye, and several other countries for enhanced seat allocation, but the government has been reluctant to accede to these demands fearing loss of passengers for Indian airlines, with Qatar Airways and Emirates redirecting passengers bound for the U.S. and Europe through their hubs in Doha and Dubai.



Rising demand: Since the COVID-19 pandemic, UAE, Singapore, Qatar, Turkiye, etc., have asked for enhanced seat allocation. PTI

Air India has placed large aircraft orders and has been expanding direct flights to far-flung international destinations.

But there is no policy change for the West Asian countries yet, according to the official.

Singapore Airlines and its low-cost subsidiary, Scoot, have fully exhausted the number of seats they are allowed to deploy on Indian routes, while Indian carriers are "almost at seat cap", according to industry and diplomatic sources.

Last year, Brian Torrey, general manager for India and West Asia at Scoot, told journalists that along with more seats there was a need for bilateral agreements to provide permission to fly to more Indian airports.

The two sides last revised a memorandum of understanding on air services in April 2013. The agreement provides 28,700 seats each to the two sides to and from seven airports in Mumbai, Delhi, Chennai, Kolkata, Hyderabad, Bengaluru, and Coimbatore. This is in addition to unlimited seating capacity to 18 points in India which is available for all ASEAN countries, including Singapore.

'Flights are full'

"The flights are full, and there is scope to work on the expansion of the air services agreement that benefits both countries and economies," Singaporean President Tharman Shanmugaratnam told journalists during his visit to India last month.

Last November, Singapore Airlines acquired 25.1% stake in Air India allowing the former to bolster its presence in India.

The decision to review Singapore's demand comes at a time Delhi's second airport, Noida International Airport, is expected to open in mid-April and needs access to top global markets to grow.

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Omi Devi and Paramjeet Singh were recently deported to India. Devi's brother Rajesh Kumar, who lives in in Kheri Sakra village in Kaithal district, says he still nurtures the dream of going to the U.S. (Right): Jaspal Singh entered California through the Tijuana border crossing on January 22. He is seen here at his home in Fatehgarh Churian town in Gurdaspur district, Punjab. SHIV KUMAR PUSHPAKAR

Shackled in the land of the free

On February 5, the U.S. deported 104 illegal immigrants to India. The immigrants had left India after borrowing hefty amounts to pay false agents, traversed inhospitable terrain, and finally found themselves at the U.S.-Mexico border where they were discovered and sent back in shackles. Abhinay Lakshman reports on their harrowing journeys and what compelled them to risk their lives

Nearly a week before their children's school broke for winter vacations, Omi Devi and Paramjeet Singh began packing. There was a lot for them to sort out before they made their big move to the United States. Their farm had to be taken care of – Omi's brother Rajesh Kumar had promised that he would see to it. Their house in Kurukshetra, Haryana, had to be emptied, since no one was going to be staying there for a while.

"The farm was enough for our two families. The children were in a private school. But Omi and Paramjeet felt that a little more money would help them," says Rajesh. "Their oldest daughter, 20, is already in California on a student visa. Obviously, it would be an added bonus for them if one more child found a future there."

On December 21, 2024, the family of four flew out of the Indira Gandhi International Airport in Delhi with two large suitcases and four backpacks. Their first stop was Paris and their final destination was California on the western coast of the U.S. For the move, Omi and Paramjeet had borrowed ₹1.25 crore from family members.

However, it was only on January 23, 2025, that Omi and Paramjeet and their children stepped into California, not past immigration, but through a hole cut into the border wall between Mexico and the U.S. near Tijuana. Within hours, they were in shackles and within days, they were on a military plane back to India.

The four of them were among the 104 Indians, including 19 women and 13 minors, who were deported by the U.S. after they were caught entering the country illegally. Their journey back to Amritsar, Punjab, took 40 hours. Multiple deportees who spoke to *The Hindu* since they landed on February 5 say their wrists and ankles were shackled throughout the journey. The children, too, were restrained.

In the early hours of February 6, more than 12 hours after they landed in Amritsar, the family returned to Kurukshetra, escorted by the police. They did not move into their house. Instead, Rajesh rented a place for them for the time being in Kurukshetra. Omi and the children were running a fever.

Before they had left, Omi's children had told their closest friends in middle school that the family was moving. Their friends had come to the airport to say goodbye. "I never thought that the children would be this heartbroken," says Rajesh. "They are nervous about going back to school."

But Rajesh is tenacious. "A dream has been shattered but this is not the end for us," he says.



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> **RAJESH**
> Brother of Omi, who was deported to India

A treacherous journey

Omi and Paramjeet's family are among the hundreds of thousands of Indians who undertake treacherous journeys, popularly called "donkey routes" in Haryana and Punjab, to make it to the U.S. To reach their destination, they often cross rivers in rickety boats, climb mountains, and trudge across deserts and forests. Many of them die on the way. Most of them have agents who connect the migrants with 'donkers', or people smugglers. 'Donkers' in the transit country help them enter their final destination illegally.

According to estimates from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, the share of the "unauthorised Indian migrant population" has been increasing steadily from 1990 onwards. It peaked at 5.6 lakh in 2016 before sharply declining to 2.2 lakh in the 2022 estimates. However, in 2023, data from the U.S. Customs and Border Protection Nationwide Encounters shows that the number of Indians apprehended by border patrol forces had increased to 43,000 from around 18,000 the previous year. In 2024, this number came down slightly to 40,000.

While illegal immigration has been a point of political concern and a matter of public debate in the U.S. for many decades, it is more pronounced now. During the U.S. presidential election campaign last year, Donald Trump's tough-on-immigration policies resonated with voters. He was sworn in on January 20, 2025. It was around this time that most of the Indians in the first batch of deportees say they had crossed the south-western border of the U.S. on foot.

The moment Omi and her family landed in Paris, they found that one of their suitcases was missing. There was no time to recover it before moving on to Italy, their next leg. From Italy, their agent had promised to put them on a small aircraft with 15-20 others to the U.S. with a stopover in Costa Rica. "But the flight did not get clearance to land in Costa Rica and landed in El Salvador instead," Rajesh says, adding that they lost their second suitcase there. Omi and her family were told that from El Salvador, they were on their own to the Tijuana border.

Robin Handa, 18, is another of the deportees. Robin says his father, a electrician, took a loan of ₹30 lakh to send him to the U.S. after Robin completed a course in Computer Science from the Industrial Training Institute in Ambala, Haryana. "My father put together his savings of over ₹15 lakh after selling land and took a loan of ₹30 lakh to pay an agent who had promised to send me to the U.S. via the U.K.," he says.

Robin says he made the "expensive" journey to the U.S. only after he realised that there were neither any jobs for him in his home town, nor any prospects of making a decent living.

Robin's agent instructed him to board a flight



Chained Indian illegal immigrants on their way to India. X - @USBPCHIEF

> Daily labour charges are ₹500 a day here. You know how much I made there [the U.K.]? At least £70 (around ₹7,600).
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> **JASPAL SINGH**
> Immigrant who was deported

to Guyana from Mumbai on July 24, 2024. "Then, unlike what he had promised, I was taken to Brazil. First, I travelled some distance by foot along with 30 others, including Indians, Nepalis, and Bangladeshis. Then we crossed seas on small boats and waded through rivers. Then we traversed the Amazon jungles to reach Peru, then Ecuador, and finally Colombia. From there, I went to the U.S.-Mexico border. I was arrested from there on January 22," he says.

While Robin had been promised by his agent that he would reach his destination in a month through the "donkey route", it took him nearly six months. He spent many of these months without proper food. "Anyone who fell sick would be left behind to fend for themselves," he recalls.

Jaspal Singh, 36, from Punjab's border district of Gurdaspur, entered California through the Tijuana border crossing on January 22, a day before Omi and her family crossed over with their children. But his journey began more than two years ago. "I had arranged for the ₹40 lakh that my agent had asked for, and left Delhi in February 2022. I flew to London on a tourist visa. The agent said I would have to wait there until he could get the paperwork done to get me into the U.S. I kept waiting. I found a dormitory and spent two years doing construction work," he says.

Jaspal says he was even able to send money home: "You know how much daily labour charges are here? ₹500 a day. Do you know how much I made there? At least £70 (around ₹7,600)."

Meanwhile, Jaspal would call his agent every day to check on the progress of his U.S. paperwork. "I have my heavy vehicle drivers' licence. I have studied only till Class 10. I just wanted to go to the U.S. and drive trucks. What's wrong in wanting to seek a better life," he asks.

After two years in London, Jaspal went to Barcelona, where he believed his agent was staying. "I kept speaking to him on the phone, but he would not meet me. A few days later, he finally put me on a flight to Brazil, saying the people there would sort out my paperwork."

After running from pillar to post in Brazil, Jaspal was told that he would have to make his way to the Mexico-U.S. border by road from Brazil. "There were about a dozen people with me. We travelled by bus, taxi, and walked for days on end. We walked a lot in Panama," he recalls.

Within hours of reaching California, Jaspal was arrested by uniformed officers, shoved into a bus, and sent to a camp in San Diego. "They took all our belongings except for the clothes on our backs. During the day, we ate biscuits, fruit, and chips. At night we would get bread," he says.

After 10 days in the camp, Omi's family, Jaspal, and other Indian deportees were shackled and put on a bus to the air strip. There, they boarded a military aircraft. "Throughout the journey, there were perhaps two instances when our handcuffs were removed," recalls Omi.

Jaspal says everyone near him on the flight was crying. No one knew where exactly they were going. "About 6-7 hours into the flight, I asked the security personnel where we were headed. He said, 'India'. I asked where in India. He said, 'I don't know,'" he says.

Robin is upset. "I did all this only to be chained like an animal and brought back," he says.

Of apps and phones

According to the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development, a global policy forum that promotes policies to improve the economic and social well-being of people around the world, the number of asylum requests in the U.S. from Indian nationals rose from about 6,000 in 2020 to 51,000 in 2023. According to data cited in a 2025 Johns Hopkins University School of Advanced International Studies paper, 66% of asylum cases involving Indian nationals between 2001 and 2022 had been filed by Punjabi speakers. Of the 104 Indians deported by the U.S. last week, the highest number (33) was from Gujarat, 29 were from Punjab, and 33 from Haryana.

Within hours of being sworn in, Trump banned the Customs and Border Protection One mobile app that had been used to allow migrants to schedule appointments at eight southwest border ports of entry, requesting asylum.

For Indians taking the 'donkey route', downloading an app was never their first priority. They say their priosity was to reset their phones to factory settings, destroy their SIM cards and, if possible, dispose of the phone. "The moment Omi's family crossed into the U.S. on January 23, I was cut off from them," says Rajesh.

Jaspal says the agents had made it clear to them that their phones should not help people figure out their identities.

'Dreams are dreams'

The moment the deportees landed in Amritsar, they were fed "properly," remembers Jaspal. The deportees were told at immigration to jot down whatever details they remembered of their respective agents. "It is impossible to remember their phone numbers. Also, it is not as if we have very good relationships with the agents," he says.

The police have launched extensive operations to try and identify these agents and prosecute them. The Haryana and Punjab police have registered cases against travel agents who allegedly "duped" the deportees who landed in Amritsar.

"When we were being escorted back, I remember the Punjab police telling us that they would help us to the extent possible," says Jaspal.

Rajesh says he is not surprised that the police have been willing to help identify these agents and recover money. "I know cops' children who have taken the illegal route. They also want to find out who these agents are," he says.

But as the police in Haryana and Punjab canvass villages to go after the agents, there is also nervousness. In Haryana's Bhaini Kalan village, at the home of Aditya Kumar, one of the deportees, young men speak in hushed tones as a man in a dark suit sits on a chair, taking notes. Aditya's brother says he has not returned home yet. "The police are here now. Please leave. We do not want any trouble," he says.

Jaspal has had enough for the time being. "I have lost everything. I can't bring myself to think about retrying the trip," he says.

However, Rajesh refuses to give up. "We were raised in the village. We don't stop just because we failed once. The dream is alive," he says.

Rajesh says he speaks not just for his family, but for most of his village. "It is not like our granaries are running empty," he explains. "Even if we don't do any work here in the village, we will survive; we have enough food. But is this enough? There are no jobs for us here and dreams are dreams."

Rajesh says they see neighbours sending children abroad and showing off their money in the form of new cars. Pointing to a group of giggling children on their way home from school, he throws a challenge: "Do you want to check how many of them want to go to the U.S.?"

He has already sent his older son, 20, to Brampton in Canada, where he is studying management. His younger son, 16, is packed and ready to leave the minute his father will allow it. "Forget my son, I have been ready to go to the U.S. no matter what for years now," Rajesh says. At 45, he has exhausted all his attempts at securing jobs in the Army and paramilitary forces. In addition to farming, he drives trucks for a living.

Rajesh's priority now is to help get Omi and Paramjeet get back on their feet and ensure that their children are again enrolled in school. One of the children needs to prepare to write the 10th Board exam this year. "But if we can arrange the money, I would go tomorrow to the U.S.," he says.

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धारावी प्रकल्पात ५० हजार घरांचे सर्वेक्षण पूर्ण

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धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पाअंतर्गत तब्बल ५० हजारहून अधिक घरांचे प्रत्यक्ष घरी जाऊन सर्वेक्षण पूर्ण करण्याचा महत्त्वाचा टप्पा पूर्ण झाला आहे. धारावीत अनेक आव्हानांना सामोरे जात या मोठ्या सर्वेक्षणाचे काम पूर्ण करण्यासाठी एक स्वतंत्र टीम कठोर परिश्रम घेत आहे. कारण धारावीतील सर्वेक्षणात लोकांची घरे आणि त्यांच्या भावना जुळलेल्या आहेत. सर्व धारावीकरांना या सर्वेक्षणात सहभागी होण्याचे आवाहन डीआरपीचे मुख्य कार्यकारी अधिकारी एस.व्ही. आर. श्रीनिवास यांनी अलीकडेच केले होते.

सर्वेक्षणाच्या नव्या आकडेवारीनुसार, ८५ हजार



झोपड्यांची क्रमवार नोंदणी पूर्ण झालेली आहे. ५० हजारहून अधिक झोपड्यांचे प्रत्यक्ष घरोघरी जाऊन सर्वेक्षण पूर्ण झाले आहे. धारावीतील गुंतागुंत, अंतर्गत भागात फिरताना येणारी आव्हाने, तसेच खूप मोठी लोकसंख्या पाहता आशियातल्या या सर्वांत मोठ्या झोपडीपट्टीच्या नकाशाचे काम पूर्ण करताना ५० हजार घरांचे प्रत्यक्ष घरोघरी जाऊन सर्वेक्षण पूर्ण होणे ही लक्षणीय बाब आहे, असे धारावी पुनर्विकास विभागाच्या एका अधिकाऱ्याने म्हटले आहे.

मुंबईतील झोपडपट्टी पुनर्वसन प्राधिकरणाच्या इतिहासातील आतापर्यंतचे हे सर्वांत मोठे सर्वेक्षणाचे काम पूर्ण झाले आहे. पुनःसर्वेक्षणामुळे होणाऱ्या विलंबाचा तूर्तास आम्ही विचारही करू शकत नाही.

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टीटागढ़ रेल को अदाणी सीमेंट से बड़ा ऑर्डर

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World netas don't discuss individual issues: PM on Adani

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World netas don't discuss individual issues: PM on Adani

Washington: At a presser at White House, PM Modi was asked if he raised with President Trump the indictment of Gautam Adani and his key associates in a New York court over his involvement in an alleged bribery scheme.

"India is a democratic country, and our culture and our philosophy is, 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine," he said. "Prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues." Trump made no mention of the case during the presser. PTI

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Four persons from abroad arrested in connection with gold smuggling

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गोल्ड तस्करीप्रकरणी विदेशातून आलेल्या चौघांना अटक

मुंबई : गोल्ड तस्करीप्रकरणी चार प्रवाशांना छत्रपती शिवाजी महाराज आंतरराष्ट्रीय विमानतळावर हवाई गुप्तचर विभागाच्या अधिकाऱ्यांनी अटक केली. त्यात एका विदेशी प्रवाशाचा समावेश असून या चारही प्रवाशांकडून चार कोटी बारा लाख रुपयांचे गोल्ड जप्त केले आहेत. बुधवारी आंतरराष्ट्रीय विमानतळावर एका प्रवाशाकडून ४ कोटी ९३ लाख रुपयांचे हिरे सीआयएसएफच्या अधिकाऱ्यांनी जप्त केले. दुसऱ्या कारवाईत हवाई गुप्तचर विभागाने तीन प्रवाशांना ताब्यात घेतले. त्यांच्याकडील सामानाची झडती घेतल्यानंतर त्यात ६१ लाख ४५ लाख रुपयांचे ७७५ ग्रॅम वजनाचे सोन्याचे दागिने आणि इतर मुद्देमाल सापडला. या तिघांनी ते गोल्ड बेल्ट बकल आणि ट्रॉली बॅगेत लपवून आणले होते. अन्य कारवाईत एका केनियन नागरिकाला अटक केली. त्याच्या बॅगेत २२ कॅरेटचे सोन्याचे बार आणि दागिने अंतर्वस्त्रात आणि कपड्याच्या खिशातही सोन्याचे बार आणि दागिने लपवून आले होते.

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Improve global connectivity from Chandigarh: Tewari to Minister

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Improve global connectivity from Chandigarh: Tewari to Minister

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IN HIS attempt to improve international flights connectivity from Chandigarh, MP Manish Tewari has written to the Union Minister of Civil Aviation, urging the central government to designate Shaheed-e-Azam Bhagat Singh International Airport as a point of call (POC) for international airlines.

In his letter, Tewari highlighted the pressing need to improve global connectivity for Punjab, Haryana, and Himachal Pradesh, which are currently underserved due to the airport's exclusion from the bilateral offer list.

The MP pointed out that a large number of people from these three states travel abroad for work and tourism. However, due to the absence of POC status, foreign airlines cannot operate direct flights in and out of the Chandigarh airport, restricting foreign travel options for the region.

He emphasised that Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata, and Chennai already enjoy POC status, which allows them to be included in bilateral agreements for foreign airline operations. He has requested that Chandigarh be also added to the list of 18 airports in India that currently have this designation.

As of now Shaheed Bhagat Singh International Airport in Chandigarh operates two international flights to destinations in the United Arab Emirates (UAE). However, despite the airport's strategic location serving Punjab, Haryana, and Himachal Pradesh, the number of international flights remains limited.

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Row Over US Deportation Flights Landing in Amritsar Intensifies

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Punjab Govt Questions Centre's Motives Amid Political Uproar

PNS ■ CHANDIGARH/AMRITSAR

The scheduled arrival of two more planes carrying Indian deportees from the United States has triggered fresh political controversy in the state, with the Punjab Government raising strong objections to the choice of Amritsar as the landing destination. Scheduled to land late Saturday night, the flight is expected to bring back 119 deportees, including 67 from Punjab and 33 from Haryana.

The latest deportation follows the February 5 flight that carried 104 illegal immigrants – including 30 from Punjab, who were shackled and handcuffed upon their return — an image that sparked widespread outrage. The Punjab Government and opposition leaders have accused the Centre of deliberately selecting Punjab as the landing site, calling it an attempt to defame the state and its people.

The selection of Amritsar as the primary landing site for deportation flights has sparked sharp criticism from Punjab Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann, his Cabinet Ministers, and opposition leaders alike. They argued that the deportees include individuals from multiple states, yet the flights are being directed to Punjab, thereby reinforcing negative stereotypes about illegal immigration.

Punjab Finance Minister Harpal Singh Cheema has openly questioned why the flights are not landing in Gujarat, Haryana, or Delhi. "By consistently landing these flights in Amritsar, the Centre is singling out Punjab, creating a false impression that illegal immigration is solely a Punjabi problem," Cheema said.

Echoing these concerns, Senior Congress leader Pargat Singh said: "If people from multiple states are being deported, why is Punjab being made the face of this issue? The Prime Minister, who is currently in the US, must also take up this matter with the American administration and question why our youth are being shackled and deported in such an inhumane manner."

Centre Accused for 'Defaming Punjab'

The controversy has led to a war of words between the Punjab Government and the BJP-led Centre. Chief Minister Mann on Friday alleged that the Modi Government is "intentionally" trying to tarnish Punjab's reputation. "This is a planned move to defame Punjab and Punjabis. Illegal immigration is a national issue, not just a Punjabi problem. So why are all the deportation flights landing in Amritsar?" he questioned. Mann also pointed out the Centre's selective treatment of Punjab, stating, "When we ask for international flights from Amritsar, the Centre cites security concerns due to its proximity to the border. But when it comes to deportation flights, suddenly these concerns disappear. Why can't these flights land in Delhi or Ahmedabad?" He further accused the Modi Government of abandoning deported Indians instead of ensuring their dignified return. "These individuals are victims of human trafficking and fraudulent travel agents. The government should have sent its own planes to bring them back with dignity rather than allowing the US to deport them like criminals," Mann said.

BJP, Centre Defends Decision

The BJP, however, has dismissed the controversy as politically-motivated. Punjab BJP president Sunil Jakhar defended the Centre's decision, arguing that the issue should not be politicized. "The focus should be on addressing illegal immigration, not on where the flights are landing. This is a humanitarian issue, and all political parties must work together to prevent young people from taking illegal routes," Jakhar said. He also claimed that Prime Minister Narendra Modi had raised concerns about the treatment of deportees during his visit to the US. "India has always maintained that those who are verified as Indian citizens and have no legal right to stay in the US should be taken back. However, we must also work to dismantle the human trafficking networks that mislead these people into taking dangerous routes," Jakhar added.

Union Minister Ravneet Singh Bittu also slammed Chief Minister Mann for unnecessarily raising the issue of landing the flights at Amritsar. "It has to be landed somewhere…they are our children…how can we leave them in lurch. We should focus on resolving this problem, instead of finding issues which mean nothing," he said.

Punjab Police SIT Cracking Down on Human Trafficking

Amid the controversy, the Punjab Government has constituted a four-member Special Investigation Team (SIT) to probe illegal migration and human trafficking networks. The SIT is mandated to conduct a "comprehensive and effective investigation" into the role of travel agents and smuggling syndicates responsible for sending people abroad through illegal means. So far 10 FIRs have been registered. Officials have revealed that human trafficking networks operating in Punjab, Gujarat, and Andhra Pradesh have been exploiting loopholes in immigration laws to send people abroad on fake documents. The government is now pushing for stricter regulations and harsher penalties for travel agents engaged in illegal immigration rackets.

BOX: What CM Mann said

Slams Centre for Defaming Punjab: Mann accused the Modi Government of deliberately choosing Amritsar to land deportation flights, calling it a "conspiracy to tarnish Punjab's image"

Questions MEA Decision: Mann demanded an explanation from the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) and Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) on why Amritsar was chosen over other major airports like Delhi, Mumbai, or Ahmedabad

Raises Border Security Concerns: Mann pointed out that Amritsar is just 40 kms from the Pakistan border and questioned why a US military aircraft was allowed to land there when commercial international flights are often denied

Slams Modi's Foreign Policy: CM criticized PM Modi's visit to the US, calling it a failure. "While Modi was shaking hands with Trump, our youth were being deported in chains. Is this a return gift from the US?" Mann remarked

Demands Dignified Return For Deportees: Mann insisted that deported individuals should have been brought back respectfully instead of being treated like criminals.

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Tewari demands 'point of call' status for Chandigarh airport

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CHANDIGARH : Member of Parliament Manish Tewari has written to Union civil aviation minister Kinjarapu Rammohan Naidu to make Shaheed Bhagat Singh International Airport as a designated Point of Call (POC) to enable foreign airlines to fly to and from here.

"The Chandigarh international airport situated in Mohali, which is now called the Shaheed-e-Azam Bhagat Singh International Airport, services the states of Punjab, Haryana and Himachal Pradesh. A large number of people travel internationally from these three states both for the purposes of work as well as for tourism. Unfortunately, the airport has not been designated as a POC for international airlines and therefore is not on the 'bilateral offer list', which is a prerequisite for foreign airlines to fly in and out of the airport," reads the communique.

"Under these circumstances, I will be extremely grateful if the airport is added as a POC to the list of 18 airports in India in addition to Delhi, Mumbai, Kolkata and Chennai, which are designated as POC and are therefore on the bilateral offer list of the foreign airlines, to be able to fly to these airports," he wrote in the letter.

In January, the central government had told the Punjab and Haryana high court that airlines were free to choose markets and destinations within the ambit of Bilateral Air Services Agreements (BASA) concluded between India and such a country to start an international flight from a city in India.

"Commercial operations of airlines are deregulated and the government does not regulate/interfere the operational plans of the airlines. Accordingly, the airlines are free to select whatever markets and networks they wish to service and operate within the ambit of BASA (based on which seat capacity etc. is decided)," V Vualnam, secretary, ministry of civil aviation, Government of India, said in response to a high court notice in October 2024, asking the Centre why Shaheed Bhagat Singh International Airport had just two international flights.

"There is also no explanation coming from the Chandigarh International Airport Authority Limited as to why there are only two international flights from Chandigarh (UT and capital of two prosperous states) on daily basis... It is unfortunate to note that even a district headquarter like Amritsar has more than 14 international flights to various countries," the court had observed while seeking affidavit from the aviation secretary.

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> —Manish Tewari, Chandigarh MP, in his letter to the Union civil aviation minister



A long wait: only 2 international destinations

Inaugurated on September 15, 2015, by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, the new terminal has been built at an estimated cost of ₹1,400 crore. In the beginning, there were only 40 odd flights that have now gone up to 90, including two to international destinations. Currently, the airport offers only two international flights to Dubai and Abu Dhabi in the United Arab Emirates (UAE).

In one of the letters written in 2022 on the issue in response to the demand raised by the Punjab government in that year, the Centre had told the state government that India ha an open sky agreement with the United Kingdom, which permitted designated carriers to operate seven services per week to and from any non-metro airport and Chandigarh was also in the list of such airports.

In the same letter, the Centre also said Chandigarh was not available as a POC for Canada and thus, Canadian carriers could not operate direct flights to and from Chandigarh, the affidavit from secretary, department of civil aviation, had said then.

Apart from the two international flights, the airport caters to 33 domestic routes across the country, including Ahmedabad, Bengaluru, Mumbai, Kolkata, Delhi, Goa, Hyderabad, Indore, Leh, Jaipur, Lucknow, Chennai, Patna, Pune, Srinagar, Jammu, Hisar and Dharamshala.

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Dharavi Redevelopment Survey figure crossed 50,000

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ધારાવી રિડેવલપમેન્ટ સર્વેનો આંક ૫૦,૦૦૦ને પાર કરી ગયો

■ એસઆરએમાં ડોર-ટુ-ડોર સર્વેનો નવો રેકોર્ડ

મુંબઈ, તા.૪ : ધારાવી રિડેવલપમેન્ટ પ્રોજેક્ટે બુધવારે તેના ડોર-ટુ-ડોર સર્વેનો પચાસ હજારથી વધુનો આંક પૂર્ણ કરીને, એક મોટું સીમાચિહ્ન હાંસલ કર્યું છે. જે મુંબઈ સ્લમ રિહેબિલિટેશન ઓથોરિટી (SRA)ના ઇતિહાસમાં સૌથી વધુ છે.

ધારાવી રિડેવલપમેન્ટ પ્રોજેક્ટના અધિકારીએ જણાવ્યું હતું "મુંબઈ SRA માટે આ ડોર-ટુ-ડોર સર્વેનો આંક પચાસ હજારથી વધુ થવો એ એક સીમાચિહ્ન છે.

આ કામગીરી સર્વે ટીમ અને ધારાવીના રહેવાસીઓ માટે એક પ્રોત્સાહન સમાન છે, જેઓ રિડેવલપમેન્ટને આગળ વધવા માટે આતુર છે. તેમની સક્રિય ભાગીદારી એશિયાના સૌથી મોટા ઝૂંપડપટ્ટી રિડેવલપમેન્ટ પ્રત્યેની તેમની પ્રતિબદ્ધતા દર્શાવે છે."

ઘણા પડકારો હોવા છતાં, આ વ્યાપક સર્વે પૂર્ણ કરવા માટે ટીમ દ્વારા સખત મહેનત કરવામાં આવી રહી છે, જેમાં લોકોના ઘર અને લાગણીઓનો સમાવેશ થાય છે. ધારાવી રિડેવલપમેન્ટ પ્રોજેક્ટ સીઇઓ, એસવીઆર શ્રીનિવાસે તાજેતરમાં બધા ધારાવીકરોને સર્વેમાં ભાગ લેવા વિનંતી કરી હતી, જેથી કોઈપણ હાઉસિંગ પ્લાનમાંથી બાકાત ન રહે. "અમે રિસર્વેને કારણે વિલંબ સહન કરી શકતા નથી કારણ કે અમે એકસાથે અનેક પડકારોનો સામનો કરી રહ્યા છીએ. અમે આ પ્રોજેક્ટને ઝડપી બનાવવા માટે રહેવાસીઓ પાસેથી મહત્તમ સહયોગ માગીએ છીએ. જે લોકો અત્યાર સુધી સર્વેમાં ભાગ લઈ શક્યા નથી તેઓએ તેમના દસ્તાવેજો સાથે આગળ આવવું જોઈએ અને સહયોગ કરવો જોઈએ."

તાજેતરના સર્વેના આંકડા મુજબ, ૮૫,૦૦૦ ટેનામેન્ટ માટે નંબરિંગ પૂર્ણ થઈ ગયું છે, જ્યારે ૫૦,૦૦૦થી વધુ ટેનામેન્ટ્સનો ડોર-ટુ-ડોર સર્વે કરવામાં આવ્યો છે. 'જો એશિયાની સૌથી મોટી ઝૂંપડપટ્ટી, તેની ગીચ અને વૈવિધ્યસભર વસ્તી સાથે, મેપિંગની જટિલતા, ચોકસાઈ અને લોજિસ્ટિકલ પડકારોને સંપૂર્ણપણે ધ્યાનમાં લઈએ, તો આ એક મહત્ત્વપૂર્ણ સિદ્ધિ છે,' તેમ DRPના અધિકારીએ જણાવ્યું હતું. ધારાવી પુનર્વિકાસ પ્રોજેક્ટ ભારતની સૌથી મોટી ઝૂંપડપટ્ટીના રિડેવલપમેન્ટ-પુનર્વસનની પહેલ છે. લગભગ ૧૦ લાખ લોકોનું ઘર, તેનો ઉદ્દેશ્ય એશિયાની સૌથી મોટી ઝૂંપડપટ્ટીને આધુનિક શહેરી હબમાં પરિવર્તિત કરવાનો છે.

લગભગ ૧.૫ લાખ ટેનામેન્ટ્સનું પુનર્વસન કરવામાં આવશે, જે ધારાવીના લોકોની ગરિમા જાળવી રાખીને વધુ સારા આવાસ, માળખાગત સુવિધાઓ અને આર્થિક તકો સુનિશ્ચિત કરશે.

વર્ષ ૨૦૦૭-૦૮માં મશાલ દ્વારા હાથ ધરવામાં આવેલા અગાઉના સર્વેક્ષણમાં ધારાવીમાં લગભગ ૬૦,૦૦૦ પાત્ર ટેનામેન્ટ ઓળખાયા હતા. અંદાજો હવે સૂચવે છે કે મોટા ભાગના ટેનામેન્ટ વધી ગયા છે, જેના કારણે પુનર્વસનની જરૂર હોય તેવા ટેનામેન્ટની સંખ્યા લગભગ ૧.૫ લાખ થઈ ગઈ છે. 'ઉપલા માળનાં બાંધકામો પણ વર્તમાન ટેન્ડરની જોગવાઈઓ હેઠળ આવરી લેવામાં આવ્યા છે. અમને સરકારની હાઉસિંગ ફોર ઑલ નીતિનો ભાગ બનવાનો ગર્વ છે, તેમ NMDPLના પ્રવક્તાએ ઉમેર્યું હતું.

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या शेअर्समध्ये मोठी घसरण : शुक्रवारी निफ्टी पॅक शेअर्समध्ये सर्वात मोठी घसरण अदानी पोर्ट्समध्ये ४.६३ टक्के, बीईएलमध्ये ४.४२ टक्के, अदानी एंटरप्रायझेसमध्ये ४.२६ टक्के, ट्रेंटमध्ये २.८९ टक्के आणि ग्रासिममध्ये २.६९ टक्के होती. याशिवाय ब्रिटानियामध्ये ०.९५ टक्के, आयसीआयसीआय बँकेत ०.८१ टक्के, नेस्ले इंडियामध्ये ०.७६ टक्के, इन्फोसिसमध्ये ०.५३ टक्के आणि एचसीएल टेकमध्ये ०.५० टक्के वाढ नोंदवण्यात आली.

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Rahul cornered Modi over the question on Adani If you ask a question in the country, there is

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अडानी पर सवाल को लेकर राहुल ने मोदी को घेरा

देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला

नई दिल्ली, 14 फरवरी (एजेंसियां)। अमेरिका में अडानी समूह को लेकर पूछे गए सवाल को लेकर प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी के जवाब पर कांग्रेस नेता राहुल गांधी ने सवाल उठाए हैं। उन्होंने कहा कि देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला! अमेरिका में भी पीएम मोदी ने अडानी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया! जब मित्र का जेब भरना पीएम मोदी के लिए राष्ट्र नियोग है, तब रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना व्यक्तिगत मामला बन जाता है। इससे पहले पीएम मोदी से अमेरिका में अडानी समूह को लेकर जारी विवाद को लेकर भी सवाल किया गया।

'क्या अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ बैठक में कारोबारी गौतम अडानी के



खिलाफ मामले पर चर्चा हुई?' पूछे जाने पर प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने कहा, 'भारत एक लोकतांत्रिक देश है और हमारी संस्कृति 'वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम' की है, हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। हर भारतीय को मैं अपना मानता हूं। ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों के लिए दो देशों के मुखिया न मिलते हैं न बैठते हैं न बात करते हैं।'

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अमेरिका में सामने आया था विवाद

दरअसल, अडानी समूह की कंपनियों से जुड़ा एक विवाद अमेरिका में सामने आया था। अमेरिकी अभियोजकों ने अरबपति गौतम अडानी और उनकी कंपनियों से जुड़े लोगों पर सौर ऊर्जा अनुबंध के लिए अनुकूल शर्तों के बदले भारतीय अधिकारियों को 25 करोड़ डॉलर (करीब 21 अरब रुपए) रिश्वत देने का आरोप लगाया था। अमेरिकी अभियोजकों ने अडानी, उनके भतीजे सागर और अन्य प्रतिवादियों पर 2020 से 2024 के बीच भारतीय सरकारी अधिकारियों को 25 करोड़ डॉलर से अधिक की रिश्वत देने का आरोप लगाया था। दावा है कि यह राशि सौर ऊर्जा अनुबंध हासिल करने के लिए दी गई थी। इससे संभावित रूप से समूह को 2 अरब डॉलर (डेढ़ खरब रुपये) से अधिक का लाभ हो सकता है। इसके बाद से ही भारत में कांग्रेस समेत कई राजनीतिक दलों ने मामले को लेकर भारी हंगामा किया था। इसे लेकर विपक्ष ने सरकार को घेरा था।

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Desh ki sampati lutna videsh mein modi ke liye vyaktigat mamla

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देश की संपत्ति लूटना विदेश में मोदी के लिए 'व्यक्तिगत मामला' बन जाता है : राहुल

नई दिल्ली (एसएनबी)। लोकसभा में नेता



प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी द्वारा अमेरिका में उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी से जुड़े मामले में की गई टिप्पणी को लेकर शुक्रवार आरोप लगाया कि विदेश में प्रधानमंत्री मोदी के लिए रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना 'व्यक्तिगत मामला' बन जाता है।

प्रधानमंत्री मोदी ने अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ संयुक्त प्रेस वार्ता में गौतम अदाणी से जुड़े सवाल पर कहा, 'भारत एक लोकतंत्र है और हमारी संस्कृति 'वसुधैव कुटुंबकम' की है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते है। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय से मेरा नाता है। मोदी ने कहा, दो नेताओं के बीच बातचीत में ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर चर्चा नही की जाती। कांग्रेस के पूर्व अध्यक्ष राहुल गांधी ने 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट किया, देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला। अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने अदाणी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया।

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The meeting of our two means not one plus one two, but one plus one eleven

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અમારા બે જણનો મળવાનો મતલબ વન પ્લસ વન ટૂ નહીં, પણ એક ઔર એક ગ્યારહ થાય

વડા પ્રધાન નરેન્દ્ર મોદી અને ટ્રમ્પ વચ્ચે કેટલી જોરદાર કેમિસ્ટ્રી છે એનો ખ્યાલ બે નેતાઓએ બે દિવસમાં એકબીજાનાં કરેલાં વખાણ પરથી સ્પષ્ટ થઈ જાય છે



અમેરિકાના બે દિવસના પ્રવાસ પર વડા પ્રધાન નરેન્દ્ર મોદી બુધવારે સાંજે અમેરિકાની રાજધાની વૉશિંગ્ટન DC (ડિસ્ટ્રિક્ટ ઑફ કોલંબિયા) પહોંચ્યા હતા અને વાઇટ હાઉસની સામે જ આવેલા એતિહાસિક અતિથિગૃહ બ્લેર હાઉસમાં રોકાયા હતા. અમેરિકન પ્રેસિડન્ટને મળવા આવતા વિવિધ દેશોના નેતાઓ અહીં રોકાય છે. બુધવારે સાંજે જ તેઓ અમેરિકાના ગુપ્તચર ખાતાના ડિરેક્ટર તુલસી ગબાર્ડને મળ્યા હતા.

ગુરુવારે તેઓ અમેરિકાના નૅશનલ સિક્યોરિટી એડ્વાઇઝર (NSA) માઇકલ વૉલ્ટ્ઝ, ટેસ્લા કંપનીના માલિક અને અમેરિકન પ્રશાસનમાં ડિપાર્ટમેન્ટ ઑફ ગવર્નમેન્ટ એફિશિયન્સી (DOGE)ના પ્રમુખ ઇલોન મસ્ક, ભારતીય મૂળના રાજકીય નેતા વિવેક રામાસ્વામીને મળ્યા હતા અને પછી અમેરિકન પ્રેસિડન્ટ ટ્રમ્પને મળ્યા હતા. વાઇટ હાઉસમાં પ્રેસિડન્ટ ટ્રમ્પે તેમને બેટીને સ્વાગત કર્યું હતું.

મોદી છે ટફ નિગોશિએટર: ટ્રમ્પ

જૉઇન્ટ પ્રેસ-કૉન્ફરન્સમાં જ્યારે પૂછવામાં આવ્યું કે તમારા બન્નેમાં કોણ ટફ નિગોશિએટર છે ત્યારે ટ્રમ્પે કહ્યું હતું કે આ મામલે વડા પ્રધાન મોદી આગળ છે. તેઓ મારાથી પણ વધારે ટફ નિગોશિએટર છે અને મારાથી વધારે સારા વક્તા છે, એમાં કોઈ મુકાબલો નથી.

ગેરકાયદે પ્રવાસીઓ માટે શું બોલ્યા નરેન્દ્ર મોદી?

અમેરિકામાં ગેરકાયદે વસાહતીઓના મુદ્દે વડા પ્રધાન મોદીએ કહ્યું હતું કે જે લોકો બીજા દેશોમાં ગેરકાયદે રીતે રહે છે તેમને કોઈ કાનૂની અધિકાર નથી. જ્યાં સુધી ભારત અને અમેરિકાનો સવાલ છે ત્યાં અમે કહ્યું છે કે જે પ્રમાણિત ભારતીયો ગેરકાયદે અમેરિકામાં રહે છે તેમને ભારત પાછા લેવા તૈયાર છે. અમે માનવતસ્કરીના વિરોધમાં ઊભા છીએ અને એ ખતમ કરવાની દિશામાં પણ આગળ વધીશું.

MAGA અને MIGAની પાર્ટનરશિપ

વાઇટ હાઉસમાં વડા પ્રધાન મોદીએ કહ્યું હતું કે સૌથી પહેલાં મારા મિત્ર ટ્રમ્પે મારું શાનદાર સ્વાગત અને આતિથ્યસત્કાર કર્યો એના માટે આભાર વ્યક્ત કરું છું. ટ્રમ્પના પહેલા કાર્યકાળ વખતે અમે સાથે કામ કર્યું હતું અને એ જ ઊર્જા આજે મેં મહેસૂસ કરી છે. આજની ચર્ચામાં તેમના પહેલા કાર્યકાળમાં અમારી ઉપલબ્ધિઓનો સંતોષ અને ઊંડા આપસી વિશ્વાસનો સેતુ હતો. ભારત અને અમેરિકા વિશ્વને વધુ બહેતર બનાવી શકે છે. ટ્રમ્પનો મોટો મેક અમેરિકા ગ્રેટ અગેન (MAGA) છે. ભારતના લોકો ભવ્ય વારસો અને વિકાસની સાથે વિકસિત ભારત ૨૦૪૭ના દૃઢ સંકલ્પ સાથે આગળ વધી રહ્યા છે. અમેરિકાની ભાષામાં કહું તો વિકસિત ભારતનો મતલબ મેક ઇન્ડિયા ગ્રેટ અગેન (MIGA) છે. જ્યારે ભારત અને અમેરિકા સાથે કામ કરે ત્યારે MAGA પ્લસ MIGA એક મેગા પાર્ટનરશિપ ઑફ પ્રૉસ્પેરિટી બને છે અને એ અમારાં લક્ષ્યોને નવો સ્કેલ અને સ્કોપ આપે છે. હું પ્રેસિડન્ટ ટ્રમ્પમાંથી એક વાત શીખતો આવ્યો છું કે તેઓ રાષ્ટ્રહિતને સર્વોપરી રાખીને કામ કરે છે. હું પણ ટ્રમ્પની જેમ ભારતનાં હિતોને સર્વોપરી રાખીને કામ કરવામાં માનું છું.

> બ્લેર હાઉસની બહાર ભારતીય સમુદાયના લોકો એકત્રિત થયા હતા અને તમણે 'વંદે માતરમ' અને 'ભારત માતા કી જય'ના નારા લગાવ્યા હતા.

રશિયા-યુક્રેન વૉર મુદ્દે ભારત શાંતિના પક્ષે

મોદીએ ફરી એક વાર સ્પષ્ટ કર્યું હતું કે રશિયા અને યુક્રેન વચ્ચેના યુદ્ધ મુદ્દે ભારત ન્યુટ્રલ નથી, એ શાંતિના પક્ષમાં છે. મને ખુશી છે કે પ્રેસિડન્ટ ટ્રમ્પે રશિયાના પ્રેસિડન્ટ પુતિન સાથે ફોનથી વાતચીત કરી છે. આ યુદ્ધનો સમય નથી, શાંતિથી ટેબલ પર બેસીને ચર્ચા કરીને ઉકેલ લાવવાનો સમય છે.

અમે દોસ્ત છીએ અને એવા જ મિત્ર રહીશું: ટ્રમ્પ

જૉઇન્ટ પ્રેસ-કૉન્ફરન્સમાં ડોનલ્ડ ટ્રમ્પે કહ્યું હતું કે 'કોઈ પણ ચીજ કરતાં અમારામાં એકતા વધી છે. અમારા બન્ને વચ્ચે સારી મિત્રતા છે, મને લાગે છે કે અમારા સંબંધો હજી વધુ ગાઢ બનશે. અમે દોસ્ત છીએ અને અમે આવા જ મિત્ર રહીશું.'

મોદી મહાન નેતા છે: ટ્રમ્પ

મોદી વિશે બોલતાં ડોનલ્ડ ટ્રમ્પે કહ્યું હતું કે 'નરેન્દ્ર મોદી ઘણું સારું કામ કરી રહ્યા છે અને ભારતમાં દરેક જણ તેમની જ વાત કરે છે. તેઓ એક બહુ મોટા નેતા છે, તેઓ મહાન નેતા છે.' આ મુદ્દે મોદીએ કહ્યું હતું કે 'આપના આ શબ્દો માટે આભારી છું, મને વિશ્વાસ છે કે ભારતનો દરેક નાગરિક આપની આ ભાવનાનો આદર કરે છે.'

૧૧ની શક્તિ વિશ્વના કલ્યાણના કામમાં આવશે: મોદી

નરેન્દ્ર મોદીએ વાઇટ હાઉસની મુલાકાત વખતે કહ્યું હતું કે 'અમેરિકા દુનિયાનું સૌથી જૂનું લોકતંત્ર છે અને ભારત સૌથી વિશાળ લોકતંત્ર છે. આથી અમારા બે જણનો મળવાનો મતલબ વન પ્લસ વન એટલે ટૂ નહીં, પણ એક ઔર એક ગ્યારહ (૧૧) થાય છે. આ ૧૧ની શક્તિ, એ તાકાત વિશ્વના કલ્યાણના કામમાં આવશે. હું પ્રેસિડન્ટ ટ્રમ્પનો, મારા એક સારા મિત્રનો હૃદયથી આભાર માનું છું. અમે ફરી એક વાર પ્રગતિની રાહ પર નવી ઊંચાઈઓ સર કરવા નીકળી પડીશું.'

બમણી સ્પીડથી કામ કરીશું: મોદી

ભારત અને અમેરિકાના સંબંધોના મુદ્દે નરેન્દ્ર મોદીએ કહ્યું હતું કે 'મારા માટે ખુશીની વાત એ છે કે આવતીની સાથે જ તેમણે એક જૂના મિત્રની જેમ અમદાવાદના સ્ટેડિયમની યાદ અપાવી, નમસ્તે ટ્રમ્પ કાર્યક્રમ અને હ્યુડી મોદીની યાદ અપાવી, ભારત અને અમેરિકાના સંબંધોને વધુ પ્રગાઢ બનાવવા અને નવી ઊંચાઈ અપાવવા અને વ્યાપકતા અપાવવા અમે બમણી સ્પીડથી કામ કરીશું. મેં ભારતના નાગરિકોને વચન આપ્યું છે કે ત્રીજા ટર્મમાં હું ત્રણ ગણી ઝડપથી કામ કરીશ.

અદાણી વિશેના સવાલના જવાબમાં વડા પ્રધાન નરેન્દ્ર મોદીએ શું કહ્યું?

વડા પ્રધાન નરેન્દ્ર મોદીને વૉશિંગ્ટનમાં પૂછવામાં આવ્યું હતું કે શું અમેરિકાના પ્રેસિડન્ટ ડોનલ્ડ ટ્રમ્પ સાથેની બેઠકમાં ઉદ્યોગપતિ ગૌતમ અદાણીના વિરોધમાં થયેલા કેસ બાબતે ચર્ચા થઈ હતી ત્યારે નરેન્દ્ર મોદીએ કહ્યું હતું કે 'ભારત એક લોકતાંત્રિક દેશ છે અને અમારા સંસ્કાર અને અમારી સંસ્કૃતિ 'વસુધૈવ કુટુંબકમ'ની છે. અમે આખી દુનિયાને એક પરિવાર માનીએ છીએ. દરેક ભારતીયને હું મારો પોતાનો માનું છું. બીજી વાત છે કે આવા વ્યક્તિગત કેસ માટે બે દેશના ઉચ્ચ નેતાઓ ન મળે છે, ન સાથે બેસે છે કે ન વાત કરે છે.'



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Titagarh Rail ko ADani Cement se 537cr ka order mila

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13	Hindi	52	N/A	Middle Center	75791	390K

टीटागढ़ रेल को अदाणी सीमेंट से 537 करोड़ रुपये का ऑर्डर मिला

कोलकाता (भाषा)।

टीटागढ़ रेल सिस्टम्स लिमिटेड (टीआरएसएल), को अदाणी सीमेंट की अनुषंगी कंपनियों अंबुजा सीमेंट्स लिमिटेड और एसीसी लिमिटेड से विशेष मालवाहक डिब्बों के विनिर्माण और आपूर्ति के लिए 537.11 करोड़ रुपये का अनुबंध मिला है। कंपनी ने शुक्रवार को यह जानकारी दी।

इन डिब्बों का उद्देश्य सीमेंट जैसी भारी सामग्री की ढुलाई को अधिक कुशल और प्रभावी बनाना है, ताकि कंपनी के व्यापारिक कामों में आसानी हो सके।

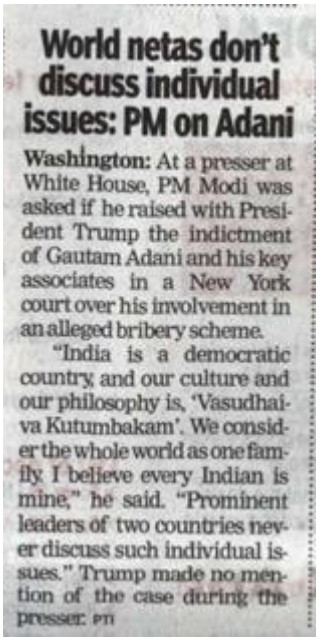
ऑर्डर की डिलीवरी जनवरी 2026 और मार्च 2027 के बीच निर्धारित है।

टीआरएसएल के उप प्रबंध निदेशक अनिल कुमार अग्रवाल ने कहा कंपनी भारत के बुनयादी ढांचे को बेहतर बनाने के लिए अपनी तकनीक और समाधान का उपयोग करेगी, ताकि परिवहन क्षेत्र में लागत कम किया जा सके।

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World netas don't discuss individual issues: PM on Adani

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1	English	34	N/A	Top Center	68466	1.27M



World netas don't discuss individual issues: PM on Adani

Washington: At a presser at White House, PM Modi was asked if he raised with President Trump the indictment of Gautam Adani and his key associates in a New York court over his involvement in an alleged bribery scheme.

"India is a democratic country, and our culture and our philosophy is, 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine," he said. "Prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues." Trump made no mention of the case during the presser. PTI

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Eighth consecutive session of sell-off

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2	Gujarati	289	N/A	Top Left	115782	34.89K

સતત આઠમા સત્રમાં વેચવાલી

મિડકેપ, સ્મોલકેપ શેર્સમાં ભારે ધોવાણ યથાવત્

વાણિજ્ય પ્રતિનિધિ તરફથી

મુંબઈ, તા. ૧૪ : સપ્તાહના અંતિમ સત્રમાં શુક્રવારે બજાર શરૂઆતમાં સકારાત્મક ખૂલ્યા બાદ ઘટીને બંધ રહ્યું હતું. સેન્સેક્સ ૧૯૯.૩૬ પોઇન્ટ્સ (૦.૨૬ ટકા) ઘટીને ૭૫,૯૩૯.૨૧ પોઇન્ટ્સ ઉપર અને નિફ્ટી ૧૦૨.૧૫ પોઇન્ટ્સ (૦.૪૪ ટકા) ઘટીને ૨૨,૯૨૯.૨૫ પોઇન્ટ્સ ઉપર બંધ રહ્યા હતા.

સતત આઠમા સત્રમાં બજાર ઘટ્યું હતું. ૧૩ ક્ષેત્રના સૂચકાંકો ઘટ્યા હતા. વિદેશી રોકાણકારોની સતત વેચવાલીને કારણે બજારનું સેન્ટિમેન્ટ ખરાબ થયું હતું. આઠ દિવસમાં સેન્સેક્સ ૨૬૪૪.૬ પોઇન્ટ્સ (૩.૩૬ ટકા) ઘટ્યો છે, જ્યારે નિફ્ટી ૮૧૦ પોઇન્ટ્સ (૩.૪૧ ટકા) ઘટ્યો હતો.

સેન્સેક્સમાં અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ ૪ ટકાથી વધુ ઘટ્યો હતો ત્યાર બાદ અલ્ટ્રાટેક સિમેન્ટ, સન ફાર્મા, ઇન્ડુસઇન્ડ બેન્ક, એનટીપીસી અને તાતા સ્ટીલ ઘટ્યા હતા, જ્યારે નેસ્લે, આઈસીઆઈસીઆઈ બેન્ક, ઇન્ફોસીસ, ટીસીએસ અને એચસીએલ ટેક વધ્યા હતા.

નિફ્ટીમાં ભારત ઇલેક્ટ્રોનિક્સ, અદાણી એન્ટરપ્રાઇઝિસ, ટ્રેન્ટ, અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ અને સનફાર્માના ભાવ સૌથી વધુ ઘટ્યા હતા, જ્યારે બ્રિટાનિયા, આઈસીઆઈસીઆઈ બેન્ક, નેસ્લે, ઇન્ફોસીસ અને ટીસીએસના ભાવ વધ્યા હતા.



જિયોજિત ફાઇનાન્સિયલના વિનોદ નાયરે જણાવ્યું હતું કે, ખાસ કરીને મિડકેપ અને સ્મોલકેપમાં કોર્પોરેટ કમાણી ધાર્યા કરતાં નોંધપાત્ર રીતે ઓછી હોવાથી રોકાણકારોમાં સાવચેતીનું વલણ છે.

ઓછી કોર્પોરેટ કમાણી, રૂપિયાનું અવમૂલ્યન અને ટેરિફ યુદ્ધ જેવા બહારનાં પરિબળોને કારણે નજીકના સમયમાં બજારનું સેન્ટિમેન્ટ ખરાબ રહેશે અને એફઆઈઆઈની વેચવાલી ચાલુ રહેશે જ્યાં સુધી ટેરિફની સ્પષ્ટતા ન થાય અને કોર્પોરેટ કમાણીની રિકવરી ન થાય ત્યાં સુધી બજારમાં અસ્થિરતા રહેશે, એમ નાયરે જણાવ્યું હતું.

બીએસઈ સ્મોલકેપ ઇન્ડેક્સ અને મિડકેપ ઇન્ડેક્સ એક તબક્કે ત્રણ ટકાથી વધુ ઘટ્યા હતા. એશિયન બજારોમાં સિઓલ, શાંઘાઈ અને હોંગકોંગ વધ્યા હતા, જ્યારે ટોક્યો ઘટ્યું હતું. યુરોપિયન બજારોમાં મિશ્ર વલણ હતું. ગુરુવારે રાત્રે અમેરિકન બજારો વધીને બંધ રહ્યા હતા.

એક્સચેન્જના એક અહેવાલ મુજબ ગુરુવારે એફઆઈઆઈએ રૂ. ૨૩૮૯.૯૧ કરોડની ચોખ્ખી વેચવાલી કરી હતી.

બે વર્ષ પછી શુક્રવારે સૌપ્રથમ વાર સેન્સેક્સ અને નિફ્ટી સતત આઠમા સત્રમાં ઘટ્યા હતા. ભારતમાં ફુગાવો નિયંત્રણમાં છે, રિઝર્વ બેન્કે વ્યાજદર ઘટાડ્યો છે, રશિયા-યુક્રેન વચ્ચેનો તણાવ ઓછો થઈ રહ્યો છે, મોદી અને ટ્રમ્પ વચ્ચે ફળદાયી મંત્રણા થઈ છે. આ બધાં સકારાત્મક પરિબળો હાલમાં બજારનું સેન્ટિમેન્ટ સુધારી શક્યા નથી.

બીએસઈમાં સીટી પ્લસ મલ્ટિપ્લેક્સ, થ્રી બી બ્લેકબિયો ડીએક્સ, ખેમાણી ડિસ્ટ્રિબ્યુટર્સ, એરીસ ઇન્ટરનેશનલ, સોલેરિયમ ગ્રીન એનર્જી, આનંદ રેયોન્સ, આવીર ફુડ્સ, ઇન્ડોકેમ, જ્યોતિ ઇન્ફ્રા, આરઆરપી સેમિ-કંડક્ટર્સ, ન્યૂટ્રાઇટ એગ્રો, એલાઇટકોન ઇન્ટરનેશનલ, જીએચવી ઇન્ફ્રા, અરુનિસ એબોડે, મિડવેસ્ટ ગોલ્ડ, કપુપીડ બુઅરીઝ, આયુષ આર્ટ, એસબીઆઈ કાર્ડસ, રાજસ્થાન ટયુબ, સોલીટેર મશીન ટુલ્સ, આરવી ઉનીમ વગેરે શેર્સના ભાવ બાવન સપ્તાહની ઊંચાઈએ હતા.

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Sensex fell by 200 points, Nifty fell by 102 points and closed at 22,929

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सेंसेक्स में 200 अंकों की गिरावट, निफ्टी 102 अंक गिरकर 22,929 पर बंद

नई दिल्ली » एजेंसी

घरेलू शेयर बाजार लगातार आठवें दिन लाल निशान पर बंद हुआ। बेंचमार्क सूचकांक सेंसेक्स और निफ्टी हफ्ते के आखिरी कारोबारी दिन भी शुरूआती बढ़त गंवाकर टूट गए। बीएसई का 30 शेयरों वाला प्रमुख सूचकांक सेंसेक्स 199.76 अंक या 0.26 प्रतिशत गिरकर 75,939.21 अंक पर बंद हुआ। कारोबार के दौरान यह 699.33 अंक या 0.91 प्रतिशत गिरकर 75,439.64 अंक पर आ गया था। एनएसई निफ्टी 102.15 अंक या 0.44 प्रतिशत गिरकर 22,929.25 पर आ गया।

विदेशी पूंजी की लगातार निकासी से निवेशकों की धारणा प्रभावित होने से शुक्रवार को शेयर बाजार के प्रमुख सूचकांक सेंसेक्स और निफ्टी में लगातार आठवें दिन गिरावट जारी रही। बाजार ने कारोबार की शुरूआत आशावादी रुख के साथ की, लेकिन जल्द ही शुरूआती बढ़त खो दी और नकारात्मक दायरे में आ गया।

आठ दिनों में 2645 अंक गिरा सेंसेक्स

आठ कारोबारी दिनों में बीएसई बेंचमार्क 2,644.6 अंक या 3.36 प्रतिशत गिरा है, और निफ्टी 810 अंक या 3.41 प्रतिशत गिरा है। 30 शेयरों वाले ब्लू-चिप पैक में से अडानी पोर्ट्स में 4 प्रतिशत से अधिक की गिरावट आई। अल्ट्राटेक सीमेंट, सन फार्मा, इंडसइंड बैंक, एनटीपीसी और टाटा स्टील भी पिछड़ गए। नेस्ले, आईसीआईसीआई बैंक, इंफोसिस, टाटा कंसल्टेंसी सर्विसेज और एचसीएल टेक के शेयरों में लाभ रहा।

जानकारों के अनुसार, जोखिम से बचने की भावना निवेशकों के मन में बनी हुई है, क्योंकि वर्ष की शुरूआत में



कॉपोरेट आय, विशेष रूप से मध्यम और लघु कैप के लिए, बाजार की अपेक्षाओं से काफी कम है। जियोजित फाइनेंशियल सर्विसेज के शोध प्रमुख विनोद नायर ने कहा, आय में नरमी, रुपये में गिरावट और टैरिफ जैसे बाहरी कारकों के कारण निकट भविष्य में धारणा कमजोर रहने की आशंका है, जिससे एफआईआई की निकासी बढ़ सकती है। टैरिफ पर स्पष्टता आने और कॉपोरेट आय में सुधार होने तक अस्थिरता बनी रहने की उम्मीद है।

एशियाई बाजारों में सियोल, शंघाई और हांगकांग में तेजी रही, जबकि टोक्यो में गिरावट रही। यूरोपीय बाजारों में मिलाजुला रुख रहा। गुरुवार को अमेरिकी बाजार बढ़त के साथ बंद हुए। भारत और अमेरिका ने 2030 तक द्विपक्षीय व्यापार को दोगुना से अधिक बढ़ाकर 500 अरब अमेरिकी डॉलर करने का संकल्प लिया है तथा शुल्कों में कमी लाने तथा बाजार पहुंच बढ़ाने के उद्देश्य से द्विपक्षीय व्यापार समझौते के लिए बातचीत शुरू की है।

वाशिंगटन में प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी और अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प की बैठक के बाद जारी संयुक्त बयान के अनुसार, दोनों नेताओं ने द्विपक्षीय व्यापार संबंधों को विकास को बढ़ावा देने, निष्पक्षता, राष्ट्रीय सुरक्षा और रोजगार सृजन सुनिश्चित करने के लिए प्रतिबद्धता जतायी है। एक्सचेंज के आंकड़ों के अनुसार, विदेशी संस्थागत निवेशकों (एफआईआई) ने गुरुवार को 2,789.91 करोड़ रुपये मूल्य की इक्विटी बेची। वैश्विक तेल मानक ब्रेंट क्रूड का भाव 0.55 प्रतिशत बढ़कर 75.43 डॉलर प्रति बैरल हो गया। गुरुवार को सेंसेक्स 32.11 अंक या 0.04 प्रतिशत गिरकर 76,138.97 पर बंद हुआ। निफ्टी 13.85 अंक या 0.06 प्रतिशत गिरकर 23,031.40 पर बंद हुआ।

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માર્કેટ મૂડ



અનિલ પટેલ

ટ્રમ્પ-મોદીના મિલાપથી બજારમાં વિલાપ વકર્યો, સેન્સેક્સ આઠમા દિવસેય માઇનસ

માર્કેટકૅપમાં સવાસાત લાખ કરોડનું ધોવાણ, તમામ સેક્ટોરલ રેડ ઝોનમાં, માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થ તદ્દન ખરાબ : એજેક્સનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે, ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ ગગડીને ૪ રૂપિયા : રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ ઇન્ફ્રા, જય કૉર્પ, એલઆઇસી, વ્હર્લપૂલ, મોબિક્વિક, તાતા ટેક્નૉલૉજીઝ, એસ્ટ્રલ સહિત ૬૪૧ શૅર ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટીએ: અદાણીના તમામ ૧૧ શૅર ખરડાયા, રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતી નરમ : કૉન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું : ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સમાં ૯૯૬ની તેજી

નરેન્દ્ર મોદી અને ટ્રમ્પની મુલાકાતને લઈને પરિસ્થિતિ સાનુકૂળ થવાની જે આશા રખાઈ હતી કે એક જબરી હાઇપ ઊભી કરવામાં આવી હતી એની હવા નીકળી ગઈ છે. ટૅરિફ અને માઇગ્રન્ટ્સને લઈ જેવાદે ચોલા ટ્રમ્પ ભારત પ્રત્યે કૂણું વલણ દાખવશે, મોદી મનાવી લેશે એવી વાતચીતો ઠગારી નીવડી છે. હકીકતમાં તો મોદી સાથેની મુલાકાત શરૂ થાય એના થોડા કલાક પહેલાં જ રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનો મુદ્દો છેડી ટ્રમ્પે અમેરિકાના અક્કડ વલણનો અણસાર આપી દીધો હતો : અમેરિકા પર જેટલી આયાત-જકાત નાખો છો એટલી જ ડ્યુટી અમે તમારા પર લાદીશું. તમે કોણ છો એનાથી અમને કોઈ નિસ્બત નથી. રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનું ગણિત બહુ સીધી ભાષામાં ટ્રમ્પે સમજાવી દીધું હતું. આ વ્યવસ્થા અમેરિકા સાથેના વેપારમાં સરપ્લસની સ્થિતિ પરાવતા દેશોને બેહદ કઠશે. તેમણે અમેરિકન પ્રોડક્ટ્સની આયાત માટેના દરવાજા મોકળા કરવા પડશે, આયાત-જકાત ઘટાડવી પડશે. નિકાસ વધારીને અમેરિકન ડૉલર કમાઈ લેવાના દિવસ હવે પૂરા થયા. ટ્રમ્પની આ પૉલિસી ફાર્મા, હેલ્થકૅર, ઑટો ઍન્સિલિયરી, કેમિકલ્સ, રિન્યુએબલ ઍનર્જી, ટેક્સટાઇલ ઍન્ડ ગાર્મેન્ટ્સ, ફૂડ પ્રોડક્ટ્સ, લેધર ઇટેબલ્સ, જેમ સ્ટોન્સ ઇત્યાદિ જેવાં સેક્ટરની સંખ્યાબંધ કંપનીઓને ભારે પડવાની છે.

આ વાત પૉઝિટિવ ઝોનમાં ખૂલેલા બજારને સમજાઈ હતી. એને લીધે ૨૪૮ પૉઇન્ટ ઘ્વસમાં, ૭૬૩૮૯ ખૂલેલો સેન્સેક્સ ઉપરમાં ૭૬૪૮૩ થયા બાદ ત્યાંથી ૧૦૪૪ પૉઇન્ટ પટકાઈને નીચામાં ૭૫૪૩૮ ગઈ કાલે થયો હતો. નિફ્ટી ૨૨૭૭૫ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. જોકે છેલ્લે બજાર ૨૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા ઘટાડે ૭૫૯૩૯ અને નિફ્ટી ૧૦૨ પૉઇન્ટ બગડી ૨૨૯૨૯ બંધ થયો છે. માર્કેટની આ સતત આઠમા દિવસની નરમાઈ છે. પ્રારંભિક સુધારા બાદ ગગડેલું બજાર સવાબે વાગ્યા સુધી ૭૫૫૦૦ની અંદર હતું. ત્યાર પછી શાર્પ બાઉન્સબૅકમાં ૭૬૦૦૦ ઉપર આવી ગયું હતું અને પછી એની આસપાસ જ રહ્યું હતું. આને કારણે બજારની મોટા ભાગની ખાધ પુરાઈ ગઈ હતી. જોકે બજાર બંધ થવાના કલાક પહેલાં આવેલા આ ૫૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા સુધારા માટે કોઈ દેખીતું કારણ નથી. ટ્રમ્પ સાથે મોદીની મુલાકાતનો વટ ઝાંખો ન પડી જાય એ માટે કે સાહેબની શાન ઘટી ન જાય એ માટે બજાર બાઉન્સ થયું હોય એવું બની શકે. જોકે આનાથી બજારના હાલના મૂળ વલણમાં ફરક પડવાનો નથી. વધ-ઘટે માર્કેટ વધુ બગડવાનું છે એ વાત નક્કી છે.

QIBની રહેમ થતાં હેક્સાવેરનો ઇશ્યુ પાર લાગી ગયો

એકના શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૮ની લૂંટમાર ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસ સાથે ૮૭૫૦ કરોડનો IPO કરનારી હેક્સાવેર ટેક્નોલૉજીઝની નાવ QIBએ પાર લગાવી દીધી છે. રીટેલમાં માત્ર ૧૨ ટકા અને HNIમાં ૨૨ ટકા જ ભરાયેલું આ ભરવું કુલ બે ગણું છલકાયું એ QIBની મહેરબાની છે. QIB પોર્શન ૬.૯ ગણો ભરાયો છે. ઈવન કંપનીએ એના કર્મચારી માટે ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસમાં ૬૭ રૂપિયાનું ડિસ્કાઉન્ટ જાહેર કર્યું હતું એ પોર્શન પણ કેવળ 33 ટકા ભરાયો છે. ભરવું પાર પડતાં ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ સુધરી અઢી રૂપિયા ક્વોટ થવા માંડ્યું છે. સાંગલીની ક્વોલિટી પાવરનો ૧૦ના શૅરદીઠ ૪૫૫ના ભાવનો આશરે ૮૫૯ કરોડનો ઇશ્યુ પ્રથમ દિવસે કુલ ૬૨ ટકા ભરાયો છે. પ્રીમિયમ વધુ ખરડાઈને ૮ થઈ ગયું છે. એજેક્સ એન્જિનિયરિંગનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે છે. ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં ૪ રૂપિયાનું પ્રીમિયમ છે. શરૂઆત ૫૮થી થઈ હતી.

દરમ્યાન ગઈ કાલે બજારનું માર્કેટકૅપ ૭.૨૪ લાખ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં ૪૦૦.૦૨ લાખ કરોડે આવી ગયું છે જે ૧૪ મહિનાનું બૉટમ છે. માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થમાં ભારે બગાડ હતો. NSEમાં વધેલા ૪૫૯ શૅર સામે ૨૪૧૨ જાતો ઘટી છે. સેન્સેક્સ નિફ્ટીના સામાન્ય ઘટાડા સામે સ્મોલકૅપ સવાત્રણ ટકા, મિડકૅપ અઢી ટકા અને બૉડર માર્કેટ સવા ટકો કપાયું હતું. બજારનાં તમામ સેક્ટોરલ લાલ થયાં હતાં. હેલ્થકૅર, કૅપિટલ ગુડ્સ, નિફ્ટી ફાર્મા, પાવર, રિયલ્ટી, કન્ઝ્યુમર ડ્યુરેબલ્સ, યુટિલિટીઝ, નિફ્ટી મીડિયા, પીએસયુ બૅન્ક નિફ્ટી જેવા ઇન્ડેક્સ બેથી સાડાત્રણ ટકા સાફ થયા છે. આઇટી ઇન્ડેક્સ નામ પૂરતો નરમ હતો, પરંતુ એની ૧૬માંથી ૪૯ જાતો ઘટી હતી.

ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક અને જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલમાં ઑલટાઇમ નીચો ભાવ

રિલાયન્સની જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલે સવાબે ગણા કામકાજે ૨૧૯ના ઑલ ટાઇમ તળિયે જઈ અઢી ટકા ઘટી ૨૨૨ હતી. ૨૩ એપ્રિલે ભાવ ૩૯૫ના શિખરે હતો. ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક ૬૦ની સૌથી નીચી સપાટી નોંધાવી સવાપાંચ ટકા તૂટી ૬૧ નજીક રહી છે. ૨૦ ઑગસ્ટે શૅરમાં ૧૫૭ના શિખરે હતો એ ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૬નું ઑલટાઇમ તળિયું દેખાડી પોણાસાત ટકાના ઘબડકામાં ૩૪૦ બંધ આવી છે. ઝોમાટો પોણો ટકો નરમ હતી. એલઆઇસી ૭૫૫ની ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટી બાદ સાડાત્રણ ટકા તૂટી ૭૫૮ થઈ છે. ૨૬ ડિસેમ્બરે ૬૯૮ની સર્વોચ્ચ સપાટીએ ગયેલી મોબિક્વિક ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૩નો સૌથી નીચો ભાવ બતાવી આઠેક ટકા ઘોવાઈને ૩૨૬ હતી.

નફામાં ૩૮ ટકાના ઘટાડામાં આગલા દિવસે ૨૦ ટકા તૂટેલી નાટકો ફાર્મા ગઈ કાલે ૮૬૮ના તળિયે જઈ સવાનવ ટકા બગડી ૮૮૪ નજીક રહી છે. નફામાં થયેલો ૮૦ કરોડનો ઘટાડો કંપનીને માર્કેટકૅપની રીતે ૫૯૬૩ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં પડ્યો છે. પ્રિન્સ પાઇપ્સ રિઝલ્ટ પાછળ નરમાઈની હૅટ-ટ્રિકમાં ૨૭૨ની નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બનાવી અઢી ટકા ગગડી ૨૮૦ હતી. એસ્ટ્રલ પણ ૧૩૧૩ના નવા તળિયે જઈ પોણાત્રણ ટકા ઘટીને ૧૩૩૨ હતી.

પેરન્ટ્સની સંભવિત એક્ઝિટવી ખરડાયેલા માનસમાં વ્હર્લપૂલ ૯૯૧ના ઐતિહાસિક નવા બૉટમ બાદ પોણાબે ટકા ઘટી ૧૦૦૩ હતી. ૨૨ ઑક્ટોબરે ભાવ ૨૪૫૦ની ટોચે હતો. તાતા ટેક્નોલૉજીઝ, તાતા કેમિકલ્સ, તાતા પાવર, ટીમર્કેએફ, રાલિઝ ઇન્ડિયા જેવી તાતા ગ્રુપની કંપનીઓમાંય નવા નીચા ભાવ જોવા મળ્યા છે. એયુ બૅન્ક, બૅન્ક ઑફ બરોડા, બંધન બૅન્ક, કેનેરા બૅન્ક, ફીનો પેમેન્ટ બૅન્ક, સ્ટેટ બૅન્ક, પીએનબી જેવા બૅન્ક શૅરોમાંય વર્ષનાં બૉટમ બન્યાં છે.

અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ બીજા દિવસે ટૉપ લૂઝર, અદાણી એન્ટર વધુ બગડ્યો

આગલા દિવસે સેન્સેક્સમાં ટૉપ લૂઝર રહેલી અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ ગઈ કાલે પોણાબે ગણા કામકાજે નીચામાં ૧૦૪૨ થઈ ૪.૪ ટકાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૦૬૨ના બંધમાં બન્ને બજાર ખાતે વર્સ્ટ પર્ફોર્મર બની છે, તો ફ્લેગશિપ અદાણી એન્ટરપ્રાઇઝ નીચામાં ૨૧૨૪ બંધ આપી નિફ્ટીમાં વર્સ્ટ લૂઝર હતી. અદાણીના અન્ય શૅરમાં અદાણી પાવર સવાબે ટકા, અદાણી એનર્જી પોણાપાંચ ટકા, અદાણી ગ્રીન ૩.૨ ટકા, અદાણી ટોટલ પોણાચાર ટકા, અદાણી વિલ્મર સવાત્રણ ટકા, NDTV સવાચાર ટકા, એસીસી સવાબે ટકા, અંબુજા સિમેન્ટ્સ ત્રણેક ટકા અને સાંઘી ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ દોઢ ટકા ખરડાઈ હતી. NDTVમાં નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બન્યું છે. અદાણી ગ્રીન, અદાણી વિલ્મર, અદાણી ટોટલ, એસીસી નવા નીચા ભાવ બતાવવાની તૈયારીમાં દેખાય છે. ઇન્ડેક્સ બેઝ્ડ અન્ય જાતોમાં ભારત ઇલેક્ટ્રિક સવાચાર ટકા, ટ્રેન્ટ તથા સનફાર્મા અઢી ટકાથી વધુ, આઇશર તેમ જ અલ્ટ્રાટેક અઢી ટકા, NTPC ઇન્ડસઇન્ડ બૅન્ક અને ગ્રાસિમ સવાબે ટકા, ડૉ. રેડ્ડીઝ લૅબ બજાજ ઑટો અને કોલ ઇન્ડિયા બે ટકાથી વધુ, ONGC તેમ જ ભારત પેટ્રો ૧.૯ ટકા ડૂલ થઈ છે. હીરો મોટોકૉર્પ ૩૮૪૮ના નવા તળિયે જઈ ૨.૪ ટકા બગડી ૩૮૫૭ હતી. રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતા ઘટાડે ૧૨૧૫ રહી છે. મહિન્દ્ર, લાર્સન, કોટક બૅન્ક, તાતા સ્ટીલ, શ્રીરામ ફાઇ, અપોલો હૉસ્પિટલ સવાથી પોણાબે ટકા ડાઉન હતી.

બ્રિટાનિયા એક ટકો વધી નિફ્ટી ખાતે તો નેસ્લે એક ટકા નજીકના સુધારામાં સેન્સેક્સ ખાતે ટૉપ ગેઇનર બની છે. HCL ટેક્નો, ઇન્ફોસિસ, ICICI બૅન્ક અને TCSએસ લગભગ અડધો-પોણો ટકો વધ્યા હતી. મુકેશ અંબાણીના પરમ મિત્ર આનંદ જૈનની જયકૉર્પ પાંચ ટકાની નીચલી સર્કિટે ૧૧૬ના મલ્ટિયર તળિયે ગઈ છે. જુલાઈના આરંભે ભાવ ૪૩૮ના શિખરે હતો. રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રિયલ ઇન્ફ્રા પણ ૮૫૮ના વર્સ્ટ લેવલે જઈ પોણાચાર ટકાની ખરાબીમાં ૮૭૧ હતી.

સંદેશ લિમિટેડ નફામાંથી ખોટમાં આવતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા ગગડ્યો

કૉર્પોરેટ પરિણામમાં 'ખુશી કમ, ઝ્યાદા ગમ'નો દોર જળવાઈ રહ્યો છે. બજારનું માનસ ખરડાયેલું હોવાથી નબળા પરિણામની શૅર પર ત્વરિત તથા મોટી અસર થાય છે. સારાં રિઝલ્ટ લગભગ એળે જાય છે. સેન્કો ગોલ્ડ નફામાં ૬૯ ટકાના ગાબડા પાછળ વૉલ્યુમ સાથે ૨૦ ટકા લથડી ૩૫૮ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. કોન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો નફો ફક્ત બે ટકા ઘટી ૭૫૯૦ લાખ આવ્યો છે. એમાં શૅર નવ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૦ ટકા પટકાઈ ૧૬૮૮ થયા બાદ ૪૧૬ રૂપિયાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૬૯૩ બંધ હતો. ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં આ કંપનીનું માર્કેટકૅપ ગઈ કાલે ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું છે. દીપક નાઇટ્રેટે બાવન ટકાના ઘટાડામાં ૬૮ કરોડનો ચોખ્ખો નફો દર્શાવતાં ભાવ ૧૮૭૪નું પોણાબે વર્ષનું બૉટમ બનાવી ૧૫ ટકા કે ૩૩૭ના કડાકામાં ૧૯૦૦ રહ્યો છે. સંદેશ લિમિટેડ ૫૭૬૮ લાખના નફામાંથી ૨૦૭૯ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટમાં સરી પડતાં શૅર સરેરાશ કરતાં ૨૫ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૮૨ રૂપિયા કે ૨૦ ટકાની મંદીની સર્કિટમાં ૧૧૨૭ થયો હતો. ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સનો ત્રિમાસિક પ્રોફિટ ૨૧૨ કરોડથી ૪૯ ટકા વધી ૩૧૬ કરોડ આવતાં ભાવ સાત ગણા કામકાજે ૨૦ ટકાની ઉપલી સર્કિટે ૯૬૬ રૂપિયા ઊછળીને ૫૯૭૯ વટાવી ગયો છે. ૧૦૪ કરોડની નફાવૃદ્ધિમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૫૧૮૨ કરોડ રૂપિયા વધી ગયું છે. થોડા સમય પહેલાં ડિસેમ્બરમાં શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૧ના ભાવથી ઇશ્યુ લાવનારી મુંબઈની કો-કૉર્ડ એન્વિરો સિસ્ટમ્સે ૧૮૫૮ લાખના નફા સામે ૮૫૬ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટ કરતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા કે ૧૩૧ રૂપિયાના ઘબડકામાં ૫૨૩ના ઑલટાઇમ તળિયે ગયો છે. TCPL પૅકેજિંગનો નફો બેવડાઈને ૧૮૮૦ લાખ થતાં શૅર ઉપરમાં ૩૭૨૪ થઈ સવાછ ટકાની તેજીમાં ૩૪૨૪ હતો. ટિટાગર રેલ નફામાં ૧૬ ટકા ઘટાડાના વસવસામાં નીચામાં ૭૬૬ થઈ ૫.૪ ટકા બગડી ૮૦૪ હતો. અનુપમ રસાયણે ૫૩ ટકાના વધારામાં ૨૮૧૯ લાખ ચોખ્ખો નફો કર્યો છે, શૅર જોકે સાધારણ ઘટીને બંધ હતો.

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Synthetic diamonds worth Rs 5 crore seized at Mumbai airport

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3	Hindi	105	N/A	Middle Left	66214	993.74K

मुंबई एयरपोर्ट पर पांच करोड़ के सिंथेटिक हीरे जब्त



▸▸ लैपटॉप के बैग में छिपाए गए थे हीरे

जागरूक टाइम्स संवाददाता

मुंबई। मुंबई के छत्रपति शिवाजी महाराज अंतरराष्ट्रीय एयरपोर्ट पर तैनात सीआईएसएफ के जवानों ने 4.93 करोड़ रुपये के सिंथेटिक हीरों की तस्करी करने वाले शख्स को पकड़ा है। यात्री ने लैपटॉप बैग में हीरे छिपाकर रखे थे। सीआईएसएफ ने बताया कि 12 फरवरी की रात 1:18 बजे एक भारतीय यात्री भरतभाई गोविंदभाई नथानी बैंकॉक जाने के लिए एनओके एयरलाइंस की फ्लाइट पकड़ने के लिए एयरपोर्ट पहुंचा था। यह फ्लाइट 2:50 बजे टर्मिनल 2 से उड़ान भरने वाली थी। आवश्यक चेक-इन औपचारिकताओं को पूरा करने के बाद, वह अपने हैंड बैग के साथ सुरक्षा जांच क्षेत्र में पहुंचे। स्क्रीनिंग के दौरान सीआईएसएफ स्क्रीनर कॉन्स्टेबल सुभोध कुमार ने X-BIS मशीन पर एक संदिग्ध इमेज देखी। जब इस इमेज की बारीकी से जांच की गई तो पाया गया कि लैपटॉप बैग के बैटरी कंपार्टमेंट में एक अज्ञात वस्तु छुपाई गई थी। यात्री की प्रोफाइल और संदिग्ध छवि को ध्यान में रखते हुए बैग की गहन जांच करने का निर्णय लिया गया। सीआईएसएफ अधिकारी मीना मुकेश कुमार, जो फिजिकल चेक के लिए तैनात थे उन्होंने बैग की गहन तलाशी ली। इस दौरान लैपटॉप बैटरी कंपार्टमेंट के अंदर से उन्हें 26 छोटे पारदर्शी पैकेटों में छुपाए गए सिंथेटिक हीरे मिले। यात्री और बरामद किए गए हीरों को तुरंत एयर इंटेलिजेंस यूनिट (एआईयू) और मुंबई एयरपोर्ट के कस्टम अधिकारियों को सौंप दिया गया।

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Titagarh Rail ko ADani Cement se 537cr ka order mila

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13	Hindi	52	N/A	Middle Center	75791	390K

टीटागढ़ रेल को अदाणी सीमेंट से 537 करोड़ रुपये का ऑर्डर मिला

कोलकाता (भाषा)।

टीटागढ़ रेल सिस्टम्स लिमिटेड (टीआरएसएल), को अदाणी सीमेंट की अनुषंगी कंपनियों अंबुजा सीमेंट्स लिमिटेड और एसीसी लिमिटेड से विशेष मालवाहक डिब्बों के विनिर्माण और आपूर्ति के लिए 537.11 करोड़ रुपये का अनुबंध मिला है। कंपनी ने शुक्रवार को यह जानकारी दी।

इन डिब्बों का उद्देश्य सीमेंट जैसी भारी सामग्री की ढुलाई को अधिक कुशल और प्रभावी बनाना है, ताकि कंपनी के व्यापारिक कामों में आसानी हो सके।

ऑर्डर की डिलीवरी जनवरी 2026 और मार्च 2027 के बीच निर्धारित है।

टीआरएसएल के उप प्रबंध निदेशक अनिल कुमार अग्रवाल ने कहा कंपनी भारत के बुनयादी ढांचे को बेहतर बनाने के लिए अपनी तकनीक और समाधान का उपयोग करेगी, ताकि परिवहन क्षेत्र में लागत कम किया जा सके।

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Trump-Modi rapprochement sent market reeling, Sensex down for eighth day

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17	Gujarati	715	N/A	Top Left	572954	389.96K

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અનિલ પટેલ

ટ્રમ્પ-મોદીના મિલાપથી બજારમાં વિલાપ વકર્યો, સેન્સેક્સ આઠમા દિવસેય માઇનસ

માર્કેટકૅપમાં સવાસાત લાખ કરોડનું ધોવાણ, તમામ સેક્ટોરલ રેડ ઝોનમાં, માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થ તદ્દન ખરાબ : એજેક્સનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે, ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ ગગડીને ૪ રૂપિયા : રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ ઇન્ફ્રા, જય કૉર્પ, એલઆઇસી, વ્હર્લપૂલ, મોબિક્વિક, તાતા ટેક્નૉલૉજીઝ, એસ્ટ્રલ સહિત ૬૪૧ શૅર ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટીએ: અદાણીના તમામ ૧૧ શૅર ખરડાયા, રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતી નરમ : કૉન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું : ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સમાં ૯૯૬ની તેજી

નરેન્દ્ર મોદી અને ટ્રમ્પની મુલાકાતને લઈને પરિસ્થિતિ સાનુકૂળ થવાની જે આશા રખાઈ હતી કે એક જબરી હાઇપ ઊભી કરવામાં આવી હતી એની હવા નીકળી ગઈ છે. ટૅરિફ અને માઇગ્રન્ટ્સને લઈ જેવાદે ચોડ્યા ટ્રમ્પ ભારત પ્રત્યે કૂણું વલણ દાખવશે, મોદી મનાવી લેશે એવી વાતચીતો ઠગારી નીવડી છે. હકીકતમાં તો મોદી સાથેની મુલાકાત શરૂ થાય એના થોડા કલાક પહેલાં જ રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનો મુદ્દો છેડી ટ્રમ્પે અમેરિકાના અક્કડ વલણનો અણસાર આપી દીધો હતો : અમેરિકા પર જેટલી આયાત-જકાત નાખો છો એટલી જ ડ્યુટી અમે તમારા પર લાદીશું. તમે કોણ છો એનાથી અમને કોઈ નિસ્બત નથી. રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનું ગણિત બહુ સીધી ભાષામાં ટ્રમ્પે સમજાવી દીધું હતું. આ વ્યવસ્થા અમેરિકા સાથેના વેપારમાં સરપ્લસની સ્થિતિ પરાવતા દેશોને બેહાલ કરશે. તેમણે અમેરિકન પ્રોડક્ટ્સની આયાત માટેના દરવાજા મોકળા કરવા પડશે, આયાત-જકાત ઘટાડવી પડશે. નિકાસ વધારીને અમેરિકન ડૉલર કમાઈ લેવાના દિવસ હવે પૂરા થયા. ટ્રમ્પની આ પૉલિસી ફાર્મા, હેલ્થકૅર, ઑટો ઍન્સિલિયરી, કેમિકલ્સ, રિન્યુએબલ ઍનર્જી, ટેક્સટાઇલ ઍન્ડ ગાર્મેન્ટ્સ, ફૂડ પ્રોડક્ટ્સ, વેજિટેબલ્સ, જેમ સ્ટોન્સ ઇત્યાદિ જેવાં સેક્ટરની સંખ્યાબંધ કંપનીઓને ભારે પડવાની છે.

આ વાત પૉઝિટિવ ઝોનમાં ખૂલેલા બજારને સમજાઈ હતી. એને લીધે ૨૪૮ પૉઇન્ટ ઘ્વસમાં, ૭૬૩૮૯ ખૂલેલો સેન્સેક્સ ઉપરમાં ૭૬૪૮૩ થયા બાદ ત્યાંથી ૧૦૪૪ પૉઇન્ટ પટકાઈને નીચામાં ૭૫૪૩૮ ગઈ કાલે થયો હતો. નિફ્ટી ૨૨૭૭૫ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. જોકે છેલ્લે બજાર ૨૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા ઘટાડે ૭૫૯૩૮ અને નિફ્ટી ૧૦૨ પૉઇન્ટ બગડી ૨૨૯૨૬ બંધ થયો છે. માર્કેટની આ સતત આઠમા દિવસની નરમાઈ છે. પ્રારંભિક સુધારા બાદ ગગડેલું બજાર સવાબે વાગ્યા સુધી ૭૫૫૦૦ની અંદર હતું. ત્યાર પછી શાર્પ બાઉન્સબૅકમાં ૭૬૦૦૦ ઉપર આવી ગયું હતું અને પછી એની આસપાસ જ રહ્યું હતું. આને કારણે બજારની મોટા ભાગની ખાધ પુરાઈ ગઈ હતી. જોકે બજાર બંધ થવાના કલાક પહેલાં આવેલા આ ૫૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા સુધારા માટે કોઈ દેખીતું કારણ નથી. ટ્રમ્પ સાથે મોદીની મુલાકાતનો વટ ઝાંખો ન પડી જાય એ માટે કે સાહેબની શાન ઘટી ન જાય એ માટે બજાર બાઉન્સ થયું હોય એવું બની શકે. જોકે આનાથી બજારના હાલના મૂળ વલણમાં ફરક પડવાનો નથી. વધ-ઘટે માર્કેટ વધુ બગડવાનું છે એ વાત નક્કી છે.

QIBની રહેમ થતાં હેક્સાવેરનો ઇશ્યુ પાર લાગી ગયો

એકના શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૮ની લૂંટમાર ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસ સાથે ૮૭૫૦ કરોડનો IPO કરનારી હેક્સાવેર ટેક્નોલૉજીઝની નાવ QIBએ પાર લગાવી દીધી છે. રીટેલમાં માત્ર ૧૨ ટકા અને HNIમાં ૨૨ ટકા જ ભરાયેલું આ ભરવું કુલ બે ગણું છલકાયું એ QIBની મહેરબાની છે. QIB પોર્શન ૬.૯ ગણો ભરાયો છે. ઈવન કંપનીએ એના કર્મચારી માટે ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસમાં ૬૭ રૂપિયાનું ડિસ્કાઉન્ટ જાહેર કર્યું હતું એ પોર્શન પણ કેવળ 33 ટકા ભરાયો છે. ભરવું પાર પડતાં ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ સુધરી અઢી રૂપિયા ક્વોટ થવા માંડ્યું છે. સાંગલીની ક્વૉલિટી પાવરનો ૧૦ના શૅરદીઠ ૪૨૫ના ભાવનો આશરે ૮૫૯ કરોડનો ઇશ્યુ પ્રથમ દિવસે કુલ ૬૨ ટકા ભરાયો છે. પ્રીમિયમ વધુ ખરડાઈને ૮ થઈ ગયું છે. એજેક્સ એન્જિનિયરિંગનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે છે. ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં ૪ રૂપિયાનું પ્રીમિયમ છે. શરૂઆત ૫૮થી થઈ હતી.

દરમ્યાન ગઈ કાલે બજારનું માર્કેટકૅપ ૭.૨૪ લાખ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં ૪૦૦.૦૨ લાખ કરોડે આવી ગયું છે જે ૧૪ મહિનાનું બૉટમ છે. માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થમાં ભારે બગાડ હતો. NSEમાં વધેલા ૪૫૯ શૅર સામે ૨૪૧૨ જાતો ઘટી છે. સેન્સેક્સ નિફ્ટીના સામાન્ય ઘટાડા સામે સ્મૉલકૅપ સવાત્રણ ટકા, મિડકૅપ અઢી ટકા અને બ્રૉડર માર્કેટ સવા ટકો કપાયું હતું. બજારનાં તમામ સેક્ટોરલ લાલ થયાં હતાં. હેલ્થકૅર, કૅપિટલ ગુડ્સ, નિફ્ટી ફાર્મા, પાવર, રિયલ્ટી, કન્ઝ્યુમર ડ્યુરેબલ્સ, યુટિલિટીઝ, નિફ્ટી મીડિયા, પીએસયુ બૅન્ક નિફ્ટી જેવા ઇન્ડેક્સ બેથી સાડાત્રણ ટકા સાફ થયા છે. આઇટી ઇન્ડેક્સ નામ પૂરતો નરમ હતો, પરંતુ એની ૧૬માંથી ૪૯ જાતો ઘટી હતી.

ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક અને જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલમાં ઑલટાઇમ નીચો ભાવ

રિલાયન્સની જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલે સવાબે ગણા કામકાજે ૨૧૯ના ઑલ ટાઇમ તળિયે જઈ અઢી ટકા ઘટી ૨૨૨ હતી. ૨૩ એપ્રિલે ભાવ ૩૯૫ના શિખરે હતો. ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક ૬૦ની સૌથી નીચી સપાટી નોંધાવી સવાપાંચ ટકા તૂટી ૬૧ નજીક રહી છે. ૨૦ ઑગસ્ટે શૅરમાં ૧૫૭ના શિખરે હતો એ ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૬નું ઑલટાઇમ તળિયું દેખાડી પોણાસાત ટકાના ઘબડકામાં ૩૪૦ બંધ આવી છે. ઝોમાટો પોણો ટકો નરમ હતી. એલઆઇસી ૭૫૫ની ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટી બાદ સાડાત્રણ ટકા તૂટી ૭૫૮ થઈ છે. ૨૬ ડિસેમ્બરે ૬૯૮ની સર્વોચ્ચ સપાટીએ ગયેલી મોબિક્વિક ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૩નો સૌથી નીચો ભાવ બતાવી આઠેક ટકા ઘોવાઈને ૩૨૬ હતી.

નફામાં ૩૮ ટકાના ઘટાડામાં આગલા દિવસે ૨૦ ટકા તૂટેલી નાટકો ફાર્મા ગઈ કાલે ૮૬૮ના તળિયે જઈ સવાનવ ટકા બગડી ૮૮૪ નજીક રહી છે. નફામાં થયેલો ૮૦ કરોડનો ઘટાડો કંપનીને માર્કેટકૅપની રીતે ૫૯૬૩ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં પડ્યો છે. પ્રિન્સ પાઇપ્સ રિઝલ્ટ પાછળ નરમાઈની હૅટ-ટ્રિકમાં ૨૭૨ની નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બનાવી અઢી ટકા ગગડી ૨૮૦ હતી. એસ્ટ્રલ પણ ૧૩૧૩ના નવા તળિયે જઈ પોણાત્રણ ટકા ઘટીને ૧૩૩૨ હતી.

પેરન્ટ્સની સંભવિત એક્ઝિટવી ખરડાયેલા માનસમાં વ્હર્લપૂલ ૯૯૧ના ઐતિહાસિક નવા બૉટમ બાદ પોણાબે ટકા ઘટી ૧૦૦૩ હતી. ૨૨ ઑક્ટોબરે ભાવ ૨૪૫૦ની ટોચે હતો. તાતા ટેક્નોલૉજીઝ, તાતા કેમિકલ્સ, તાતા પાવર, ટીઆરઍક્સ, રાલિઝ ઇન્ડિયા જેવી તાતા ગ્રુપની કંપનીઓમાંય નવા નીચા ભાવ જોવા મળ્યા છે. એયુ બૅન્ક, બૅન્ક ઑફ બરોડા, બંધન બૅન્ક, કેનેરા બૅન્ક, ફીનો પેમેન્ટ બૅન્ક, સ્ટેટ બૅન્ક, પીએનબી જેવા બૅન્ક શૅરોમાંય વર્ષનાં બૉટમ બન્યાં છે.

અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ બીજા દિવસે ટૉપ લૂઝર, અદાણી એન્ટર વધુ બગડ્યો

આગલા દિવસે સેન્સેક્સમાં ટૉપ લૂઝર રહેલી અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ ગઈ કાલે પોણાબે ગણા કામકાજે નીચામાં ૧૦૪૨ થઈ ૪.૪ ટકાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૦૬૨ના બંધમાં બન્ને બજાર ખાતે વર્સ્ટ પર્ફૉર્મર બની છે, તો ફ્લેગશિપ અદાણી એન્ટરપ્રાઇઝ નીચામાં ૨૧૨૪ બંધ આપી નિફ્ટીમાં વર્સ્ટ વર્સ્ટ લૂઝર હતી. અદાણીના અન્ય શૅરમાં અદાણી પાવર સવાબે ટકા, અદાણી એનર્જી પોણાપાંચ ટકા, અદાણી ગ્રીન ૩.૨ ટકા, અદાણી ટોટલ પોણાચાર ટકા, અદાણી વિલ્મર સવાત્રણ ટકા, NDTV સવાચાર ટકા, એસીસી સવાબે ટકા, અંબુજા સિમેન્ટ્સ ત્રણેક ટકા અને સાંઘી ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ દોઢ ટકા ખરડાઈ હતી. NDTVમાં નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બન્યું છે. અદાણી ગ્રીન, અદાણી વિલ્મર, અદાણી ટોટલ, એસીસી નવા નીચા ભાવ બતાવવાની તૈયારીમાં દેખાય છે. ઇન્ડેક્સ બેઝ્ડ અન્ય જાતોમાં ભારત ઇલેક્ટ્રિક સવાચાર ટકા, ટ્રેન્ટ તથા સનફાર્મા અઢી ટકાથી વધુ, આઇશર તેમ જ અલ્ટ્રાટેક અઢી ટકા, NTPC ઇન્ડસઇન્ડ બૅન્ક અને ગ્રાસિમ સવાબે ટકા, ડૉ. રેડ્ડીઝ લૅબ બજાજ ઑટો અને કોલ ઇન્ડિયા બે ટકાથી વધુ, ONGC તેમ જ ભારત પેટ્રો ૧.૯ ટકા ડૂલ થઈ છે. હીરો મોટોકૉર્પ ૩૮૪૮ના નવા તળિયે જઈ ૨.૪ ટકા બગડી ૩૮૫૭ હતી. રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતા ઘટાડે ૧૨૧૫ રહી છે. મહિન્દ્ર, લાર્સન, કોટક બૅન્ક, તાતા સ્ટીલ, શ્રીરામ ફાઇ, અપોલો હૉસ્પિટલ સવાથી પોણાબે ટકા ડાઉન હતી.

બ્રિટાનિયા એક ટકો વધી નિફ્ટી ખાતે તો નેસ્લે એક ટકા નજીકના સુધારામાં સેન્સેક્સ ખાતે ટૉપ ગેઇનર બની છે. HCL ટેક્નો, ઇન્ફોસિસ, ICICI બૅન્ક અને TCSએસ લગભગ અડધો-પોણો ટકો ઘ્વસ હતી. મુકેશ અંબાણીના પરમ મિત્ર આનંદ જૈનની જયકૉર્પ પાંચ ટકાની નીચલી સર્કિટે ૧૧૬ના મલ્ટિયર તળિયે ગઈ છે. જુલાઈના આરંભે ભાવ ૪૩૮ના શિખરે હતો. રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રિયલ ઇન્ફ્રા પણ ૮૫૮ના વર્સ્ટ લેવલે જઈ પોણાચાર ટકાની ખરાબીમાં ૮૭૧ હતી.

સંદેશ લિમિટેડ નફામાંથી ખોટમાં આવતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા ગગડ્યો

કૉર્પોરેટ પરિણામમાં 'ખુશી કમ, ઝ્યાદા ગમ'નો દોર જળવાઈ રહ્યો છે. બજારનું માનસ ખરડાયેલું હોવાથી નબળા પરિણામની શૅર પર ત્વરિત તથા મોટી અસર થાય છે. સારાં રિઝલ્ટ લગભગ એળે જાય છે. સેન્કો ગોલ્ડ નફામાં ૬૯ ટકાના ગાબડા પાછળ વૉલ્યુમ સાથે ૨૦ ટકા લથડી ૩૫૮ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. કોન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો નફો ફક્ત બે ટકા ઘટી ૭૫૯૦ લાખ આવ્યો છે. એમાં શૅર નવ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૦ ટકા પટકાઈ ૧૬૮૮ થયા બાદ ૪૧૬ રૂપિયાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૬૯૩ બંધ હતો. ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં આ કંપનીનું માર્કેટકૅપ ગઈ કાલે ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું છે. દીપક નાઇટ્રેટે બાવન ટકાના ઘટાડામાં ૯૮ કરોડનો ચોખ્ખો નફો દર્શાવતાં ભાવ ૧૮૭૪નું પોણાબે વર્ષનું બૉટમ બનાવી ૧૫ ટકા કે ૩૩૭ના કડાકામાં ૧૯૦૦ રહ્યો છે.

સંદેશ લિમિટેડ ૫૭૬૮ લાખના નફામાંથી ૨૦૭૯ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટમાં સરી પડતાં શૅર સરેરાશ કરતાં ૨૫ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૮૨ રૂપિયા કે ૨૦ ટકાની મંદીની સર્કિટમાં ૧૧૨૭ થયો હતો. ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સનો ત્રિમાસિક પ્રોફિટ ૨૧૨ કરોડથી ૪૯ ટકા વધી ૩૧૬ કરોડ આવતાં ભાવ સાત ગણા કામકાજે ૨૦ ટકાની ઉપલી સર્કિટે ૬૬૬ રૂપિયા ઊછળીને ૫૯૭૯ વટાવી ગયો છે. ૧૦૪ કરોડની નફાવૃદ્ધિમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૫૧૮૨ કરોડ રૂપિયા વધી ગયું છે. થોડા સમય પહેલાં ડિસેમ્બરમાં શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૧ના ભાવથી ઇશ્યુ લાવનારી મુંબઈની કો-કોર્ડ એન્વિરો સિસ્ટમ્સે ૧૮૫૮ લાખના નફા સામે ૮૫૬ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટ કરતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા કે ૧૩૧ રૂપિયાના ઘબડકામાં ૫૨૩ના ઑલટાઇમ તળિયે ગયો છે. TCPL પૅકેજિંગનો નફો બેવડાઈને ૧૮૮૦ લાખ થતાં શૅર ઉપરમાં ૩૭૨૪ થઈ સવાછ ટકાની તેજીમાં ૩૪૨૪ હતો. ટિટાગર રેલ નફામાં ૧૬ ટકા ઘટાડાના વસવસામાં નીચામાં ૭૬૬ થઈ ૫.૪ ટકા બગડી ૮૦૪ હતો. અનુપમ રસાયણે ૫૩ ટકાના વધારામાં ૨૮૧૯ લાખ ચોખ્ખો નફો કર્યો છે, શૅર જોકે સાધારણ ઘટીને બંધ હતો.

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Titagarh Rail ko ADani Cement se 537cr ka order mila

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टीटागढ़ रेल को अदाणी सीमेंट से 537 करोड़ रुपये का ऑर्डर मिला

कोलकाता (भाषा)।

टीटागढ़ रेल सिस्टम्स लिमिटेड (टीआरएसएल), को अदाणी सीमेंट की अनुषंगी कंपनियों अंबुजा सीमेंट्स लिमिटेड और एसीसी लिमिटेड से विशेष मालवाहक डिब्बों के विनिर्माण और आपूर्ति के लिए 537.11 करोड़ रुपये का अनुबंध मिला है। कंपनी ने शुक्रवार को यह जानकारी दी।

इन डिब्बों का उद्देश्य सीमेंट जैसी भारी सामग्री की ढुलाई को अधिक कुशल और प्रभावी बनाना है, ताकि कंपनी के व्यापारिक कामों में आसानी हो सके।

ऑर्डर की डिलीवरी जनवरी 2026 और मार्च 2027 के बीच निर्धारित है।

टीआरएसएल के उप प्रबंध निदेशक अनिल कुमार अग्रवाल ने कहा कंपनी भारत के बुनयादी ढांचे को बेहतर बनाने के लिए अपनी तकनीक और समाधान का उपयोग करेगी, ताकि परिवहन क्षेत्र में लागत कम किया जा सके।

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Trump-Modi rapprochement sent market reeling, Sensex down for eighth day

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17	Gujarati	715	N/A	Top Left	572954	389.96K

માર્કેટ મૂડ



અનિલ પટેલ

ટ્રમ્પ-મોદીના મિલાપથી બજારમાં વિલાપ વકર્યો, સેન્સેક્સ આઠમા દિવસેય માઇનસ

માર્કેટકૅપમાં સવાસાત લાખ કરોડનું ધોવાણ, તમામ સેક્ટોરલ રેડ ઝોનમાં, માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થ તદ્દન ખરાબ : એજેક્સનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે, ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ ગગડીને ૪ રૂપિયા : રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ ઇન્ફ્રા, જય કૉર્પ, એલઆઇસી, વ્હર્લપૂલ, મોબિક્વિક, તાતા ટેક્નૉલૉજીઝ, એસ્ટ્રલ સહિત ૬૪૧ શૅર ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટીએ: અદાણીના તમામ ૧૧ શૅર ખરડાયા, રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતી નરમ : કૉન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું : ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સમાં ૯૯૬ની તેજી

નરેન્દ્ર મોદી અને ટ્રમ્પની મુલાકાતને લઈને પરિસ્થિતિ સાનુકૂળ થવાની જે આશા રખાઈ હતી કે એક જબરી હાઇપ ઊભી કરવામાં આવી હતી એની હવા નીકળી ગઈ છે. ટૅરિફ અને માઇગ્રન્ટ્સને લઈ જેવાદે ચોલા ટ્રમ્પ ભારત પ્રત્યે કૂણું વલણ દાખવશે, મોદી મનાવી લેશે એવી વાતચીતો ઠગારી નીવડી છે. હકીકતમાં તો મોદી સાથેની મુલાકાત શરૂ થાય એના થોડા કલાક પહેલાં જ રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનો મુદ્દો છેડી ટ્રમ્પે અમેરિકાના અક્કડ વલણનો અણસાર આપી દીધો હતો : અમેરિકા પર જેટલી આયાત-જકાત નાખો છો એટલી જ ડ્યુટી અમે તમારા પર લાદીશું. તમે કોણ છો એનાથી અમને કોઈ નિસ્બત નથી. રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનું ગણિત બહુ સીધી ભાષામાં ટ્રમ્પે સમજાવી દીધું હતું. આ વ્યવસ્થા અમેરિકા સાથેના વેપારમાં સરપ્લસની સ્થિતિ પરાવતા દેશોને બેહાલ કરશે. તેમણે અમેરિકન પ્રોડક્ટ્સની આયાત માટેના દરવાજા મોકળા કરવા પડશે, આયાત-જકાત ઘટાડવી પડશે. નિકાસ વધારીને અમેરિકન ટ્રેલર કમાઈ લેવાના દિવસ હવે પૂરા થયા. ટ્રમ્પની આ પૉલિસી ફાર્મા, હેલ્થકૅર, ઑટો ઍન્સિલિયરી, કેમિકલ્સ, રિન્યુએબલ એનર્જી, ટેક્સટાઇલ એન્ડ ગાર્મેન્ટ્સ, ફૂડ પ્રોડક્ટ્સ, વેજિટેબલ્સ, જેમ સ્ટોન્સ ઇત્યાદિ જેવાં સેક્ટરની સંખ્યાબંધ કંપનીઓને ભારે પડવાની છે.

આ વાત પૉલિટિકલ ઝોનમાં ખૂલેલા બજારને સમજાઈ હતી. એને લીધે ૨૪૮ પૉઇન્ટ ખસમાં, ૭૬૩૮૯ ખૂલેલો સેન્સેક્સ ઉપરમાં ૭૬૪૮૩ થયા બાદ ત્યાંથી ૧૦૪૪ પૉઇન્ટ પટકાઈને નીચામાં ૭૫૪૩૮ ગઈ કાલે થયો હતો. નિફ્ટી ૨૨૭૭૫ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. જોકે છેલ્લે બજાર ૨૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા ઘટાડે ૭૫૯૩૯ અને નિફ્ટી ૧૦૨ પૉઇન્ટ બગડી ૨૨૯૨૬ બંધ થયો છે. માર્કેટની આ સતત આઠમા દિવસની નરમાઈ છે. પ્રારંભિક સુધારા બાદ ગગડેલું બજાર સવાબે વાગ્યા સુધી ૭૫૫૦૦ની અંદર હતું. ત્યાર પછી શાર્પ બાઉન્સબૅકમાં ૭૬૦૦૦ ઉપર આવી ગયું હતું અને પછી એની આસપાસ જ રહ્યું હતું. આને કારણે બજારની મોટા ભાગની ખાધ પુરાઈ ગઈ હતી. જોકે બજાર બંધ થવાના કલાક પહેલાં આવેલા આ ૫૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા સુધારા માટે કોઈ દેખીતું કારણ નથી. ટ્રમ્પ સાથે મોદીની મુલાકાતનો વટ ઝાંખો ન પડી જાય એ માટે કે સાહેબની શાન ઘટી ન જાય એ માટે બજાર બાઉન્સ થયું હોય એવું બની શકે. જોકે આનાથી બજારના હાલના મૂળ વલણમાં ફરક પડવાનો નથી. વધ-ઘટે માર્કેટ વધુ બગડવાનું છે એ વાત નક્કી છે.

QIBની રહેમ થતાં હેક્સાવેરનો ઇશ્યુ પાર લાગી ગયો

એકના શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૮ની લૂંટમાર ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસ સામે ૮૭૫૦ કરોડનો IPO કરનારી હેક્સાવેર ટેક્નોલૉજીઝની નાવ QIBએ પાર લગાવી દીધી છે. રીટેલમાં માત્ર ૧૨ ટકા અને HNIમાં ૨૨ ટકા જ ભરાયેલું આ ભરવું કુલ બે ગણું છલકાયું એ QIBની મહેરબાની છે. QIB પોર્શન ૬.૯ ગણો ભરાયો છે. ઈવન કંપનીએ એના કર્મચારી માટે ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસમાં ૬૭ રૂપિયાનું ડિસ્કાઉન્ટ જાહેર કર્યું હતું એ પોર્શન પણ કેવળ 33 ટકા ભરાયો છે. ભરવું પાર પડતાં ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ સુધરી અઢી રૂપિયા ક્વોટ થવા માંડ્યું છે. સાંગલીની ક્વૉલિટી પાવરનો ૧૦ના શૅરદીઠ ૪૨૫ના ભાવનો આશરે ૮૫૯ કરોડનો ઇશ્યુ પ્રથમ દિવસે કુલ ૬૨ ટકા ભરાયો છે. પ્રીમિયમ વધુ ખરડાઈને ૮ થઈ ગયું છે. એજેક્સ એન્જિનિયરિંગનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે છે. ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં ૪ રૂપિયાનું પ્રીમિયમ છે. શરૂઆત ૫૮થી થઈ હતી.

દરમ્યાન ગઈ કાલે બજારનું માર્કેટકૅપ ૭.૨૪ લાખ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં ૪૦૦.૦૨ લાખ કરોડે આવી ગયું છે જે ૧૪ મહિનાનું બૉટમ છે. માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થમાં ભારે બગાડ હતો. NSEમાં વધેલા ૪૫૯ શૅર સામે ૨૪૧૨ જાતો ઘટી છે. સેન્સેક્સ નિફ્ટીના સામાન્ય ઘટાડા સામે સ્મૉલકૅપ સવાત્રણ ટકા, મિડકૅપ અઢી ટકા અને બૉડર માર્કેટ સવા ટકો કપાયું હતું. બજારનાં તમામ સેક્ટોરલ લાલ થયાં હતાં. હેલ્થકૅર, કૅપિટલ ગુડ્સ, નિફ્ટી ફાર્મા, પાવર, રિયલ્ટી, કન્ઝ્યુમર ડ્યુરેબલ્સ, યુટિલિટીઝ, નિફ્ટી મીડિયા, પીએસયુ બૅન્ક નિફ્ટી જેવા ઇન્ડેક્સ બેથી સાડાત્રણ ટકા સાફ થયા છે. આઇટી ઇન્ડેક્સ નામ પૂરતો નરમ હતો, પરંતુ એની ૧૬માંથી ૪૯ જાતો ઘટી હતી.

ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક અને જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલમાં ઑલટાઇમ નીચો ભાવ

રિલાયન્સની જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલે સવાબે ગણા કામકાજે ૨૧૯ના ઑલ ટાઇમ તળિયે જઈ અઢી ટકા ઘટી ૨૨૨ હતી. ૨૩ એપ્રિલે ભાવ ૩૯૫ના શિખરે હતો. ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક ૬૦ની સૌથી નીચી સપાટી નોંધાવી સવાપાંચ ટકા તૂટી ૬૧ નજીક રહી છે. ૨૦ ઑગસ્ટે શૅરમાં ૧૫૭ના શિખરે હતો એ ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૬નું ઑલટાઇમ તળિયું દેખાડી પોણાસાત ટકાના ઘબડકામાં ૩૪૦ બંધ આવી છે. ઝોમાટો પોણો ટકો નરમ હતી. એલઆઇસી ૭૫૫ની ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટી બાદ સાડાત્રણ ટકા તૂટી ૭૫૮ થઈ છે. ૨૬ ડિસેમ્બરે ૬૯૮ની સર્વોચ્ચ સપાટીએ ગયેલી મોબિક્વિક ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૩નો સૌથી નીચો ભાવ બતાવી આઠેક ટકા ઘોવાઈને ૩૨૬ હતી.

નફામાં ૩૮ ટકાના ઘટાડામાં આગલા દિવસે ૨૦ ટકા તૂટેલી નાટકો ફાર્મા ગઈ કાલે ૮૬૮ના તળિયે જઈ સવાનવ ટકા બગડી ૮૮૪ નજીક રહી છે. નફામાં થયેલો ૮૦ કરોડનો ઘટાડો કંપનીને માર્કેટકૅપની રીતે ૫૯૬૩ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં પડ્યો છે. પ્રિન્સ પાઇપ્સ રિઝલ્ટ પાછળ નરમાઈની હૅટ-ટ્રિકમાં ૨૭૨ની નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બનાવી અઢી ટકા ગગડી ૨૮૦ હતી. એસ્ટ્રલ પણ ૧૩૧૩ના નવા તળિયે જઈ પોણાત્રણ ટકા ઘટીને ૧૩૩૨ હતી.

પેરન્ટ્સની સંભવિત એક્ઝિટવી ખરડાયેલા માનસમાં વ્હર્લપૂલ ૯૯૧ના ઐતિહાસિક નવા બૉટમ બાદ પોણાબે ટકા ઘટી ૧૦૦૩ હતી. ૨૨ ઑક્ટોબરે ભાવ ૨૪૫૦ની ટોચે હતો. તાતા ટેક્નોલૉજીઝ, તાતા કેમિકલ્સ, તાતા પાવર, ટીમર્કેઅેઝ, રાલિઝ ઇન્ડિયા જેવી તાતા ગ્રુપની કંપનીઓમાંય નવા નીચા ભાવ જોવા મળ્યા છે. એયુ બૅન્ક, બૅન્ક ઑફ બરોડા, બંધન બૅન્ક, કેનેરા બૅન્ક, ફીનો પેમેન્ટ બૅન્ક, સ્ટેટ બૅન્ક, પીએનબી જેવા બૅન્ક શૅરોમાંય વર્ષનાં બૉટમ બન્યાં છે.

અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ બીજા દિવસે ટૉપ લૂઝર, અદાણી એન્ટર વધુ બગડ્યો

આગલા દિવસે સેન્સેક્સમાં ટૉપ લૂઝર રહેલી અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ ગઈ કાલે પોણાબે ગણા કામકાજે નીચામાં ૧૦૪૨ થઈ ૪.૪ ટકાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૦૬૨ના બંધમાં બન્ને બજાર ખાતે વર્સ્ટ પર્ફોર્મર બની છે, તો ફ્લેગશિપ અદાણી એન્ટરપ્રાઇઝ નીચામાં ૨૧૨૪ બંધ આપી નિફ્ટીમાં વર્સ્ટ વર્સ્ટ લૂઝર હતી. અદાણીના અન્ય શૅરમાં અદાણી પાવર સવાબે ટકા, અદાણી એનર્જી પોણાપાંચ ટકા, અદાણી ગ્રીન ૩.૨ ટકા, અદાણી ટોટલ પોણાચાર ટકા, અદાણી વિલ્મર સવાત્રણ ટકા, NDTV સવાચાર ટકા, એસીસી સવાબે ટકા, અંબુજા સિમેન્ટ્સ ત્રણેક ટકા અને સાંઘી ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ દોઢ ટકા ખરડાઈ હતી. NDTVમાં નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બન્યું છે. અદાણી ગ્રીન, અદાણી વિલ્મર, અદાણી ટોટલ, એસીસી નવા નીચા ભાવ બતાવવાની તૈયારીમાં દેખાય છે. ઇન્ડેક્સ બેઝ્ડ અન્ય જાતોમાં ભારત ઇલેક્ટ્રિક સવાચાર ટકા, ટ્રેન્ટ તથા સનફાર્મા અઢી ટકાથી વધુ, આઇશર તેમ જ અલ્ટ્રાટેક અઢી ટકા, NTPC ઇન્ડસઇન્ડ બૅન્ક અને ગ્રાસિમ સવાબે ટકા, ડૉ. રેડ્ડીઝ લૅબ બજાજ ઑટો અને કોલ ઇન્ડિયા બે ટકાથી વધુ, ONGC તેમ જ ભારત પેટ્રો ૧.૯ ટકા ડૂલ થઈ છે. હીરો મોટોકૉર્પ ૩૮૪૮ના નવા તળિયે જઈ ૨.૪ ટકા બગડી ૩૮૫૭ હતી. રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતા ઘટાડે ૧૨૧૫ રહી છે. મહિન્દ્ર, લાર્સન, કોટક બૅન્ક, તાતા સ્ટીલ, શ્રીરામ ફાઇ, અપોલો હૉસ્પિટલ સવાથી પોણાબે ટકા ડાઉન હતી.

બ્રિટાનિયા એક ટકો વધી નિફ્ટી ખાતે તો નેસ્લે એક ટકા નજીકના સુધારામાં સેન્સેક્સ ખાતે ટૉપ ગેઇનર બની છે. HCL ટેક્નો, ઇન્ફોસિસ, ICICI બૅન્ક અને TCSએસ લગભગ અડધો-પોણો ટકો ઘસ હતી. મુકેશ અંબાણીના પરમ મિત્ર આનંદ જૈનની જયકૉર્પ પાંચ ટકાની નીચલી સર્કિટે ૧૧૬ના મલ્ટિયર તળિયે ગઈ છે. જુલાઈના આરંભે ભાવ ૪૩૮ના શિખરે હતો. રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રિયલ ઇન્ફ્રા પણ ૮૫૮ના વર્સ્ટ લેવલે જઈ પોણાચાર ટકાની ખરાબીમાં ૮૭૧ હતી.

સંદેશ લિમિટેડ નફામાંથી ખોટમાં આવતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા ગગડ્યો

કૉર્પોરેટ પરિણામમાં 'ખુશી કમ, ઝ્યાદા ગમ'નો દોર જળવાઈ રહ્યો છે. બજારનું માનસ ખરડાયેલું હોવાથી નબળા પરિણામની શૅર પર ત્વરિત તથા મોટી અસર થાય છે. સારાં રિઝલ્ટ લગભગ એળે જાય છે. સેન્કો ગોલ્ડ નફામાં ૬૯ ટકાના ગાબડા પાછળ વૉલ્યુમ સાથે ૨૦ ટકા લથડી ૩૫૮ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. કોન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો નફો ફક્ત બે ટકા ઘટી ૭૫૯૦ લાખ આવ્યો છે. એમાં શૅર નવ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૦ ટકા પટકાઈ ૧૬૮૮ થયા બાદ ૪૧૬ રૂપિયાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૬૯૩ બંધ હતો. ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં આ કંપનીનું માર્કેટકૅપ ગઈ કાલે ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું છે. દીપક નાઇટ્રેટે બાવન ટકાના ઘટાડામાં ૯૮ કરોડનો ચોખ્ખો નફો દર્શાવતાં ભાવ ૧૮૭૪નું પોણાબે વર્ષનું બૉટમ બનાવી ૧૫ ટકા કે ૩૩૭ના કડાકામાં ૧૯૦૦ રહ્યો છે.

સંદેશ લિમિટેડ ૫૭૬૮ લાખના નફામાંથી ૨૦૭૯ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટમાં સરી પડતાં શૅર સરેરાશ કરતાં ૨૫ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૮૨ રૂપિયા કે ૨૦ ટકાની મંદીની સર્કિટમાં ૧૧૨૭ થયો હતો. ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સનો ત્રિમાસિક પ્રોફિટ ૨૧૨ કરોડથી ૪૯ ટકા વધી ૩૧૬ કરોડ આવતાં ભાવ સાત ગણા કામકાજે ૨૦ ટકાની ઉપલી સર્કિટે ૬૬૬ રૂપિયા ઊછળીને ૫૯૭૯ વટાવી ગયો છે. ૧૦૪ કરોડની નફાવૃદ્ધિમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૫૧૮૨ કરોડ રૂપિયા વધી ગયું છે. થોડા સમય પહેલાં ડિસેમ્બરમાં શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૧ના ભાવથી ઇશ્યુ લાવનારી મુંબઈની કો-કોર્ડ એન્વિરો સિસ્ટમ્સે ૧૮૫૮ લાખના નફા સામે ૮૫૬ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટ કરતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા કે ૧૩૧ રૂપિયાના ઘબડકામાં ૫૨૩ના ઑલટાઇમ તળિયે ગયો છે. TCPL પૅકેજિંગનો નફો બેવડાઈને ૧૮૮૦ લાખ થતાં શૅર ઉપરમાં ૩૭૨૪ થઈ સવાછ ટકાની તેજીમાં ૩૪૨૪ હતો. ટિટાગર રેલ નફામાં ૧૬ ટકા ઘટાડાના વસવસામાં નીચામાં ૭૬૬ થઈ ૫.૪ ટકા બગડી ૮૦૪ હતો. અનુપમ રસાયણે ૫૩ ટકાના વધારામાં ૨૮૧૯ લાખ ચોખ્ખો નફો કર્યો છે, શૅર જોકે સાધારણ ઘટીને બંધ હતો.

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અનિલ પટેલ

ટ્રમ્પ-મોદીના મિલાપથી બજારમાં વિલાપ વકર્યો, સેન્સેક્સ આઠમા દિવસેય માઇનસ

માર્કેટકૅપમાં સવાસાત લાખ કરોડનું ધોવાણ, તમામ સેક્ટોરલ રેડ ઝોનમાં, માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થ તદ્દન ખરાબ : એજેક્સનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે, ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ ગગડીને ૪ રૂપિયા : રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ ઇન્ફ્રા, જય કૉર્પ, એલઆઇસી, વ્હર્લપૂલ, મોબિક્વિક, તાતા ટેક્નૉલૉજીઝ, એસ્ટ્રલ સહિત ૬૪૧ શૅર ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટીએ: અદાણીના તમામ ૧૧ શૅર ખરડાયા, રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતી નરમ : કૉન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું : ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સમાં ૯૯૬ની તેજી

નરેન્દ્ર મોદી અને ટ્રમ્પની મુલાકાતને લઈને પરિસ્થિતિ સાનુકૂળ થવાની જે આશા રખાઈ હતી કે એક જબરી હાઇપ ઊભી કરવામાં આવી હતી એની હવા નીકળી ગઈ છે. ટૅરિફ અને માઇગ્રન્ટ્સને લઈ જેવાદે ચોલા ટ્રમ્પ ભારત પ્રત્યે કૂણું વલણ દાખવશે, મોદી મનાવી લેશે એવી વાતચીતો ઠગારી નીવડી છે. હકીકતમાં તો મોદી સાથેની મુલાકાત શરૂ થાય એના થોડા કલાક પહેલાં જ રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનો મુદ્દો છેડી ટ્રમ્પે અમેરિકાના અક્કડ વલણનો અણસાર આપી દીધો હતો : અમેરિકા પર જેટલી આયાત-જકાત નાખો છો એટલી જ ડ્યુટી અમે તમારા પર લાદીશું. તમે કોણ છો એનાથી અમને કોઈ નિસ્બત નથી. રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનું ગણિત બહુ સીધી ભાષામાં ટ્રમ્પે સમજાવી દીધું હતું. આ વ્યવસ્થા અમેરિકા સાથેના વેપારમાં સરપ્લસની સ્થિતિ પરાવતા દેશોને બેહાલ કરશે. તેમણે અમેરિકન પ્રોડક્ટ્સની આયાત માટેના દરવાજા મોકળા કરવા પડશે, આયાત-જકાત ઘટાડવી પડશે. નિકાસ વધારીને અમેરિકન ડૉલર કમાઈ લેવાના દિવસ હવે પૂરા થયા. ટ્રમ્પની આ પૉલિસી ફાર્મા, હેલ્થકૅર, ઑટો ઍન્સિલિયરી, કેમિકલ્સ, રિન્યુએબલ એનર્જી, ટેક્સટાઇલ એન્ડ ગાર્મેન્ટ્સ, ફૂડ પ્રોડક્ટ્સ, વેજિટેબલ્સ, જેમ સ્ટોન્સ ઇત્યાદિ જેવાં સેક્ટરની સંખ્યાબંધ કંપનીઓને ભારે પડવાની છે.

આ વાત પૉઝિટિવ ઝોનમાં ખૂલેલા બજારને સમજાઈ હતી. એને લીધે ૨૪૮ પૉઇન્ટ ઘ્વસમાં, ૭૬૩૮૯ ખૂલેલો સેન્સેક્સ ઉપરમાં ૭૬૪૮૩ થયા બાદ ત્યાંથી ૧૦૪૪ પૉઇન્ટ પટકાઈને નીચામાં ૭૫૪૩૮ ગઈ કાલે થયો હતો. નિફ્ટી ૨૨૭૭૫ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. જોકે છેલ્લે બજાર ૨૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા ઘટાડે ૭૫૯૩૯ અને નિફ્ટી ૧૦૨ પૉઇન્ટ બગડી ૨૨૯૨૬ બંધ થયો છે. માર્કેટની આ સતત આઠમા દિવસની નરમાઈ છે. પ્રારંભિક સુધારા બાદ ગગડેલું બજાર સપ્તાહે વાગ્યા સુધી ૭૫૫૦૦ની અંદર હતું. ત્યાર પછી શાર્પ બાઉન્સબૅકમાં ૭૬૦૦૦ ઉપર આવી ગયું હતું અને પછી એની આસપાસ જ રહ્યું હતું. આને કારણે બજારની મોટા ભાગની ખાધ પુરાઈ ગઈ હતી. જોકે બજાર બંધ થવાના કલાક પહેલાં આવેલા આ ૫૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા સુધારા માટે કોઈ દેખીતું કારણ નથી. ટ્રમ્પ સાથે મોદીની મુલાકાતનો વટ ઝાંખો ન પડી જાય એ માટે કે સાહેબની શાન ઘટી ન જાય એ માટે બજાર બાઉન્સ થયું હોય એવું બની શકે. જોકે આનાથી બજારના હાલના મૂળ વલણમાં ફરક પડવાનો નથી. વધ-ઘટે માર્કેટ વધુ બગડવાનું છે એ વાત નક્કી છે.

QIBની રહેમ થતાં હેક્સાવેરનો ઇશ્યુ પાર લાગી ગયો

એકના શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૮ની લૂંટમાર ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસ સામે ૮૭૫૦ કરોડનો IPO કરનારી હેક્સાવેર ટેક્નોલૉજીઝની નાવ QIBએ પાર લગાવી દીધી છે. રીટેલમાં માત્ર ૧૨ ટકા અને HNIમાં ૨૨ ટકા જ ભરાયેલું આ ભરવું કુલ બે ગણું છલકાયું એ QIBની મહેરબાની છે. QIB પોર્શન ૬.૯ ગણો ભરાયો છે. ઈવન કંપનીએ એના કર્મચારી માટે ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસમાં ૬૭ રૂપિયાનું ડિસ્કાઉન્ટ જાહેર કર્યું હતું એ પોર્શન પણ કેવળ 33 ટકા ભરાયો છે. ભરવું પાર પડતાં ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ સુધરી અઢી રૂપિયા ક્વોટ થવા માંડ્યું છે. સાંગલીની ક્વૉલિટી પાવરનો ૧૦ના શૅરદીઠ ૪૨૫ના ભાવનો આશરે ૮૫૯ કરોડનો ઇશ્યુ પ્રથમ દિવસે કુલ ૬૨ ટકા ભરાયો છે. પ્રીમિયમ વધુ ખરડાઈને ૮ થઈ ગયું છે. એજેક્સ એન્જિનિયરિંગનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે છે. ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં ૪ રૂપિયાનું પ્રીમિયમ છે. શરૂઆત ૫૮થી થઈ હતી.

દરમ્યાન ગઈ કાલે બજારનું માર્કેટકૅપ ૭.૨૪ લાખ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં ૪૦૦.૦૨ લાખ કરોડે આવી ગયું છે જે ૧૪ મહિનાનું બૉટમ છે. માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થમાં ભારે બગાડ હતો. NSEમાં વધેલા ૪૫૯ શૅર સામે ૨૪૧૨ જાતો ઘટી છે. સેન્સેક્સ નિફ્ટીના સામાન્ય ઘટાડા સામે સ્મૉલકૅપ સવાત્રણ ટકા, મિડકૅપ અઢી ટકા અને બ્રૉડર માર્કેટ સવા ટકો કપાયું હતું. બજારનાં તમામ સેક્ટોરલ લાલ થયાં હતાં. હેલ્થકૅર, કૅપિટલ ગુડ્સ, નિફ્ટી ફાર્મા, પાવર, રિયલ્ટી, કન્ઝ્યુમર ડ્યુરેબલ્સ, યુટિલિટીઝ, નિફ્ટી મીડિયા, પીએસયુ બૅન્ક નિફ્ટી જેવા ઇન્ડેક્સ બેથી સાડાત્રણ ટકા સાફ થયા છે. આઇટી ઇન્ડેક્સ નામ પૂરતો નરમ હતો, પરંતુ એની ૧૬માંથી ૪૯ જાતો ઘટી હતી.

ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક અને જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલમાં ઑલટાઇમ નીચો ભાવ

રિલાયન્સની જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલે સવાબે ગણા કામકાજે ૨૧૯ના ઑલ ટાઇમ તળિયે જઈ અઢી ટકા ઘટી ૨૨૨ હતી. ૨૩ એપ્રિલે ભાવ ૩૯૫ના શિખરે હતો. ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક ૬૦ની સૌથી નીચી સપાટી નોંધાવી સવાપાંચ ટકા તૂટી ૬૧ નજીક રહી છે. ૨૦ ઑગસ્ટે શૅરમાં ૧૫૭ના શિખરે હતો એ ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૬નું ઑલટાઇમ તળિયું દેખાડી પોણાસાત ટકાના ઘબડકામાં ૩૪૦ બંધ આવી છે. ઝોમાટો પોણો ટકો નરમ હતી. એલઆઇસી ૭૫૫ની ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટી બાદ સાડાત્રણ ટકા તૂટી ૭૫૮ થઈ છે. ૨૬ ડિસેમ્બરે ૬૯૮ની સર્વોચ્ચ સપાટીએ ગયેલી મોબિક્વિક ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૩નો સૌથી નીચો ભાવ બતાવી આઠેક ટકા ઘોવાઈને ૩૨૬ હતી.

નફામાં ૩૮ ટકાના ઘટાડામાં આગલા દિવસે ૨૦ ટકા તૂટેલી નાટકો ફાર્મા ગઈ કાલે ૮૬૮ના તળિયે જઈ સવાનવ ટકા બગડી ૮૮૪ નજીક રહી છે. નફામાં થયેલો ૮૦ કરોડનો ઘટાડો કંપનીને માર્કેટકૅપની રીતે ૫૯૬૩ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં પડ્યો છે. પ્રિન્સ પાઇપ્સ રિઝલ્ટ પાછળ નરમાઈની હૅટ-ટ્રિકમાં ૨૭૨ની નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બનાવી અઢી ટકા ગગડી ૨૮૦ હતી. એસ્ટ્રલ પણ ૧૩૧૩ના નવા તળિયે જઈ પોણાત્રણ ટકા ઘટીને ૧૩૩૨ હતી.

પેરન્ટ્સની સંભવિત એક્ઝિટવી ખરડાયેલા માનસમાં વ્હર્લપૂલ ૯૯૧ના ઐતિહાસિક નવા બૉટમ બાદ પોણાબે ટકા ઘટી ૧૦૦૩ હતી. ૨૨ ઑક્ટોબરે ભાવ ૨૪૫૦ની ટોચે હતો. તાતા ટેક્નોલૉજીઝ, તાતા કેમિકલ્સ, તાતા પાવર, ટીમર્કેએફ, રાલિઝ ઇન્ડિયા જેવી તાતા ગ્રુપની કંપનીઓમાંય નવા નીચા ભાવ જોવા મળ્યા છે. એયુ બૅન્ક, બૅન્ક ઑફ બરોડા, બંધન બૅન્ક, કેનેરા બૅન્ક, ફીનો પેમેન્ટ બૅન્ક, સ્ટેટ બૅન્ક, પીએનબી જેવા બૅન્ક શૅરોમાંય વર્ષનાં બૉટમ બન્યાં છે.

અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ બીજા દિવસે ટૉપ લૂઝર, અદાણી એન્ટર વધુ બગડ્યો

આગલા દિવસે સેન્સેક્સમાં ટૉપ લૂઝર રહેલી અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ ગઈ કાલે પોણાબે ગણા કામકાજે નીચામાં ૧૦૪૨ થઈ ૪.૪ ટકાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૦૬૨ના બંધમાં બન્ને બજાર ખાતે વર્સ્ટ પર્ફૉર્મર બની છે, તો ફ્લેગશિપ અદાણી એન્ટરપ્રાઇઝ નીચામાં ૨૧૨૪ બંધ આપી નિફ્ટીમાં વર્સ્ટ વર્સ્ટ લૂઝર હતી. અદાણીના અન્ય શૅરમાં અદાણી પાવર સવાબે ટકા, અદાણી એનર્જી પોણાપાંચ ટકા, અદાણી ગ્રીન ૩.૨ ટકા, અદાણી ટોટલ પોણાચાર ટકા, અદાણી વિલ્મર સવાત્રણ ટકા, NDTV સવાચાર ટકા, એસીસી સવાબે ટકા, અંબુજા સિમેન્ટ્સ ત્રણેક ટકા અને સાંઘી ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ દોઢ ટકા ખરડાઈ હતી. NDTVમાં નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બન્યું છે. અદાણી ગ્રીન, અદાણી વિલ્મર, અદાણી ટોટલ, એસીસી નવા નીચા ભાવ બતાવવાની તૈયારીમાં દેખાય છે. ઇન્ડેક્સ બેઝ્ડ અન્ય જાતોમાં ભારત ઇલેક્ટ્રિક સવાચાર ટકા, ટ્રેન્ટ તથા સનફાર્મા અઢી ટકાથી વધુ, આઇશર તેમ જ અલ્ટ્રાટેક અઢી ટકા, NTPC ઇન્ડસઇન્ડ બૅન્ક અને ગ્રાસિમ સવાબે ટકા, ડૉ. રેડ્ડીઝ લૅબ બજાજ ઑટો અને કોલ ઇન્ડિયા બે ટકાથી વધુ, ONGC તેમ જ ભારત પેટ્રો ૧.૯ ટકા ડૂલ થઈ છે. હીરો મોટોકૉર્પ ૩૮૪૮ના નવા તળિયે જઈ ૨.૪ ટકા બગડી ૩૮૫૭ હતી. રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતા ઘટાડે ૧૨૧૫ રહી છે. મહિન્દ્ર, લાર્સન, કોટક બૅન્ક, તાતા સ્ટીલ, શ્રીરામ ફાઇ, અપોલો હૉસ્પિટલ સવાથી પોણાબે ટકા ડાઉન હતી.

બ્રિટાનિયા એક ટકો વધી નિફ્ટી ખાતે તો નેસ્લે એક ટકા નજીકના સુધારામાં સેન્સેક્સ ખાતે ટૉપ ગેઇનર બની છે. HCL ટેક્નો, ઇન્ફોસિસ, ICICI બૅન્ક અને TCSએસ લગભગ અડધો-પોણો ટકો ઘસાઈ હતી. મુકેશ અંબાણીના પરમ મિત્ર આનંદ જૈનની જયકૉર્પ પાંચ ટકાની નીચલી સર્કિટે ૧૧૬ના મલ્ટિયર તળિયે ગઈ છે. જુલાઈના આરંભે ભાવ ૪૩૮ના શિખરે હતો. રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રિયલ ઇન્ફ્રા પણ ૮૫૮ના વર્સ્ટ લેવલે જઈ પોણાચાર ટકાની ખરાબીમાં ૮૭૧ હતી.

સંદેશ લિમિટેડ નફામાંથી ખોટમાં આવતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા ગગડ્યો

કૉર્પોરેટ પરિણામમાં 'ખુશી કમ, ઝ્યાદા ગમ'નો દોર જળવાઈ રહ્યો છે. બજારનું માનસ ખરડાયેલું હોવાથી નબળા પરિણામની શૅર પર ત્વરિત તથા મોટી અસર થાય છે. સારાં રિઝલ્ટ લગભગ એળે જાય છે. સેન્કો ગોલ્ડ નફામાં ૬૯ ટકાના ગાબડા પાછળ વૉલ્યુમ સાથે ૨૦ ટકા લથડી ૩૫૮ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. કોન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો નફો ફક્ત બે ટકા ઘટી ૭૫૯૦ લાખ આવ્યો છે. એમાં શૅર નવ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૦ ટકા પટકાઈ ૧૬૮૮ થયા બાદ ૪૧૬ રૂપિયાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૬૯૩ બંધ હતો. ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં આ કંપનીનું માર્કેટકૅપ ગઈ કાલે ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું છે. દીપક નાઇટ્રેટે બાવન ટકાના ઘટાડામાં ૯૮ કરોડનો ચોખ્ખો નફો દર્શાવતાં ભાવ ૧૮૭૪નું પોણાબે વર્ષનું બૉટમ બનાવી ૧૫ ટકા કે ૩૩૭ના કડાકામાં ૧૯૦૦ રહ્યો છે.

સંદેશ લિમિટેડ ૫૭૬૮ લાખના નફામાંથી ૨૦૭૯ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટમાં સરી પડતાં શૅર સરેરાશ કરતાં ૨૫ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૮૨ રૂપિયા કે ૨૦ ટકાની મંદીની સર્કિટમાં ૧૧૨૭ થયો હતો. ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સનો ત્રિમાસિક પ્રોફિટ ૨૧૨ કરોડથી ૪૯ ટકા વધી ૩૧૬ કરોડ આવતાં ભાવ સાત ગણા કામકાજે ૨૦ ટકાની ઉપલી સર્કિટે ૬૬૬ રૂપિયા ઊછળીને ૫૯૭૯ વટાવી ગયો છે. ૧૦૪ કરોડની નફાવૃદ્ધિમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૫૧૮૨ કરોડ રૂપિયા વધી ગયું છે. થોડા સમય પહેલાં ડિસેમ્બરમાં શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૧ના ભાવથી ઇશ્યુ લાવનારી મુંબઈની કોન્કૉર્ડ એન્વિરો સિસ્ટમ્સે ૧૮૫૮ લાખના નફા સામે ૮૫૬ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટ કરતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા કે ૧૩૧ રૂપિયાના ઘબડકામાં ૫૨૩ના ઑલટાઇમ તળિયે ગયો છે. TCPL પૅકેજિંગનો નફો બેવડાઈને ૧૮૮૦ લાખ થતાં શૅર ઉપરમાં ૩૭૨૪ થઈ સવાછ ટકાની તેજીમાં ૩૪૨૪ હતો. ટિટાગર રેલ નફામાં ૧૬ ટકા ઘટાડાના વસવસામાં નીચામાં ૭૬૬ થઈ ૫.૪ ટકા બગડી ૮૦૪ હતો. અનુપમ રસાયણે ૫૩ ટકાના વધારામાં ૨૮૧૯ લાખ ચોખ્ખો નફો કર્યો છે, શૅર જોકે સાધારણ ઘટીને બંધ હતો.

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અનિલ પટેલ

ટ્રમ્પ-મોદીના મિલાપથી બજારમાં વિલાપ વકર્યો, સેન્સેક્સ આઠમા દિવસેય માઇનસ

માર્કેટકૅપમાં સવાસાત લાખ કરોડનું ધોવાણ, તમામ સેક્ટોરલ રેડ ઝોનમાં, માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થ તદ્દન ખરાબ : એજેક્સનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે, ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ ગગડીને ૪ રૂપિયા : રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ ઇન્ફ્રા, જય કૉર્પ, એલઆઇસી, વ્હર્લપૂલ, મોબિક્વિક, તાતા ટેક્નૉલૉજીઝ, એસ્ટ્રલ સહિત ૬૪૧ શૅર ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટીએ: અદાણીના તમામ ૧૧ શૅર ખરડાયા, રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતી નરમ : કૉન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું : ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સમાં ૯૯૬ની તેજી

નરેન્દ્ર મોદી અને ટ્રમ્પની મુલાકાતને લઈને પરિસ્થિતિ સાનુકૂળ થવાની જે આશા રખાઈ હતી કે એક જબરી હાઈપ ઊભી કરવામાં આવી હતી એની હવા નીકળી ગઈ છે. ટૅરિફ અને માઇગ્રન્ટ્સને લઈ જેવાદે ચોડ્યા ટ્રમ્પ ભારત પ્રત્યે કૂણું વલણ દાખવશે, મોદી મનાવી લેશે એવી વાતચીતો ઠગારી નીવડી છે. હકીકતમાં તો મોદી સાથેની મુલાકાત શરૂ થાય એના થોડા કલાક પહેલાં જ રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનો મુદ્દો છેડી ટ્રમ્પે અમેરિકાના અક્કડ વલણનો અણસાર આપી દીધો હતો : અમેરિકા પર જેટલી આયાત-જકાત નાખો છો એટલી જ ડ્યુટી અમે તમારા પર લાદીશું. તમે કોણ છો એનાથી અમને કોઈ નિસ્બત નથી. રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનું ગણિત બહુ સીધી ભાષામાં ટ્રમ્પે સમજાવી દીધું હતું. આ વ્યવસ્થા અમેરિકા સાથેના વેપારમાં સરપ્લસની સ્થિતિ પરાવતા દેશોને બેહાલ કરશે. તેમણે અમેરિકન પ્રોડક્ટ્સની આયાત માટેના દરવાજા મોકળા કરવા પડશે, આયાત-જકાત ઘટાડવી પડશે. નિકાસ વધારીને અમેરિકન ડૉલર કમાઈ લેવાના દિવસ હવે પૂરા થયા. ટ્રમ્પની આ પૉલિસી ફાર્મા, હેલ્થકૅર, ઑટો ઍન્સિલિયરી, કેમિકલ્સ, રિન્યુએબલ એનર્જી, ટેક્સટાઇલ એન્ડ ગાર્મેન્ટ્સ, ફૂડ પ્રોડક્ટ્સ, વેજિટેબલ્સ, જેમ સ્ટોન્સ ઇત્યાદિ જેવાં સેક્ટરની સંખ્યાબંધ કંપનીઓને ભારે પડવાની છે.

આ વાત પૉઝિટિવ ઝોનમાં ખૂલેલા બજારને સમજાઈ હતી. એને લીધે ૨૪૮ પૉઇન્ટ ઘ્વસમાં, ૭૬૩૮૯ ખૂલેલો સેન્સેક્સ ઉપરમાં ૭૬૪૮૩ થયા બાદ ત્યાંથી ૧૦૪૪ પૉઇન્ટ પટકાઈને નીચામાં ૭૫૪૩૯ ગઈ કાલે થયો હતો. નિફ્ટી ૨૨૭૭૫ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. જોકે છેલ્લે બજાર ૨૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા ઘટાડે ૭૫૯૩૯ અને નિફ્ટી ૧૦૨ પૉઇન્ટ બગડી ૨૨૯૨૯ બંધ થયો છે. માર્કેટની આ સતત આઠમા દિવસની નરમાઈ છે. પ્રારંભિક સુધારા બાદ ગગડેલું બજાર સવાબે વાગ્યા સુધી ૭૫૫૦૦ની અંદર હતું. ત્યાર પછી શાર્પ બાઉન્સબૅકમાં ૭૬૦૦૦ ઉપર આવી ગયું હતું અને પછી એની આસપાસ જ રહ્યું હતું. આને કારણે બજારની મોટા ભાગની ખાધ પુરાઈ ગઈ હતી. જોકે બજાર બંધ થવાના કલાક પહેલાં આવેલા આ ૫૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા સુધારા માટે કોઈ દેખીતું કારણ નથી. ટ્રમ્પ સાથે મોદીની મુલાકાતનો વટ ઝાંખો ન પડી જાય એ માટે કે સાહેબની શાન ઘટી ન જાય એ માટે બજાર બાઉન્સ થયું હોય એવું બની શકે. જોકે આનાથી બજારના હાલના મૂળ વલણમાં ફરક પડવાનો નથી. વધ-ઘટે માર્કેટ વધુ બગડવાનું છે એ વાત નક્કી છે.

QIBની રહેમ થતાં હેક્સાવેરનો ઇશ્યુ પાર લાગી ગયો

એકના શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૮ની લૂંટમાર ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસ સાથે ૮૭૫૦ કરોડનો IPO કરનારી હેક્સાવેર ટેક્નોલૉજીઝની નાવ QIBએ પાર લગાવી દીધી છે. રીટેલમાં માત્ર ૧૨ ટકા અને HNIમાં ૨૨ ટકા જ ભરાયેલું આ ભરવું કુલ બે ગણું છલકાયું એ QIBની મહેરબાની છે. QIB પોર્શન ૬.૯ ગણો ભરાયો છે. ઈવન કંપનીએ એના કર્મચારી માટે ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસમાં ૬૭ રૂપિયાનું ડિસ્કાઉન્ટ જાહેર કર્યું હતું એ પોર્શન પણ કેવળ 33 ટકા ભરાયો છે. ભરવું પાર પડતાં ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ સુધરી અઢી રૂપિયા ક્વોટ થવા માંડ્યું છે. સાંગલીની ક્વૉલિટી પાવરનો ૧૦ના શૅરદીઠ ૪૨૫ના ભાવનો આશરે ૮૫૯ કરોડનો ઇશ્યુ પ્રથમ દિવસે કુલ ૬૨ ટકા ભરાયો છે. પ્રીમિયમ વધુ ખરડાઈને ૮ થઈ ગયું છે. એજેક્સ એન્જિનિયરિંગનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે છે. ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં ૪ રૂપિયાનું પ્રીમિયમ છે. શરૂઆત ૫૮થી થઈ હતી.

દરમ્યાન ગઈ કાલે બજારનું માર્કેટકૅપ ૭.૨૪ લાખ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં ૪૦૦.૦૨ લાખ કરોડે આવી ગયું છે જે ૧૪ મહિનાનું બૉટમ છે. માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થમાં ભારે બગાડ હતો. NSEમાં વધેલા ૪૫૯ શૅર સામે ૨૪૧૨ જાતો ઘટી છે. સેન્સેક્સ નિફ્ટીના સામાન્ય ઘટાડા સામે સ્મૉલકૅપ સવાત્રણ ટકા, મિડકૅપ અઢી ટકા અને બૉડર માર્કેટ સવા ટકો કપાયું હતું. બજારનાં તમામ સેક્ટોરલ લાલ થયાં હતાં. હેલ્થકૅર, કૅપિટલ ગુડ્સ, નિફ્ટી ફાર્મા, પાવર, રિયલ્ટી, કન્ઝ્યુમર ડ્યુરેબલ્સ, યુટિલિટીઝ, નિફ્ટી મીડિયા, પીએસયુ બૅન્ક નિફ્ટી જેવા ઇન્ડેક્સ બેથી સાડાત્રણ ટકા સાફ થયા છે. આઇટી ઇન્ડેક્સ નામ પૂરતો નરમ હતો, પરંતુ એની ૧૬માંથી ૪૯ જાતો ઘટી હતી.

ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક અને જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલમાં ઑલટાઇમ નીચો ભાવ

રિલાયન્સની જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલે સવાબે ગણા કામકાજે ૨૧૯ના ઑલ ટાઇમ તળિયે જઈ અઢી ટકા ઘટી ૨૨૨ હતી. ૨૩ એપ્રિલે ભાવ ૩૯૫ના શિખરે હતો. ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક ૬૦ની સૌથી નીચી સપાટી નોંધાવી સવાપાંચ ટકા તૂટી ૬૧ નજીક રહી છે. ૨૦ ઑગસ્ટે શૅરમાં ૧૫૭ના શિખરે હતો એ ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૬નું ઑલટાઇમ તળિયું દેખાડી પોણાસાત ટકાના ઘબડકામાં ૩૪૦ બંધ આવી છે. ઝોમાટો પોણો ટકો નરમ હતી. એલઆઇસી ૭૫૫ની ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટી બાદ સાડાત્રણ ટકા તૂટી ૭૫૮ થઈ છે. ૨૬ ડિસેમ્બરે ૬૯૮ની સર્વોચ્ચ સપાટીએ ગયેલી મોબિક્વિક ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૩નો સૌથી નીચો ભાવ બતાવી આઠેક ટકા ઘોવાઈને ૩૨૬ હતી.

નફામાં ૩૮ ટકાના ઘટાડામાં આગલા દિવસે ૨૦ ટકા તૂટેલી નાટકો ફાર્મા ગઈ કાલે ૮૬૮ના તળિયે જઈ સવાનવ ટકા બગડી ૮૮૪ નજીક રહી છે. નફામાં થયેલો ૮૦ કરોડનો ઘટાડો કંપનીને માર્કેટકૅપની રીતે ૫૯૬૩ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં પડ્યો છે. પ્રિન્સ પાઇપ્સ રિઝલ્ટ પાછળ નરમાઈની હૅટ-ટ્રિકમાં ૨૭૨ની નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બનાવી અઢી ટકા ગગડી ૨૮૦ હતી. એસ્ટ્રલ પણ ૧૩૧૩ના નવા તળિયે જઈ પોણાત્રણ ટકા ઘટીને ૧૩૩૨ હતી.

પેરન્ટ્સની સંભવિત એક્ઝિટવી ખરડાયેલા માનસમાં વ્હર્લપૂલ ૯૯૧ના ઐતિહાસિક નવા બૉટમ બાદ પોણાબે ટકા ઘટી ૧૦૦૩ હતી. ૨૨ ઑક્ટોબરે ભાવ ૨૪૫૦ની ટોચે હતો. તાતા ટેક્નોલૉજીઝ, તાતા કેમિકલ્સ, તાતા પાવર, ટીઆરઍક્સ, રાલિઝ ઇન્ડિયા જેવી તાતા ગ્રુપની કંપનીઓમાંય નવા નીચા ભાવ જોવા મળ્યા છે. એયુ બૅન્ક, બૅન્ક ઑફ બરોડા, બંધન બૅન્ક, કેનેરા બૅન્ક, ફીનો પેમેન્ટ બૅન્ક, સ્ટેટ બૅન્ક, પીએનબી જેવા બૅન્ક શૅરોમાંય વર્ષનાં બૉટમ બન્યાં છે.

અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ બીજા દિવસે ટૉપ લૂઝર, અદાણી એન્ટર વધુ બગડ્યો

આગલા દિવસે સેન્સેક્સમાં ટૉપ લૂઝર રહેલી અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ ગઈ કાલે પોણાબે ગણા કામકાજે નીચામાં ૧૦૪૨ થઈ ૪.૪ ટકાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૦૬૨ના બંધમાં બન્ને બજાર ખાતે વર્સ્ટ પર્ફોર્મર બની છે, તો ફ્લેગશિપ અદાણી એન્ટરપ્રાઇઝ નીચામાં ૨૧૨૪ બંધ આપી નિફ્ટીમાં વર્સ્ટ વર્સ્ટ લૂઝર હતી. અદાણીના અન્ય શૅરમાં અદાણી પાવર સવાબે ટકા, અદાણી એનર્જી પોણાપાંચ ટકા, અદાણી ગ્રીન ૩.૨ ટકા, અદાણી ટોટલ પોણાચાર ટકા, અદાણી વિલ્મર સવાત્રણ ટકા, NDTV સવાચાર ટકા, એસીસી સવાબે ટકા, અંબુજા સિમેન્ટ્સ ત્રણેક ટકા અને સાંઘી ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ દોઢ ટકા ખરડાઈ હતી. NDTVમાં નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બન્યું છે. અદાણી ગ્રીન, અદાણી વિલ્મર, અદાણી ટોટલ, એસીસી નવા નીચા ભાવ બતાવવાની તૈયારીમાં દેખાય છે. ઇન્ડેક્સ બેઝ્ડ અન્ય જાતોમાં ભારત ઇલેક્ટ્રિક સવાચાર ટકા, ટ્રેન્ટ તથા સનફાર્મા અઢી ટકાથી વધુ, આઇશર તેમ જ અલ્ટ્રાટેક અઢી ટકા, NTPC ઇન્ડસઇન્ડ બૅન્ક અને ગ્રાસિમ સવાબે ટકા, ડૉ. રેડ્ડીઝ લૅબ બજાજ ઑટો અને કોલ ઇન્ડિયા બે ટકાથી વધુ, ONGC તેમ જ ભારત પેટ્રો ૧.૯ ટકા ડૂલ થઈ છે. હીરો મોટોકૉર્પ ૩૮૪૮ના નવા તળિયે જઈ ૨.૪ ટકા બગડી ૩૮૫૭ હતી. રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતા ઘટાડે ૧૨૧૫ રહી છે. મહિન્દ્ર, લાર્સન, કોટક બૅન્ક, તાતા સ્ટીલ, શ્રીરામ ફાઇ, અપોલો હૉસ્પિટલ સવાથી પોણાબે ટકા ડાઉન હતી.

બ્રિટાનિયા એક ટકો વધી નિફ્ટી ખાતે તો નેસ્લે એક ટકા નજીકના સુધારામાં સેન્સેક્સ ખાતે ટૉપ ગેઇનર બની છે. HCL ટેક્નો, ઇન્ફોસિસ, ICICI બૅન્ક અને TCSએસ લગભગ અડધો-પોણો ટકો ઘ્વસ હતી. મુકેશ અંબાણીના પરમ મિત્ર આનંદ જૈનની જયકૉર્પ પાંચ ટકાની નીચલી સર્કિટે ૧૧૬ના મલ્ટિયર તળિયે ગઈ છે. જુલાઈના આરંભે ભાવ ૪૩૮ના શિખરે હતો. રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રિયલ ઇન્ફ્રા પણ ૮૫૮ના વર્સ્ટ લેવલે જઈ પોણાચાર ટકાની ખરાબીમાં ૮૭૧ હતી.

સંદેશ લિમિટેડ નફામાંથી ખોટમાં આવતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા ગગડ્યો

કૉર્પોરેટ પરિણામમાં 'ખુશી કમ, ઝ્યાદા ગમ'નો દોર જળવાઈ રહ્યો છે. બજારનું માનસ ખરડાયેલું હોવાથી નબળા પરિણામની શૅર પર ત્વરિત તથા મોટી અસર થાય છે. સારાં રિઝલ્ટ લગભગ એળે જાય છે. સેન્કો ગોલ્ડ નફામાં ૬૯ ટકાના ગાબડા પાછળ વૉલ્યુમ સાથે ૨૦ ટકા લથડી ૩૫૮ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. કોન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો નફો ફક્ત બે ટકા ઘટી ૭૫૯૦ લાખ આવ્યો છે. એમાં શૅર નવ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૦ ટકા પટકાઈ ૧૬૮૮ થયા બાદ ૪૧૬ રૂપિયાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૬૯૩ બંધ હતો. ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં આ કંપનીનું માર્કેટકૅપ ગઈ કાલે ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું છે. દીપક નાઇટ્રેટે બાવન ટકાના ઘટાડામાં ૬૮ કરોડનો ચોખ્ખો નફો દર્શાવતાં ભાવ ૧૮૭૪નું પોણાબે વર્ષનું બૉટમ બનાવી ૧૫ ટકા કે ૩૩૭ના કડાકામાં ૧૯૦૦ રહ્યો છે.

સંદેશ લિમિટેડ ૫૭૬૮ લાખના નફામાંથી ૨૦૭૯ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટમાં સરી પડતાં શૅર સરેરાશ કરતાં ૨૫ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૮૨ રૂપિયા કે ૨૦ ટકાની મંદીની સર્કિટમાં ૧૧૨૭ થયો હતો. ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સનો ત્રિમાસિક પ્રોફિટ ૨૧૨ કરોડથી ૪૯ ટકા વધી ૩૧૬ કરોડ આવતાં ભાવ સાત ગણા કામકાજે ૨૦ ટકાની ઉપલી સર્કિટે ૬૬૬ રૂપિયા ઊછળીને ૫૯૭૯ વટાવી ગયો છે. ૧૦૪ કરોડની નફાવૃદ્ધિમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૫૧૮૨ કરોડ રૂપિયા વધી ગયું છે. થોડા સમય પહેલાં ડિસેમ્બરમાં શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૧ના ભાવથી ઇશ્યુ લાવનારી મુંબઈની કો-કોર્ડ એન્વિરો સિસ્ટમ્સે ૧૮૫૮ લાખના નફા સામે ૮૫૬ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટ કરતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા કે ૧૩૧ રૂપિયાના ઘબડકામાં ૫૨૩ના ઑલટાઇમ તળિયે ગયો છે. TCPL પૅકેજિંગનો નફો બેવડાઈને ૧૮૮૦ લાખ થતાં શૅર ઉપરમાં ૩૭૨૪ થઈ સવાછ ટકાની તેજીમાં ૩૪૨૪ હતો. ટિટાગર રેલ નફામાં ૧૬ ટકા ઘટાડાના વસવસામાં નીચામાં ૭૬૬ થઈ ૫.૪ ટકા બગડી ૮૦૪ હતો. અનુપમ રસાયણે ૫૩ ટકાના વધારામાં ૨૮૧૯ લાખ ચોખ્ખો નફો કર્યો છે, શૅર જોકે સાધારણ ઘટીને બંધ હતો.

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અનિલ પટેલ

ટ્રમ્પ-મોદીના મિલાપથી બજારમાં વિલાપ વકર્યો, સેન્સેક્સ આઠમા દિવસેય માઇનસ

માર્કેટકૅપમાં સવાસાત લાખ કરોડનું ધોવાણ, તમામ સેક્ટોરલ રેડ ઝોનમાં, માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થ તદ્દન ખરાબ : એજેક્સનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે, ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ ગગડીને ૪ રૂપિયા : રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ ઇન્ફ્રા, જય કૉર્પ, એલઆઇસી, વ્હર્લપૂલ, મોબિક્વિક, તાતા ટેક્નૉલૉજીઝ, એસ્ટ્રલ સહિત ૬૪૧ શૅર ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટીએ: અદાણીના તમામ ૧૧ શૅર ખરડાયા, રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતી નરમ : કૉન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું : ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સમાં ૯૯૬ની તેજી

નરેન્દ્ર મોદી અને ટ્રમ્પની મુલાકાતને લઈને પરિસ્થિતિ સાનુકૂળ થવાની જે આશા રખાઈ હતી કે એક જબરી હાઇપ ઊભી કરવામાં આવી હતી એની હવા નીકળી ગઈ છે. ટૅરિફ અને માઇગ્રન્ટ્સને લઈ જેવાદે ચોલા ટ્રમ્પ ભારત પ્રત્યે કૂણું વલણ દાખવશે, મોદી મનાવી લેશે એવી વાતચીતો ઠગારી નીવડી છે. હકીકતમાં તો મોદી સાથેની મુલાકાત શરૂ થાય એના થોડા કલાક પહેલાં જ રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનો મુદ્દો છેડી ટ્રમ્પે અમેરિકાના અક્કડ વલણનો અણસાર આપી દીધો હતો : અમેરિકા પર જેટલી આયાત-જકાત નાખો છો એટલી જ ડ્યુટી અમે તમારા પર લાદીશું. તમે કોણ છો એનાથી અમને કોઈ નિસ્બત નથી. રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનું ગણિત બહુ સીધી ભાષામાં ટ્રમ્પે સમજાવી દીધું હતું. આ વ્યવસ્થા અમેરિકા સાથેના વેપારમાં સરપ્લસની સ્થિતિ પરાવતા દેશોને બેહદ કઠશે. તેમણે અમેરિકન પ્રોડક્ટ્સની આયાત માટેના દરવાજા મોકળા કરવા પડશે, આયાત-જકાત ઘટાડવી પડશે. નિકાસ વધારીને અમેરિકન ટ્રેલર કમાઈ લેવાના દિવસ હવે પૂરા થયા. ટ્રમ્પની આ પૉલિસી ફાર્મા, હેલ્થકૅર, ઑટો ઍન્સિલિયરી, કેમિકલ્સ, રિન્યુએબલ ઍનર્જી, ટેક્સટાઇલ ઍન્ડ ગાર્મેન્ટ્સ, ફૂડ પ્રોડક્ટ્સ, વેજિટેબલ્સ, જેમ સ્ટોન્સ ઇત્યાદિ જેવાં સેક્ટરની સંખ્યાબંધ કંપનીઓને ભારે પડવાની છે.

આ વાત પૉઝિટિવ ઝોનમાં ખૂલેલા બજારને સમજાઈ હતી. એને લીધે ૨૪૮ પૉઇન્ટ ઘ્વસમાં, ૭૬૩૮૯ ખૂલેલો સેન્સેક્સ ઉપરમાં ૭૬૪૮૩ થયા બાદ ત્યાંથી ૧૦૪૪ પૉઇન્ટ પટકાઈને નીચામાં ૭૫૪૩૮ ગઈ કાલે થયો હતો. નિફ્ટી ૨૨૭૭૫ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. જોકે છેલ્લે બજાર ૨૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા ઘટાડે ૭૫૯૩૯ અને નિફ્ટી ૧૦૨ પૉઇન્ટ બગડી ૨૨૯૨૯ બંધ થયો છે. માર્કેટની આ સતત આઠમા દિવસની નરમાઈ છે. પ્રારંભિક સુધારા બાદ ગગડેલું બજાર સવાબે વાગ્યા સુધી ૭૫૫૦૦ની અંદર હતું. ત્યાર પછી શાર્પ બાઉન્સબૅકમાં ૭૬૦૦૦ ઉપર આવી ગયું હતું અને પછી એની આસપાસ જ રહ્યું હતું. આને કારણે બજારની મોટા ભાગની ખાધ પુરાઈ ગઈ હતી. જોકે બજાર બંધ થવાના કલાક પહેલાં આવેલા આ ૫૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા સુધારા માટે કોઈ દેખીતું કારણ નથી. ટ્રમ્પ સાથે મોદીની મુલાકાતનો વટ ઝાંખો ન પડી જાય એ માટે કે સાહેબની શાન ઘટી ન જાય એ માટે બજાર બાઉન્સ થયું હોય એવું બની શકે. જોકે આનાથી બજારના હાલના મૂળ વલણમાં ફરક પડવાનો નથી. વધ-ઘટે માર્કેટ વધુ બગડવાનું છે એ વાત નક્કી છે.

QIBની રહેમ થતાં હેક્સાવેરનો ઇશ્યુ પાર લાગી ગયો

એકના શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૮ની લૂંટમાર ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસ સામે ૮૭૫૦ કરોડનો IPO કરનારી હેક્સાવેર ટેક્નોલૉજીઝની નાવ QIBએ પાર લગાવી દીધી છે. રીટેલમાં માત્ર ૧૨ ટકા અને HNIમાં ૨૨ ટકા જ ભરાયેલું આ ભરવું કુલ બે ગણું છલકાયું એ QIBની મહેરબાની છે. QIB પોર્શન ૬.૯ ગણો ભરાયો છે. ઈવન કંપનીએ એના કર્મચારી માટે ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસમાં ૬૭ રૂપિયાનું ડિસ્કાઉન્ટ જાહેર કર્યું હતું એ પોર્શન પણ કેવળ 33 ટકા ભરાયો છે. ભરવું પાર પડતાં ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ સુધરી અઢી રૂપિયા ક્વોટ થવા માંડ્યું છે. સાંગલીની ક્વૉલિટી પાવરનો ૧૦ના શૅરદીઠ ૪૨૫ના ભાવનો આશરે ૮૫૯ કરોડનો ઇશ્યુ પ્રથમ દિવસે કુલ ૬૨ ટકા ભરાયો છે. પ્રીમિયમ વધુ ખરડાઈને ૮ થઈ ગયું છે. એજેક્સ એન્જિનિયરિંગનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે છે. ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં ૪ રૂપિયાનું પ્રીમિયમ છે. શરૂઆત ૫૮થી થઈ હતી.

દરમ્યાન ગઈ કાલે બજારનું માર્કેટકૅપ ૭.૨૪ લાખ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં ૪૦૦.૦૨ લાખ કરોડે આવી ગયું છે જે ૧૪ મહિનાનું બૉટમ છે. માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થમાં ભારે બગાડ હતો. NSEમાં વધેલા ૪૫૯ શૅર સામે ૨૪૧૨ જાતો ઘટી છે. સેન્સેક્સ નિફ્ટીના સામાન્ય ઘટાડા સામે સ્મૉલકૅપ સવાત્રણ ટકા, મિડકૅપ અઢી ટકા અને બૉડર માર્કેટ સવા ટકો કપાયું હતું. બજારનાં તમામ સેક્ટોરલ લાલ થયાં હતાં. હેલ્થકૅર, કૅપિટલ ગુડ્સ, નિફ્ટી ફાર્મા, પાવર, રિયલ્ટી, કન્ઝ્યુમર ડ્યુરેબલ્સ, યુટિલિટીઝ, નિફ્ટી મીડિયા, પીએસયુ બૅન્ક નિફ્ટી જેવા ઇન્ડેક્સ બેથી સાડાત્રણ ટકા સાફ થયા છે. આઇટી ઇન્ડેક્સ નામ પૂરતો નરમ હતો, પરંતુ એની ૧૬માંથી ૪૯ જાતો ઘટી હતી.

ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક અને જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલમાં ઑલટાઇમ નીચો ભાવ

રિલાયન્સની જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલે સવાબે ગણા કામકાજે ૨૧૯ના ઑલ ટાઇમ તળિયે જઈ અઢી ટકા ઘટી ૨૨૨ હતી. ૨૩ એપ્રિલે ભાવ ૩૯૫ના શિખરે હતો. ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક ૬૦ની સૌથી નીચી સપાટી નોંધાવી સવાપાંચ ટકા તૂટી ૬૧ નજીક રહી છે. ૨૦ ઑગસ્ટે શૅરમાં ૧૫૭ના શિખરે હતો એ ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૬નું ઑલટાઇમ તળિયું દેખાડી પોણાસાત ટકાના ઘબડકામાં ૩૪૦ બંધ આવી છે. ઝોમાટો પોણો ટકો નરમ હતી. એલઆઇસી ૭૫૫ની ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટી બાદ સાડાત્રણ ટકા તૂટી ૭૫૮ થઈ છે. ૨૬ ડિસેમ્બરે ૬૯૮ની સર્વોચ્ચ સપાટીએ ગયેલી મોબિક્વિક ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૩નો સૌથી નીચો ભાવ બતાવી આઠેક ટકા ઘોવાઈને ૩૨૬ હતી.

નફામાં ૩૮ ટકાના ઘટાડામાં આગલા દિવસે ૨૦ ટકા તૂટેલી નાટકો ફાર્મા ગઈ કાલે ૮૬૮ના તળિયે જઈ સવાનવ ટકા બગડી ૮૮૪ નજીક રહી છે. નફામાં થયેલો ૮૦ કરોડનો ઘટાડો કંપનીને માર્કેટકૅપની રીતે ૫૯૬૩ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં પડ્યો છે. પ્રિન્સ પાઇપ્સ રિઝલ્ટ પાછળ નરમાઈની હૅટ-ટ્રિકમાં ૨૭૨ની નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બનાવી અઢી ટકા ગગડી ૨૮૦ હતી. એસ્ટ્રલ પણ ૧૩૧૩ના નવા તળિયે જઈ પોણાત્રણ ટકા ઘટીને ૧૩૩૨ હતી.

પેરન્ટ્સની સંભવિત એક્ઝિટવી ખરડાયેલા માનસમાં વ્હર્લપૂલ ૯૯૧ના ઐતિહાસિક નવા બૉટમ બાદ પોણાબે ટકા ઘટી ૧૦૦૩ હતી. ૨૨ ઑક્ટોબરે ભાવ ૨૪૫૦ની ટોચે હતો. તાતા ટેક્નોલૉજીઝ, તાતા કેમિકલ્સ, તાતા પાવર, ટીઆરઍક્સ, રાલિઝ ઇન્ડિયા જેવી તાતા ગ્રુપની કંપનીઓમાંય નવા નીચા ભાવ જોવા મળ્યા છે. એયુ બૅન્ક, બૅન્ક ઑફ બરોડા, બંધન બૅન્ક, કેનેરા બૅન્ક, ફીનો પેમેન્ટ બૅન્ક, સ્ટેટ બૅન્ક, પીએનબી જેવા બૅન્ક શૅરોમાંય વર્ષનાં બૉટમ બન્યાં છે.

અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ બીજા દિવસે ટૉપ લૂઝર, અદાણી એન્ટર વધુ બગડ્યો

આગલા દિવસે સેન્સેક્સમાં ટૉપ લૂઝર રહેલી અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ ગઈ કાલે પોણાબે ગણા કામકાજે નીચામાં ૧૦૪૨ થઈ ૪.૪ ટકાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૦૬૨ના બંધમાં બન્ને બજાર ખાતે વર્સ્ટ પર્ફૉર્મર બની છે, તો ફ્લેગશિપ અદાણી એન્ટરપ્રાઇઝ નીચામાં ૨૧૨૪ બંધ આપી નિફ્ટીમાં વર્સ્ટ વર્સ્ટ લૂઝર હતી. અદાણીના અન્ય શૅરમાં અદાણી પાવર સવાબે ટકા, અદાણી એનર્જી પોણાપાંચ ટકા, અદાણી ગ્રીન ૩.૨ ટકા, અદાણી ટોટલ પોણાચાર ટકા, અદાણી વિલ્મર સવાત્રણ ટકા, NDTV સવાચાર ટકા, એસીસી સવાબે ટકા, અંબુજા સિમેન્ટ્સ ત્રણેક ટકા અને સાંઘી ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ દોઢ ટકા ખરડાઈ હતી. NDTVમાં નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બન્યું છે. અદાણી ગ્રીન, અદાણી વિલ્મર, અદાણી ટોટલ, એસીસી નવા નીચા ભાવ બતાવવાની તૈયારીમાં દેખાય છે. ઇન્ડેક્સ બેઝ્ડ અન્ય જાતોમાં ભારત ઇલેક્ટ્રિક સવાચાર ટકા, ટ્રેન્ટ તથા સનફાર્મા અઢી ટકાથી વધુ, આઇશર તેમ જ અલ્ટ્રાટેક અઢી ટકા, NTPC ઇન્ડસઇન્ડ બૅન્ક અને ગ્રાસિમ સવાબે ટકા, ડૉ. રેડ્ડીઝ લૅબ બજાજ ઑટો અને કોલ ઇન્ડિયા બે ટકાથી વધુ, ONGC તેમ જ ભારત પેટ્રો ૧.૯ ટકા ડૂલ થઈ છે. હીરો મોટોકૉર્પ ૩૮૪૮ના નવા તળિયે જઈ ૨.૪ ટકા બગડી ૩૮૫૭ હતી. રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતા ઘટાડે ૧૨૧૫ રહી છે. મહિન્દ્ર, લાર્સન, કોટક બૅન્ક, તાતા સ્ટીલ, શ્રીરામ ફાઇ, અપોલો હૉસ્પિટલ સવાથી પોણાબે ટકા ડાઉન હતી.

બ્રિટાનિયા એક ટકો વધી નિફ્ટી ખાતે તો નેસ્લે એક ટકા નજીકના સુધારામાં સેન્સેક્સ ખાતે ટૉપ ગેઇનર બની છે. HCL ટેક્નો, ઇન્ફોસિસ, ICICI બૅન્ક અને TCSએસ લગભગ અડધો-પોણો ટકો ઘસાઈ હતી. મુકેશ અંબાણીના પરમ મિત્ર આનંદ જૈનની જયકૉર્પ પાંચ ટકાની નીચલી સર્કિટે ૧૧૬ના મલ્ટિયર તળિયે ગઈ છે. જુલાઈના આરંભે ભાવ ૪૩૮ના શિખરે હતો. રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રિયલ ઇન્ફ્રા પણ ૮૫૮ના વર્સ્ટ લેવલે જઈ પોણાચાર ટકાની ખરાબીમાં ૮૭૧ હતી.

સંદેશ લિમિટેડ નફામાંથી ખોટમાં આવતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા ગગડ્યો

કૉર્પોરેટ પરિણામમાં 'ખુશી કમ, ઝ્યાદા ગમ'નો દોર જળવાઈ રહ્યો છે. બજારનું માનસ ખરડાયેલું હોવાથી નબળા પરિણામની શૅર પર ત્વરિત તથા મોટી અસર થાય છે. સારાં રિઝલ્ટ લગભગ એળે જાય છે. સેન્કો ગોલ્ડ નફામાં ૬૯ ટકાના ગાબડા પાછળ વૉલ્યુમ સાથે ૨૦ ટકા લથડી ૩૫૮ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. કોન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો નફો ફક્ત બે ટકા ઘટી ૭૫૯૦ લાખ આવ્યો છે. એમાં શૅર નવ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૦ ટકા પટકાઈ ૧૬૮૮ થયા બાદ ૪૧૬ રૂપિયાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૬૯૩ બંધ હતો. ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં આ કંપનીનું માર્કેટકૅપ ગઈ કાલે ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું છે. દીપક નાઇટ્રેટે બાવન ટકાના ઘટાડામાં ૯૮ કરોડનો ચોખ્ખો નફો દર્શાવતાં ભાવ ૧૮૭૪નું પોણાબે વર્ષનું બૉટમ બનાવી ૧૫ ટકા કે ૩૩૭ના કડાકામાં ૧૯૦૦ રહ્યો છે.

સંદેશ લિમિટેડ ૫૭૬૮ લાખના નફામાંથી ૨૦૭૯ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટમાં સરી પડતાં શૅર સરેરાશ કરતાં ૨૫ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૮૨ રૂપિયા કે ૨૦ ટકાની મંદીની સર્કિટમાં ૧૧૨૭ થયો હતો. ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સનો ત્રિમાસિક પ્રોફિટ ૨૧૨ કરોડથી ૪૯ ટકા વધી ૩૧૬ કરોડ આવતાં ભાવ સાત ગણા કામકાજે ૨૦ ટકાની ઉપલી સર્કિટે ૬૬૬ રૂપિયા ઊછળીને ૫૯૭૯ વટાવી ગયો છે. ૧૦૪ કરોડની નફાવૃદ્ધિમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૫૧૮૨ કરોડ રૂપિયા વધી ગયું છે. થોડા સમય પહેલાં ડિસેમ્બરમાં શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૧ના ભાવથી ઇશ્યુ લાવનારી મુંબઈની કો-કોર્ડ એન્વિરો સિસ્ટમ્સે ૧૮૫૮ લાખના નફા સામે ૮૫૬ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટ કરતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા કે ૧૩૧ રૂપિયાના ઘબડકામાં ૫૨૩ના ઑલટાઇમ તળિયે ગયો છે. TCPL પૅકેજિંગનો નફો બેવડાઈને ૧૮૮૦ લાખ થતાં શૅર ઉપરમાં ૩૭૨૪ થઈ સવાછ ટકાની તેજીમાં ૩૪૨૪ હતો. ટિટાગર રેલ નફામાં ૧૬ ટકા ઘટાડાના વસવસામાં નીચામાં ૭૯૬ થઈ ૫.૪ ટકા બગડી ૮૦૪ હતો. અનુપમ રસાયણે ૫૩ ટકાના વધારામાં ૨૮૧૯ લાખ ચોખ્ખો નફો કર્યો છે, શૅર જોકે સાધારણ ઘટીને બંધ હતો.

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અનિલ પટેલ

ટ્રમ્પ-મોદીના મિલાપથી બજારમાં વિલાપ વકર્યો, સેન્સેક્સ આઠમા દિવસેય માઇનસ

માર્કેટકૅપમાં સવાસાત લાખ કરોડનું ધોવાણ, તમામ સેક્ટોરલ રેડ ઝોનમાં, માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થ તદ્દન ખરાબ : એજેક્સનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે, ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ ગગડીને ૪ રૂપિયા : રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ ઇન્ફ્રા, જય કૉર્પ, એલઆઇસી, વ્હર્લપૂલ, મોબિક્વિક, તાતા ટેક્નૉલૉજીઝ, એસ્ટ્રલ સહિત ૬૪૧ શૅર ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટીએ: અદાણીના તમામ ૧૧ શૅર ખરડાયા, રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતી નરમ : કૉન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું : ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સમાં ૯૯૬ની તેજી

નરેન્દ્ર મોદી અને ટ્રમ્પની મુલાકાતને લઈને પરિસ્થિતિ સાનુકૂળ થવાની જે આશા રખાઈ હતી કે એક જબરી હાઇપ ઊભી કરવામાં આવી હતી એની હવા નીકળી ગઈ છે. ટૅરિફ અને માઇગ્રન્ટ્સને લઈ જેવાદે ચોલા ટ્રમ્પ ભારત પ્રત્યે કૂણું વલણ દાખવશે, મોદી મનાવી લેશે એવી વાતચીતો ઠગારી નીવડી છે. હકીકતમાં તો મોદી સાથેની મુલાકાત શરૂ થાય એના થોડા કલાક પહેલાં જ રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનો મુદ્દો છેડી ટ્રમ્પે અમેરિકાના અક્કડ વલણનો અણસાર આપી દીધો હતો : અમેરિકા પર જેટલી આયાત-જકાત નાખો છો એટલી જ ડ્યુટી અમે તમારા પર લાદીશું. તમે કોણ છો એનાથી અમને કોઈ નિસ્બત નથી. રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનું ગણિત બહુ સીધી ભાષામાં ટ્રમ્પે સમજાવી દીધું હતું. આ વ્યવસ્થા અમેરિકા સાથેના વેપારમાં સરપ્લસની સ્થિતિ પરાવતા દેશોને બેહદ કઠશે. તેમણે અમેરિકન પ્રોડક્ટ્સની આયાત માટેના દરવાજા મોકળા કરવા પડશે, આયાત-જકાત ઘટાડવી પડશે. નિકાસ વધારીને અમેરિકન ટ્રેલર કમાઈ લેવાના દિવસ હવે પૂરા થયા. ટ્રમ્પની આ પૉલિસી ફાર્મા, હેલ્થકૅર, ઑટો ઍન્સિલિયરી, કેમિકલ્સ, રિન્યુએબલ એનર્જી, ટેક્સટાઇલ એન્ડ ગાર્મેન્ટ્સ, ફૂડ પ્રોડક્ટ્સ, વેજિટેબલ્સ, જેમ સ્ટોન્સ ઇત્યાદિ જેવાં સેક્ટરની સંખ્યાબંધ કંપનીઓને ભારે પડવાની છે.

આ વાત પૉઝિટિવ ઝોનમાં ખૂલેલા બજારને સમજાઈ હતી. એને લીધે ૨૪૮ પૉઇન્ટ ઘ્વસમાં, ૭૬૩૮૯ ખૂલેલો સેન્સેક્સ ઉપરમાં ૭૬૪૮૩ થયા બાદ ત્યાંથી ૧૦૪૪ પૉઇન્ટ પટકાઈને નીચામાં ૭૫૪૩૮ ગઈ કાલે થયો હતો. નિફ્ટી ૨૨૭૭૫ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. જોકે છેલ્લે બજાર ૨૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા ઘટાડે ૭૫૯૩૯ અને નિફ્ટી ૧૦૨ પૉઇન્ટ બગડી ૨૨૯૨૯ બંધ થયો છે. માર્કેટની આ સતત આઠમા દિવસની નરમાઈ છે. પ્રારંભિક સુધારા બાદ ગગડેલું બજાર સવાબે વાગ્યા સુધી ૭૫૫૦૦ની અંદર હતું. ત્યાર પછી શાર્પ બાઉન્સબૅકમાં ૭૬૦૦૦ ઉપર આવી ગયું હતું અને પછી એની આસપાસ જ રહ્યું હતું. આને કારણે બજારની મોટા ભાગની ખાધ પુરાઈ ગઈ હતી. જોકે બજાર બંધ થવાના કલાક પહેલાં આવેલા આ ૫૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા સુધારા માટે કોઈ દેખીતું કારણ નથી. ટ્રમ્પ સાથે મોદીની મુલાકાતનો વટ ઝાંખો ન પડી જાય એ માટે કે સાહેબની શાન ઘટી ન જાય એ માટે બજાર બાઉન્સ થયું હોય એવું બની શકે. જોકે આનાથી બજારના હાલના મૂળ વલણમાં ફરક પડવાનો નથી. વધ-ઘટે માર્કેટ વધુ બગડવાનું છે એ વાત નક્કી છે.

QIBની રહેમ થતાં હેક્સાવેરનો ઇશ્યુ પાર લાગી ગયો

એકના શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૮ની લૂંટમાર ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસ સામે ૮૭૫૦ કરોડનો IPO કરનારી હેક્સાવેર ટેક્નોલૉજીઝની નાવ QIBએ પાર લગાવી દીધી છે. રીટેલમાં માત્ર ૧૨ ટકા અને HNIમાં ૨૨ ટકા જ ભરાયેલું આ ભરવું કુલ બે ગણું છલકાયું એ QIBની મહેરબાની છે. QIB પોર્શન ૬.૯ ગણો ભરાયો છે. ઈવન કંપનીએ એના કર્મચારી માટે ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસમાં ૬૭ રૂપિયાનું ડિસ્કાઉન્ટ જાહેર કર્યું હતું એ પોર્શન પણ કેવળ 33 ટકા ભરાયો છે. ભરવું પાર પડતાં ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ સુધરી અઢી રૂપિયા ક્વોટ થવા માંડ્યું છે. સાંગલીની ક્વોલિટી પાવરનો ૧૦ના શૅરદીઠ ૪૫૫ના ભાવનો આશરે ૮૫૯ કરોડનો ઇશ્યુ પ્રથમ દિવસે કુલ ૬૨ ટકા ભરાયો છે. પ્રીમિયમ વધુ ખરડાઈને ૮ થઈ ગયું છે. એજેક્સ એન્જિનિયરિંગનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે છે. ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં ૪ રૂપિયાનું પ્રીમિયમ છે. શરૂઆત ૫૮થી થઈ હતી.

દરમ્યાન ગઈ કાલે બજારનું માર્કેટકૅપ ૭.૨૪ લાખ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં ૪૦૦.૦૨ લાખ કરોડે આવી ગયું છે જે ૧૪ મહિનાનું બૉટમ છે. માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થમાં ભારે બગાડ હતો. NSEમાં વધેલા ૪૫૯ શૅર સામે ૨૪૧૨ જાતો ઘટી છે. સેન્સેક્સ નિફ્ટીના સામાન્ય ઘટાડા સામે સ્મોલકૅપ સવાત્રણ ટકા, મિડકૅપ અઢી ટકા અને બૉડર માર્કેટ સવા ટકો કપાયું હતું. બજારનાં તમામ સેક્ટોરલ લાલ થયાં હતાં. હેલ્થકૅર, કૅપિટલ ગુડ્સ, નિફ્ટી ફાર્મા, પાવર, રિયલ્ટી, કન્ઝ્યુમર ડ્યુરેબલ્સ, યુટિલિટીઝ, નિફ્ટી મીડિયા, પીએસયુ બૅન્ક નિફ્ટી જેવા ઇન્ડેક્સ બેથી સાડાત્રણ ટકા સાફ થયા છે. આઇટી ઇન્ડેક્સ નામ પૂરતો નરમ હતો, પરંતુ એની ૧૬માંથી ૪૯ જાતો ઘટી હતી.

ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક અને જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલમાં ઑલટાઇમ નીચો ભાવ

રિલાયન્સની જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલે સવાબે ગણા કામકાજે ૨૧૯ના ઑલ ટાઇમ તળિયે જઈ અઢી ટકા ઘટી ૨૨૨ હતી. ૨૩ એપ્રિલે ભાવ ૩૯૫ના શિખરે હતો. ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક ૬૦ની સૌથી નીચી સપાટી નોંધાવી સવાપાંચ ટકા તૂટી ૬૧ નજીક રહી છે. ૨૦ ઑગસ્ટે શૅરમાં ૧૫૭ના શિખરે હતો એ ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૬નું ઑલટાઇમ તળિયું દેખાડી પોણાસાત ટકાના ઘબડકામાં ૩૪૦ બંધ આવી છે. ઝોમાટો પોણો ટકો નરમ હતી. એલઆઇસી ૭૫૫ની ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટી બાદ સાડાત્રણ ટકા તૂટી ૭૫૮ થઈ છે. ૨૬ ડિસેમ્બરે ૬૯૮ની સર્વોચ્ચ સપાટીએ ગયેલી મોબિક્વિક ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૩નો સૌથી નીચો ભાવ બતાવી આઠેક ટકા ઘોવાઈને ૩૨૬ હતી.

નફામાં ૩૮ ટકાના ઘટાડામાં આગલા દિવસે ૨૦ ટકા તૂટેલી નાટકો ફાર્મા ગઈ કાલે ૮૬૮ના તળિયે જઈ સવાનવ ટકા બગડી ૮૮૪ નજીક રહી છે. નફામાં થયેલો ૮૦ કરોડનો ઘટાડો કંપનીને માર્કેટકૅપની રીતે ૫૯૬૩ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં પડ્યો છે. પ્રિન્સ પાઇપ્સ રિઝલ્ટ પાછળ નરમાઈની હૅટ-ટ્રિકમાં ૨૭૨ની નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બનાવી અઢી ટકા ગગડી ૨૮૦ હતી. એસ્ટ્રલ પણ ૧૩૧૩ના નવા તળિયે જઈ પોણાત્રણ ટકા ઘટીને ૧૩૩૨ હતી.

પેરન્ટ્સની સંભવિત એક્ઝિટવી ખરડાયેલા માનસમાં વ્હર્લપૂલ ૯૯૧ના ઐતિહાસિક નવા બૉટમ બાદ પોણાબે ટકા ઘટી ૧૦૦૩ હતી. ૨૨ ઑક્ટોબરે ભાવ ૨૪૫૦ની ટોચે હતો. તાતા ટેક્નોલૉજીઝ, તાતા કેમિકલ્સ, તાતા પાવર, ટીઆરઍક્સ, રાલિઝ ઇન્ડિયા જેવી તાતા ગ્રુપની કંપનીઓમાંય નવા નીચા ભાવ જોવા મળ્યા છે. એયુ બૅન્ક, બૅન્ક ઑફ બરોડા, બંધન બૅન્ક, કેનેરા બૅન્ક, ફીનો પેમેન્ટ બૅન્ક, સ્ટેટ બૅન્ક, પીએનબી જેવા બૅન્ક શૅરોમાંય વર્ષનાં બૉટમ બન્યાં છે.

અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ બીજા દિવસે ટૉપ લૂઝર, અદાણી એન્ટર વધુ બગડ્યો

આગલા દિવસે સેન્સેક્સમાં ટૉપ લૂઝર રહેલી અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ ગઈ કાલે પોણાબે ગણા કામકાજે નીચામાં ૧૦૪૨ થઈ ૪.૪ ટકાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૦૬૨ના બંધમાં બન્ને બજાર ખાતે વર્સ્ટ પર્ફોર્મર બની છે, તો ફ્લેગશિપ અદાણી એન્ટરપ્રાઇઝ નીચામાં ૨૧૨૪ બંધ આપી નિફ્ટીમાં વર્સ્ટ લૂઝર હતી. અદાણીના અન્ય શૅરમાં અદાણી પાવર સવાબે ટકા, અદાણી એનર્જી પોણાપાંચ ટકા, અદાણી ગ્રીન ૩.૨ ટકા, અદાણી ટોટલ પોણાચાર ટકા, અદાણી વિલ્મર સવાત્રણ ટકા, NDTV સવાચાર ટકા, એસીસી સવાબે ટકા, અંબુજા સિમેન્ટ્સ ત્રણેક ટકા અને સાંઘી ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ દોઢ ટકા ખરડાઈ હતી. NDTVમાં નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બન્યું છે. અદાણી ગ્રીન, અદાણી વિલ્મર, અદાણી ટોટલ, એસીસી નવા નીચા ભાવ બતાવવાની તૈયારીમાં દેખાય છે. ઇન્ડેક્સ બેઝ્ડ અન્ય જાતોમાં ભારત ઇલેક્ટ્રિક સવાચાર ટકા, ટ્રેન્ટ તથા સનફાર્મા અઢી ટકાથી વધુ, આઇશર તેમ જ અલ્ટ્રાટેક અઢી ટકા, NTPC ઇન્ડસઇન્ડ બૅન્ક અને ગ્રાસિમ સવાબે ટકા, ડૉ. રેડ્ડીઝ લૅબ બજાજ ઑટો અને કોલ ઇન્ડિયા બે ટકાથી વધુ, ONGC તેમ જ ભારત પેટ્રો ૧.૯ ટકા ડૂલ થઈ છે. હીરો મોટોકૉર્પ ૩૮૪૮ના નવા તળિયે જઈ ૨.૪ ટકા બગડી ૩૮૫૭ હતી. રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતા ઘટાડે ૧૨૧૫ રહી છે. મહિન્દ્ર, લાર્સન, કોટક બૅન્ક, તાતા સ્ટીલ, શ્રીરામ ફાઇ, અપોલો હૉસ્પિટલ સવાથી પોણાબે ટકા ડાઉન હતી.

બ્રિટાનિયા એક ટકો વધી નિફ્ટી ખાતે તો નેસ્લે એક ટકા નજીકના સુધારામાં સેન્સેક્સ ખાતે ટૉપ ગેઇનર બની છે. HCL ટેક્નો, ઇન્ફોસિસ, ICICI બૅન્ક અને TCSએસ લગભગ અડધો-પોણો ટકો ઘસાઈ હતી. મુકેશ અંબાણીના પરમ મિત્ર આનંદ જૈનની જયકૉર્પ પાંચ ટકાની નીચલી સર્કિટે ૧૧૬ના મલ્ટિયર તળિયે ગઈ છે. જુલાઈના આરંભે ભાવ ૪૩૮ના શિખરે હતો. રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રિયલ ઇન્ફ્રા પણ ૮૫૮ના વર્સ્ટ લેવલે જઈ પોણાચાર ટકાની ખરાબીમાં ૮૭૧ હતી.

સંદેશ લિમિટેડ નફામાંથી ખોટમાં આવતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા ગગડ્યો

કૉર્પોરેટ પરિણામમાં 'ખુશી કમ, ઝ્યાદા ગમ'નો દોર જળવાઈ રહ્યો છે. બજારનું માનસ ખરડાયેલું હોવાથી નબળા પરિણામની શૅર પર ત્વરિત તથા મોટી અસર થાય છે. સારાં રિઝલ્ટ લગભગ એળે જાય છે. સેન્કો ગોલ્ડ નફામાં ૬૯ ટકાના ગાબડા પાછળ વૉલ્યુમ સાથે ૨૦ ટકા લથડી ૩૫૮ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. કોન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો નફો ફક્ત બે ટકા ઘટી ૭૫૯૦ લાખ આવ્યો છે. એમાં શૅર નવ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૦ ટકા પટકાઈ ૧૬૮૮ થયા બાદ ૪૧૬ રૂપિયાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૬૯૩ બંધ હતો. ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં આ કંપનીનું માર્કેટકૅપ ગઈ કાલે ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું છે. દીપક નાઇટ્રેટે બાવન ટકાના ઘટાડામાં ૯૮ કરોડનો ચોખ્ખો નફો દર્શાવતાં ભાવ ૧૮૭૪નું પોણાબે વર્ષનું બૉટમ બનાવી ૧૫ ટકા કે ૩૩૭ના કડાકામાં ૧૯૦૦ રહ્યો છે.

સંદેશ લિમિટેડ ૫૭૬૮ લાખના નફામાંથી ૨૦૭૯ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટમાં સરી પડતાં શૅર સરેરાશ કરતાં ૨૫ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૮૨ રૂપિયા કે ૨૦ ટકાની મંદીની સર્કિટમાં ૧૧૨૭ થયો હતો. ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સનો ત્રિમાસિક પ્રોફિટ ૨૧૨ કરોડથી ૪૯ ટકા વધી ૩૧૬ કરોડ આવતાં ભાવ સાત ગણા કામકાજે ૨૦ ટકાની ઉપલી સર્કિટે ૯૬૬ રૂપિયા ઊછળીને ૫૯૭૯ વટાવી ગયો છે. ૧૦૪ કરોડની નફાવૃદ્ધિમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૫૧૮૨ કરોડ રૂપિયા વધી ગયું છે. થોડા સમય પહેલાં ડિસેમ્બરમાં શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૧ના ભાવથી ઇશ્યુ લાવનારી મુંબઈની કો-કોર્ડ એન્વિરો સિસ્ટમ્સે ૧૮૫૮ લાખના નફા સામે ૮૫૬ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટ કરતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા કે ૧૩૧ રૂપિયાના ઘબડકામાં ૫૨૩ના ઑલટાઇમ તળિયે ગયો છે. TCPL પૅકેજિંગનો નફો બેવડાઈને ૧૮૮૦ લાખ થતાં શૅર ઉપરમાં ૩૭૨૪ થઈ સવાછ ટકાની તેજીમાં ૩૪૨૪ હતો. ટિટાગર રેલ નફામાં ૧૬ ટકા ઘટાડાના વસવસામાં નીચામાં ૭૬૬ થઈ ૫.૪ ટકા બગડી ૮૦૪ હતો. અનુપમ રસાયણે ૫૩ ટકાના વધારામાં ૨૮૧૯ લાખ ચોખ્ખો નફો કર્યો છે, શૅર જોકે સાધારણ ઘટીને બંધ હતો.

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અનિલ પટેલ

ટ્રમ્પ-મોદીના મિલાપથી બજારમાં વિલાપ વકર્યો, સેન્સેક્સ આઠમા દિવસેય માઇનસ

માર્કેટકૅપમાં સવાસાત લાખ કરોડનું ધોવાણ, તમામ સેક્ટોરલ રેડ ઝોનમાં, માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થ તદ્દન ખરાબ : એજેક્સનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે, ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ ગગડીને ૪ રૂપિયા : રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ ઇન્ફ્રા, જય કૉર્પ, એલઆઇસી, વ્હર્લપૂલ, મોબિક્વિક, તાતા ટેક્નૉલૉજીઝ, એસ્ટ્રલ સહિત ૬૪૧ શૅર ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટીએ: અદાણીના તમામ ૧૧ શૅર ખરડાયા, રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતી નરમ : કોન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું : ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સમાં ૯૯૬ની તેજી

નરેન્દ્ર મોદી અને ટ્રમ્પની મુલાકાતને લઈને પરિસ્થિતિ સાનુકૂળ થવાની જે આશા રખાઈ હતી કે એક જબરી હાઇપ ઊભી કરવામાં આવી હતી એની હવા નીકળી ગઈ છે. ટૅરિફ અને માઇગ્રન્ટ્સને લઈ જેવાદે ચોલા ટ્રમ્પ ભારત પ્રત્યે કૂણું વલણ દાખવશે, મોદી મનાવી લેશે એવી વાતચીતો ઠગારી નીવડી છે. હકીકતમાં તો મોદી સાથેની મુલાકાત શરૂ થાય એના થોડા કલાક પહેલાં જ રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનો મુદ્દો છેડી ટ્રમ્પે અમેરિકાના અક્કડ વલણનો અણસાર આપી દીધો હતો : અમેરિકા પર જેટલી આયાત-જકાત નાખો છો એટલી જ ડ્યુટી અમે તમારા પર લાદીશું. તમે કોણ છો એનાથી અમને કોઈ નિસ્બત નથી. રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનું ગણિત બહુ સીધી ભાષામાં ટ્રમ્પે સમજાવી દીધું હતું. આ વ્યવસ્થા અમેરિકા સાથેના વેપારમાં સરપ્લસની સ્થિતિ પરાવતા દેશોને બેહાલ કરશે. તેમણે અમેરિકન પ્રોડક્ટ્સની આયાત માટેના દરવાજા મોકળા કરવા પડશે, આયાત-જકાત ઘટાડવી પડશે. નિકાસ વધારીને અમેરિકન ટ્રેલર કમાઈ લેવાના દિવસ હવે પૂરા થયા. ટ્રમ્પની આ પૉલિસી ફાર્મા, હેલ્થકૅર, ઑટો ઍન્સિલિયરી, કેમિકલ્સ, રિન્યુએબલ એનર્જી, ટેક્સટાઇલ એન્ડ ગાર્મેન્ટ્સ, ફૂડ પ્રોડક્ટ્સ, વેજિટેબલ્સ, જેમ સ્ટોન્સ ઇત્યાદિ જેવાં સેક્ટરની સંખ્યાબંધ કંપનીઓને ભારે પડવાની છે.

આ વાત પૉલિટિકલ ઝોનમાં ખૂલેલા બજારને સમજાઈ હતી. એને લીધે ૨૪૮ પૉઇન્ટ ખસમાં, ૭૬૩૮૯ ખૂલેલો સેન્સેક્સ ઉપરમાં ૭૬૪૮૩ થયા બાદ ત્યાંથી ૧૦૪૪ પૉઇન્ટ પટકાઈને નીચામાં ૭૫૪૩૯ ગઈ કાલે થયો હતો. નિફ્ટી ૨૨૭૭૫ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. જોકે છેલ્લે બજાર ૨૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા ઘટાડે ૭૫૯૩૯ અને નિફ્ટી ૧૦૨ પૉઇન્ટ બગડી ૨૨૯૨૯ બંધ થયો છે. માર્કેટની આ સતત આઠમા દિવસની નરમાઈ છે. પ્રારંભિક સુધારા બાદ ગગડેલું બજાર સવાબે વાગ્યા સુધી ૭૫૫૦૦ની અંદર હતું. ત્યાર પછી શાર્પ બાઉન્સબૅકમાં ૭૬૦૦૦ ઉપર આવી ગયું હતું અને પછી એની આસપાસ જ રહ્યું હતું. આને કારણે બજારની મોટા ભાગની ખાધ પુરાઈ ગઈ હતી. જોકે બજાર બંધ થવાના કલાક પહેલાં આવેલા આ ૫૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા સુધારા માટે કોઈ દેખીતું કારણ નથી. ટ્રમ્પ સાથે મોદીની મુલાકાતનો વટ ઝાંખો ન પડી જાય એ માટે કે સાહેબની શાન ઘટી ન જાય એ માટે બજાર બાઉન્સ થયું હોય એવું બની શકે. જોકે આનાથી બજારના હાલના મૂળ વલણમાં ફરક પડવાનો નથી. વધ-ઘટે માર્કેટ વધુ બગડવાનું છે એ વાત નક્કી છે.

QIBની રહેમ થતાં હેક્સાવેરનો ઇશ્યુ પાર લાગી ગયો

એકના શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૮ની લૂંટમાર ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસ સામે ૮૭૫૦ કરોડનો IPO કરનારી હેક્સાવેર ટેક્નોલૉજીઝની નાવ QIBએ પાર લગાવી દીધી છે. રીટેલમાં માત્ર ૧૨ ટકા અને HNIમાં ૨૨ ટકા જ ભરાયેલું આ ભરવું કુલ બે ગણું છલકાયું એ QIBની મહેરબાની છે. QIB પોર્શન ૬.૯ ગણો ભરાયો છે. ઈવન કંપનીએ એના કર્મચારી માટે ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસમાં ૬૭ રૂપિયાનું ડિસ્કાઉન્ટ જાહેર કર્યું હતું એ પોર્શન પણ કેવળ ૩૩ ટકા ભરાયો છે. ભરવું પાર પડતાં ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ સુધરી અઢી રૂપિયા ક્વોટ થવા માંડ્યું છે. સાંગલીની ક્વૉલિટી પાવરનો ૧૦ના શૅરદીઠ ૪૫૫ના ભાવનો આશરે ૮૫૯ કરોડનો ઇશ્યુ પ્રથમ દિવસે કુલ ૬૨ ટકા ભરાયો છે. પ્રીમિયમ વધુ ખરડાઈને ૮ થઈ ગયું છે. એજેક્સ એન્જિનિયરિંગનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે છે. ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં ૪ રૂપિયાનું પ્રીમિયમ છે. શરૂઆત ૫૮થી થઈ હતી.

દરમ્યાન ગઈ કાલે બજારનું માર્કેટકૅપ ૭.૨૪ લાખ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં ૪૦૦.૦૨ લાખ કરોડે આવી ગયું છે જે ૧૪ મહિનાનું બૉટમ છે. માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થમાં ભારે બગાડ હતો. NSEમાં વધેલા ૪૫૯ શૅર સામે ૨૪૧૨ જાતો ઘટી છે. સેન્સેક્સ નિફ્ટીના સામાન્ય ઘટાડા સામે સ્મૉલકૅપ સવાત્રણ ટકા, મિડકૅપ અઢી ટકા અને બૉડર માર્કેટ સવા ટકો કપાયું હતું. બજારનાં તમામ સેક્ટોરલ લાલ થયાં હતાં. હેલ્થકૅર, કૅપિટલ ગુડ્સ, નિફ્ટી ફાર્મા, પાવર, રિયલ્ટી, કન્ઝ્યુમર ડ્યુરેબલ્સ, યુટિલિટીઝ, નિફ્ટી મીડિયા, પીએસયુ બૅન્ક નિફ્ટી જેવા ઇન્ડેક્સ બેથી સાડાત્રણ ટકા સાફ થયા છે. આઇટી ઇન્ડેક્સ નામ પૂરતો નરમ હતો, પરંતુ એની ૧૬માંથી ૪૯ જાતો ઘટી હતી.

ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક અને જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલમાં ઑલટાઇમ નીચો ભાવ

રિલાયન્સની જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલે સવાબે ગણા કામકાજે ૨૧૯ના ઑલ ટાઇમ તળિયે જઈ અઢી ટકા ઘટી ૨૨૨ હતી. ૨૩ એપ્રિલે ભાવ ૩૯૫ના શિખરે હતો. ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક ૬૦ની સૌથી નીચી સપાટી નોંધાવી સવાપાંચ ટકા તૂટી ૬૧ નજીક રહી છે. ૨૦ ઑગસ્ટે શૅરમાં ૧૫૭ના શિખરે હતો એ ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૬નું ઑલટાઇમ તળિયું દેખાડી પોણાસાત ટકાના ઘબડકામાં ૩૪૦ બંધ આવી છે. ઝોમાટો પોણો ટકો નરમ હતી. એલઆઇસી ૭૫૫ની ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટી બાદ સાડાત્રણ ટકા તૂટી ૭૫૮ થઈ છે. ૨૬ ડિસેમ્બરે ૬૯૮ની સર્વોચ્ચ સપાટીએ ગયેલી મોબિક્વિક ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૩નો સૌથી નીચો ભાવ બતાવી આઠેક ટકા ઘોવાઈને ૩૨૬ હતી.

નફામાં ૩૮ ટકાના ઘટાડામાં આગલા દિવસે ૨૦ ટકા તૂટેલી નાટકો ફાર્મા ગઈ કાલે ૮૬૮ના તળિયે જઈ સવાનવ ટકા બગડી ૮૮૪ નજીક રહી છે. નફામાં થયેલો ૮૦ કરોડનો ઘટાડો કંપનીને માર્કેટકૅપની રીતે ૫૯૬૩ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં પડ્યો છે. પ્રિન્સ પાઇપ્સ રિઝલ્ટ પાછળ નરમાઈની હૅટ-ટ્રિકમાં ૨૭૨ની નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બનાવી અઢી ટકા ગગડી ૨૮૦ હતી. એસ્ટ્રલ પણ ૧૩૧૩ના નવા તળિયે જઈ પોણાત્રણ ટકા ઘટીને ૧૩૩૨ હતી.

પેરન્ટ્સની સંભવિત એક્ઝિટવી ખરડાયેલા માનસમાં વ્હર્લપૂલ ૯૯૧ના ઐતિહાસિક નવા બૉટમ બાદ પોણાબે ટકા ઘટી ૧૦૦૩ હતી. ૨૨ ઑક્ટોબરે ભાવ ૨૪૫૦ની ટોચે હતો. તાતા ટેક્નોલૉજીઝ, તાતા કેમિકલ્સ, તાતા પાવર, ટીઆરઍક્સ, રાલિઝ ઇન્ડિયા જેવી તાતા ગ્રુપની કંપનીઓમાંય નવા નીચા ભાવ જોવા મળ્યા છે. એયુ બૅન્ક, બૅન્ક ઑફ બરોડા, બંધન બૅન્ક, કેનેરા બૅન્ક, ફીનો પેમેન્ટ બૅન્ક, સ્ટેટ બૅન્ક, પીએનબી જેવા બૅન્ક શૅરોમાંય વર્ષનાં બૉટમ બન્યાં છે.

અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ બીજા દિવસે ટૉપ લૂઝર, અદાણી એન્ટર વધુ બગડ્યો

આગલા દિવસે સેન્સેક્સમાં ટૉપ લૂઝર રહેલી અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ ગઈ કાલે પોણાબે ગણા કામકાજે નીચામાં ૧૦૪૨ થઈ ૪.૪ ટકાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૦૬૨ના બંધમાં બન્ને બજાર ખાતે વર્સ્ટ પર્ફૉર્મર બની છે, તો ફ્લેગશિપ અદાણી એન્ટરપ્રાઇઝ નીચામાં ૨૧૨૪ બંધ આપી નિફ્ટીમાં વર્સ્ટ વર્સ્ટ લૂઝર હતી. અદાણીના અન્ય શૅરમાં અદાણી પાવર સવાબે ટકા, અદાણી એનર્જી પોણાપાંચ ટકા, અદાણી ગ્રીન ૩.૨ ટકા, અદાણી ટોટલ પોણાચાર ટકા, અદાણી વિલ્મર સવાત્રણ ટકા, NDTV સવાચાર ટકા, એસીસી સવાબે ટકા, અંબુજા સિમેન્ટ્સ ત્રણેક ટકા અને સાંઘી ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ દોઢ ટકા ખરડાઈ હતી. NDTVમાં નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બન્યું છે. અદાણી ગ્રીન, અદાણી વિલ્મર, અદાણી ટોટલ, એસીસી નવા નીચા ભાવ બતાવવાની તૈયારીમાં દેખાય છે. ઇન્ડેક્સ બેઝ્ડ અન્ય જાતોમાં ભારત ઇલેક્ટ્રિક સવાચાર ટકા, ટ્રેન્ટ તથા સનફાર્મા અઢી ટકાથી વધુ, આઇશર તેમ જ અલ્ટ્રાટેક અઢી ટકા, NTPC ઇન્ડસઇન્ડ બૅન્ક અને ગ્રાસિમ સવાબે ટકા, ડૉ. રેડ્ડીઝ લૅબ બજાજ ઑટો અને કોલ ઇન્ડિયા બે ટકાથી વધુ, ONGC તેમ જ ભારત પેટ્રો ૧.૯ ટકા ડૂલ થઈ છે. હીરો મોટોકૉર્પ ૩૮૪૮ના નવા તળિયે જઈ ૨.૪ ટકા બગડી ૩૮૫૭ હતી. રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતા ઘટાડે ૧૨૧૫ રહી છે. મહિન્દ્ર, લાર્સન, કોટક બૅન્ક, તાતા સ્ટીલ, શ્રીરામ ફાઇ, અપોલો હૉસ્પિટલ સવાથી પોણાબે ટકા ડાઉન હતી.

બ્રિટાનિયા એક ટકો વધી નિફ્ટી ખાતે તો નેસ્લે એક ટકા નજીકના સુધારામાં સેન્સેક્સ ખાતે ટૉપ ગેઇનર બની છે. HCL ટેક્નો, ઇન્ફોસિસ, ICICI બૅન્ક અને TCSએસ લગભગ અડધો-પોણો ટકો ઘસ હતી. મુકેશ અંબાણીના પરમ મિત્ર આનંદ જૈનની જયકૉર્પ પાંચ ટકાની નીચલી સર્કિટે ૧૧૬ના મલ્ટિયર તળિયે ગઈ છે. જુલાઈના આરંભે ભાવ ૪૩૮ના શિખરે હતો. રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રિયલ ઇન્ફ્રા પણ ૮૫૮ના વર્સ્ટ લેવલે જઈ પોણાચાર ટકાની ખરાબીમાં ૮૭૧ હતી.

સંદેશ લિમિટેડ નફામાંથી ખોટમાં આવતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા ગગડ્યો

કૉર્પોરેટ પરિણામમાં 'ખુશી કમ, ઝ્યાદા ગમ'નો દોર જળવાઈ રહ્યો છે. બજારનું માનસ ખરડાયેલું હોવાથી નબળા પરિણામની શૅર પર ત્વરિત તથા મોટી અસર થાય છે. સારાં રિઝલ્ટ લગભગ એળે જાય છે. સેન્કો ગોલ્ડ નફામાં ૬૯ ટકાના ગાબડા પાછળ વૉલ્યુમ સાથે ૨૦ ટકા લથડી ૩૫૮ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. કોન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો નફો ફક્ત બે ટકા ઘટી ૭૫૯૦ લાખ આવ્યો છે. એમાં શૅર નવ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૦ ટકા પટકાઈ ૧૬૮૮ થયા બાદ ૪૧૬ રૂપિયાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૬૯૩ બંધ હતો. ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં આ કંપનીનું માર્કેટકૅપ ગઈ કાલે ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું છે. દીપક નાઇટ્રેટે બાવન ટકાના ઘટાડામાં ૯૮ કરોડનો ચોખ્ખો નફો દર્શાવતાં ભાવ ૧૮૭૪નું પોણાબે વર્ષનું બૉટમ બનાવી ૧૫ ટકા કે ૩૩૭ના કડાકામાં ૧૯૦૦ રહ્યો છે. સંદેશ લિમિટેડ ૫૭૬૮ લાખના નફામાંથી ૨૦૭૯ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટમાં સરી પડતાં શૅર સરેરાશ કરતાં ૨૫ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૮૨ રૂપિયા કે ૨૦ ટકાની મંદીની સર્કિટમાં ૧૧૨૭ થયો હતો. ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સનો ત્રિમાસિક પ્રૉફિટ ૨૧૨ કરોડથી ૪૯ ટકા વધી ૩૧૬ કરોડ આવતાં ભાવ સાત ગણા કામકાજે ૨૦ ટકાની ઉપલી સર્કિટે ૯૬૬ રૂપિયા ઊછળીને ૫૯૭૯ વટાવી ગયો છે. ૧૦૪ કરોડની નફાવૃદ્ધિમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૫૧૮૨ કરોડ રૂપિયા વધી ગયું છે. થોડા સમય પહેલાં ડિસેમ્બરમાં શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૧ના ભાવથી ઇશ્યુ લાવનારી મુંબઈની કોન્કૉર્ડ એન્વિરો સિસ્ટમ્સે ૧૮૫૮ લાખના નફા સામે ૮૫૬ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટ કરતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા કે ૧૩૧ રૂપિયાના ઘબડકામાં ૫૨૩ના ઑલટાઇમ તળિયે ગયો છે. TCPL પૅકેજિંગનો નફો બેવડાઈને ૧૮૮૦ લાખ થતાં શૅર ઉપરમાં ૩૭૨૪ થઈ સવાછ ટકાની તેજીમાં ૩૪૨૪ હતો. ટિટાગર રેલ નફામાં ૧૬ ટકા ઘટાડાના વસવસામાં નીચામાં ૭૬૬ થઈ ૫.૪ ટકા બગડી ૮૦૪ હતો. અનુપમ રસાયણે ૫૩ ટકાના વધારામાં ૨૮૧૯ લાખ ચોખ્ખો નફો કર્યો છે, શૅર જોકે સાધારણ ઘટીને બંધ હતો.

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અનિલ પટેલ

ટ્રમ્પ-મોદીના મિલાપથી બજારમાં વિલાપ વકર્યો, સેન્સેક્સ આઠમા દિવસેય માઇનસ

માર્કેટકૅપમાં સવાસાત લાખ કરોડનું ધોવાણ, તમામ સેક્ટોરલ રેડ ઝોનમાં, માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થ તદ્દન ખરાબ : એજેક્સનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે, ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ ગગડીને ૪ રૂપિયા : રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ ઇન્ફ્રા, જય કૉર્પ, એલઆઇસી, વ્હર્લપૂલ, મોબિક્વિક, તાતા ટેક્નૉલૉજીઝ, એસ્ટ્રલ સહિત ૬૪૧ શૅર ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટીએ: અદાણીના તમામ ૧૧ શૅર ખરડાયા, રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતી નરમ : કૉન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું : ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સમાં ૯૯૬ની તેજી

નરેન્દ્ર મોદી અને ટ્રમ્પની મુલાકાતને લઈને પરિસ્થિતિ સાનુકૂળ થવાની જે આશા રખાઈ હતી કે એક જબરી હાઇપ ઊભી કરવામાં આવી હતી એની હવા નીકળી ગઈ છે. ટૅરિફ અને માઇગ્રન્ટ્સને લઈ જેવાદે ચોલા ટ્રમ્પ ભારત પ્રત્યે કૂણું વલણ દાખવશે, મોદી મનાવી લેશે એવી વાતચીતો ઠગારી નીવડી છે. હકીકતમાં તો મોદી સાથેની મુલાકાત શરૂ થાય એના થોડા કલાક પહેલાં જ રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનો મુદ્દો છેડી ટ્રમ્પે અમેરિકાના અક્કડ વલણનો અણસાર આપી દીધો હતો : અમેરિકા પર જેટલી આયાત-જકાત નાખો છો એટલી જ ડ્યુટી અમે તમારા પર લાદીશું. તમે કોણ છો એનાથી અમને કોઈ નિસ્બત નથી. રેસિપ્રોકલ ટૅરિફનું ગણિત બહુ સીધી ભાષામાં ટ્રમ્પે સમજાવી દીધું હતું. આ વ્યવસ્થા અમેરિકા સાથેના વેપારમાં સરપ્લસની સ્થિતિ પરાવતા દેશોને બેહાલ કરશે. તેમણે અમેરિકન પ્રોડક્ટ્સની આયાત માટેના દરવાજા મોકળા કરવા પડશે, આયાત-જકાત ઘટાડવી પડશે. નિકાસ વધારીને અમેરિકન ટ્રેલર કમાઈ લેવાના દિવસ હવે પૂરા થયા. ટ્રમ્પની આ પૉલિસી ફાર્મા, હેલ્થકૅર, ઑટો ઍન્સિલિયરી, કેમિકલ્સ, રિન્યુએબલ એનર્જી, ટેક્સટાઇલ એન્ડ ગાર્મેન્ટ્સ, ફૂડ પ્રોડક્ટ્સ, વેજિટેબલ્સ, જેમ સ્ટોન્સ ઇત્યાદિ જેવાં સેક્ટરની સંખ્યાબંધ કંપનીઓને ભારે પડવાની છે.

આ વાત પૉઝિટિવ ઝોનમાં ખૂલેલા બજારને સમજાઈ હતી. એને લીધે ૨૪૮ પૉઇન્ટ ઘ્વસમાં, ૭૬૩૮૯ ખૂલેલો સેન્સેક્સ ઉપરમાં ૭૬૪૮૩ થયા બાદ ત્યાંથી ૧૦૪૪ પૉઇન્ટ પટકાઈને નીચામાં ૭૫૪૩૮ ગઈ કાલે થયો હતો. નિફ્ટી ૨૨૭૭૫ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. જોકે છેલ્લે બજાર ૨૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા ઘટાડે ૭૫૯૩૯ અને નિફ્ટી ૧૦૨ પૉઇન્ટ બગડી ૨૨૯૨૯ બંધ થયો છે. માર્કેટની આ સતત આઠમા દિવસની નરમાઈ છે. પ્રારંભિક સુધારા બાદ ગગડેલું બજાર સવાબે વાગ્યા સુધી ૭૫૫૦૦ની અંદર હતું. ત્યાર પછી શાર્પ બાઉન્સબૅકમાં ૭૬૦૦૦ ઉપર આવી ગયું હતું અને પછી એની આસપાસ જ રહ્યું હતું. આને કારણે બજારની મોટા ભાગની ખાધ પુરાઈ ગઈ હતી. જોકે બજાર બંધ થવાના કલાક પહેલાં આવેલા આ ૫૦૦ પૉઇન્ટ જેવા સુધારા માટે કોઈ દેખીતું કારણ નથી. ટ્રમ્પ સાથે મોદીની મુલાકાતનો વટ ઝાંખો ન પડી જાય એ માટે કે સાહેબની શાન ઘટી ન જાય એ માટે બજાર બાઉન્સ થયું હોય એવું બની શકે. જોકે આનાથી બજારના હાલના મૂળ વલણમાં ફરક પડવાનો નથી. વધ-ઘટે માર્કેટ વધુ બગડવાનું છે એ વાત નક્કી છે.

QIBની રહેમ થતાં હેક્સાવેરનો ઇશ્યુ પાર લાગી ગયો

એકના શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૮ની લૂંટમાર ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસ સાથે ૮૭૫૦ કરોડનો IPO કરનારી હેક્સાવેર ટેક્નોલૉજીઝની નાવ QIBએ પાર લગાવી દીધી છે. રીટેલમાં માત્ર ૧૨ ટકા અને HNIમાં ૨૨ ટકા જ ભરાયેલું આ ભરવું કુલ બે ગણું છલકાયું એ QIBની મહેરબાની છે. QIB પોર્શન ૬.૯ ગણો ભરાયો છે. ઈવન કંપનીએ એના કર્મચારી માટે ઇશ્યુ પ્રાઇસમાં ૬૭ રૂપિયાનું ડિસ્કાઉન્ટ જાહેર કર્યું હતું એ પોર્શન પણ કેવળ 33 ટકા ભરાયો છે. ભરવું પાર પડતાં ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં પ્રીમિયમ સુધરી અઢી રૂપિયા ક્વોટ થવા માંડ્યું છે. સાંગલીની ક્વૉલિટી પાવરનો ૧૦ના શૅરદીઠ ૪૫૫ના ભાવનો આશરે ૮૫૯ કરોડનો ઇશ્યુ પ્રથમ દિવસે કુલ ૬૨ ટકા ભરાયો છે. પ્રીમિયમ વધુ ખરડાઈને ૮ થઈ ગયું છે. એજેક્સ એન્જિનિયરિંગનું લિસ્ટિંગ સોમવારે છે. ગ્રેમાર્કેટમાં ૪ રૂપિયાનું પ્રીમિયમ છે. શરૂઆત ૫૮થી થઈ હતી.

દરમ્યાન ગઈ કાલે બજારનું માર્કેટકૅપ ૭.૨૪ લાખ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં ૪૦૦.૦૨ લાખ કરોડે આવી ગયું છે જે ૧૪ મહિનાનું બૉટમ છે. માર્કેટ બ્રેડ્થમાં ભારે બગાડ હતો. NSEમાં વધેલા ૪૫૯ શૅર સામે ૨૪૧૨ જાતો ઘટી છે. સેન્સેક્સ નિફ્ટીના સામાન્ય ઘટાડા સામે સ્મૉલકૅપ સવાત્રણ ટકા, મિડકૅપ અઢી ટકા અને બૉડર માર્કેટ સવા ટકો કપાયું હતું. બજારનાં તમામ સેક્ટોરલ લાલ થયાં હતાં. હેલ્થકૅર, કૅપિટલ ગુડ્સ, નિફ્ટી ફાર્મા, પાવર, રિયલ્ટી, કન્ઝ્યુમર ડ્યુરેબલ્સ, યુટિલિટીઝ, નિફ્ટી મીડિયા, પીએસયુ બૅન્ક નિફ્ટી જેવા ઇન્ડેક્સ બેથી સાડાત્રણ ટકા સાફ થયા છે. આઇટી ઇન્ડેક્સ નામ પૂરતો નરમ હતો, પરંતુ એની ૧૬માંથી ૪૯ જાતો ઘટી હતી.

ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક અને જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલમાં ઑલટાઇમ નીચો ભાવ

રિલાયન્સની જિયો ફાઇનૅન્શ્યલે સવાબે ગણા કામકાજે ૨૧૯ના ઑલ ટાઇમ તળિયે જઈ અઢી ટકા ઘટી ૨૨૨ હતી. ૨૩ એપ્રિલે ભાવ ૩૯૫ના શિખરે હતો. ઓલા ઇલેક્ટ્રિક ૬૦ની સૌથી નીચી સપાટી નોંધાવી સવાપાંચ ટકા તૂટી ૬૧ નજીક રહી છે. ૨૦ ઑગસ્ટે શૅરમાં ૧૫૭ના શિખરે હતો એ ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૬નું ઑલટાઇમ તળિયું દેખાડી પોણાસાત ટકાના ઘબડકામાં ૩૪૦ બંધ આવી છે. ઝોમાટો પોણો ટકો નરમ હતી. એલઆઇસી ૭૫૫ની ઐતિહાસિક નીચી સપાટી બાદ સાડાત્રણ ટકા તૂટી ૭૫૮ થઈ છે. ૨૬ ડિસેમ્બરે ૬૯૮ની સર્વોચ્ચ સપાટીએ ગયેલી મોબિક્વિક ગઈ કાલે ૩૨૩નો સૌથી નીચો ભાવ બતાવી આઠેક ટકા ઘોવાઈને ૩૨૬ હતી.

નફામાં ૩૮ ટકાના ઘટાડામાં આગલા દિવસે ૨૦ ટકા તૂટેલી નાટકો ફાર્મા ગઈ કાલે ૮૬૮ના તળિયે જઈ સવાનવ ટકા બગડી ૮૮૪ નજીક રહી છે. નફામાં થયેલો ૮૦ કરોડનો ઘટાડો કંપનીને માર્કેટકૅપની રીતે ૫૯૬૩ કરોડના ધોવાણમાં પડ્યો છે. પ્રિન્સ પાઇપ્સ રિઝલ્ટ પાછળ નરમાઈની હૅટ-ટ્રિકમાં ૨૭૨ની નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બનાવી અઢી ટકા ગગડી ૨૮૦ હતી. એસ્ટ્રલ પણ ૧૩૧૩ના નવા તળિયે જઈ પોણાત્રણ ટકા ઘટીને ૧૩૩૨ હતી.

પેરન્ટ્સની સંભવિત એક્ઝિટવી ખરડાયેલા માનસમાં વ્હર્લપૂલ ૯૯૧ના ઐતિહાસિક નવા બૉટમ બાદ પોણાબે ટકા ઘટી ૧૦૦૩ હતી. ૨૨ ઑક્ટોબરે ભાવ ૨૪૫૦ની ટોચે હતો. તાતા ટેક્નોલૉજીઝ, તાતા કેમિકલ્સ, તાતા પાવર, ટીઆરઍક્સ, રાલિઝ ઇન્ડિયા જેવી તાતા ગ્રુપની કંપનીઓમાંય નવા નીચા ભાવ જોવા મળ્યા છે. એયુ બૅન્ક, બૅન્ક ઑફ બરોડા, બંધન બૅન્ક, કેનેરા બૅન્ક, ફીનો પેમેન્ટ બૅન્ક, સ્ટેટ બૅન્ક, પીએનબી જેવા બૅન્ક શૅરોમાંય વર્ષનાં બૉટમ બન્યાં છે.

અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ બીજા દિવસે ટૉપ લૂઝર, અદાણી એન્ટર વધુ બગડ્યો

આગલા દિવસે સેન્સેક્સમાં ટૉપ લૂઝર રહેલી અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ ગઈ કાલે પોણાબે ગણા કામકાજે નીચામાં ૧૦૪૨ થઈ ૪.૪ ટકાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૦૬૨ના બંધમાં બન્ને બજાર ખાતે વર્સ્ટ પર્ફોર્મર બની છે, તો ફ્લેગશિપ અદાણી એન્ટરપ્રાઇઝ નીચામાં ૨૧૨૪ બંધ આપી નિફ્ટીમાં વર્સ્ટ વર્સ્ટ લૂઝર હતી. અદાણીના અન્ય શૅરમાં અદાણી પાવર સવાબે ટકા, અદાણી એનર્જી પોણાપાંચ ટકા, અદાણી ગ્રીન ૩.૨ ટકા, અદાણી ટોટલ પોણાચાર ટકા, અદાણી વિલ્મર સવાત્રણ ટકા, NDTV સવાચાર ટકા, એસીસી સવાબે ટકા, અંબુજા સિમેન્ટ્સ ત્રણેક ટકા અને સાંઘી ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ દોઢ ટકા ખરડાઈ હતી. NDTVમાં નવું મલ્ટિયર બૉટમ બન્યું છે. અદાણી ગ્રીન, અદાણી વિલ્મર, અદાણી ટોટલ, એસીસી નવા નીચા ભાવ બતાવવાની તૈયારીમાં દેખાય છે. ઇન્ડેક્સ બેઝ્ડ અન્ય જાતોમાં ભારત ઇલેક્ટ્રિક સવાચાર ટકા, ટ્રેન્ટ તથા સનફાર્મા અઢી ટકાથી વધુ, આઇશર તેમ જ અલ્ટ્રાટેક અઢી ટકા, NTPC ઇન્ડસઇન્ડ બૅન્ક અને ગ્રાસિમ સવાબે ટકા, ડૉ. રેડ્ડીઝ લૅબ બજાજ ઑટો અને કોલ ઇન્ડિયા બે ટકાથી વધુ, ONGC તેમ જ ભારત પેટ્રો ૧.૯ ટકા ડૂલ થઈ છે. હીરો મોટોકૉર્પ ૩૮૪૮ના નવા તળિયે જઈ ૨.૪ ટકા બગડી ૩૮૫૭ હતી. રિલાયન્સ નામ પૂરતા ઘટાડે ૧૨૧૫ રહી છે. મહિન્દ્ર, લાર્સન, કોટક બૅન્ક, તાતા સ્ટીલ, શ્રીરામ ફાઇ, અપોલો હૉસ્પિટલ સવાથી પોણાબે ટકા ડાઉન હતી.

બ્રિટાનિયા એક ટકો વધી નિફ્ટી ખાતે તો નેસ્લે એક ટકા નજીકના સુધારામાં સેન્સેક્સ ખાતે ટૉપ ગેઇનર બની છે. HCL ટેક્નો, ઇન્ફોસિસ, ICICI બૅન્ક અને TCSએસ લગભગ અડધો-પોણો ટકો ઘસાઈ હતી. મુકેશ અંબાણીના પરમ મિત્ર આનંદ જૈનની જયકૉર્પ પાંચ ટકાની નીચલી સર્કિટે ૧૧૬ના મલ્ટિયર તળિયે ગઈ છે. જુલાઈના આરંભે ભાવ ૪૩૮ના શિખરે હતો. રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રિયલ ઇન્ફ્રા પણ ૮૫૮ના વર્સ્ટ લેવલે જઈ પોણાચાર ટકાની ખરાબીમાં ૮૭૧ હતી.

સંદેશ લિમિટેડ નફામાંથી ખોટમાં આવતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા ગગડ્યો

કૉર્પોરેટ પરિણામમાં 'ખુશી કમ, ઝ્યાદા ગમ'નો દોર જળવાઈ રહ્યો છે. બજારનું માનસ ખરડાયેલું હોવાથી નબળા પરિણામની શૅર પર ત્વરિત તથા મોટી અસર થાય છે. સારાં રિઝલ્ટ લગભગ એળે જાય છે. સેન્કો ગોલ્ડ નફામાં ૬૯ ટકાના ગાબડા પાછળ વૉલ્યુમ સાથે ૨૦ ટકા લથડી ૩૫૮ની અંદર ઊતરી ગયો હતો. કોન્કૉર્ડ બાયોટેકનો નફો ફક્ત બે ટકા ઘટી ૭૫૯૦ લાખ આવ્યો છે. એમાં શૅર નવ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૦ ટકા પટકાઈ ૧૬૮૮ થયા બાદ ૪૧૬ રૂપિયાની ખુવારીમાં ૧૬૯૩ બંધ હતો. ત્રિમાસિક નફો માંડ પોણાબે કરોડ રૂપિયા ઘટ્યો એમાં આ કંપનીનું માર્કેટકૅપ ગઈ કાલે ૪૩૬૦ કરોડ રૂપિયા સાફ થઈ ગયું છે. દીપક નાઇટ્રેટે બાવન ટકાના ઘટાડામાં ૯૮ કરોડનો ચોખ્ખો નફો દર્શાવતાં ભાવ ૧૮૭૪નું પોણાબે વર્ષનું બૉટમ બનાવી ૧૫ ટકા કે ૩૩૭ના કડાકામાં ૧૯૦૦ રહ્યો છે. સંદેશ લિમિટેડ ૫૭૬૮ લાખના નફામાંથી ૨૦૭૯ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટમાં સરી પડતાં શૅર સરેરાશ કરતાં ૨૫ ગણા વૉલ્યુમે ૨૮૨ રૂપિયા કે ૨૦ ટકાની મંદીની સર્કિટમાં ૧૧૨૭ થયો હતો. ગોડફ્રે ફિલિપ્સનો ત્રિમાસિક પ્રૉફિટ ૨૧૨ કરોડથી ૪૯ ટકા વધી ૩૧૬ કરોડ આવતાં ભાવ સાત ગણા કામકાજે ૨૦ ટકાની ઉપલી સર્કિટે ૯૯૬ રૂપિયા ઊછળીને ૫૯૭૯ વટાવી ગયો છે. ૧૦૪ કરોડની નફાવૃદ્ધિમાં માર્કેટકૅપ ૫૧૮૨ કરોડ રૂપિયા વધી ગયું છે. થોડા સમય પહેલાં ડિસેમ્બરમાં શૅરદીઠ ૭૦૧ના ભાવથી ઇશ્યુ લાવનારી મુંબઈની કોન્કૉર્ડ એન્વિરો સિસ્ટમ્સે ૧૮૫૮ લાખના નફા સામે ૮૫૬ લાખની ચોખ્ખી ખોટ કરતાં શૅર ૨૦ ટકા કે ૧૩૧ રૂપિયાના ઘબડકામાં ૫૨૩ના ઑલટાઇમ તળિયે ગયો છે. TCPL પૅકેજિંગનો નફો બેવડાઈને ૧૮૮૦ લાખ થતાં શૅર ઉપરમાં ૩૭૨૪ થઈ સવાછ ટકાની તેજીમાં ૩૪૨૪ હતો. ટિટાગર રેલ નફામાં ૧૬ ટકા ઘટાડાના વસવસામાં નીચામાં ૭૬૬ થઈ ૫.૪ ટકા બગડી ૮૦૪ હતો. અનુપમ રસાયણે ૫૩ ટકાના વધારામાં ૨૮૧૯ લાખ ચોખ્ખો નફો કર્યો છે, શૅર જોકે સાધારણ ઘટીને બંધ હતો.

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Sales continue to hit, decline continues

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मुंबई : विदेशी गुंतवणूकदारांनी सातत्याने सुरू ठेवलेला विक्रीचा मारा भांडवल बाजारासाठी चिंताजनक ठरला आहे. परिणामी शेअर बाजाराला सावरण्यासाठी संधी मिळत नाही. शुक्रवारी ती संधी मिळाली. सकाळची सुरुवात सकारात्मक झाली, पण ती फार काळ तग धरू शकली नाही. सतत भांडवलाचा ओघ बाहेर जात असल्याने विक्रीचा जोर कायम राहिला आणि शुक्रवारी सलग आठव्या दिवशी सेन्सेक्स आणि निफ्टी निर्देशांकांमध्ये घसरण सुरूच राहिली. कंपन्यांच्या तिमाहीत निराशाजनक कामगिरीमुळे गुंतवणूकदार जोखीम टाळणे जास्त पसंत करत आहेत.

बाजाराने सकारात्मक सुरुवात केली, परंतु सुरुवातीला कमावलेला नफा लवकरच गमवावा लागला. सेन्सेक्स १९९.७६ अंकांनी घसरून ७५,९३९.२१ अंकांच्या पातळीवर बंद झाला. दिवसभरात तो ६९९.३३ अंकांनी घसरून ७५,४३९.६४ अंकांच्या पातळीवर आला. निफ्टी १०२.१५ अंकांनी घसरून २२,९२९.२५ अंकांच्या पातळीवर बंद झाला. गेल्या आठ व्यापार सत्रांमध्ये सेन्सेक्स २,६४४.६ अंकांनी आणि निफ्टी ८१० अंकांनी किंवा ३.४१ टक्क्यांनी घसरला आहे.



विक्रीच्या माऱ्याचा अदाणी पोर्ट्सला जास्त फटका बसला. याशिवाय अल्ट्राटेक सिमेंट, सन फार्मा, इंडसइंड बँक, एनटीपीसी आणि टाटा स्टील हे देखील घसरले. नेस्ले, आयसीआयसीआय बँक, इन्फोसिस, टाटा कन्सल्टन्सी सर्व्हिसेस, एचसीएल टेक यांना खरेदीचा आधार मिळाला.

अस्थिरता कायम राहण्याची अपेक्षा

1. निराशाजनक तिमाही आर्थिक निकाल, रुपयाचे अवमूल्यन यासारख्या कारणांमुळे नजीकच्या काळात बाजाराची मानसिकता कमकुवत राहण्याची अपेक्षा आहे.
2. जर विदेशी गुंतवणूकदारांचा बाहेर पडण्याचा कल कायम सुरू राहिला तर मंदी आणखी वाढू शकते.
3. जोपर्यंत शुल्काबाबत स्पष्टता येत नाही आणि कॉर्पोरेट उत्पन्नात सुधारणा होत नाही, तोपर्यंत अस्थिरता कायम राहण्याची अपेक्षा असल्याचे मत जिओजित फायनान्शियल सर्व्हिसेसचे संशोधन प्रमुख विनोद नायर यांनी व्यक्त केले.

दक्षिण कोरियाचा कोस्पी, चीनचा शांघाय कंपोझिट आणि हाँगकाँगच्या हँग सेंग निर्देशांकांत वाढ झाली.

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United Petro's agreement with Sadhav Shipping

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मुंबई : जहाज बांधणी आणि सर्वसमावेशक ऑफशोअर सुविधा स्थापित करण्यासाठी सिंगापूरच्या युनायटेड पेट्रो ग्रुपने साधव शिपिंग लि.सोबत भागीदारी केली आहे. भुवनेश्वर येथे उत्कर्ष ओडिशा, ओडिशा कॉन्क्लेव्ह २०२५ दरम्यान अधिकृतपणे या संबंधीच्या सामंजस्य करारावर स्वाक्षरी करण्यात आली. या कार्यक्रमास पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी, मोठ्या व्यावसायिकांमध्ये जिंदल स्टील, अदाणी बंदर, वेदांत, जिंदल स्टील अँड पॉवर आणि सरकारच्या अनेक उच्च पदस्थ अधिकाऱ्यांसह अनेक प्रमुख व्यावसायिक उपस्थित होते.

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Silence at home, personal issue abroad: Rahul Gandhi criticizes

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1	Marathi	43	N/A	Middle Left	71033	500.5K

देशात मौन, तर परदेशात वैयक्तिक मुद्दा : राहुल गांधींची टीका

दिल्ली, नवराष्ट्र न्यूज नेटवर्क. विरोधी पक्षनेते राहुल गांधी यांनी पुन्हा एकदा पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी यांना अदाणी मुद्द्यावरून घेरले. याला निमित्त ठरले ते अमेरिका दौऱ्यात पंतप्रधान मोदींना विचारण्यात आलेला अदाणीबद्दलचा प्रश्न! पत्रकाराच्या प्रश्नाला उत्तर देताना मोदींनी तो वैयक्तिक मुद्दा असल्याचे सांगितले. त्यावर बोट ठेवत राहुल गांधींनी पंतप्रधान मोदींना टोला लगावला आहे. 'दौऱ्यात पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी आणि राष्ट्राध्यक्ष डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प यांची बैठक झाली. दोन्ही नेत्यांमध्ये उभय देशांतील आर्थिक संबंध वृद्धिंगत करण्याबरोबरच सहकार्य वाढवण्यावर भर देण्यात आला. बैठकीनंतर मोदी-ट्रम्प यांची संयुक्त पत्रकार परिषद झाली. यावेळी पत्रकाराने अदाणी प्रकरणाबद्दल प्रश्न विचारला.



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2	English	242	N/A	Middle Center	230325	1.06M

ਬਿਹਤਰ ਵਿਸ਼ਵ ਦਾ ਨਿਰਮਾਣ ਕਰ ਸਕਦੀ ਹੈ ਭਾਰਤ ਤੇ ਅਮਰੀਕਾ ਦੀ ਭਾਈਵਾਲੀ-ਮੋਦੀ

• ਅਡਾਨੀ ਮੁੱਦੇ ਨੂੰ ਦੱਸਿਆ ਨਿੱਜੀ • ਰੂਸ-ਯੂਕਰੇਨ ਜੰਗ ਰੁਕਵਾਉਣ 'ਚ ਟਰੰਪ ਦੇ ਯਤਨਾਂ ਦਾ ਕੀਤਾ ਸਮਰਥਨ

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NEW DELHI, REUTERS

A group of India's top Bollywood music labels, from T-Series to Saregama and Sony, is seeking to join a copyright lawsuit against OpenAI in New Delhi, highlighting worries about improper use of recordings to train AI models, legal documents show.

Microsoft-backed OpenAI's legal challenges are mounting globally and in India, its second biggest market by users. But the company says it follows fair-use principles in employing publicly available data to build its AI models.

On Thursday, the Indian Music Industry (IMI) group, T-Series and Saregama India asked a New Delhi court to hear concerns about "unauthorised use of sound recordings" in training AI models that breaches their copyright.

The companies' contentions in the lawsuit "are crucial for the entire music industry in India, and even worldwide," they said in their filing, which is not public but was reviewed by Reuters.

OpenAI and the music labels did not respond to requests for comments on Friday.



The music labels want to join a lawsuit launched last year by Indian news agency ANI that accused OpenAI's ChatGPT application of using its content without permission to train AI models.

Since then, book publishers and media groups, some backed by billionaires Mukesh Ambani and Gautam Adani, have banded together to oppose the company in the New Delhi court.

Bollywood and Hindi pop music are big business in India.

T-Series is one of India's largest music record labels which releases about 2,000 sound records or songs annually, while Saregama, more than 100 years old, owns a repertoire of famed Indian singers such as Mohammed Rafi and Lata Mangeshkar.

On its website, the IMI group says it also represents global names such as Sony Music and Warner Music.

In India, the music labels are "concerned OpenAI and other AI systems can extract lyrics, music compositions and sound recordings from the internet," said an industry source who spoke on condition of anonymity as the matter is in court.

The Indian companies' latest action comes after Germany's GEMA, which represents composers, lyricists and publishers, said in November it had sued OpenAI for ChatGPT's alleged unlicensed reproduction of song lyrics with which "the system has obviously been trained".

OpenAI, which is grappling with new challenges from Chinese startup DeepSeek's breakthrough in cheap AI computing, opposed the ANI lawsuit on the grounds that Indian courts lack jurisdiction, as the company is U.S.-based, with servers abroad.

The next hearing in the lawsuit, which is seen as shaping the future of how AI models use copyright content in India, is set for Feb. 21.

OpenAI chief Sam Altman visited India last week, meeting the infotech minister, and discussing the country's plan to pursue low-cost AI.

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The market panicked after Trump announced tariffs

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11	Hindi	93	N/A	Middle Left	78017	325.52K

ट्रंप के टैरिफ लगाने के ऐलान से घबराया बजार

मुंबई, 14 फरवरी (एजेंसियां)। अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के पारस्परिक टैरिफ लगाने के प्रस्ताव से घबराए निवेशकों की स्थानीय स्तर पर हुई भीतरफा भारी बिकवाली से आज शेयर बजार लगातार आठवें दिन लुढ़क गया।

- **सेंसेक्स 199.76 अंक लुढ़ककर 75,939.21 पर रहा**
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बीएसई का तीस शेयरों वाला संवेदी सूचकांक सेंसेक्स 199.76 अंक लुढ़ककर 75,939.21 अंक और नेशनल स्टॉक एक्सचेंज (एनएसई) का निफ्टी 102.15 अंक की गिरावट लेकर 22,929.25 अंक पर बंद हुआ। हालांकि दिग्गज कंपनियों के मुकाबले मझौली और छोटी कंपनियों में अधिक बिकवाली हुई, जिससे मिडकैप 2.59 प्रतिशत कमजोर रहकर 39,731.79 अंक और स्मॉलकैप 3.24 प्रतिशत का गोता लगाकर 45,411.25 अंक पर आ गया।

इस दौरान बीएसई में कुल 4083 कंपनियों के शेयरों में कारोबार हुआ, जिनमें से 3320 में बिकवाली जबकि 681 में लिवाली हुई वहीं 82 में कोई बदलाव नहीं हुआ। इसी तरह निफ्टी की 41 कंपनियों में गिरावट जबकि अन्य नौ में तेजी रही।

विश्लेषकों के अनुसार, दोनों मानक सूचकांकों में शुक्रवार को गिरावट जारी रही और सभी 20 प्रमुख



सेक्टर लाल निशान में बंद हुए। निवेशकों की चिंता का प्रमुख कारण अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प द्वारा प्रस्तावित पारस्परिक टैरिफ का संभावित प्रभाव था, जिससे बाजार में अनिश्चितता बढ़ गई। वैश्विक व्यापार तनाव और आर्थिक नीतियों को लेकर निवेशकों की सतर्कता के चलते बाजार में नकारात्मक रुझान देखा गया, जिससे अधिकांश सेक्टरों में गिरावट दर्ज की गई।

इस दौरान कमोडिटीज 2.25, सीडी 1.88, ऊर्जा 1.50, एफएमसीजी 0.44, वित्तीय सेवाएं 0.92, हेल्थकेयर 2.77, इंडस्ट्रियल्स 3.03, आईटी 0.07, दूरसंचार 2.04, यूटिलिटीज 2.52, ऑटो 1.41, बैंकिंग 0.52, कैपिटल गुड्स 2.76, कंज्यूमर ड्यूरेबल्स 2.39, धातु 1.57, तेल एवं गैस 1.69, पावर 2.65, रियलटी 2.03, टेक 0.05 और सर्विसेज समूह के शेयर 3.16 प्रतिशत लुढ़क गए। शुरुआती कारोबार में सेंसेक्स 250 अंक की तेजी के साथ 76,388.99 अंक पर खुला और दमदार लिवाली की बदौलत थोड़ी देर बाद ही 76,483.06 अंक के उच्चतम स्तर पर पहुंच गया। वहीं, बिकवाली होने से यह दोपहर तक 75,439.64 अंक के निचले स्तर तक लुढ़क गया। अंत में पिछले दिवस के 76,138.97 अंक के मुकाबले 0.26 प्रतिशत उतरकर 75,939.21 अंक रह गया।

इस दौरान सेंसेक्स को नुकसान उठाने वाली कंपनियों में अडानी पोर्ट्स 4.20, अल्ट्राटेकसीमेंट 2.47, सन फार्मा 2.40, इंडसइंड बैंक 2.21, एनटीपीसी 2.18, टाटा स्टील 1.32, महिंद्रा एंड महिंद्रा 1.26, एक्सिस बैंक 1.14, टेक महिंद्रा 1.01, कोटक बैंक 0.99, एलटी 0.94, जोमैटो 0.83, एसबीआई 0.73, पावरग्रिड 0.68, टाइटन 0.67, टाटा मोटर्स 0.50, बजाज फिनसर्व 0.47, हिंदुस्तान यूनिलीवर 0.26, एशियन पेंट 0.23, बजाज फाइनेंस 0.19 और एचडीएफसी बैंक 0.16 प्रतिशत शामिल रही। वहीं, नेस्ले इंडिया 0.90, आईसीआईसीआई बैंक 0.80, इनफोसिस 0.71, टीसीएस 0.60, एचसीएल टेक 0.49, भारती एयरटेल 0.20, आईटीसी 0.18, रिलायंस 0.06 और मारुति के शेयर 0.01 प्रतिशत लाभ में रहे।

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BJP hails PM's visit to the USA

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BJP hails PM's visit to the USA

Saffron party flays Rahul Gandhi for accusing Modi of covering up alleged corruption of Gautam Adani

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The BJP on Friday hailed Prime Minister Narendra Modi's US visit as "landmark" and slammed Rahul Gandhi for his remarks on him, saying it has become a habit of Congress leaders to find fault in the prime minister's foreign visits.

In a post on X, BJP national spokesperson Shehzad Poonawalla wrote, "PM Narendra Modi's impactful USA visit solidified India-US bonds like never before."

"A landmark visit," he added, listing Modi's achievements during his US visit.



Party national spokesperson Syed Shahnawaz Hussain said US President Donald Trump's announcement about his administration's go-ahead to the extradition of 26/11 Mumbai terror attack accused Tahawwur Rana is a "very big diplomatic victory for India".

"Tahawwur Rana, the master mind of 26/11 terror attack, will be brought to india. He (PM Modi) convinced the US for this. This is a very big diplomatic victory for India," Hussain told He also slammed Gandhi for accusing Modi of "covering up" the alleged corruption of businessman Gautam Adani, saying the Congress leader should keep in mind that Modi visited the US as the prime minister of the country and leader of its 140 crore people, not as a BJP leader.

"Finding faults with the prime minister's foreign visits has become a habit of the Congress," he said, responding to Gandhi's remarks.

Earlier, Gandhi said Modi maintains silence when questions are asked in the country and terms it a personal matter when asked abroad.

"If you ask questions in the country, there is silence. If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption!" Gandhi charged in a post in Hindi on X.

The Congress leader attacked Modi, apparently latching on to his reply to a media query on Adani in the US.

To a question on whether the issue relating to Adani figured in the talks, Modi at a joint media briefing with Trump in Washington said: "India is a democracy and our culture is 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine."

Modi further said such individual matters are not discussed in talks between two leaders.

"Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," he said. PTI

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Indices continued to fall

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गुंतवणूकदार चिंताग्रस्त; सेन्सेक्स व निफ्टी सलग आठव्या सत्रात कोसळले

वृत्तसंस्था, मुंबई

गुंतवणूकदारांमध्ये निर्माण झालेले भीतीचे वातावरण कायम असल्याने सेन्सेक्स व निफ्टीने शुक्रवारी सलग आठव्या सत्रामध्ये घसरण अनुभवली. मुंबई शेअर बाजाराचा सेन्सेक्स १९९ तर, राष्ट्रीय शेअर बाजाराचा निफ्टी १०२ अंकांनी घसरला. गेल्या आठ सत्रांत मिळून सेन्सेक्समध्ये एकूण २,६४४ अंकांची व निफ्टीमध्ये ८१० अंकांची घसरण झाली आहे. दिवसअखेरीस सेन्सेक्स ७५९३९वर तर, निफ्टी २२९२९वर बंद झाला. विदेशी गुंतवणूकदारांकडून सातत्याने गुंतवणूक माघारी नेली जात असल्याने गुंतवणूकदारांमध्ये भीती व साशंकता असून त्यामुळे निर्देशांकांवर दबाव निर्माण होत आहे.

सेन्सेक्स व निफ्टीमध्ये सलग सात सत्रात घसरण झाली होती. गुरुवारी सुरुवातीस तेजीत आलेले निर्देशांक दिवसअखेरीस पडले होते. शुक्रवारीही हाच अनुभव आला. पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी व अमेरिकेचे अध्यक्ष डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प यांच्या भेटीमुळे बाजारास काही सकारात्मक संकेत मिळतील, या आशेने शुक्रवारी बाजार उघडला. मात्र, सुरुवातीचा उत्साह सत्राच्या उत्तरार्धात निर्देशांकांना राखता आला नाही. गुंतवणूकदारांनी सुरक्षित पवित्रा म्हणून समभागविक्रीस पसंती दिली. सत्रांतर्गत व्यवहारात एका क्षणी सेन्सेक्स तब्बल सातशे अंकांनी कोसळला होता.

'अदानी पोर्ट' गडगडला

सेन्सेक्समध्ये अदानी पोर्टचा समभाग चार टक्क्यांहून अधिक प्रमाणात कोसळला. तर, अल्ट्राटेक सीमेंट, सन फार्मा, इंडसइंड बँक, एनटीपीसी, टाटा स्टील आदी समभागांचे मूल्यही घटले. दुसरीकडे, नेस्ले, आयसीआयसीआय बँक, इन्फोसिस, टीसीएस, एचसीएल टेक या समभागांचे मूल्य मात्र वधारले.

चित्र : एआय



मोदी-ट्रम्प बैठकीचा परिणाम नाही

मोदी व ट्रम्प यांच्यातील महत्त्वपूर्ण बैठकीनंतर उभय देशांतर्फे एक संयुक्त पत्रक प्रसृत करण्यात आले. उभय देशांतील द्विपक्षीय व्यापाराची उलाढाल २०३०पर्यंत तब्बल पाचशे अब्ज अमेरिकी डॉलरपर्यंत नेण्याचे महत्त्वाकांक्षी उद्दिष्ट भारत व अमेरिकेने जाहीर केले. परंतु बाजारांवर त्याचा फार परिणाम झाल्याचे दिसले नाही.

विदेशी गुंतवणूकदारांचा पवित्रा कायम

विदेशी गुंतवणूकदारांनी बाजारातून गुंतवणूक काढून घेण्याचा पवित्रा कायम ठेवला असून विदेशी संस्थात्मक गुंतवणूकदारांनी (एफआयआय) गुरुवारी २,७८९ कोटी रुपयांची गुंतवणूक माघारी नेली. विदेशी गुंतवणूकदारांच्या व्यवहाराविषयीची माहिती एक दिवसानंतर दिली जाते.

घसरण नेमकी कशामुळे?

'गुंतवणूकदार सध्या कोणतीही जोखीम पत्करण्यास तयार नाहीत. याशिवाय, काही कंपन्यांचे तिमाही निकाल हे बाजाराच्या अपेक्षेच्या तुलनेत निराशाजनक नोंदवले गेले आहेत. मिड व स्मॉल कॅप समभागांना याचा प्रामुख्याने फटका बसला आहे. रुपयाचे मूल्य, वाढीव निर्यातशुल्काची टांगती तलवार हे घटकही गुंतवणूकदारांचे मनोधैर्य खच्ची करत आहेत. या सर्व घटकांचा परिणाम निर्देशांकांवर होत आहे,' असे मत जीओजित फायनान्शियल सर्व्हिसेसचे विनोद नायर यांनी व्यक्त केले.

बाजार भांडवल चारशे लाख कोटींच्या खाली

या सलग पडझडीमुळे मुंबई शेअर बाजाराचे एकूण बाजार भांडवल जून २०२४नंतर प्रथमच चारशे लाख कोटी रुपयांपेक्षा कमी झाले आहे. निर्देशांक सलग आठ दिवस कोसळण्याची गेल्या दोन वर्षांतील ही पहिलीच वेळ आहे. गेल्या आठ सत्रात सेन्सेक्स ३.३६ टक्क्यांनी तर, निफ्टी ३.४१ टक्क्यांनी गडगडले आहेत.

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Adani issue is personal says Modi

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അഡാനി വിഷയം വ്യക്തിപരമെന്ന് മോഡി; അഴിമതിക്ക് കൂടപിടിക്കുന്നവെന്ന് പ്രതിപക്ഷം

ന്യൂഡൽഹി: ഗൗതം അഡാനിയെക്കുറിച്ചുള്ള മാധ്യമപ്രവർത്തകരുടെ ചോദ്യങ്ങളിൽ ഒഴിഞ്ഞുമാറി പ്രധാനമന്ത്രി നരേന്ദ്ര മോഡി. അമേരിക്കൻ പ്രസിഡന്റ് ഡൊണാൾഡ് ട്രംപുമായുള്ള സംയുക്ത വാർത്തസമ്മേളനത്തിലാണ് ചോദ്യത്തിൽ മോഡി ഉരുണ്ടുകളിച്ചത്.

സൗരോർജ വൈദ്യുത ഇടപാടിൽ അമേരിക്കൻ നീതിന്യായ വകുപ്പ് ഗൗതം അഡാനിയും അനന്തരവനും കൈക്കൂലി നൽകിയതിന് സമൻസ് അയച്ച വിഷയം സംബന്ധിച്ച് പ്രസിഡന്റ് ട്രംപുമായി ചർച്ച നടത്തിയോ എന്ന മാധ്യമപ്രവർത്തകന്റെ ചോദ്യത്തിന് വിഷയം വ്യക്തിപരമെന്ന് ഒഴുക്കൻ മട്ടിലാണ് മോഡി പ്രതികരിച്ചത്. ഇന്ത്യൻ ജനാധിപത്യം വസുധൈവകുടുംബം എന്ന തത്വമാണ് മുറുകെപ്പിടിക്കുന്നത്. ലോകം ഒറ്റക്കുടുംബമായി കാണുന്നതാണ് ഇന്ത്യൻ രീതി. രണ്ടു രാജ്യങ്ങൾ തമ്മിലുള്ള ഉഭയകക്ഷി ചർച്ചയിൽ വ്യക്തിപരമായ വിഷയങ്ങൾ ചർച്ച ചെയ്യാറില്ലെന്നും മോഡി പറഞ്ഞു.

അഡാനി കേസിൽ ഇന്ത്യ അന്വേഷണം നടത്തുമോ എന്ന ചോദ്യത്തിനും മോഡി മറുപടി നൽകിയില്ല. മോഡിയുടെ വിശ്വസ്തനും അടുപ്പക്കാരനുമായ ഗൗതം അഡാനിക്കെതിരെയുള്ള കേസ്, ട്രംപുമായി ചർച്ച ചെയ്യുമെന്ന് അഭ്യൂഹം ഉയർന്നിരുന്നു. തുടർന്നാണ് മാധ്യമ പ്രവർത്തകർ ചോദ്യം ഉന്നയിച്ചത്. അഡാനി കമ്പനി കൈക്കൂലി നൽകിയെന്ന വാർത്ത നവംബർ 20നാണ് പുറത്തുവന്നത്. പാർലമെന്റിലും പുറത്തും പ്രതിപക്ഷം വിഷയം ശക്തമായി ഉയർത്തിയെങ്കിലും കേന്ദ്രസർക്കാർ നാളിതുവരെ പരസ്യപ്രതികരണം നടത്താൻ മുന്നോട്ട് വന്നിരുന്നില്ല. ജോ ബൈഡന്റെ ഭരണകാലത്ത് ചുമത്തിയ കേസ് ട്രംപ് അധികാരത്തിൽ എത്തിയതിന് പിന്നാലെ മരവിപ്പിച്ചിരുന്നു. ഈ മാസം 10ന് ഫോറിൻ കറപ്റ്റ് പ്രാക്ടീസ് ആക്ട് (എഫ്സിപിഎ) നിയമം റദ്ദാക്കിയതിന് പിന്നാലെയാണ് ട്രംപ് ഭരണകൂടം അഡാനിക്കെതിരായ കേസ് മരവിപ്പിക്കാൻ തീരുമാനിച്ചത്.

അതേസമയം അഡാനിക്ക് കൂടപിടിക്കുന്ന സമീപനമാണ് മോഡി സ്വീകരിച്ചതെന്ന് പ്രതിപക്ഷം ആരോപിച്ചു. സിപിഐ, സിപിഐ(എം) കോൺഗ്രസ്, എഎപി , തൃണമൂൽ കോൺഗ്രസ്, തുടങ്ങിയ പാർട്ടികളാണ് മോഡിയുടെ മറുപടിയെ വിമർശിച്ച് രംഗത്തുവന്നത്. അഴിമതി മൂടിവയ്ക്കാനാണ് മോഡി ശ്രമിക്കുന്നത്. രാജ്യത്ത് ഇതു സംബന്ധിച്ച ചോദ്യം ഉയർന്നാൽ മൗനം പാലിക്കും. വിദേശത്തായാൽ വിഷയം വ്യക്തിപരമാകുന്ന അവസ്ഥയാണെന്ന് പ്രതിപക്ഷ നേതാവ് രാഹുൽ ഗാന്ധി എക്സിലൂടെ പ്രതികരിച്ചു. അമേരിക്കയിലും അഡാനി അഴിമതിക്കേസ് മറച്ച് പിടിക്കാനാണ് മോഡി അധരവ്യായാമം ചെയ്യുന്നത്. ദേശത്തിന്റെ വിഭവം കൊള്ളയടിക്കുന്ന അഴിമതി പ്രധാനമന്ത്രിക്ക് വ്യക്തിപരമായ വിഷയമായി മാറിയതിൽ ആശ്ചര്യമില്ലെന്നും അദ്ദേഹം പ്രതികരിച്ചു.

അഡാനി സൗരോർജ പദ്ധതി വഴി ഉല്പാദിപ്പിക്കുന്ന വൈദ്യുതി വാങ്ങുന്നതിന് ഇന്ത്യയിലെ വിവിധ സംസ്ഥാനങ്ങളിലും അമേരിക്കയിലും 2,200 കോടി രൂപയുടെ കൈക്കൂലി നൽകിയെന്ന കണ്ടെത്തലിനെ തുടർന്നാണ് ഗൗതം അഡാനി , അസൂർ പവർ കോർപ്പറേഷൻ, അനന്തരവൻ എന്നിവർക്കെതിരെ അമേരിക്കൻ കോടതി സമൻസ് അയച്ചത്. കഴിഞ്ഞ ദിവസം ഇന്ത്യ - പാകിസ്ഥാൻ അതിർത്തിയിൽ അഡാനി കമ്പനിക്ക് പുനരുപയോഗ ഊർജ പാർക്ക് സ്ഥാപിക്കാൻ മോഡി സർക്കാർ അനുമതി നൽകിയത് ദി ഗാർഡിയൻ റിപ്പോർട്ട് ചെയ്തിരുന്നു. പ്രതിരോധ സുരക്ഷാനിയമം അഡാനിക്കായി മാറ്റിയെഴുതിയാണ് അതിർത്തിയിൽ പാർക്ക് സ്ഥാപിക്കാൻ അനുമതി നൽകിയതെന്നും റിപ്പോർട്ടിൽ വ്യക്തമാക്കിയിരുന്നു.

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Allegations against Adani is personal: Modi

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12	Malayalam	656	N/A	Middle Right	149534	227K

അദാനിക്കെതിരായ ആരോപണങ്ങൾ വ്യക്തിപരം: മോദി

വാഷിങ്ടൺ ഡിസി: അമേരിക്കൻ പ്രസിഡന്റ് ഡൊണാൾഡ് ട്രംപുമായുള്ള കൂടിക്കാഴ്ചയിൽ വ്യവസായി ഗൗതം അദാനിയ്ക്കെതിരെ ഉയർന്ന ആരോപണങ്ങൾ ചർച്ച ചെയ്തില്ലെന്ന് വ്യക്തമാക്കി പ്രധാനമന്ത്രി നരേന്ദ്ര മോദി. അദാനിക്കെതിരായ ആരോപണങ്ങൾ വ്യക്തിപരമായ കാര്യങ്ങൾ മാത്രമാണെന്ന് മോദി പറഞ്ഞു. സംയുക്ത വാർത്താസമ്മേളനത്തിലാണ് മോദി ഇക്കാര്യം വ്യക്തമാക്കിയത്. ഭാരതം ഒരു ജനാധിപത്യ രാജ്യമാണ്, നമ്മുടെ സംസ്കാരവും ചിന്തയും വസുധൈവ കുടുംബം എന്നതാണ്, അതായത് അടിസ്ഥാനപരമായി ലോകം മുഴുവൻ ഒരു കുടുംബമാണ്. രണ്ട് രാഷ്ട്രങ്ങളുടെ തലവന്മാർ തമ്മിലുള്ള കൂടിക്കാഴ്ചയ്ക്കിടയിൽ ഇത്തരം വ്യക്തിപരമായ കാര്യങ്ങളെക്കുറിച്ച് ചർച്ച ചെയ്തില്ലെന്നും പ്രധാനമന്ത്രി വ്യക്തമാക്കി.

ഭാരത-യുഎസ് ധാരണകളിൽ ചിലത്

ജാവലിൻ ആന്റി-ടാങ്ക് ഗൈഡഡ് മിസൈൽ, സ്ട്രൈക്കർ ഇൻഫൻട്രി കോംബാറ്റ് വാഹനങ്ങൾ എന്നിവയുടെ നിർമാണം ഈ വർഷം തന്നെ ഭാരതത്തിൽ ആരംഭിക്കും. ആറ് പി എട്ട് ഐ മാരിടൈം പട്രോൾ വിമാനങ്ങളും ഭാരതം വാങ്ങും.

അത്യാധുനിക സമുദ്രസംവിധാനങ്ങളും നൂതന എഐ അധിഷ്ഠിത ആളില്ലാ വിമാനങ്ങളും സംയുക്തമായി നിർമ്മിക്കാൻ ആൻഡുറിൽ ഇൻഡസ്ട്രീസും മഹീന്ദ്ര ഗ്രൂപ്പും തമ്മിൽ യോജിച്ച് പ്രവർത്തിക്കും.

കടൽത്തട്ടിലെ വസ്തുക്കൾ കണ്ടെത്താൻ അന്തർവാഹിനികളെ സഹായിക്കുന്ന ടോവ്ഡ് അറേ സോണാർ സംവിധാനം എൽ ത്രീ ഹാരിസും ഭാരത് ഇലക്ട്രോണിക്സും ചേർന്ന് വികസിപ്പിക്കും.

ഇരുരാജ്യങ്ങളിലെയും കമ്പനികൾക്ക് ഉയർന്ന മൂല്യമുള്ള വ്യവസായങ്ങളിൽ നേരിട്ടുള്ള നിക്ഷേപം (ഗ്രീൻഫീൽഡ് നിക്ഷേപം) നടത്താനുള്ള അവസരങ്ങൾ സൃഷ്ടിക്കും. ഏകദേശം 7.35 ശതകോടി ഡോളറിന്റെ ഭാരത കമ്പനികളുടെ തുടർച്ചയായ നിക്ഷേപങ്ങളെ നേതാക്കൾ സ്വാഗതം ചെയ്തു. ഈ നിക്ഷേപങ്ങൾ 3,000 ത്തിലധികം തൊഴിലുകൾ സൃഷ്ടിക്കുന്നുണ്ട്. അന്താരാഷ്ട്ര ഊർജ്ജ ഏജൻസിയിൽ പൂർണ അംഗമായി ചേരുന്നതിന് ഭാരതത്തിന് ഉറച്ച പിന്തുണ നൽകുമെന്ന് അമേരിക്ക വ്യക്തമാക്കി. അമേരിക്ക-ഭാരതം 123 സിവിൽ ആണവ കരാർ പൂർണമായും സാക്ഷാത്കരിക്കാനുള്ള പ്രതിജ്ഞാബദ്ധത സംയുക്തപ്രസ്താവനയിൽ നേതാക്കൾ പ്രഖ്യാപിച്ചു.

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1	Malayalam	1169	N/A	Top Center	140282	213.39K

അദാനിയെക്കുറിച്ചുള്ള ചോദ്യത്തിൽ ക്ഷുഭിതനായി മോദി

ന്യൂഡൽഹി: ട്രംപ് - മോദി കൂടിക്കാഴ്ചക്കു പിന്നാലെ നടത്തിയ സംയുക്ത വാർത്താ സമ്മേളനത്തിൽ അദാനിയെക്കുറിച്ചുള്ള ചോദ്യത്തോട് ക്ഷുഭിതനായി പ്രതികരിച്ച് പ്രധാനമന്ത്രി നരേന്ദ്രമോദി. അദാനിക്കെതിരായ യു.എസ് കോടതി നടപടികൾ ട്രംപുമായുള്ള കൂടിക്കാഴ്ചയിൽ ചർച്ചയായോ എന്ന മാധ്യമ പ്രവർത്തകന്റെ ചോദ്യത്തോടായിരുന്നു മോദി പൊട്ടിത്തെറിച്ചത്. അത്തരം സ്വകാര്യ വിഷയങ്ങൾ ഒന്നും കൂടിക്കാഴ്ചയിൽ ചർച്ച ചെയ്തിട്ടില്ലെന്നും മോദി പ്രതികരിച്ചു. ഇന്ത്യ ജനാധിപത്യ രാജ്യമാണ്, വസുധൈവ കുടുംബകം (ലോകം മുഴുവൻ ഒരു കുടുംബം) എന്നതാണ് നമ്മുടെ സംസ്കാരം.



എല്ലാ ഇന്ത്യക്കാരും എന്റെയാളുകളാണെന്നാണ് ഞാൻ വിശ്വസിക്കുന്നതെന്നും അദാനിയുമായി തനിക്ക് പ്രത്യേക ബന്ധമുണ്ടെന്ന് സൂചിപ്പിക്കുന്ന ചോദ്യത്തിലുള്ള അസ്വസ്ഥത പ്രകടിപ്പിച്ചുകൊണ്ട് മോദി പറഞ്ഞു.

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നാട്ടിലാണെങ്കിൽ വാ തുറക്കില്ല, വിദേശത്താണെങ്കിൽ പേഴ്സണൽ മാറ്റർ



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The much-anticipated meeting of Prime Minister Narendra Modi with US President Donald Trump took place on Thursday, February 13. He was the fourth global leader to engage the new US President, who in his first three weeks has issued a flurry of executive orders. He was delivering on election promises and implementing the far-right Agenda 2025. The visit was crucial for renewing contact with Mr Trump and his new team, and to ensure that his undermining of existing norms, systems and institutions, at home and abroad, did not hamper relations with India.

On the very eve of his meeting with Mr Modi, President Trump signed an executive order imposing "reciprocal tariffs" that would be applicable across the world. Later at a post-meeting press conference, he called it the "easy way" to deal with the US trade imbalances with major nations. India, with a trade imbalance of $45.7 billion, is at number seven amongst nations with a trade surplus. But "reciprocal" may not be practicable as, for instance, India exports $1 billion worth of aluminium to the US and now faces spiked tariffs. But India does not need to import it from the US.

Despite the inauspicious beginning, India shrewdly adopted a Trump appeasement policy. India's foreign secretary Vikram Misri, who briefed the media about the meeting, signalled that India came prepared to address President Trump's oft-voiced concerns regarding imbalanced trade and illegal immigration. But India also wanted to renew Mr Modi's personal relationship with President Trump, ignored during Joe Biden's presidency.

Mr Misri shared the pathway forward. First, to grant Mr Trump a "win", India agreed that the first phase of a trade agreement shall be finalised by "fall", or in about seven months. The aim is to double bilateral trade to $500 billion by 2030. However, despite several media queries, it is unclear whether the reciprocal tariffs stand deferred in the interim period or if Mr Trump wants them as a hanging sword.

The other areas listed by Mr Misri for cooperation have been on the bilateral agenda over the last decade, with progressive deepening of engagement. Defence cooperation stands out, as India has gradually shifted to procuring American platforms after decades of dependence on Russia. A new ten-year framework, 2025-35, has been adopted, emphasising co-production. A defence procurement agreement is also imminent. Other areas for cooperation are autonomous systems, critical and emerging technologies, space and energy. The last covers both increased buying by India of oil and gas, to partly address the trade imbalance, and civil nuclear energy, especially the development of small modular reactors. India had already tweaked its domestic law, reducing the civil liability of foreign suppliers. The strict procedure had been introduced due to the 1984 Bhopal gas disaster involving America's Union Carbide.

Some other areas for collaboration are scientific research, a strategic minerals initiative, cooperation in higher education, etc. But hovering over all of them is the shadow of "Make America Great Again" (MAGA), with its evangelical Christian and racial undertones. There are also contradictions amidst Mr Trump's close associates. If technology billionaires from Silicon Valley favour H-1B visas for recruiting global talent, the MAGA supporters xenophobically oppose it. Mr Modi shrewdly took President Trump back to the happy memories of "Howdy Modi" and "Namaste Trump" public theatre. But the Indian diaspora's mood may turn sullen if the crusade against aliens includes legal entrants with their path to permanent residency blocked.

Foreign secretary Vikram Misri said the visit was "substantive and productive". President Trump announcing that the extradition of Tahawwur Rana, a Pakistani national involved in the 26/11 terror attacks in Mumbai, stands cleared indicated close counter-terrorism cooperation, even over Pakistani objections. But repeated queries by many Indian journalists about the activities of elements threatening Indian sovereignty and territorial integrity, had Mr Trump respond with generalities, ignoring the phrase "Khalistanis". Similarly, the Gautam Adani prosecution and the case involving the attempted murder of Gurpatwant Singh Pannun, allegedly by Indian agents, were side-stepped by both leaders.

Two international issues elicited interesting responses. When Indian journalists enquired if the China threat motivated India-US engagement, President Trump sidestepped and emphasised the importance of China for resolving many issues, including Ukraine. On Ukraine, Mr Modi said India was not neutral, just pro-peace. He added that repeatedly he advocated dialogue and diplomacy to resolve the issue without hostilities. Mr Modi also deftly backed Mr Trump's self-appointed role as peacemaker, although Europeans worried that the US President appeared partial to Russia.

On illegal immigration, once again Mr Modi chose cooperation rather than confrontation. While empathising with the misguided Indians adopting the "donkey" route illegal entry into the US, he said the real issue is the ecosystem facilitating the illegal human trafficking networks in the US and abroad.

However, the avoidance of deportation without shackling and handcuffing was not publicly discussed. Because of the huge Indian backlash, following the deportation via a US military aircraft that landed at Amritsar, the Indian delegation must have raised the Colombian solution. Colombia uses its own civilian aircraft to fly back citizens facing deportation.

All told, Indian diplomats and Prime Minister Modi handled the first engagement with Trump 2.0 well. Gentle flattery and non-confrontational addressing of issues currently dominating Mr Trump's agenda, besides isolating core areas of engagement from those irritants, was temporarily successful. It was also sensible to show the convergence between Mr Trump's approach to Israel, Gaza and West Asia and the India Middle East Europe Corridor (IMEC) and I2U2, finalised during the Biden presidency. But these ideas require normalcy in West Asia and a solution to the Gaza quagmire. Mr Trump's proposed mass relocation of two million Palestinians from Gaza has been generally rejected.

Similarly, his ambitious dispute resolution in Ukraine may or may not succeed. Europeans are waiting and watching as Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelenskyy fights American pressure of threatened withdrawal of military and economic assistance. Mr Trump has an exaggerated belief in his negotiating skills. His outreach to North Korea flopped badly during his first term.

However, India has shrewdly bought time to readjust its overprotective tariffs on imports. Meanwhile, India-US engagement across a wide swathe of areas will resume uninterrupted. Yet, tremors in one region and weakened rule of law globally makes an interconnected world more dangerous and prone to sudden jolts. Donald Trump can be a force for change or chaos. The BJP would be sensible to seek tolerant governance at home and a friendly outreach in the neighbourhood. As the famous saying goes: "Trust, but verify".

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50 more Gujaratis awaiting deportation

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PM Modi maintains silence in India, says 'personal matter' abroad: Rahul on Adani

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PM Modi maintains silence in India, says 'personal matter' abroad: Rahul on Adani

New Delhi: Congress leader Rahul Gandhi on Friday accused Prime Minister Narendra Modi of "covering up" businessman Gautam Adani's alleged corruption.

In a post on X, he said the prime minister maintains silence when questions are asked in the country and terms it a personal matter when asked abroad. "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence, If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter!

"Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption!" Gandhi charged in his post in Hindi.

"When filling a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modiji, then taking bribes and looting the nation's wealth becomes a 'personal matter'," he also said. PTI

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Leaders of 2 nations don't meet to discuss an individual matter: Modi on Adani issue

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Leaders of 2 nations don't meet to discuss an individual matter: Modi on Adani issue

Transcript Of Modi's Joint Press Conference In The US With President Trump

Prime Minister, the US is giving a lot of push to curb illegal immigration, and India has been cooperating on this issue. How does India see this issue in the larger context?

■ Modi: I don't think this is a question that is about India only, but even globally, you can talk about this issue. And we are of the opinion that anybody who enters another country illegally, they have absolutely no right to be in that country. And as far as India and the US is concerned, we have always been of the same opinion, and that is any verified Indian who is in the US illegally, we are fully prepared to take them back to India.

However, it doesn't stop there. These are children of very ordinary families, and they are lured by big dreams and big promises. A lot of them are brought in without them knowing about why they are going to a country. And in fact, they are connected with a human trafficking system, and we have to make sure that we fight against this system. As far as the US and India are concerned, I think what we should do is make efforts to make sure that we uproot these from within the system so that we can reduce or remove human trafficking.

And basically, the young, vulnerable, poor people of India are fooled into coming over as illegal immigrants. And our bigger fight actually is against this ecosystem or this system that encourages such gangs to thrive. And I can tell you that India will completely support your endeavour in achieving this.



Trump presents a book to Modi with a personal message (right)

I wanted to ask you, did you discuss any possible business deals with Elon Musk during your meetings today, Mr Prime Minister?

■ Modi: I have known him for a very long time. I was not even the prime minister at the time when I first met him. I was chief minister and today he came to meet me along with all his family with his children and so we had a nice discussion.

As far as EVs are concerned, the word EV has a copyright and that is one person who has a copyright to the word EV and that is Trump.

Mr President. Can I ask whether you discussed at all today the case of Gautam Adani who is one of the wealthiest men in Asia and perceived as an ally of Prime Minister Modi. Prime Minister Modi, have you asked the President to take action on that case?

■ Modi: Firstly, India is a democratic country, and our culture and our thought philosophy is Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam, which basically means that the entire world is a family. Every Indian is my own family member. And when it comes to such personal matters, two leaders of two countries will not get together on that topic and discuss anything on an individual matter.

Mr Prime Minister, how do you see India's role? You have had discussions with President Trump about de-escalating the conflict in Russia and Ukraine.

■ Modi: As you know, I have been in constant contact with both Russia and Ukraine. I have also visited both countries. And many people are mistaken, and they feel that India is neutral. I would like to clarify, India is not neutral. We have taken a side, and we have taken the side of peace. And it is based on this principle of ours that in the presence of President Putin, I clearly said in front of the media that this is not the era of war and even today it is my conviction that solutions cannot be found on the battlefield.

Ultimately, you have to come to the negotiating table and India has constantly made efforts that there are talks that take place where both parties are present. It is only then that we will find a solution. The efforts being made by President Trump, I support them, I welcome them and I would like that President Trump is successful as soon as possible so that the world is on the path to peace once again.

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Rahul accuses Modi of 'covering up Adani's corruption', BJP hits back

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Rahul accuses Modi of 'covering up Adani's corruption', BJP hits back

Congress MP Rahul Gandhi Friday accused PM Modi of "covering up" businessman Gautam Adani's alleged corruption. "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence, If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption!" Gandhi wrote in a post on X in Hindi. "When filling a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modiji, then taking bribes and looting the nation's wealth becomes a 'personal matter'." Party general secretary Jairam Ramesh wrote, "Modi ji's face turned pale on hearing Adani's name... Since when has corruption become a personal matter." BJP spokesperson Ajay Alok slammed Gandhi for his remarks, stating the Congress neta is suffering from a disease that keeps him obsessed with "Adani, Hindenburg and Rafale". Finding faults with the PM's foreign visits has become a habit of Congress, said BJP's Syed Shahnawaz Hussain. AGENCIES

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World netas don't discuss individual issues: PM on Adani

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1	English	115	N/A	Middle Center	155208	1.02M

World netas don't discuss individual issues: PM on Adani

Washington: At a presser at White House, PM Modi was asked if he raised with President Trump the indictment of Gautam Adani and his key associates in a New York court over his involvement in an alleged bribery scheme.

"India is a democratic country, and our culture and our philosophy is, 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam'. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine," he said. "Prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues." Trump made no mention of the case during the presser. PTI

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Diamonds worth nine crores seized

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नऊ कोटींचे हिरे जप्त

सांताक्रुझ : सीमा शुल्क विभागाने सहार येथील छत्रपती शिवाजी महाराज आंतरराष्ट्रीय विमानतळावरून सहा किलो सोने व २१४७ कॅरेट हिरे जप्त केले आहेत. त्या जवाहिऱ्यांची किंमत सव्वानऊ कोटी रुपये असल्याचे सांगण्यात आले. याप्रकरणी एका आरोपीला अटक करण्यात आली आहे. सीमा शुल्क विभागाने ही कारवाई ११ फेब्रुवारीला मध्यरात्री केली असून, यात ५ किलो ९२ ग्रॅम सोने आणि २१४७ कॅरेट हिरे जप्त केले आहेत. तस्करी करणाऱ्या प्रवाशाने पट्ट्याचे बक्कल, ट्रॉली बॅग आणि अंतर्वस्त्रांमध्ये सोने लपवले होते. तर प्रवाशाच्या ट्रॉली बॅगमधील लॅपटॉपमध्ये हिरे दडविण्यात आले होते, अशी माहिती सीमा शुल्क विभागाकडून देण्यात आली. पैशांची हवालामार्फत देवाण-घेवाण करण्यासाठी हिऱ्यांची तस्करी होत होती.

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Modi covered up Adani's corruption even in America: Rahul Gandhi

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Modi covered up Adani's corruption even in America: Rahul Gandhi

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Leader of Opposition in Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi on Friday said Prime Minister Narendra Modi covered up billionaire businessman Gautam Adani's alleged corruption even in the United States.

The statement comes in the wake of Modi's response to a query if he discussed the case of Adani with US President Donald Trump. Modi had stated that "when heads of two countries meet, they do not discuss such personal matters".

Gandhi, in a post on X, said: "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence. Abroad, it is a personal matter. Modi ji covered up Adani ji's corruption even in America."

The Leader of the Opposition who has been accusing Modi of favouring Adani further said: "When filing a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modi ji... bribery and looting the nation's wealth becomes a personal matter."

It may be mentioned that in November last year, Gandhi had demanded Adani's immediate arrest after the US Department of Justice (DoJ) and US Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) indicted him and others for alleged bribery.

"It is now pretty clear and established in America that Adani has broken both American law and Indian law. He has been indicted in the US. I am wondering why Adani is still running around a free man in this country, despite being accused of a Rs 2,000 scam and multiple others," he had said.

The Adani Group had denied all allegations made by the US DoJ and the US SEC, and said all possible legal recourse will be sought.

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அமெரிக்க நிருபர்கள் சந்திப்பில்

பிரதமர் மோடியிடம் அதானி குறித்து கேள்வி கேட்டதால் பரபரப்பு

வாஷிங்டன், பிப்.15-

அமெரிக்க வெள்ளை மாளிகையில் ஜனாதிபதி டிரம்ப்-இந்திய பிரதமர் மோடி ஆகியோர் சந்தித்து பல்வேறு விவகாரங்கள் குறித்து பேச்சு வார்த்தை நடத்தினர்.

இதையடுத்து அமெரிக்க வழக்கப்படி இரு நாட்டு தலைவர்களும் நிருபர்களுக்கு கூட்டாக பேட்டி அளிப்பார்கள். அப்போது நிருபர்களின் சரமாரி கேள்விகளுக்கு தலைவர்கள் பதில் அளிப்பார்கள்.

'வசுதைவ குடும்பகம்'

அதுபோல் இரு தலைவர்களும் கூட்டாக நிருபர்களை சந்தித்தனர். சுமார் 30 நிமிடங்கள் நீடித்த இந்த நிகழ்ச்சியில் பிரதமர் மோடி இந்தியிலேயே பேசினார்.

நிகழ்ச்சியில் நிருபர் ஒருவர், "உங்கள் நாட்டு தொழில் அதிபர் கவுதம் அதானி மீது அமெரிக்க கோர்ட்டில் மோசடி வழக்கு தொடரப்பட்டுள்ளதே. அதுபற்றி டிரம்புடன் பேசினீர்களா?" என்று கேட்டார்.

இதைக்கேட்ட பிரதமர் மோடி சில நிமிடம் அமைதியாக இருந்தார். பின்னர் அந்த கேள்விக்கு நேரடியாக பதில் கூறாமல், இந்தியா ஒரு ஜனநாயக நாடு. எங்கள் கலாசாரம் மற்றும் பாரம்பரியம் என்னவென்றால் 'உலகமே ஒரு குடும்பம்' (வசுதைவ குடும்பகம்) என்பதுதான். நாங்கள் முழு உலகத்தையும் ஒரே குடும்பமாக கருதுகிறோம். ஒவ்வொரு இதியருமே எனக்கு முக்கியம் என்று நான் கருதுகிறேன். அதேவேளையில், ஒரு தனிப்பட்ட நபரின் விஷயத்துக்காக இரு நாடுகளின் தலைவர்களும் சந்திப்பதில்லை, ஒன்றாக அமர்ந்து பேசுவதில்லை என்றார்.

டிரம்பை கை காட்டிய மோடி

மற்றொரு பெண் நிருபர், மின்சார வாகனங்கள் குறித்து கேட்டார். அப்போது பிரதமர் மோடி, டிரம்பை நோக்கி கை காட்டி, அதற்கு இவர்தான் உலகளாவிய காப்புரிமை பெற்றுள்ளார் என்றார்.

இதையடுத்து மற்றொரு நிருபர், நீங்கள் ஜனாதிபதி டிரம்புடன் நல்ல நட்புணர்வுடன் இருக்கிறீர்கள். அவர் இந்த அமெரிக்காவை அமைதியாகவும், வலிமையாகவும் கொண்டு செல்வார் என்று நம்புகிறீர்களா? என்று கேட்டார்.

அமைதி காத்தார்

இதற்கு பிரதமர் மோடி பதில் எதுவும் கூறாமல் அமைதியாக இருந்தார்.

அப்போது குறுக்கிட்ட டிரம்ப், இந்த கேள்வி நண்பர் மோடிக்கானது. இருப்பினும் நான் அதற்கு பதில் அளிக்கிறேன் என்று கூறி அந்த கேள்விக்கு நகைச்சுவையுடன் பதில் கூறினார்.

இதனால் அந்த நிருபர்கள் சந்திப்பு பரபரப்பாக இருந்தது.

இது தொடர்பான வீடியோக்கள் சமூக வலைத்தளங்களில் வைரலாக பரவியது.

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அதானியின் விஷயத்தை மறைக்கும் மோடி

உள்நாட்டில் கேட்டால் மவுனம் வெளிநாட்டில் கேட்டால் தனிப்பட்ட விஷயம்

பிரதமர் குறித்து ராகுல் விமர்சனம்

புதுடெல்லி, பிப்.15: பிரதமர் மோடியிடம் இங்கு இருக்கும்போது ஏதாவது கேட்டால் மவுனம் சாதிக்கிறார். வெளிநாட்டில் கேட்டால் தனிப்பட்ட விஷயம் என்கிறார் என காங்கிரஸ் முன்னாள் தலைவர் ராகுல்காந்தி விமர்சித்துள்ளார்.

பிரதமர் மோடி அரசு முறை பயணமாக அமெரிக்கா சென்றுள்ளார். அதிபர் டிரம்பை அவர் நேரில் சந்தித்து பேசினார். இந்நிலையில் வாஷிங்டனில் நடந்த செய்தியாளர் சந்திப்பில் பிரதமர் மோடியிடம், அதானி தொடர்பான பேச்சுவார்த்தை இடம் பெற்றதா என்று கேள்வி எழுப்பப்பட்டது.

இதற்கு பதிலளித்த பிரதமர் மோடி, "இந்தியா ஒரு ஜனநாயக நாடு. நமது கலாச்சாரம் வசுதைவ குடும்பம். உலகம் முழுவதையும் ஒரே குடும்பமாக நாங்கள் கருதுகிறோம். ஒவ்வொரு இந்தியனும் என்னுடையவர் என்று நான் நம்புகிறேன். இருநாடுகளின் இரண்டு முக்கிய தலைவர்கள் இதுபோன்ற தனிப்பட்ட பிரச்னைகள் குறித்து ஒரு போதும் விவாதிப்பதில்லை" என்று கூறியிருந்தார்.

இதனை காங்கிரஸ் முன்னாள் தலைவர் ராகுல்காந்தி விமர்சித்துள்ளார். தொழிலதிபர் கவுதம் அதானியின் ஊழல் குறித்து பிரதமர் மோடி மறைப்பதாக ராகுல் குற்றம் சாட்டியுள்ளார். இது குறித்து ராகுல்காந்தி தனது எக்ஸ் தள பதிவில், "நாட்டில் கேள்விகள் கேட்கப்படும்போது பிரதமர் மோடி மவுனத்தை கடைப்பிடிக்கிறார். வெளிநாட்டில் கேட்கப்படும்போது அது ஒரு தனிப்பட்ட விஷயம் என்று அவர் கூறுகிறார். அமெரிக்காவில் கூட மோடி ஜீ அதானியின் ஊழலை மறைத்தார்" என்று குறிப்பிட்டுள்ளார்.



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ராகுல் காந்தி குற்றச்சாட்டு

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தொழிலதிபர் அதானி மீது அமெரிக்க கோர்ட்டில் வழக்கு தொடரப்பட்டு உள்ளது. பிரதமர் மோடி அமெரிக்கா சென்றுள்ள நிலையில், அந்த நாட்டு ஜனாதிபதி டிரம்புடன் இது குறித்து பேசவில்லை என்றார். தனிப்பட்ட விவகாரங்கள் குறித்து இரு நாடுகளின் தலைவர்கள் பேசுவது இல்லை என அவர் விளக்கம் அளித்தார். பிரதமரின் இந்த கருத்துக்கு மக்களவை எதிர்க்கட்சித்தலைவர் ராகுல் காந்தி கண்டனம் தெரிவித்து உள்ளார். இது தொடர்பாக அவர் தனது எக்ஸ் தளத்தில், 'அதானி விவகாரம் குறித்து இந்தியாவில் நீங்கள் கேள்வி எழுப்பினால், மவுனமே பதிலாக இருக்கும். வெளிநாட்டில் கேள்வி கேட்டால், அது தனிப்பட்ட விவகாரமாகி விடும். அமெரிக்காவில் கூட மோடிஜி, அதானியின் ஊழல்களை மறைக்கிறார்' என குற்றம் சாட்டியுள்ளார்.

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அதானி விவகாரத்தில் பதிலளிக்காமல் நழுவுவதே பிரதமர் மோடியின் வாடிக்கை

எதிர்க்கட்சித் தலைவர் ராகுல் காந்தி கருத்து

புதுடெல்லி

மக்களவை எதிர்க்கட்சித் தலைவர் ராகுல் காந்தி நேற்று வெளியிட்டுள்ள எக்ஸ் பதிவில் கூறியிருப்பதாவது:

அமெரிக்காவில் சுற்றுப்பயணம் செய்துள்ள பிரதமர் மோடியிடம் அதானி மீதான குற்றச்சாட்டு குறித்து அதிபர் ட்ரம்புடன் விவாதிப்பீர்களா என்று செய்தியாளர்கள் கேள்வி எழுப்பினர்.

அப்போது, தனிப்பட்ட பிரச்சினைகளை இருநாட்டு தலைவர்களும் விவாதிக்க வேண்டிய அவசியமில்லை என்று தெரிவித்துள்ளார். இது அவரது வழக்கமான பதிலாகவே உள்ளது.

அதானி விவகாரத்தை நாடாளுமன்றத்தில் எழுப்பினால் அமைதியாக இருப்பதும், வெளிநாட்டில் கேள்வி எழுப்பினால் அது தனிப்பட்ட பிரச்சினை என்று கூறி தப்பித்துக் கொள்வதும் பிரதமர் மோடியின் தந்திரமாக உள்ளது. அமெரிக்காவிலும் அதானியை காப்பாற்றும் வேலையைத்தான் பிரதமர் மோடி செய்து வருகிறார்.

தேசத்தை கட்டமைக்கிறோம் என்ற பெயரில் மோடிஜி அவருடைய நண்பர் அதானியின் பாக்கெட்டை நிரப்பி வருகிறார். லஞ்சம் மற்றும் தேசத்தின் சொத்துகளை கொள்ளையடிப்பதை பிரதமர் வசதியாக தனிப்பட்ட விஷயமாக மாற்றி வருகிறார்.

இவ்வாறு ராகுல் காந்தி பதிவிட்டுள்ளார்.

இந்தியாவில் சோலார் மின் திட்ட ஒப்பந்தங்களைப் பெற 250 மில்லியன் டாலர் லஞ்சம் கொடுக்கப்பட்ட வழக்கில் அதானி குழுமத்தின் தலைவர் கவுதம் அதானி, அவரது உறவினர் சாகர் அதானி உள்ளிட்டோர் மீது கடந்த நவம்பரில் அமெரிக்க நீதித் துறை குற்றச்சாட்டு பதிவு செய்தது குறிப்பிடத்தக்கது.

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டிரம்பிடம் அதானி குறித்து பேசினீர்களா?

நிருபர் கேள்விக்கு மோடி பதில்

அமெரிக்காவில் வழக்கு பதியப்பட்ட அதானி குறித்து டிரம்பிடம் பேசினீர்களா? என மோடியிடம் நிருபர் ஒருவர் கேள்வி எழுப் பினார். இதற்கு பதிலளித்த பிரதமர் மோடி, 'எந்தவொரு குறிப் பிட்ட நபரைப் பற்றியும் விவாதிக்கவில்லை. இந்தியா ஒரு ஜனநாயக நாடு. இந்தியர்களின் கலாசாரமானது 'வசுதைவ குடும்பகம்' ஆகும். உலகை ஒரே குடும்பமாக கருதுகிறோம். ஒவ்வொரு இந்தியரையும் எனது குடும்பமாக கருதுகிறேன். பிற நாடுகளில் சட்டவிரோதமாக குடியேறியவர்கள், அந்த நாடுகளில் அவர்கள் வசிப்பதற்கான வாழ சட்டப்பூர்வ உரிமை இல்லை. இந்தியாவையும் அமெரிக்காவையும் பொறுத்தவரை, இரு நாடுகளிலும் சட்டவிரோதமாக யாராவது வசிக்கிறார்கள் என்றால், அவர்களை திரும்பப் பெற முடிவு செய்துள்ளோம். இவ்விசயத்தில் இந்தியா தயாராக உள்ளது' என்றார்.

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Market fall 8th day

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बिकवाली जारी रहने से शेयर बाजार में आठवें दिन गिरावट

मुंबई, (पंजाब केसरी): विदेशी संस्थागत निवेशकों की पूंजी निकासी जारी रहने के चलते प्रमुख शेयर सूचकांक सेंसेक्स और निफ्टी में शुक्रवार को लगातार आठवें दिन गिरावट जारी रही। बाजार में कारोबार की शुरुआत सकारात्मक रुख के साथ हुई, लेकिन जल्द ही शुरुआती बढ़त खत्म हो गई। कारोबार के अंत में बीएसई सेंसेक्स 199.76 अंक गिरकर 75,939.21 पर बंद हुआ। कारोबार के दौरान यह 699.33 अंक तक लुढ़क गया था। नेशनल स्टॉक एक्सचेंज का निफ्टी 102.15 अंक गिरकर 22,929.25 पर बंद

सेंसेक्स 200 अंक और टूटा



हुआ। आठ कारोबारी सत्रों में बीएसई सेंसेक्स 2,644.6 अंक यानी 3.36 प्रतिशत और निफ्टी 810 अंक यानी 3.41 प्रतिशत टूट चुका है।

सेंसेक्स के शेयरों में अदाणी पोर्ट्स में चार प्रतिशत से अधिक की गिरावट आई। इसके अलावा अल्ट्राटेक सीमेंट, सन फार्मा, इंडसइंड बैंक, एनटीपीसी और टाटा स्टील भी नुकसान में रहे। दूसरी ओर नेस्ले, आईसीआईसीआई बैंक, इंफोसिस, टाटा कंसल्टेंसी सर्विसेज और एचसीएल टेक लाभ में रहे। कंपनियों की कमजोर आय के कारण निवेशकों के बीच जोखिम से बचने की भावना हावी होती जा रही है। 'कमजोर तिमाही नतीजों, रुपये में गिरावट और शुल्क जैसे बाहरी कारकों से निकट भविष्य में बाजार धारणा कमजोर रहने का अनुमान है। एफआईआई की निकासी जारी रहने से गिरावट बढ़ सकती है।' उन्होंने कहा कि जब तक शुल्क पर स्पष्टता नहीं आ जाती है, और कंपनियों की आय में सुधार नहीं होता है, तब तक अस्थिरता बनी रहने का अनुमान है।

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Bears tighten grip on D-Street: Investors suffer wealth erosion of Rs 25.31 lakh cr in 8 days

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Bears tighten grip on D-Street: Investors suffer wealth erosion of Rs 25.31 lakh cr in 8 days

NEW DELHI, FEB 14/--/ Investors' wealth eroded sharply by Rs 25.31 lakh crore in eight days of market crash wherein the BSE benchmark Sensex tumbled over 3 per cent amid concerns over unabated foreign fund outflows, lower-than-expected quarterly earnings and uncertainty over global trade war.

In eight trading days, the BSE benchmark tanked 2,644.6 points or 3.36 per cent, and the NSE Nifty slumped 810 points or 3.41 per cent.

On Friday, the 30-share BSE bellwether gauge dropped 199.76 points or 0.26 per cent to settle at 75,939.21, registering its eighth day of decline.

Tracking an extremely weak trend in equities, the market capitalisation of BSE-listed firms dropped by Rs 25,31,579.11 crore to Rs 4,00,19,247 crore (USD 4.61 trillion) in eight days.

"The gloomy mood continued as investors are perturbed by lingering foreign fund outflows," Prashanth Tapse, Senior VP (Research), Mehta Equities Ltd, said.

US President Donald Trump has asserted that Washington will not spare India from reciprocal tariffs.

The President has set in motion his plan to impose reciprocal tariffs on imports, which is expected to further deepen the global trade war.

Vishnu Kant Upadhyay, AVP - Research & Advisory, Master Capital Services, said, "Investor sentiment took a hit after Trump reiterated his stance on imposing reciprocal tariffs on trade partners, which includes India too, reigniting fears of a potential trade war. Uncertainty surrounding tariff structures could weigh on investor confidence."

"Weak corporate earnings for the December quarter further dampened market sentiment with several sectors showing weaker-than-anticipated recovery. Further, the high valuations on which the Indian equity market was trading were not able to justify the growth. Foreign institutional investors (FIIs) are continuously selling their stakes in the Indian equity market."

From the 30-share blue-chip pack, Adani Ports dropped over 4 per cent. UltraTech Cement, Sun Pharma, IndusInd Bank, NTPC and Tata Steel were also among the laggards.

Nestle, ICICI Bank, Infosys, Tata Consultancy Services and HCL Tech were among the gainers.

"The risk-averse sentiment continues to rule investors' minds as corporate earnings are significantly lower than the market expectations during the start of the year, especially for mid and small caps. Muted earnings trend, INR depreciation along with external factors like tariffs are expected to keep the sentiments weak in the near term, which could further push FIIs outflows," Vinod Nair, Head of Research, Geojit Financial Services, said.

The BSE smallcap gauge tanked 3.24 per cent and midcap index dropped 2.59 per cent. Among the BSE sectoral indices, services plunged 3.16 per cent, industrials (3.03 per cent), capital goods (2.76 per cent), power (2.65 per cent), utilities (2.52 per cent), consumer durables (2.39 per cent), commodities (2.25 per cent) and realty (2.03 per cent). BSE Focused IT emerged as the only gainer.

As many as 3,320 stocks declined while 681 advanced and 82 remained unchanged on the BSE. (PTI)

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Sensex, Nifty slide for 8th day on FPI outflows, weak Q3 numbers

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Sensex, Nifty slide for 8th day on FPI outflows, weak Q3 numbers

MUMBAI, FEB 14/--/ Benchmark Sensex declined nearly 200 points on Friday, extending its losing run to the eighth day due to persistent foreign fund outflows and weak quarterly earnings by corporates.

The 30-share BSE benchmark Sensex dropped 199.76 points or 0.26 per cent to settle at 75,939.21 with 21 of its constituents ending lower. During the day, it tanked 699.33 points or 0.91 per cent to 75,439.64.

The NSE Nifty declined 102.15 points or 0.44 per cent to 22,929.25.

In eight trading days to Friday, the BSE benchmark has tumbled 2,644.6 points or 3.36 per cent, and the Nifty slumped 810 points or 3.41 per cent.

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"The Indian equity markets have witnessed a devastating trading week, completely overshadowing the positive momentum built over the past two weeks. This week was marked by an unsettling trend of eight straight sessions of sell-offs, creating a climate of concern among investors," Osho Krishnan, Sr. Analyst, Technical & Derivatives of - Angel One, said. The BSE smallcap gauge tanked 3.24 per cent and midcap index dropped 2.59 per cent.

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On the weekly front, the BSE bellwether gauge plunged 1,920.98 points or 2.46 per cent, and the Nifty declined 630.7 points or 2.67 per cent. In Asian markets, Seoul, Shanghai and Hong Kong settled higher while Tokyo ended lower.

European markets were trading on a mixed note. US markets ended higher on Thursday. India and the US have resolved to more than double the two-way trade to USD 500 billion by 2030 and announced plans for a bilateral trade agreement to bring down duties and increase market access.

According to a joint statement issued after the meeting of Prime Minister Narendra Modi and US President Donald Trump in Washington, the two leaders have also pledged the bilateral trade relationship to promote growth that ensures fairness, national security and job creation.

"To this end, the leaders set a bold new goal for bilateral trade - Mission 500 - aiming to more than double total bilateral trade to USD 500 billion by 2030. Recognizing that this level of ambition would require new, fair-trade terms, the leaders announced plans to negotiate the first tranche of a mutually beneficial, multi-sector Bilateral Trade Agreement (BTA) by fall of 2025," it said.

Foreign Institutional Investors (FIIs) offloaded equities worth Rs 2,789.91 crore on Thursday, according to exchange data. Global oil benchmark Brent crude went up by 0.55 per cent to USD 75.43 a barrel. (PTI)

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Gold worth six crores seized at the airport

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5	Marathi	37	N/A	Top Right	36687	604.7K

विमानतळावर जप्त केले सहा कोटींचे सोने

मुंबई : दुबईतून मुंबईत आलेल्या तीन प्रवाशांना ६ कोटी २८ लाख रुपयांच्या सोन्याच्या तस्करी प्रकरणी केंद्रीय महसूल गुप्तचर यंत्रणेच्या अधिकाऱ्यांनी अटक केली आहे. हे तिघेही आरोपी इराणचे नागरिक आहे. त्यांनी कपड्यांमध्ये सात किलो वजनाचे सोन्याचे बार लपवले होते.

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Gold, diamonds worth 9 crores seized at Mumbai airport

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2	Marathi	107	N/A	Middle Right	106508	604.7K

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लोकमत न्यूज नेटवर्क

मुंबई : गेल्या दोन दिवसांत मुंबई विमानतळावर सीमा शुल्क विभागाच्या अधिकाऱ्यांनी केलेल्या कारवाईमध्ये ९ कोटी १२ लाखांचे सोने आणि हिरे जप्त करण्यात आले आहेत. या विविध प्रकरणांत १६ लोकांना अटक केली आहे.

पहिल्या प्रकरणात बँकॉक येथून आलेल्या एका प्रवाशाच्या केंद्रीय औद्योगिक सुरक्षा बळाच्या अधिकाऱ्यांनी केलेल्या सामानाच्या तपासणीदरम्यान त्याच्या लॅपटॉपमध्ये त्याने हिरे लपवल्याचे आढळून आले. या हिऱ्यांची किंमत ४ कोटी ९३ लाख रुपये इतकी आहे. सीआयएसएफच्या अधिकाऱ्यांनी त्याला सीमा शुल्क विभागाच्या ताब्यात दिले, तर दुबईतून आलेल्या तीन प्रवाशांच्या हालचाली संशयास्पद वाटल्यामुळे सीमा शुल्क विभागाच्या अधिकाऱ्यांनी त्यांची तपासणी केली असता त्यांनी ट्रॉली बॅगेत ६१ लाख ४५ हजार रुपयांचे सोने लपविल्याचे आढळून आले. त्यांना देखील अटक करण्यात आली आहे, तसेच केनियावरून आलेल्या १४ जणांकडे १ कोटी ८५ लाख रुपयांचे सोने आढळून आले. त्यांनी अंतर्वस्त्रात सोने लपविल्याचे आढळून आले. विमानतळावरील आगमन विभागात सापडलेली बॅग सीमा शुल्क अधिकाऱ्यांनी ताब्यात घेत तपासणी केली असता त्या बॅगेमध्ये १ कोटी ७४ लाखांचे सोने लपविल्याचे आढळले.

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Adani Group exit Sri Lanka project

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मुंबई। अडानी ग्रुप ने श्रीलंका में आयोजित होने वाले 3800 करोड़ रुपए के विंड पावर प्रोजेक्ट से हाथ खींच लिया है। अडानी ग्रुप ने अपने पत्र में सरकार के साथ किसी अनबन की अदालत के आलम बताया है। पहले श्रीलंका सरकार और ग्रुप के बीच बिजली खरीद समझौते में इकरार था, लेकिन उसे रद्द कर दिया गया था। अब कंपनी ने उस प्रोजेक्ट से हटने का निर्णय लिया है। यहां यह भी उज्वलता मिलती है कि अडानी ग्रुप भविष्य में भी श्रीलंका सरकार के साथ भारतीय उद्यमिता क्षेत्र में विकास के लिए काम करने को तैयार है। इस नए संबंध के साथ, ग्रुप का उद्देश्य है कि वह इस सूचना के अनुसार नराजगी को दूर करेगा और समर्थन के साथ यह फैसला लिया जाएगा। अडानी ग्रुप का ध्यान रखते हुए, यह निर्णय उच्च स्तर की व्यवस्था, स्विच मैनेजमेंट और उत्कृष्ट समर्थन के साथ लिया गया है। यह प्रोजेक्ट को छोड़ने का निर्णय ग्रुप के लिए जोरदार संकेत है कि वह उद्यमिता क्षेत्र में दृढ़ मजबूती के साथ आगे बढ़ने को देख रहा है ।

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Adani-backed co among 3 finalists in India's small satellite launch rocket privatisation

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Indian conglomerate Adani Group is a finalist, alongside two government-linked groups, to take over private production of India's Small Satellite Launch Vehicle, three sources familiar with the matter told Reuters.

The SSLV, developed by the Indian Space Research Organisation, is a low-cost vehicle capable of deploying satellites of up to 500 kg (1,100 pounds) into low-Earth orbit, or LEO - the most sought after segment of the satellite launch



market, Reuters reported.

After its first successful launch in 2023, the government moved to transfer the vehicle's production and technology to private industry as part of a broader push to expand India's commercial space sector. That move has been the highest-profile piece of India's privatisation efforts, which the government hopes will help the country claim a greater share of the booming global satellite launch market, dominated by private players such as SpaceX.

"LEO is the name of the game right now, so the potential winner has the opportunity to really tap into a rapidly growing market," said Damodaran Raman, a director at Deloitte who soecialises in space tech. About 20 companies initially expressed interest in bidding for the SSLV, the first privatisation of its kind under PM Narendra Modi's policy drive to open up India's space industry.

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Rahul accuses PM of 'covering up Adani's 'corruption' in US

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BJP hits back, says Cong leader suffering from OCD

NEW DELHI, FEB 14 /--/ Congress leader Rahul Gandhi on Friday accused Prime Minister NarendraModi of "covering up" businessman GautamAdani's alleged corruption.In a post on X, Rahul said the Prime Minister maintains silence when questions are asked in the country and terms it a personal matter when asked abroad.

"If you ask questions in the country, there is silence, If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! "Even in America, ModiJi covered up AdaniJi's corruption!" the Congress charged in his post in Hindi. "When filling a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modiji, then taking bribes and looting the nation's wealth becomes a 'personal matter'," he also said.In response, the BJP slammed Rahul for his remarks, alleging that the Congress leader is suffering from a disease that keeps him obsessed with "Adani, Hindenburg and Rafale". "He is suffering from obsessive-compulsive neurosis (sic). So, he is obsessed with Adani, Hindenburg and Rafale. His world revolves around all those questions. And that's why, he is also moving towards mental instability," BJP national spokesperson Ajay Alok told a press conference at the party headquarters here.

Alok added that heads of government of two nations were meeting in Washington and "there is no time to discuss about any individual there (in such meetings)". Senior BJP leader Syed ShahnawazHussain attacked the Leader of Opposition for accusing the Prime Minister of "covering up" the alleged corruption of businessman GautamAdani, saying the Congress leader should keep in mind that Modi visited the US as the Prime Minister of the country and leader of its 140 crore people, not as a BJP leader. However, Congress general secretary (communications) Jairam Ramesh said: "Modiji's face turned pale on hearing Adani's name. Then he beat around



the bush and gave irrelevant knowledge and said - this is a personal matter." "Since when has corruption become a personal matter," he asked in a post on X. "In Mr. Modi likes to display his knowledge of algebraic equations acquired through his training in entire political science. First he likened Indo-Canada relations to (a+b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab."Now he says in the context of India and USA that MAGA + MIGA = MEGA. Actually the only equation that counts is Modi + Adani = Modani," Ramesh said in another post.

The Congress also took a swipe at the Prime Minister and said in a post on its official X handle: "In America, a journalist asked a question related to the corruption of NarendraModi's best friend Adani. NarendraModi called it a personal matter and started talking about other things. His face turned pale as soon as he heard the question.""Investigations are going on against Adani in Sri Lanka, Kenya, Bangladesh, Australia and many other countries, people are taking to the streets and protesting. In America, a warrant was even issued in the corruption case. There are many allegations of corruption, but for NarendraModi this is a personal matter. Shameful," the party said in a post in Hindi.

To a question on whether the issue relating to Adani figured in the talks, Modi at a joint media briefing with Donald Trump in Washington said: "India is a democracy and our culture is 'VasudhaivaKutumbakam'. We consider the whole world as one family. I believe every Indian is mine."Modi said such individual matters are not discussed in talks between two leaders. "Two prominent leaders of two countries never discuss such individual issues," he said. (PTI)

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अडानी मामले में पीएम मोदी पर बरसे राहुल

नई दिल्ली, 14 फरवरी। पीएम नरेंद्र मोदी से अमेरिका में भारतीय कारोबारी गौतम अडानी के मुद्दे पर पूछे गए सवाल पर अब कांग्रेस के दिग्गज नेता राहुल गांधी ने सवाल उठाए हैं। राहुल गांधी ने कहा कि अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने अडानी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया।

कांग्रेस नेता राहुल गांधी ने सोशल मीडिया प्लेटफॉर्म एक्स पर पोस्ट कर लिखा, देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला! अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने अडानी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया! जब मित्र का जेब भरना मोदी जी के लिए राष्ट्र निर्माण है, तब रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना व्यक्तिगत मामला बन जाता है।

अमेरिका में गौतम अडानी के मुद्दे पर भारतीय प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने दो टूक जवाब दिया। पीएम मोदी से जब पूछा गया कि क्या अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ बैठक



में व्यवसायी गौतम अडानी के खिलाफ मामले पर चर्चा हुई, तो पीएम मोदी ने कहा कि भारत एक लोकतंत्र है और हमारी संस्कृति 'वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम' है, हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय मेरा है। दो देशों के दो प्रमुख नेता कभी भी ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मुद्दों पर चर्चा नहीं करते हैं।

प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने गुरुवार को कहा कि अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप ने अपने पहले कार्यकाल में दोनों देशों के बीच संबंधों को मजबूत करने में बहुत बड़ा व्यक्तिगत योगदान दिया और उनके दूसरे कार्यकाल के दौरान दोनों पक्ष अधिक तेजी से काम करेंगे। राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप ने प्रधानमंत्री मोदी को अपना बहुत अच्छा दोस्त कहा।

राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप के दूसरे कार्यकाल के लिए व्हाइट हाउस लौटने के बाद दोनों नेताओं ने पहली बार स्पष्ट गर्मजोशी, मित्रता और परिचय के साथ मुलाकात की। इस दौरान दोनों नेताओं ने अपने घनिष्ठ संबंधों का उल्लेख किया।

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इन डिब्बो का उद्देश्य सीमेंट जैसी भारी सामग्री की ढुलाई को अधिक कुशल और प्रभावी बनाना है, ताकि कंपनी के व्यापारिक कामों में आसानी हो सके। ऑर्डर की डिलीवरी जनवरी 2026 और मार्च 2027 के बीच निर्धारित है। टीआरएसएल के उप प्रबंध निदेशक अनिल कुमार अग्रवाल ने कहा कंपनी भारत के बुनयादी ढांचे को बेहतर बनाने के लिए अपनी तकनीक और समाधान का उपयोग करेगी, ताकि परिवहन क्षेत्र में लागत कम किया जा सके।

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Adani Foundation organized free camp for the disabled under Mangal Seva

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अदाणी फाउंडेशन द्वारा मंगल सेवा के अंतर्गत दिव्यागजनों हेतु नि:शुल्क शिविर का आयोजन



जयपुर, (उदय टुडे)। जिला प्रशासन द्वारा संचालित सशक्त बारां प्रगति की शक्ति अभियान एवं अदाणी फाउंडेशन द्वारा संचालित मंगल सेवा कार्यक्रम के अंतर्गत ढोल तलाई खेल मैदान अटरू में 14 फरवरी, 2025 को दिव्यागजनों हेतु नि:शुल्क शिविर का आयोजन किया गया। कार्यक्रम के अंतर्गत सामाजिक न्याय एवं अधिकारिता विभाग के सहायक निदेशक श्री शुभम नागर ने बताया कि विभाग द्वारा संचालित मुख्यमंत्री विशेष योग्यजन स्वरोजगार योजना, विशेष योग्यजन सुखद दाम्पत्य जीवन योजना, विशेष योग्यजन संयुक्त सहायता अनुदान योजना, विशेष योग्यजन पालनहार योजना एवं सामाजिक सुरक्षा पेंशन योजना के अंतर्गत 200 दिव्यागजनों को लाभान्वित किया गया।अदाणी पॉवर प्लांट हेड श्री प्रमोद सक्सैना ने बताया कि अदाणी समूह द्वारा सामाजिक सरोकार के तहत विभिन्न कार्यक्रम संचालित किए जा रहे हैं, जिससे देश के लाखो परिवारों को लाभ मिल रहा है।कार्यक्रम में अटरू तहसीलदार श्री मंजूर अली दिवान द्वारा सभी विशेष योग्यजनों को शिविर का लाभ लेने हेतु प्रेरित किया गया।अदाणी फाउंडेशन के सीएसआर हेड श्री गोपाल सिंह देवड़ा ने बताया कि अदाणी फाउंडेशन की चेयरपर्सन डॉ. प्रीति जी अदाणी के नेतृत्व में देश के विभिन्न राज्यों में रह रहे दिव्यागजनों को सरकार के साथ मिलकर मुख्यधारा से जोड़ने हेतु मंगल सेवा योजना का शुभारंभ किया गया है, जिसके तहत जागरूकता कार्यक्रम एवं चयनित दिव्यांग को स्वरोजगार से जोड़ने हेतु विभिन्न गतिविधियों का संचालन किया जा रहा है।इस अवसर पर ब्लॉक मुख्य चिकित्सा अधिकारी डॉ. केशव नागर द्वारा विशेष योग्यजनों को चिकित्सा विभाग द्वारा संचालित योजनाओं पर प्रकाश डाला गया, साथ ही स्वास्थ्य सेवाएँ प्रदान की गईं।अटरू ब्लॉक विकास अधिकारी श्री राहुल बैरवा ने सरकार द्वारा संचालित सामाजिक योजनाओं पर प्रकाश डाला गया।इस अवसर पर अदाणी फाउंडेशन के परियोजना अधिकारी सौम्या एवं दीपक मालवीय ने बताया कि कार्यक्रम में अटरू क्षेत्र के 200 से अधिक दिव्यांगजनों को विभिन्न योजनाओं से लाभान्वित किया।

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আদানি-প্রশ্ন ব্যক্তিগত: মোদী

ঘনিষ্ঠ শিল্পপতি গৌতম আদানির বিরুদ্ধে আমেরিকার আদালতে ওঠা দুর্নীতির অভিযোগ নিয়ে সাংবাদিক সম্মেলনে প্রশ্নের মুখে পড়লেন প্রধানমন্ত্রী নরেন্দ্র মোদী। আমেরিকা সফরে গিয়ে ট্রাম্পের সঙ্গে বৈঠকের পরে সাংবাদিক সম্মেলনে এক সাংবাদিক মোদীকে প্রশ্ন করেন, তাঁর সঙ্গে আমেরিকার প্রেসিডেন্ট ডোনাল্ড ট্রাম্পের বৈঠকে গৌতম আদানির বিষয়ে আলোচনা হয়েছে কি না। আদানি যে মোদী-ঘনিষ্ঠ সহযোগী বলে পরিচিত, তা-ও উল্লেখ করেন ওই সাংবাদিক। উত্তরে 'এ'টি ব্যক্তিগত বিষয়' বলে মন্তব্য করেন মোদী। তার পরেই এ নিয়ে আক্রমণে নেমে দেশের বিরোধী দলগুলির অভিযোগ, শিল্পপতি গৌতম আদানির সম্পর্কিত সব কিছুই প্রধানমন্ত্রীর 'ব্যক্তিগত বিষয়'! রাহুল গান্ধীর কটাক্ষ, ''দেশে প্রশ্ন করলে নীরব, বিদেশে প্রশ্ন করলে সেটা ব্যক্তিগত বিষয়!'' পৃঃ ৬

আদানির ঘুষ-প্রশ্ন ‘ব্যক্তিগত বিষয়’: মোদী

নিজস্ব সংবাদদাতা

নয়াদিল্লি, ১৪ ফেব্রুয়ারি: তিনি দেশের মাটিতে সাংবাদিক সম্মেলন করেন না। প্রধানমন্ত্রী হওয়ার পরে নরেন্দ্র মোদী গত ১১ বছরে মাত্র দু’টি সাংবাদিক সম্মেলন করেছেন। দু’টিই বিদেশের মাটিতে। আজ আমেরিকার প্রেসিডেন্ট ডোনাল্ড ট্রাম্পের সঙ্গে ওয়াশিংটনে তৃতীয় বার সাংবাদিক সম্মেলনের মুখে পড়লেন মোদী। এবং সেখানে গৌতম আদানি নিয়ে প্রশ্নের মুখে আদানির বিরুদ্ধে আমেরিকার ঘুষ দিয়ে বরাত আদায়ের অভিযোগকে ‘ব্যক্তিগত বিষয়’ বলে তকমা দিলেন।

মোদীর এই মন্তব্যের পরে কংগ্রেস-সহ বিরোধী শিবিরের কটাক্ষ, এ তো আগেই জানা ছিল যে আদানি সম্পর্কিত সব কিছুই মোদীর ‘ব্যক্তিগত বিষয়’! কংগ্রেস নেতা রাহুল গান্ধীর কটাক্ষ, “দেশে প্রশ্ন করলে নীরব। বিদেশে প্রশ্ন করলে সেটা ব্যক্তিগত বিষয়!”

আদানির বিরুদ্ধে আমেরিকার ন্যায়বিচার দফতর ও সে দেশের শেয়ার বাজার নিয়ন্ত্রক সংস্থা সম্প্রতি আদালতে অভিযোগ এনেছে, ভারতে সরকারি কর্তাদের ২৫ কোটি ডলার ঘুষ দিয়ে সৌরবিদ্যুৎ বিক্রির বরাত আদায় করেছেন মোদী-ঘনিষ্ঠ এই শিল্পপতি। ঘুষ দিয়ে বরাত আদায়ের তথ্য লুকিয়ে আদানি গোষ্ঠী আমেরিকার লগ্নিকারীদের থেকে টাকাও তুলেছে। ফৌজদারি ও দেওয়ানি, দুই আইনেই আদানির বিরুদ্ধে আমেরিকার আদালতে অভিযোগ জমা পড়েছে।

হোয়াইট হাউসে সাংবাদিক সম্মেলনে এক সাংবাদিক মোদীকে প্রশ্ন করেন, তাঁর সঙ্গে ট্রাম্পের বৈঠকে আদানির বিষয়ে আলোচনা হয়েছে কি না। আদানি যে ভারতের প্রধানমন্ত্রীর ঘনিষ্ঠ সহযোগী বলে পরিচিত, তা-ও উল্লেখ করেন ওই সাংবাদিক। জবাবে মোদী বলেন, “ভারত একটি গণতন্ত্র। তার কাছে গোটা বিশ্ব একটিই পরিবার বা বসুধৈব কুটুম্বকম নীতির উপরে দাঁড়িয়ে রয়েছে। সমস্ত ভারতীয় এই পরিবারের অংশ। যখন দুই দেশের রাষ্ট্রপ্রধান বৈঠকে বসেন, সেখানে আমরা এই সব ব্যক্তিগত বিষয় আলাপচারিতায় আনি না।”

লোকসভার বিরোধী দলনেতা রাহুল গান্ধীর অভিযোগ, “আমেরিকায় মোদীজি আদানিজির দুর্নীতি ধামাচাপা দিয়ে দিয়েছেন। যখন বন্ধুদের পকেট ভরাট করাই মোদীজির কাছে রাষ্ট্রনির্মাণ, তখন ঘুষের কারবার ও দেশের সম্পত্তি লুট করা ব্যক্তিগত বিষয়ই হয়ে যায়!” আম আদমি পার্টির কটাক্ষ, মোদী তাঁর সঙ্গে আদানির বন্ধুত্বের প্রমাণ আমেরিকায় গিয়ে দিয়েছেন। তৃণমূল সাংসদ সাকেত গোখলের কটাক্ষ, মোদী আমেরিকায় গিয়ে সাংবাদিক সম্মেলন করতে বাধ্য হয়েছেন। তাতে এই ফল হয়েছে। এই জন্যই উনি দেশের মাটিতে সাংবাদিক সম্মেলন করেন না।

বাজেট অধিবেশনে বিরোধীরা মোদী সরকারের বিরুদ্ধে সীমান্তের নিরাপত্তা বিধি শিথিল করে পাক সীমান্তের কাছে আদানি গোষ্ঠীকে সৌর বিদ্যুৎ উৎপাদনের জন্য জমি বরাদ্দের অভিযোগ তুলেছে। কংগ্রেসের প্রধান মুখপাত্র জয়রাম রমেশের কটাক্ষ, “আদানির নাম শুনে মোদীজির মুখ ফ্যাকাসে হয়ে গিয়েছিল। পরে ঘুরিয়ে ফিরিয়ে অপ্রাসঙ্গিক জ্ঞান দিয়ে বললেন, এটা ব্যক্তিগত বিষয়! দুর্নীতি কবে থেকে ব্যক্তিগত বিষয় হল?”

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ਲੋਕ ਸਭਾ ਵਿੱਚ ਵਿਰੋਧੀ ਧਿਰ ਦੇ ਨੇਤਾ ਅਤੇ ਕਾਂਗਰਸੀ ਆਗੂ ਰਾਹੁਲ ਗਾਂਧੀ ਨੇ ਅੱਜ ਦੋਸ਼ ਲਗਾਇਆ ਕਿ ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨ ਮੰਤਰੀ ਨਰਿੰਦਰ ਮੋਦੀ ਕਾਰੋਬਾਰੀ ਗੌਤਮ ਅਡਾਨੀ ਦੇ ਕਥਿਤ ਭ੍ਰਿਸ਼ਟਾਚਾਰ 'ਤੇ ਪਰਦਾ ਪਾ ਰਹੇ ਹਨ।

ਕਾਂਗਰਸ ਦੇ ਸਾਬਕਾ ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨ ਰਾਹੁਲ ਗਾਂਧੀ ਨੇ 'ਐਕਸ' ਉੱਤੇ ਪਾਈ ਪੋਸਟ ਵਿੱਚ ਕਿਹਾ, "ਦੇਸ਼ ਵਿੱਚ ਸਵਾਲ ਪੁੱਛੋ ਤਾਂ ਚੁੱਪ, ਵਿਦੇਸ਼ ਵਿੱਚ ਪੁੱਛੋ ਤਾਂ ਨਿੱਜੀ ਮਾਮਲਾ। ਅਮਰੀਕਾ ਵਿੱਚ ਵੀ ਮੋਦੀ ਜੀ ਨੇ ਅਡਾਨੀ ਜੀ ਦੇ ਭ੍ਰਿਸ਼ਟਾਚਾਰ 'ਤੇ ਪਰਦਾ ਪਾ ਦਿੱਤਾ।" ਉਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਦੋਸ਼ ਲਗਾਇਆ, "ਜਦੋਂ ਦੋਸਤ ਦੀ ਜੇਬ ਭਰਨਾ ਮੋਦੀ ਜੀ ਵਾਸਤੇ 'ਰਾਸ਼ਟਰ ਨਿਰਮਾਣ' ਹੈ ਤਾਂ ਰਿਸ਼ਵਤਖੋਰੀ ਤੇ ਦੇਸ਼ ਦੀ ਸੰਪਤੀ ਨੂੰ ਲੁੱਟਣਾ 'ਨਿੱਜੀ ਮਾਮਲਾ' ਬਣ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ।"

ਕਾਂਗਰਸ ਦੇ ਜਨਰਲ ਸਕੱਤਰ (ਸੰਚਾਰ) ਜੈਰਾਮ ਰਮੇਸ਼ ਨੇ ਕਿਹਾ, "ਅਡਾਨੀ ਦਾ ਨਾਮ ਸੁਣ ਕੇ ਮੋਦੀ ਜੀ ਦਾ ਚਿਹਰਾ ਪੀਲਾ ਪੈ ਗਿਆ ਸੀ। ਫਿਰ ਉਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਆਲੇ-ਦੁਆਲੇ ਦੇਖਿਆ ਤੇ ਬੋਲੋੜਾ ਗਿਆ ਦਿੰਦਿਆਂ ਕਿਹਾ ਕਿ ਇਹ ਇਕ ਨਿੱਜੀ ਮਾਮਲਾ ਹੈ। ਭ੍ਰਿਸ਼ਟਾਚਾਰ ਕਦੋਂ ਤੋਂ ਇਕ ਨਿੱਜੀ ਮਾਮਲਾ ਬਣ ਗਿਆ ਹੈ।"

ਰਮੇਸ਼ ਨੇ ਇਕ ਹੋਰ ਪੋਸਟ ਵਿੱਚ ਕਿਹਾ,



"ਸ੍ਰੀ ਮੋਦੀ ਨੂੰ ਸਮੁੱਚੇ ਰਾਜਨੀਤੀ ਵਿਗਿਆਨ ਵਿੱਚ ਆਪਣੀ ਸਿਖਲਾਈ ਰਾਹੀਂ ਪ੍ਰਾਪਤ ਕੀਤੇ ਬੀਜਗਣਿਤ ਸਮੀਕਰਨਾਂ ਦੇ ਆਪਣੇ ਗਿਆਨ ਨੂੰ ਪ੍ਰਦਰਸ਼ਿਤ ਕਰਨਾ ਪਸੰਦ ਹੈ। ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਉਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਭਾਰਤ-ਕੈਨੇਡਾ ਸਬੰਧਾਂ ਦੀ ਤੁਲਨਾ (ਏ+ਬੀ)^2 = ਏ^2 + ਬੀ^2 + 2ਏਬੀ ਨਾਲ ਕੀਤੀ। ਹੁਣ ਉਹ ਭਾਰਤ ਅਤੇ ਅਮਰੀਕਾ ਦੇ ਸੰਦਰਭ ਵਿੱਚ ਕਹਿੰਦੇ ਹਨ ਕਿ ਐੱਮਏਜੀਆਏ + ਐੱਮਆਈਜੀਏ = ਮੈਗਾ (ਐੱਮਈਜੀਏ)। ਅਸਲ ਵਿੱਚ ਇੱਕੋ ਇੱਕ ਸਮੀਕਰਨ ਜੋ ਗਿਣਿਆ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਹੈ ਉਹ ਹੈ ਮੋਦੀ + ਅਡਾਨੀ= ਮੋਦਾਨੀ।"

ਕਾਂਗਰਸ ਨੇ ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨ ਮੰਤਰੀ 'ਤੇ ਨਿਸ਼ਾਨਾ ਸੇਧਿਆ ਅਤੇ ਆਪਣੇ ਅਧਿਕਾਰਤ 'ਐਕਸ' ਹੈਂਡਲ 'ਤੇ ਪਾਈ ਇੱਕ ਪੋਸਟ ਵਿੱਚ ਕਿਹਾ, "ਅਮਰੀਕਾ ਵਿੱਚ, ਇੱਕ ਪੱਤਰਕਾਰ ਨੇ ਨਰਿੰਦਰ ਮੋਦੀ ਦੇ ਸਭ ਤੋਂ ਚੰਗੇ ਦੋਸਤ ਅਡਾਨੀ ਦੇ ਭ੍ਰਿਸ਼ਟਾਚਾਰ ਨਾਲ ਸਬੰਧਤ ਇੱਕ ਸਵਾਲ ਪੁੱਛਿਆ। ਨਰਿੰਦਰ ਮੋਦੀ ਨੇ ਇਸ ਨੂੰ ਇੱਕ ਨਿੱਜੀ ਮਾਮਲਾ ਕਿਹਾ ਅਤੇ ਹੋਰ ਚੀਜ਼ਾਂ ਬਾਰੇ ਗੱਲ ਕਰਨੀ ਸ਼ੁਰੂ ਕਰ ਦਿੱਤੀ। ਸਵਾਲ ਸੁਣਦੇ ਹੀ ਉਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਦਾ ਚਿਹਰਾ ਪੀਲਾ ਪੈ ਗਿਆ। ਸ੍ਰੀਲੰਕਾ, ਕੀਨੀਆ, ਬੰਗਲਾਦੇਸ਼, ਆਸਟਰੇਲੀਆ ਅਤੇ ਹੋਰ ਬਹੁਤ ਸਾਰੇ ਦੇਸ਼ਾਂ ਵਿੱਚ ਅਡਾਨੀ ਵਿਰੁੱਧ ਜਾਂਚ ਚੱਲ ਰਹੀ ਹੈ। ਲੋਕ ਸੜਕਾਂ 'ਤੇ ਉਤਰ ਰਹੇ ਹਨ ਅਤੇ ਵਿਰੋਧ ਪ੍ਰਦਰਸ਼ਨ ਕਰ ਰਹੇ ਹਨ। ਅਮਰੀਕਾ ਵਿੱਚ ਭ੍ਰਿਸ਼ਟਾਚਾਰ ਦੇ ਮਾਮਲੇ 'ਚ ਵਾਰੰਟ ਵੀ ਜਾਰੀ ਕੀਤਾ ਗਿਆ ਸੀ। ਭ੍ਰਿਸ਼ਟਾਚਾਰ ਦੇ ਕਈ ਦੋਸ਼ ਹਨ, ਪਰ ਨਰਿੰਦਰ ਮੋਦੀ ਲਈ ਇਹ ਇੱਕ ਨਿੱਜੀ ਮਾਮਲਾ ਹੈ ਜੋ ਕਿ ਸ਼ਰਮਨਾਕ ਹੈ।" **-ਪੀਟੀਆਈ**

ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨ ਮੰਤਰੀ ਦੇ ਵਿਦੇਸ਼ੀ ਦੌਰਿਆਂ 'ਚ ਨੁਕਸ ਲੱਭਣਾ ਕਾਂਗਰਸ ਦੀ ਆਦਤ: ਭਾਜਪਾ

ਨਵੀਂ ਦਿੱਲੀ: ਭਾਰਤੀ ਜਨਤਾ ਪਾਰਟੀ ਨੇ ਅੱਜ ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨ ਮੰਤਰੀ ਨਰਿੰਦਰ ਮੋਦੀ ਦੇ ਅਮਰੀਕਾ ਦੌਰੇ ਨੂੰ ਇਕ ਮੀਲ ਪੱਥਰ ਦੱਸਦਿਆਂ ਕਾਂਗਰਸੀ ਆਗੂ ਰਾਹੁਲ ਗਾਂਧੀ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਕੀਤੀ ਟਿੱਪਣੀ ਲਈ ਉਨ੍ਹਾਂ 'ਤੇ ਨਿਸ਼ਾਨਾ ਸੇਧਿਆ। ਭਾਜਪਾ ਨੇ ਕਿਹਾ ਕਿ ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨ ਮੰਤਰੀ ਦੇ ਵਿਦੇਸ਼ ਦੌਰਿਆਂ 'ਚ ਨੁਕਸ ਲੱਭਣਾ ਕਾਂਗਰਸੀ ਆਗੂਆਂ ਦੀ ਆਦਤ ਬਣ ਗਈ ਹੈ। ਭਾਜਪਾ ਦੇ ਕੌਮੀ ਤਰਜ਼ਮਾਨ ਸ਼ਹਿਜ਼ਾਦ ਪੂਨਾਵਾਲਾ ਨੇ 'ਐਕਸ' ਉੱਤੇ ਪਾਈ ਇਕ ਪੋਸਟ ਵਿੱਚ ਕਿਹਾ, "ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨ ਮੰਤਰੀ ਨਰਿੰਦਰ ਮੋਦੀ ਦੇ ਪ੍ਰਭਾਵਸ਼ਾਲੀ ਅਮਰੀਕਾ ਦੌਰੇ ਨਾਲ ਭਾਰਤ-ਅਮਰੀਕਾ ਦੇ ਸਬੰਧ ਮਜ਼ਬੂਤ ਹੋਣਗੇ ਜਿਵੇਂ ਕਿ ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਕਦੇ ਨਹੀਂ ਹੋਏ। ਇਹ ਦੌਰਾ ਇਕ ਮੀਲ ਪੱਥਰ ਸਾਬਿਤ ਹੋਵੇਗਾ।" **-ਪੀਟੀਆਈ**

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Modi ne adani mamale nu vyaktigat mudda dashiya

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ਪ੍ਰੈੱਸ ਵਾਰਤਾ ਦੌਰਾਨ ਇਹ ਪੁੱਛੇ ਜਾਣ 'ਤੇ ਕਿ ਕੀ ਗੱਲਬਾਤ ਵਿੱਚ ਕਾਰੋਬਾਰੀ ਗੌਤਮ ਅਡਾਨੀ ਨਾਲ ਸਬੰਧਤ ਮੁੱਦਾ ਸ਼ਾਮਲ ਸੀ, 'ਤੇ ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨ ਮੰਤਰੀ ਮੋਦੀ ਨੇ ਕਿਹਾ, "ਭਾਰਤ ਇੱਕ ਲੋਕਤੰਤਰ ਹੈ ਅਤੇ ਸਾਡੀ ਸੰਸਕ੍ਰਿਤੀ 'ਵਸੁਧੈਵ ਕੁਟੁੰਬਕਮ' ਹੈ। ਅਸੀਂ ਪੂਰੀ ਦੁਨੀਆ ਨੂੰ ਇੱਕ ਪਰਿਵਾਰ ਮੰਨਦੇ ਹਾਂ। ਮੇਰਾ ਮੰਨਣਾ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਹਰ ਭਾਰਤੀ ਮੇਰਾ ਹੈ।" ਉਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਕਿਹਾ ਕਿ ਦੋ ਆਗੂਆਂ ਦਰਮਿਆਨ ਗੱਲਬਾਤ ਵਿੱਚ ਅਜਿਹੇ ਵਿਅਕਤੀਗਤ ਮਾਮਲਿਆਂ 'ਤੇ ਚਰਚਾ ਨਹੀਂ ਕੀਤੀ ਜਾਂਦੀ।

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Modi ne Adani mudde ko bataya bayaktigat, Rahul ne kasa tanj

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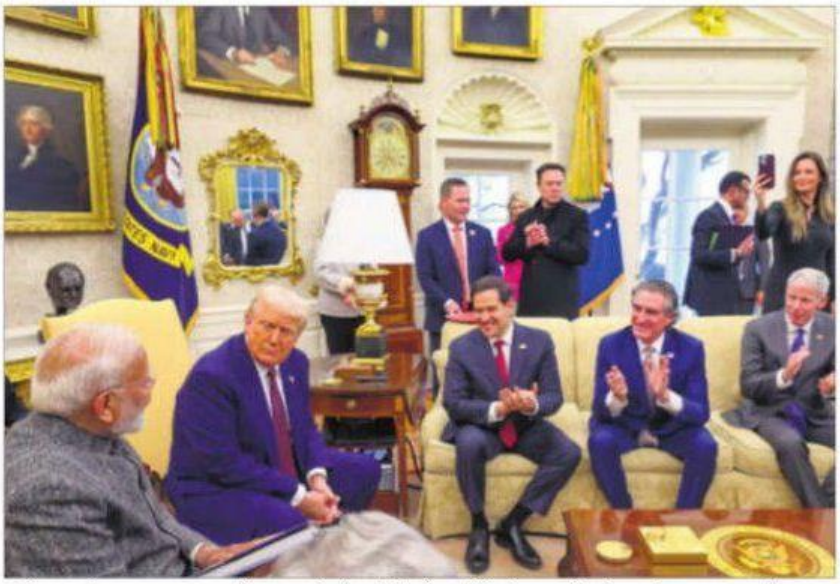
मोदी ने अदाणी मुद्दे को बताया व्यक्तिगत, राहुल ने कसा तंज

वाशिंगटन/नयी दिल्ली, 14 फरवरी (एजेंसी)

अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ प्रेस वार्ता के दौरान एक सवाल के जवाब में प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने अदाणी मुद्दे को व्यक्तिगत बताया। यह पूछे जाने पर कि क्या कारोबारी गौतम अदाणी से जुड़ा मुद्दा ट्रंप के साथ बातचीत में उठा, मोदी ने कहा, 'दो देशों के दो प्रमुख नेता कभी भी ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मुद्दों पर चर्चा नहीं करते।'

इस बीच, लोकसभा में नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी ने आरोप लगाया कि विदेश में प्रधानमंत्री मोदी के लिए रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना 'व्यक्तिगत मामला' बन जाता है। राहुल गांधी ने 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट किया, 'देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला। अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने अदाणी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया।' कांग्रेस महासचिव जयराम रमेश ने सवाल किया कि आखिर 'भ्रष्टाचार' का मामला व्यक्तिगत कब से हो गया? उन्होंने 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट किया, 'मोदी जी के चेहरे का रंग उड़ गया अडानी का नाम सुनते ही, फिर घुमा फिराकर, असंगत ज्ञान देकर बोले कि ये व्यक्तिगत मामला है। भ्रष्टाचार व्यक्तिगत मामला कब से हो गया?'

उधर, बेंगलुरू में कांग्रेस के वरिष्ठ नेता शशि थरूर ने शुक्रवार को उम्मीद जताई कि प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप को यह बताया होगा कि भारतीय प्रवासियों को बेड़ियों में जकड़कर निर्वासित करना सही नहीं है। उन्होंने यह भी कहा कि प्रधानमंत्री मोदी और राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप के संयुक्त संवाददाता सम्मेलन से पता चलता है कि दोनों नेताओं के बीच अच्छी मुलाकात हुई।



वाशिंगटन स्थित व्हाइट हाउस में प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी और अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति की बातचीत का दृश्य। - प्रेट्र

मोदी-ट्रंप में इन मुद्दों पर बनी सहमति

असैन्य परमाणु सहयोग

मोदी और ट्रंप ने 16 साल पहले दोनों देशों के बीच हुए ऐतिहासिक असैन्य परमाणु समझौते के तहत भारत में अमेरिकी डिजाइन वाले परमाणु रिएक्टरों के निर्माण को सुविधाजनक बनाने की दिशा में आगे बढ़ने का संकल्प लिया। ट्रंप ने कहा, 'भारतीय बाजार में अमेरिकी परमाणु प्रौद्योगिकियों का स्वागत करने के लिए भारत अपने कानूनों में सुधार कर रहा है।'

राणा के प्रत्यर्पण को मंजूरी

अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप ने कहा कि भारत और अमेरिका दुनिया भर में कट्टरपंथी इस्लामी आतंक के खतरे का मुकाबला करने के लिए इस तरह काम करेंगे जैसा पहले कभी नहीं किया गया। उन्होंने मुंबई पर 26/11 हमले के साजिशकर्ता तहव्वुर राणा के भारत प्रत्यर्पण का जिक्र करते हुए कहा, 'मुझे यह घोषणा करते हुए खुशी हो रही है कि मेरे प्रशासन ने दुनिया के सबसे बुरे लोगों में से एक के प्रत्यर्पण को मंजूरी दे दी है। राणा वर्तमान में लॉस एंजिलिस के एक 'मेट्रोपोलिटन डिटेंशन सेंटर' में हिरासत में है। ट्रंप ने कहा, 'वह न्याय का सामना करने के लिए भारत वापस जा रहा है। हम उसे तुरंत भारत वापस भेज रहे हैं और इस तरह के और प्रत्यर्पण हो सकते हैं, क्योंकि हमारे पास (भारत से) काफी अनुरोध हैं।'

प्रौद्योगिकी संबंधों को बढ़ावा

भारतीय पीएम नरेंद्र मोदी और अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप की मुलाकात के दौरान आर्टिफिशियल इंटेलिजेंस, नवाचार व अगली पीढ़ी की प्रौद्योगिकियों पर प्रमुखता से चर्चा हुई। दोनों पक्षों ने प्रौद्योगिकी संबंधों को प्रगाढ़ करने के लिए अमेरिका-भारत टीआरयूएसटी (ट्रस्ट) पहल, एआई अवसंरचना में तेजी लाने के लिए खाका तैयार करने और इंडस इनोवेशन सहित परिवर्तनकारी उपायों की घोषणा की।

मोदी की यात्राओं में खामियां निकालना कांग्रेस की आदत : भाजपा

नयी दिल्ली (एजेंसी) : भाजपा ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी की अमेरिका यात्रा को 'ऐतिहासिक' बताया और राहुल गांधी की टिप्पणी को लेकर उनकी आलोचना करते हुए कहा कि पीएम की विदेश यात्राओं में खामियां निकालना कांग्रेस नेताओं की आदत है। भाजपा के राष्ट्रीय प्रवक्ता शहजाद पूनावाला ने 'एक्स' पर एक पोस्ट में यह बात कही। पार्टी के राष्ट्रीय प्रवक्ता सैयद शाहनवाज हुसैन ने 26/11 मुंबई आतंकवादी हमले के आरोपी तहव्वुर राणा के प्रत्यर्पण को मंजूरी के बारे में अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप की घोषणा को 'भारत के लिए बड़ी कूटनीतिक जीत बताया। उन्होंने कहा कि कांग्रेस नेता को यह ध्यान रखना चाहिए कि मोदी ने देश के प्रधानमंत्री और 140 करोड़ लोगों के नेता के रूप में अमेरिका का दौरा किया था, न कि भाजपा नेता के रूप में।

चीन बोला- द्विपक्षीय सहयोग से तीसरे पक्ष का न हो नुकसान

बीजिंग : मोदी-ट्रंप की बैठक पर सधी हुई प्रतिक्रिया देते हुए बीजिंग ने कहा कि द्विपक्षीय सहयोग में चीन को मुद्दा नहीं बनाया जाना चाहिए और इससे किसी तीसरे देश के हितों को नुकसान नहीं पहुंचना चाहिए। चीनी विदेश मंत्रालय के प्रवक्ता गुओ जियाकुन ने मोदी और ट्रंप की मुलाकात पर कहा कि एशिया-प्रशांत शांतिपूर्ण विकास का केंद्र है, न कि भू-राजनीतिक प्रतिद्वंद्विता का क्षेत्र।

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POSTS OF THE DAY



Rahul Gandhi @RahulGandhi

Ask a question in the country, there's silence, ask abroad, it becomes a private matter! Even in America, Modi ji has covered up Adani's corruption!



Dharmendra Pradhan @dpradhanbjp

MAGA+MIGA=Mega partnership for growth, prosperity & boosting people-to-people ties. Heartily congratulate PM Modi for concluding a highly substantive visit to US.



Akhilesh Yadav @yadavakhilesh

It's the moral responsibility of the UP government to return the rent for which shops were allotted to retailers who incurred losses during Maha Kumbh.

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Rahul ne Adani mudde par sadha Nishana

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12	Hindi	52	N/A	Middle Center	43979	1.53M

राहुल ने अदाणी मुद्दे पर साधा निशाना

नई दिल्ली, विसं। लोकसभा में विपक्ष के नेता राहुल गांधी ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी के अमेरिका में गौतम अदाणी को लेकर की गई टिप्पणी पर निशाना साधा।

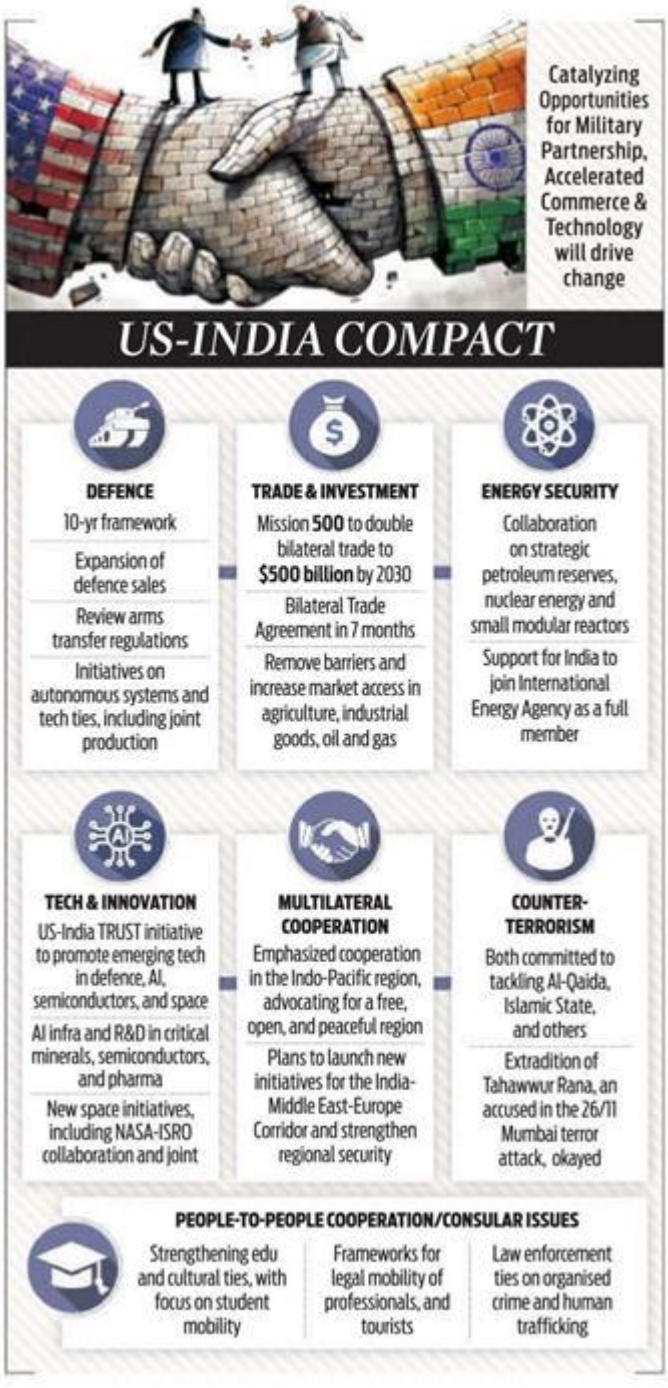
उन्होंने आरोप लगाया कि विदेश में प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी के लिए रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना व्यक्तिगत मामला बन जाता है। राहुल ने 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट कर कहा, 'देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला।

महाकुम्भ जा सकते हैं : राहुल गांधी और प्रियंका गांधी वाड्रा रविवार को प्रयागराज का दौरा कर संगम में डुबकी लगा सकते हैं।

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US-INDIA COMPACT

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Chandigarh International Airport ko point off call ghoshit kare: Tiwari

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चंडीगढ़ अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाई अड्डे को पॉइंट ऑफ कॉल घोषित करें : तिवारी

माई सिटी रिपोर्टर

सांसद मनीष तिवारी ने नागरिक उड्डयन मंत्री किंजरापु राममोहन नायडू को पत्र लिखकर रखी मांग

चंडीगढ़। करोड़ों खर्च करने के बाद भी चंडीगढ़ अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाई अड्डे से अंतरराष्ट्रीय उड़ानें बेहद कम है। लगातार अंतरराष्ट्रीय उड़ानों को बढ़ाने की कोशिश की जा रही है। सांसद मनीष तिवारी ने नागरिक उड्डयन मंत्री किंजरापु राममोहन नायडू को एक पत्र लिखकर इसे 'पॉइंट ऑफ कॉल' (पीओसी) घोषित करने की मांग की है।



पत्र में मनीष तिवारी ने कहा है कि शहीद-ए-आजम भगत सिंह अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाई अड्डा पंजाब, हरियाणा और हिमाचल प्रदेश के लोगों की सेवा करता है। इन राज्यों के लोग बड़ी संख्या में विदेश यात्रा करते हैं, चाहे वह कार्य से जुड़ी हो या पर्यटन के उद्देश्य से। इसके बावजूद, यह हवाई अड्डा अभी तक 'पॉइंट ऑफ कॉल' के रूप में मान्यता प्राप्त नहीं कर सका है, जिससे विदेशी एयरलाइंस को यहां सीधी उड़ानें संचालित करने की अनुमति नहीं है।

तिवारी ने कहा कि शहीद-ए-आजम भगत सिंह अंतरराष्ट्रीय हवाई अड्डा भारत के उन 18 हवाई अड्डों की सूची में शामिल नहीं है, जिन्हें 'बाइलेटरल ऑफर लिस्ट' में रखा गया है। यह सूची विदेशी एयरलाइंस को भारत के विशिष्ट हवाई अड्डों के लिए सीधी उड़ानों की अनुमति देती है। वर्तमान में दिल्ली, मुंबई, कोलकाता और चेन्नई सहित 18 हवाई अड्डे इस सूची में शामिल हैं। मनीष तिवारी ने इस मुद्दे को लोकसभा में भी उठाया था।

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Sensex fell by 200 points

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बिकवाली जारी रहने से शेयर बाजार में आठवें दिन गिरावट, सेंसेक्स 200 अंक और टूटा

मुंबई, 14 फरवरी। विदेशी संस्थागत निवेशकों की पूंजी निकासी जारी रहने के चलते प्रमुख शेयर सूचकांक सेंसेक्स और निफ्टी में शुक्रवार को लगातार 8वें दिन गिरावट जारी रही। बाजार में कारोबार की शुरुआत सकारात्मक रुख के साथ हुई, लेकिन जल्द ही शुरुआती बढ़त खत्म हो गई।

कारोबार के अंत में बीएसई सेंसेक्स 199.76 अंक यानी 0.26 प्रतिशत गिरकर 75,939.21 पर बंद हुआ। कारोबार के दौरान यह 699.33 अंक तक लुढ़क गया था। नेशनल स्टॉक एक्सचेंज का निफ्टी 102.15 अंक यानी 0.44 प्रतिशत गिरकर 22,929.25 पर बंद हुआ। आठ कारोबारी सत्रों में बीएसई सेंसेक्स 2,644.6 अंक यानी 3.36 प्रतिशत और निफ्टी 810 अंक यानी 3.41 प्रतिशत टूट चुका है। सेंसेक्स के शेयरों में अदाणी पोर्ट्स में चार प्रतिशत से अधिक की गिरावट आई। इसके अलावा अल्ट्राटेक सीमेंट, सन फार्मा, इंडसइंड बैंक, एनटीपीसी और टाटा स्टील भी नुकसान में रहे।

दूसरी ओर नेस्ले, आईसीआईसीआई बैंक, इंफोसिस, टाटा कंसल्टेंसी सर्विसेज और एचसीएल टेक लाभ में रहे।

कंपनियों की कमजोर आय के कारण निवेशकों के बीच जोखिम से बचने की भावना हावी होती जा रही है।

जियोजित फाइनेंशियल सर्विसेज के शोध प्रमुख विनोद नायर ने कहा कि कमजोर तिमाही नतीजों, रुपये में गिरावट और शुल्क जैसे बाहरी कारकों से निकट भविष्य में बाजार धारणा कमजोर रहने का अनुमान है। एफआईआई की निकासी जारी रहने से गिरावट बढ़ सकती है।

उन्होंने कहा कि जब तक शुल्क पर स्पष्टता नहीं आ जाती है, और कंपनियों की आय में सुधार नहीं होता है, तब तक अस्थिरता बनी रहने का अनुमान है।

सेंसेक्स	: 75,939.21 (-199.76)
निफ्टी	: 22,929.25 (-102.15)
सोना (24)	: 87,160 रुपये प्रति 10 ग्राम
चांदी	: 1,00,500 रुपये प्रति किलो
डॉलर	: 86.60 रुपया

एंजल वन के तकनीकी एवं वायदा-विकल्प के वरिष्ठ विश्लेषक ओशो कृष्णन ने कहा कि भारतीय शेयर बाजारों में आई जोरदार गिरावट ने पिछले दो हफ्तों की तेजी को पूरी तरह से फीका कर दिया है। उन्होंने कहा कि इस सप्ताह लगातार आठ सत्रों में बिकवाली हुई, जिससे निवेशकों में चिंता का माहौल बन गया। बीएसई स्मॉलकैप सूचकांक में 3.24 प्रतिशत और मिडकैप सूचकांक में 2.59 प्रतिशत की गिरावट आई।

बीएसई के क्षेत्रवार सूचकांकों की बात करें तो सेवा में 3.16 प्रतिशत, औद्योगिक में 3.03 प्रतिशत, पूंजीगत सामान में 2.76 प्रतिशत, बिजली में 2.65 प्रतिशत, उपयोगिता में 2.52 प्रतिशत, उपभोक्ता टिकाऊ वस्तुओं में 2.39 प्रतिशत, जिंस में 2.25 प्रतिशत और रियल्टी में 2.03 प्रतिशत की गिरावट आई। इस दौरान सिर्फ आईटी क्षेत्र फायदे में रहा।

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Electricity supply to Bangladesh again

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বাংলাদেশে ফের বিদ্যুৎ আদানির

■ ঢাকা: বাংলাদেশে পুরোদমে বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহ করতে রাজি ভারতের আদানি পাওয়ার সংস্থা। বিদেশি মুদ্রার সঙ্কটের কারণে বিল মেটাতে দেরি করছিল বাংলাদেশ, তাই ৩১ অক্টোবর থেকে সেখানে বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহ অর্ধেক করে দিয়েছিল গৌতম আদানির সংস্থা। কিন্তু সামনেই গ্রীষ্মকাল, সম্পূর্ণ বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহ চালু করার অনুরোধ করেছিল বাংলাদেশ। তা মেনে আগামী কয়েক দিনের মধ্যে পরিষেবা পুরোদমে চালু করবে আদানি গোষ্ঠী। তবে বিদ্যুতের দামে ছাড় পাবে না বাংলাদেশ।

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Modi faces question on Adani issue in America

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1	Bengali	183	N/A	Bottom Right	18626	100.5K

আমেরিকায় আদানি ইস্যুতে প্রশ্নের মুখে মোদী



ওয়াশিংটন ঃ আমেরিকা সফরে গিয়ে আদানি ইস্যুতে বিড়ম্বনায় পড়লেন প্রধানমন্ত্রী নরেন্দ্র মোদী। বৃহস্পতিবার দ্বিপাক্ষিক বৈঠকের পর যৌথভাবে সাংবাদিকদের মুখোমুখি হন মার্কিন প্রেসিডেন্ট ডোনাল্ড ট্রাম্প ও ভারতের প্রধানমন্ত্রী নরেন্দ্র মোদী। তখনই আদানি ইস্যুতে সাংবাদিককের প্রশ্নের মুখে পড়তে হয় ভারতের প্রধানমন্ত্রীকে। শিল্পপতি গৌতম আদানির ব্যাপারে ডোনাল্ড ট্রাম্পের সঙ্গে তাঁর কোনও আলোচনা হয়েছে কিনা, এই প্রশ্ন রাখা হয় মোদীর কাছে। নরেন্দ্র মোদী জানান, আমেরিকার প্রেসিডেন্টের সঙ্গে বৈঠকে শিল্পপতি গৌতম আদানিকে নিয়ে কোনও আলোচনাই হয়নি। তিনি আরও বলেন, 'ভারত একটি গণতান্ত্রিক দেশ এবং আমাদের সংস্কৃতি হল বসুধৈব কুটুম্বকম। আমরা সমগ্র বিশ্বকে একটি পরিবার হিসেবে বিবেচনা করি। আমি বিশ্বাস করি প্রত্যেক ভারতীয়ই আমার। সাধারণত এই রকম ব্যক্তিগত বিষয় নিয়ে দুই দেশের রাষ্ট্রপ্রধানের মধ্যে আলোচনা হয় না।' কয়েক মাস আগে আদানি গোষ্ঠীর বিরুদ্ধে নানা অভিযোগ ওঠে। আমেরিকার আদালতে মামলাও হয়। সেই ইস্যুতে উত্তপ্ত হয় জাতীয় রাজনীতি। বিরোধীরা আদানি ইস্যুকে সামনে রেখে নরেন্দ্র মোদীকে নিশানাও করেন। এবার আমেরিকায় সেই আদানি ইস্যুতেই প্রশ্নের মুখে পড়তে হল ভারতের প্রধানমন্ত্রীকে। বিদেশ সফরে গিয়ে আদানি ইস্যুতে প্রশ্নের জবাব এড়িয়ে যাওয়ায় প্রধানমন্ত্রীকে কটাক্ষ করতে ছাড়েননি লোকসভার বিরোধী দলনেতা রাহুল গান্ধি। তিনি বলেন, 'দেশে প্রশ্ন করা হলে নীরব থাকেন। বিদেশে গিয়ে একে ব্যক্তিগত বিষয় বলে মনে হল? আমেরিকাতে গিয়েও আদানির দুর্নীতিকে ধামাচাপা দিচ্ছেন মোদী। বন্ধুর পকেট ভরার জন্য দেশ গড়ার ডাক আর ঘুষ দেওয়া এবং দেশের সম্পদ লুট করা ব্যক্তিগত বিষয় হয়ে গেল?' তৃণমূলের রাজ্যসভার সাংসদ সাকেত গোখলে বলেন, 'আমেরিকায় গিয়ে প্রেস কনফারেন্স করতে বাধ্য হলেন প্রধানমন্ত্রী। যা গত ১১ বছরে করেননি। আদানি নিয়ে প্রশ্ন করতেই প্রধানমন্ত্রী বিচলিত ও ক্ষুব্ধ হয়ে পড়েন।'

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Rahul accuses Modi of 'covering up Adani's corruption', BJP hits back

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20	English	59	N/A	Middle Center	243322	4.69M

Rahul accuses Modi of 'covering up Adani's corruption', BJP hits back

Congress MP Rahul Gandhi Friday accused PM Modi of "covering up" businessman Gautam Adani's alleged corruption. "If you ask questions in the country, there is silence, If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption!" Gandhi wrote in a post on X in Hindi. "When filling a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modiji, then taking bribes and looting the nation's wealth becomes a 'personal matter'." Party general secretary Jairam Ramesh wrote, "Modi ji's face turned pale on hearing Adani's name... Since when has corruption become a personal matter." BJP spokesperson Ajay Alok slammed Gandhi for his remarks, stating the Congress neta is suffering from a disease that keeps him obsessed with "Adani, Hindenburg and Rafale". Finding faults with the PM's foreign visits has become a habit of Congress, said BJP's Syed Shahnawaz Hussain. AGENCIES

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Electricity supply to Bangladesh again

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1	Bengali	93	N/A	Middle Left	80457	1.3M

বাংলাদেশে ফের বিদ্যুৎ আদানির

■ ঢাকা: বাংলাদেশে পুরোদমে বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহ করতে রাজি ভারতের আদানি পাওয়ার সংস্থা। বিদেশি মুদ্রার সঙ্কটের কারণে বিল মেটাতে দেরি করছিল বাংলাদেশ, তাই ৩১ অক্টোবর থেকে সেখানে বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহ অর্ধেক করে দিয়েছিল গৌতম আদানির সংস্থা। কিন্তু সামনেই গ্রীষ্মকাল, সম্পূর্ণ বিদ্যুৎ সরবরাহ চালু করার অনুরোধ করেছিল বাংলাদেশ। তা মেনে আগামী কয়েক দিনের মধ্যে পরিষেবা পুরোদমে চালু করবে আদানি গোষ্ঠী। তবে বিদ্যুতের দামে ছাড় পাবে না বাংলাদেশ।

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Mahakumbh ki vajeh se desh ke shirash 20 airports mein shamil hua paryagraj

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4	Hindi	276	N/A	Middle Left	203292	368.8K

महाकुंभ की वजह से देश के शीर्ष 20 हवाई अड्डों में शामिल हुआ प्रयागराज

यूपी इंडेक्स ने जारी किया एयरपोर्ट का डाटा सप्ताह भर में आईं 283 फ्लाइटें

प्रयागराज। महाकुंभ की वजह से प्रयागराज एयरपोर्ट के खाते में एक विशेष उपलब्धि आई है। यहां यात्रियों और विमानों की लगातार बढ़ रही आवाजाही के चलते यह देश के शीर्ष 20 हवाई अड्डों में शामिल हो गया है। खास बात यह है कि महाकुंभ के मौके पर दो इंटरनेशनल फ्लाइट का भी संचालन हुआ।

यूपी इंडेक्स ने सोशल मीडिया साइट एक्स पर प्रयागराज एयरपोर्ट का एक डाटा शेयर किया है। उसमें बताया गया है कि इस माह प्रयागराज एयरपोर्ट के कुल 283 साप्ताहिक उड़ाने संचालित हो रही हैं। इस वजह से प्रयागराज की हवाई कनेक्टिविटी काफी मजबूत हुई है। इसमें बताया गया है कि यहां सप्ताह भर में स्पाइस जेट की 116, इंडिगो की 82, एयर इंडिया की 32, अकासा एयर की 28 एवं एलाइंस एयर की 25 उड़ाने शामिल हैं। वर्तमान में प्रयागराज एयरपोर्ट से दिल्ली, मुंबई, बंगलूरू के लिए सबसे अधिक उड़ान संचालित हो रही है। जो कुल उड़ानों का लगभग 60 फीसदी है।

बता दें प्रयागराज एयरपोर्ट से मौजूदा समय दिल्ली के लिए दस, मुंबई के लिए पांच एवं बंगलूरू के लिए नियमित रूप से दो से तीन विमान चल रहे हैं। इसके अलावा प्रयागराज से देहरादून, चंडीगढ़, जयपुर, अहमदाबाद, चेन्नई, रायपुर, कोलकाता, बिलासपुर, लखनऊ, भुवनेश्वर, हैदराबाद आदि शहरों के लिए भी सीधी उड़ान है। ब्यूरो

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Congress-Trinamool attack Modi's 'personal matter

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9	Bengali	817	N/A	Top Center	706496	1.3M

মোদীর ‘পার্সোনাল ম্যাটারে’ তোপ কংগ্রেস-জোড়াফুলের

এই সময়: নরেন্দ্র মোদীর আমেরিকা সফরের আগের দিনই আদানি গোষ্ঠীর জন্য ‘স্বস্তি’র বার্তা দিয়েছিল ডোনাল্ড ট্রাম্পের প্রশাসন। যে ঘুষ তদন্ত আইনের (ফরেন কোরাপ্ট প্র্যাকটিসেস অ্যাক্ট) আওতায় আদানি গোষ্ঠীর কর্ণধার গৌতম আদানি ও তাঁর ভাইপো সাগরের বিরুদ্ধে মার্কিন মুলুকে অভিযোগ আনা হয়েছিল, ট্রাম্প সরকার সেই আইন কার্যকর করা আপাতত স্থগিত করেছে। তা নিয়ে জল্পনা কম হয়নি ভারতের মাটিতে। এ বার সেই ট্রাম্পের পাশে বসেই সাংবাদিক বৈঠকে আদানি নিয়ে ‘অস্বস্তিকর’ প্রশ্নের মুখে পড়লেন ভারতের প্রধানমন্ত্রী। ক্রিকেটের পরিভাষায় ‘গ্রামাটিকাল শট’ খেলে ‘ডিফেন্স’ করলেন মোদী। তাতেও অবশ্য ব্যাটের কানায় খোঁচা লাগল এবং সেই খোঁচার সূত্র ধরে ভারতে তাঁকে নিশানা করল বিরোধী দলগুলি, বিশেষ করে কংগ্রেস। মার্কিন মুলুকে আদানি গোষ্ঠীর বিরুদ্ধে ঘুষ-তদন্ত সংক্রান্ত যে অভিযোগ আনা হয়েছিল, মোদী-ট্রাম্পের যৌথ সাংবাদিক বৈঠক চলাকালীন তা নিয়ে প্রশ্ন করেন সাংবাদিকরা। জবাবে মোদী জানান, এ সব ‘পার্সোনাল ম্যাটার’ এই দ্বিপাক্ষিক বৈঠকে আলোচনা হয়নি। ব্যস, এতেই শুরু হয় বিতর্ক। লোকসভার বিরোধী দলনেতা রাহুল গান্ধীর প্রতিক্রিয়া, ‘আমেরিকায় বসেও আদানিদের দুর্নীতি ঢাকছেন প্রধানমন্ত্রী’!



এক অনুষ্ঠানে গৌতম আদানির সঙ্গে প্রধানমন্ত্রী — ফাইল ছবি

আদানি গোষ্ঠীর বিরুদ্ধে দুর্নীতির অভিযোগ ওঠার পর থেকেই এই শিল্পগোষ্ঠীর সঙ্গে মোদী সরকারের ‘ঘনিষ্ঠতা’র অভিযোগ তুলে সরব হয়েছে বিরোধীরা। এই ইস্যুতে ভারতের শেয়ারবাজার নিয়ন্ত্রক সংস্থা সেবির চেয়ারম্যান মাধবী পুরী বুচের ইস্তফার দাবিও জোরালো ভাবে তোলা হয়েছে। এই আবহে গত বছরের শেষ দিকে আদানি গোষ্ঠীর বিরুদ্ধে ইউএস জাস্টিস ডিপার্টমেন্ট সৌরবিদ্যুৎ সংক্রান্ত চুক্তিতে সুবিধা পাওয়ার জন্য ভারতীয় সরকারি আধিকারিকদের প্রায় ২,১০০ কোটি টাকা ঘুষ দেওয়ার অভিযোগ তুলেছিল। যদিও মোদীর সফরের আগের দিনই ঘুষ তদন্ত আইন কার্যকর করা স্থগিত রাখে ট্রাম্প প্রশাসন।

মোদী-ট্রাম্প যৌথ সাংবাদিক বৈঠকে আদানি গোষ্ঠীর বিরুদ্ধে ওঠা দুর্নীতির অভিযোগ নিয়েই প্রশ্ন করা হয় মোদীকে। তাতে নমো জবাব দেন, ‘ভারত গণতান্ত্রিক দেশ এবং আমাদের সংস্কৃতি হলো বসুধৈব কুটুম্বকম। আমরা গোটা বিশ্বকেই এক পরিবার হিসেবে দেখি। আমি বিশ্বাস করি প্রত্যেক ভারতীয়ই আমার (আত্মীয়)। তবে এই সব পার্সোনাল ম্যাটারের ক্ষেত্রে বলতে পারি, দুই দেশের দুই প্রধান কখনও এই ধরনের ব্যক্তিগত বিষয় নিয়ে আলোচনা করেন না।’

এর প্রেক্ষিতে প্রধানমন্ত্রীকে কটাক্ষ ছুড়ে দিয়েছেন কংগ্রেস সাংসদ রাহুল গান্ধী। শুক্রবার তিনি বলেন, ‘দেশে (প্রধানমন্ত্রীকে) এই সব প্রশ্ন করা হলে জবাবে শুধুই নীরবতা আসে। আর বিদেশে এটা ব্যক্তিগত বিষয় হয়ে যায়! আমেরিকাতে বসেও উনি আদানিদের দুর্নীতি আড়াল করছেন।’ রাহুলের সংযোজন, ‘বন্ধুর (আদানি) পকেট ভরানো যদি মোদীর কাছে দেশ গঠন হয়, তা হলে তো ঘুষ দেওয়া ও দেশের সম্পদ লুট করা পার্সোনাল ম্যাটারই হবে!’ রাজ্যসভায় তৃণমূলের সাংসদ সাকেত গোখলের খোঁচা, আদানি নিয়ে প্রশ্ন করা হলে প্রধানমন্ত্রীকে দৃশ্যতই ‘ক্রুদ্ধ ও বিরক্ত’ বলে মনে হয়েছে। এক্স হ্যান্ডলে সাকেত লিখেছেন, ‘আমেরিকায় প্রধানমন্ত্রী মোদী সাংবাদিক বৈঠক করতে বাধ্য হলেন, যা ভারতে উনি গত ১১ বছরে করেননি। সে জন্যই (অপ্রিয় প্রশ্নের কারণে) উনি ভারতে কোনও সাংবাদিকদের প্রশ্ন নেন না। সে জন্যই ভারতে উনি যে সব ইন্টারভিউ দিয়েছেন, তার সবই আসলে স্ক্রিপটেড!’

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Congress-Trinamool attack Modi's 'personal matter

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মোদীর ‘পার্সোনাল ম্যাটারে’ তোপ কংগ্রেস-জোড়াফুলের

এই সময়: নরেন্দ্র মোদীর আমেরিকা সফরের আগের দিনই আদানি গোষ্ঠীর জন্য ‘স্বস্তি’র বার্তা দিয়েছিল ডোনাল্ড ট্রাম্পের প্রশাসন। যে ঘুষ তদন্ত আইনের (ফরেন কোরাপ্ট প্র্যাকটিসেস অ্যাক্ট) আওতায় আদানি গোষ্ঠীর কর্ণধার গৌতম আদানি ও তাঁর ভাইপো সাগরের বিরুদ্ধে মার্কিন মুলুকে অভিযোগ আনা হয়েছিল, ট্রাম্প সরকার সেই আইন কার্যকর করা আপাতত স্থগিত করেছে। তা নিয়ে জল্পনা কম হয়নি ভারতের মাটিতে। এ বার সেই ট্রাম্পের পাশে বসেই সাংবাদিক বৈঠকে আদানি নিয়ে ‘অস্বস্তিকর’ প্রশ্নের মুখে পড়লেন ভারতের প্রধানমন্ত্রী। ক্রিকেটের পরিভাষায় ‘গ্রামাটিকাল শট’ খেলে ‘ডিফেন্স’ করলেন মোদী। তাতেও অবশ্য ব্যাটের কানায় খোঁচা লাগল এবং সেই খোঁচার সূত্র ধরে ভারতে তাঁকে নিশানা করল বিরোধী দলগুলি, বিশেষ করে কংগ্রেস। মার্কিন মুলুকে আদানি গোষ্ঠীর বিরুদ্ধে ঘুষ-তদন্ত সংক্রান্ত যে অভিযোগ আনা হয়েছিল, মোদী-ট্রাম্পের যৌথ সাংবাদিক বৈঠক চলাকালীন তা নিয়ে প্রশ্ন করেন সাংবাদিকরা। জবাবে মোদী জানান, এ সব ‘পার্সোনাল ম্যাটার’ এই দ্বিপাক্ষিক বৈঠকে আলোচনা হয়নি। ব্যস, এতেই



এক অনুষ্ঠানে গৌতম আদানির সঙ্গে প্রধানমন্ত্রী — ফাইল ছবি

শুরু হয় বিতর্ক। লোকসভার বিরোধী দলনেতা রাহুল গান্ধীর প্রতিক্রিয়া, ‘আমেরিকায় বসেও আদানিদের দুর্নীতি ঢাকছেন প্রধানমন্ত্রী’!

আদানি গোষ্ঠীর বিরুদ্ধে দুর্নীতির অভিযোগ ওঠার পর থেকেই এই শিল্পগোষ্ঠীর সঙ্গে মোদী সরকারের ‘ঘনিষ্ঠতা’র অভিযোগ তুলে সরব হয়েছে বিরোধীরা। এই ইস্যুতে ভারতের শেয়ারবাজার নিয়ন্ত্রক সংস্থা সেবির চেয়ারম্যান মাধবী পুরী বুচের ইস্তফার দাবিও জোরালো ভাবে তোলা হয়েছে। এই আবহে গত বছরের শেষ দিকে আদানি গোষ্ঠীর বিরুদ্ধে ইউএস জাস্টিস ডিপার্টমেন্ট সৌরবিদ্যুৎ সংক্রান্ত চুক্তিতে সুবিধা পাওয়ার জন্য ভারতীয় সরকারি আধিকারিকদের প্রায় ২,১০০ কোটি টাকা ঘুষ দেওয়ার অভিযোগ তুলেছিল। যদিও মোদীর সফরের আগের দিনই ঘুষ তদন্ত আইন কার্যকর করা স্থগিত রাখে ট্রাম্প প্রশাসন।

মোদী-ট্রাম্প যৌথ সাংবাদিক বৈঠকে আদানি গোষ্ঠীর বিরুদ্ধে ওঠা দুর্নীতির অভিযোগ নিয়েই প্রশ্ন করা হয় মোদীকে। তাতে নমো জবাব দেন, ‘ভারত গণতান্ত্রিক দেশ এবং আমাদের সংস্কৃতি হলো বসুধৈব কুটুম্বকম। আমরা গোটা বিশ্বকেই এক পরিবার হিসেবে দেখি। আমি বিশ্বাস করি প্রত্যেক ভারতীয়ই আমার (আত্মীয়)। তবে এই সব পার্সোনাল ম্যাটারের ক্ষেত্রে বলতে পারি, দুই দেশের দুই প্রধান কখনও এই ধরনের ব্যক্তিগত বিষয় নিয়ে আলোচনা করেন না।’

এর প্রেক্ষিতে প্রধানমন্ত্রীকে কটাক্ষ ছুড়ে দিয়েছেন কংগ্রেস সাংসদ রাহুল গান্ধী। শুক্রবার তিনি বলেন, ‘দেশে (প্রধানমন্ত্রীকে) এই সব প্রশ্ন করা হলে জবাবে শুধুই নীরবতা আসে। আর বিদেশে এটা ব্যক্তিগত বিষয় হয়ে যায়! আমেরিকাতে বসেও উনি আদানিদের দুর্নীতি আড়াল করছেন।’ রাহুলের সংযোজন, ‘বন্ধুর (আদানি) পকেট ভরানো যদি মোদীর কাছে দেশ গঠন হয়, তা হলে তো ঘুষ দেওয়া ও দেশের সম্পদ লুট করা পার্সোনাল ম্যাটারই হবে!’ রাজ্যসভায় তৃণমূলের সাংসদ সাকেত গোখলের খোঁচা, আদানি নিয়ে প্রশ্ন করা হলে প্রধানমন্ত্রীকে দৃশ্যতই ‘ক্রুদ্ধ ও বিরক্ত’ বলে মনে হয়েছে। এক্স হ্যান্ডলে সাকেত লিখেছেন, ‘আমেরিকায় প্রধানমন্ত্রী মোদী সাংবাদিক বৈঠক করতে বাধ্য হলেন, যা ভারতে উনি গত ১১ বছরে করেননি। সে জন্যই (অপ্রিয় প্রশ্নের কারণে) উনি ভারতে কোনও সাংবাদিকদের প্রশ্ন নেন না। সে জন্যই ভারতে উনি যে সব ইন্টারভিউ দিয়েছেন, তার সবই আসলে স্ক্রিপটেড!’

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Flawed plan

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Flawed plan

Sir — While the concept of a 'perfect baby' is unattainable, parents, nevertheless, strive to achieve the best qualities in their children. But science seems to be inching closer to making the perfect baby a reality. Scientists have come up with in-vitro gametogenesis, a reproduction technique that will soon allow infertile parents to have biological children by selecting embryos with the perfect genetic traits like physical attributes and intelligence. But such perfect babies will exacerbate the already stiff rat race for higher standards. Instead of pursuing perfection, humans might fare better by embracing their flaws.

Akhil Anand,
Noida

Big relief

Sir — The recent executive order by the president of the United States of America, Donald Trump, to pause the enforcement of the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act raises an alarm about his administration's willingness to combat corruption ("Trump pause on law used to indict Adani", Feb 12). The Joe Biden-led administration had used the provisions of the FCPA to initiate a bribery investigation against the Adani Group.

Trump's decision, which came prior to Narendra Modi's visit to the US, seems like an act of favour towards the Gautam Adani-led conglomerate. It also signals a shift in American foreign policy that appears to prioritise corporate interests and political favours over justice. This action compromises the US's standing as a global leader in corporate accountability.

Nilachal Roy,
Siliguri

Sir — Donald Trump's order pausing the enforcement of the FCPA is supposedly aimed at restoring the US's economic competitiveness. The FCPA has been central to several high-profile department of justice cases. The indictment of Gautam Adani and his nephew, Sagar Adani, on bribery charges is a recent example. Previously, Hindenburg Research had also accused the Adani Group of stock manipulation and corporate fraud, suggesting possible corrupt dealings with foreign officials. Trump's decision effectively stalls any legal action against Adani in the US.



Relieved

S.S. Paul,
Nadia

Sir — The Donald Trump administration's decision to halt the FCPA's enforcement may have been influenced by the business interests of the members of his government, notably Elon Musk. The Musk-led department of government efficiency has been granted access to the sensitive federal payment system, raising concerns about the mixing of corporate interests and government policy. Trump's executive order will have implications for the ongoing legal proceedings against Gautam Adani. The move undermines global anti-corruption efforts and warrants scrutiny.

Gopalaswamy J.,
Chennai

Sir — The adage, a friend in need is a friend indeed, can be applied to Donald Trump's decision on the FCPA, which will provide relief to Gautam Adani, an ally of Narendra Modi. The nexus between Modi and Adani is common knowledge. Modi also boasts about his friendship with Trump. Trump's executive order to pause a half-a-century-old law just before he met Modi thus reveals the bonhomie between the heads of the two democracies.

Jahar Saha,
Calcutta

Control code

Sir — The Uttarakhand government recently released the Uniform Civil Code Rules for regulating live-in relationships. These stipulate the registration of such relationships through a lengthy documentation process and a need for prior permission from a priest in these cases. While there is a need to recognise live-in relationships and provide safeguards to the couples, the rules could be weaponised to interfere in inter-caste relationships and infringe upon privacy.

Subhranshu Roy,
Patna

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Trump-Modi's historic meeting

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एफ-35 की आपूर्ति, आतंकवाद और वैश्विक खतरों के खिलाफ संयुक्त प्रतिबद्धता

प्रधानमंत्री मोदी और राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप ने भारतीय वायुसेना को अत्याधुनिक एफ-35 लड़ाकू विमान की आपूर्ति की मंजूरी देने की घोषणा की। यह कदम भारत-अमेरिका रक्षा संबंधों को नई ऊंचाई पर ले जाएगा और हिंद-प्रशांत क्षेत्र में सुरक्षा सुनिश्चित करने के संदर्भ में महत्वपूर्ण साबित होगा। एफ-35 विमानों की आपूर्ति से भारतीय वायुसेना की क्षमताओं में वृद्धि होगी और यह दोनों देशों के बीच सामरिक सहयोग को और मजबूत करेगा।



रूस-यूक्रेन युद्ध पर भारत का रुख और शांति का संदेश

मोदी और ट्रंप ने रूस-यूक्रेन युद्ध के समाधान पर भी चर्चा की। मोदी ने स्पष्ट किया कि भारत हमेशा युद्ध के खिलाफ रहा है और शांति के पक्ष में खड़ा है। उन्होंने ट्रंप के शांति प्रयासों का समर्थन करते हुए कहा कि युद्ध का समाधान केवल कूटनीति और वार्ता के माध्यम से ही संभव है। मोदी ने रूस के राष्ट्रपति पुतिन से भी कहा था कि यह युद्ध का युग नहीं है, और उन्होंने रूस-यूक्रेन संघर्ष को समाप्त करने के लिए बातचीत की आवश्यकता को दोहराया।

भारत की शांति की ओर प्रतिबद्धता

प्रधानमंत्री मोदी ने कहा, भारत शांति का पक्षधर है और हम युद्ध के समाधान के लिए हमेशा कूटनीति और वार्ता की राह अपनाएंगे। उन्होंने ट्रंप के प्रयासों का स्वागत किया, जिनका उद्देश्य रूस-यूक्रेन संघर्ष को शांतिपूर्ण तरीके से हल करना है।

रक्षा, प्रौद्योगिकी और रणनीतिक सहयोग को मजबूत करना

दोनों नेताओं ने भारत और अमेरिका के बीच रक्षा, प्रौद्योगिकी और ऊर्जा के क्षेत्रों में सहयोग बढ़ाने पर जोर दिया। एक महत्वपूर्ण घोषणा में, ट्रंप ने भारत को अत्याधुनिक एफ-35 लड़ाकू विमान की आपूर्ति की अनुमति दी। यह कदम भारत-अमेरिका रक्षा संबंधों को नई ऊंचाई पर ले जाएगा, खासकर हिंद-प्रशांत क्षेत्र में सुरक्षा सुनिश्चित करने के संदर्भ में। एफ-35 विमानों की आपूर्ति से भारतीय वायुसेना की क्षमता में महत्वपूर्ण वृद्धि होगी, और यह दोनों देशों के बीच सामरिक सहयोग को और मजबूत करेगा।

मुंबई हमलों के दोषियों को न्याय दिलाने के लिए पाकिस्तान पर दबाव

वैश्विक आतंकवाद के बढ़ते खतरे के बीच, दोनों नेताओं ने सीमा पार आतंकवाद पर सख्त कार्रवाई की आवश्यकता पर जोर दिया। विशेष रूप से, दोनों नेताओं ने 26/11 के मुंबई हमलों के दोषियों को न्याय के कठघरे में लाने का आह्वान किया। इस पर ट्रंप ने तहव्वुर राणा, जो कि हमले का मुख्य साजिशकर्ता था, को भारत प्रत्यर्पित करने की घोषणा की। दोनों नेताओं ने आतंकवादी संगठनों जैसे अल-कायदा, आईएसआईएस, जैश-ए-मोहम्मद और लश्कर-ए-तैयबा के खिलाफ सहयोग को मजबूत करने के लिए प्रतिबद्धता जताई।

अदाणी मामले पर कोई चर्चा नहीं

जब मोदी से अदाणी समूह के खिलाफ चल रहे रिश्वतखोरी के आरोपों पर सवाल पूछा गया, तो उन्होंने स्पष्ट किया कि इस मुद्दे पर राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप के साथ कोई चर्चा नहीं की गई। मोदी ने कहा कि व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर वैश्विक नेताओं के बीच बातचीत नहीं होती है, और ऐसे मुद्दों को द्विपक्षीय वार्ता से बाहर रखा जाता है।

MIGA और MAGA : एक MEGA साझेदारी

प्रधानमंत्री मोदी ने 'MIGA' (Make India Great Again) का नारा दिया, जो ट्रंप के 'MAGA' (Make America Great Again) से प्रेरित था। उन्होंने कहा कि दोनों देशों का मिलकर काम करना एक 'MEGA' साझेदारी बनाएगा, जो न केवल दोनों देशों की समृद्धि के लिए बल्कि वैश्विक स्तर पर शांति और स्थिरता के लिए भी महत्वपूर्ण होगा।

इस दौरान, दोनों नेताओं ने हिंद-प्रशांत क्षेत्र में सुरक्षा सुनिश्चित करने और चीन के प्रभाव को रोकने के लिए भी अपने विचार साझा किए।

भारत-अमेरिका संबंधों के मजबूत भविष्य की दिशा में

मोदी और ट्रंप दोनों ने इस बात पर जोर दिया कि भारत और अमेरिका के संबंधों को और मजबूत बनाने के लिए दोनों देशों को मिलकर काम करना चाहिए। रक्षा, प्रौद्योगिकी और आतंकवाद के खिलाफ संयुक्त प्रयासों के जरिए यह साझेदारी वैश्विक चुनौतियों का समाधान करने में अहम भूमिका निभाएगी।

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अडानी मसले पर राहुल का निशाना

नई दिल्ली। प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी से वॉशिंगटन डीसी में राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ साझा प्रेस कॉन्फ्रेंस में गौतम अडानी को लेकर भी सवाल पूछा गया। अमेरिका में अडानी के ऊपर चल रहे मुकदमे को लेकर पूछे गए सवाल को उनका निजी मामला बता कर मोदी ने टाल दिया। इस पर लोकसभा में नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी ने फिर अडानी का मुद्दा उठाया और प्रधानमंत्री मोदी पर निशाना साधा। राहुल ने शुक्रवार को सोशल मीडिया प्लेटफॉर्म एक्स पर लिखा, 'अडानी मामले पर पीएम से देश में सवाल पूछो तो वे चुप्पी साध लेते हैं। जब विदेश में सवाल किया गया तो इसे निजी मामला बताया'।

असल में साझा प्रेस कॉन्फ्रेंस में प्रधानमंत्री मोदी से पत्रकारों ने सवाल पूछा था कि क्या राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप के साथ मीटिंग में गौतम अडानी के केस पर कोई चर्चा हुई? इस पर प्रधानमंत्री ने जवाब दिया कि ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों में कोई बातचीत नहीं हुई है। उन्होंने कहा, 'हमारे संस्कार और संस्कृति वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम की है। हम पूरे विश्व को अपना एक परिवार मानते हैं। हर भारतीय को मैं अपना मानता हूं।

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अदाणी पर देश में चुप्पी साधते हैं, विदेश में 'व्यक्तिगत मामला' बताते हैं प्रधानमंत्री : राहुल गांधी

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प्रधानमंत्री मोदी ने अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ संयुक्त प्रेस वार्ता में गौतम अदाणी से जुड़े सवाल पर कहा, भारत एक लोकतंत्र है और हमारी संस्कृति 'वसुधैव कुटुंबकम' की है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय से मेरा नाता है।



मोदी ने कहा कि दो नेताओं के बीच बातचीत में ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर चर्चा नहीं की जाती।

कांग्रेस के पूर्व अध्यक्ष राहुल गांधी ने 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट किया, देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला। अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने अदाणी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया। उन्होंने आरोप लगाया, जब मित्र की जेब भरना मोदी जी के लिए राष्ट्र निर्माण है, तब रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना व्यक्तिगत मामला बन जाता है। कांग्रेस महासचिव जयराम रमेश ने सवाल किया कि आखिर 'भ्रष्टाचार' का मामला व्यक्तिगत कब से हो गया? उन्होंने 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट किया, मोदी जी के चेहरे का रंग उड़ गया अडानी का नाम सुनते ही, फिर घुमा फिराकर, असंगत ज्ञान देकर बोले कि ये व्यक्तिगत मामला है। भ्रष्टाचार व्यक्तिगत मामला कब से हो गया?''

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राहुल गांधी 'मानसिक बीमारी' से पीड़ितः मोदी की अमेरिका यात्रा टिप्पणी पर बोली भाजपा

नई दिल्ली, भाषा। भारतीय जनता पार्टी (भाजपा) ने नरेन्द्र मोदी की अमेरिका यात्रा को 'ऐतिहासिक' बताया और शुक्रवार को नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी की प्रधानमंत्री पर की गई टिप्पणी को लेकर उनकी आलोचना करते हुए आरोप लगाया कि वह (नेता प्रतिपक्ष) एक 'मानसिक बीमारी' से ग्रस्त हैं जिसके कारण 'अदाणी, हिंडनबर्ग और राफेल' के प्रति आसक्त हैं। भाजपा का यह आरोप राहुल गांधी द्वारा मोदी पर उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी के कथित भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डालने का आरोप लगाए जाने के बाद आया।

भाजपा के राष्ट्रीय प्रवक्ता अजय आलोक ने यहां पार्टी मुख्यालय में एक संवाददाता सम्मेलन में कहा, वह ऑब्सेसिव कंपल्सिव डिसऑर्डर से पीड़ित हैं। इसलिए, वह अदाणी, हिंडनबर्ग और राफेल के प्रति आसक्त है। उनकी दुनिया इन्हीं सवालों के इर्द-गिर्द घूमती है। वह मानसिक अस्थिरता की ओर बढ़ रहे हैं। ओसीडी यानी ऑब्सेसिव कंपल्सिव डिसऑर्डर एक मानसिक बीमारी है।

भाजपा प्रवक्ता ने कहा कि दोनों देशों के शासनाध्यक्ष वाशिंगटन में मिले और वहां (ऐसी बैठकों में) किसी व्यक्ति विशेष के बारे में चर्चा करने का समय नहीं होता। भाजपा के राष्ट्रीय प्रवक्ता शहजाद पूनावाला ने सोशल मीडिया मंच 'एक्स' पर एक पोस्ट में कहा, ''प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी की प्रभावशाली अमेरिका यात्रा ने भारत-अमेरिका के संबंधों को मजबूत किया है, जैसा पहले कभी नहीं हुआ। यह एक ऐतिहासिक यात्रा थी।'' उन्होंने अमेरिका यात्रा के दौरान मोदी की उपलब्धियां भी गिनाईं।

पार्टी के राष्ट्रीय प्रवक्ता सैयद शाहनवाज हुसैन ने कहा कि 26/11 मुंबई आतंकवादी हमले के आरोपी तहव्वुर राणा के प्रत्यर्पण को मंजूरी के बारे में अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप की घोषणा को 'भारत के लिए एक बहुत बड़ी कूटनीतिक जीत' बताया। उन्होंने 'पीटीआई-भाषा' से कहा, ''26/11 आतंकी हमले के मास्टरमाइंड तहव्वुर राणा को भारत लाया जाएगा। उन्होंने (प्रधानमंत्री मोदी) अमेरिका को इसके लिए राजी किया। यह भारत के लिए बहुत बड़ी कूटनीतिक जीत है।''

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शेयर बाजार में आठवें दिन गिरावट, सेंसेक्स 200 अंक टूटा

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विदेशी संस्थागत निवेशकों की पूंजी निकासी जारी रहने के चलते प्रमुख शेयर सूचकांक सेंसेक्स और निफ्टी में शुक्रवार को लगातार 8वें दिन गिरावट जारी रही। बाजार में कारोबार की शुरुआत सकारात्मक रुख के साथ हुई, लेकिन जल्द ही शुरुआती बढ़त खत्म हो गई।

कारोबार के अंत में बीएसई सेंसेक्स 199.76 अंक यानी 0.26 प्रतिशत गिरकर 75,939.21 पर बंद हुआ। कारोबार के दौरान यह 699.33 अंक तक लुढ़क गया था। नेशनल स्टॉक एक्सचेंज का निफ्टी 102.15 अंक यानी 0.44 प्रतिशत गिरकर 22,929.25 पर बंद हुआ। आठ कारोबारी सत्रों में बीएसई सेंसेक्स 2,644.6 अंक यानी 3.36 प्रतिशत और निफ्टी 810 अंक यानी 3.41 प्रतिशत टूट चुका है। सेंसेक्स के शेयरों में अदाणी पोर्ट्स में चार प्रतिशत से अधिक की गिरावट आई। इसके अलावा अल्ट्राटेक सीमेंट, सन फार्मा,



इंडसइंड बैंक, एनटीपीसी और टाटा स्टील भी नुकसान में रहे। दूसरी ओर नेस्ले, आईसीआईसीआई बैंक, इंफोसिस, टाटा कंसल्टेंसी सर्विसेज और एचसीएल टेक लाभ में रहे। कंपनियों की कमजोर आय के कारण निवेशकों के बीच जोखिम से बचने की भावना हावी होती जा रही है। जियोजित फाइनेंशियल सर्विसेज के शोध प्रमुख विनोद नायर ने कहा कमजोर तिमाही नतीजों, रुपये में गिरावट और शुल्क जैसे बाहरी कारकों से निकट भविष्य में बाजार धारणा कमजोर रहने का अनुमान है। एफआईआई की निकासी जारी रहने से गिरावट बढ़ सकती है।

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అదానీ అంశం వ్యక్తిగతం

» ట్రంప్‌తో చర్చించే విషయం కాదది: మోదీ

» మోదీ వ్యాఖ్యల్ని తప్పుబట్టిన రాహుల్

» అమెరికాలోనూ అదానీని రక్షిస్తున్నారని ఫైర్



న్యూఢిల్లీ, ఫిబ్రవరి 14 : వ్యాపారవేత్త గౌతమ్ అదానీపై అమెరికాలో నమోదైన అవినీతి కేసు గురించి భారత ప్రధాని నరేంద్రమోదీని అక్కడ మీడియా ప్రశ్నించింది. అదానీ కేసు విషయం అమెరికా అధ్యక్షుడు డొనాల్డ్ ట్రంప్‌తో చర్చించారా అని ప్రశ్నించగా, రెండు దేశాల అధినేతలు కలుసుకున్నప్పుడు వ్యక్తిగత అంశాలు చర్చకు రావని మోదీ సమాధానమిచ్చారు. "భారతదేశం ప్రజాస్వామ్యదేశం. విశ్వాన్నంతా కుటుంబంగా భావించే వసుధైక కుటుంబం అనే భావనే మా సంస్కృతికి, తాత్వికతకు, ఆలోచనలకు మూలం. ప్రతి భారతీయుడూ నా కుటుంబసభ్యుడే. ఇక వ్యక్తిగత విషయాలకు వస్తే, రెండు దేశాలకు చెందిన ఇద్దరు నాయకులు వ్యక్తిగత అంశాలపై చర్చించేందుకు కలుసుకోరు" అని మోదీ వివరించారు. మోదీ సమాధానం హిందీలో ఉండటంతో వ్యక్తిగత్ అనే మాటను వైట్‌హౌస్ అనువాదకుడు వ్యక్తిగతం అంటూ అనువదించారు. అయితే, హిందీలో ఈ మాటకు ప్రైవేటు, అంతర్గతం అనే అర్థాలు కూడా ఉన్నాయి. అంతకుముందు ఇదే ప్రశ్న ట్రంప్‌ను అడగ్గా, ఆయన స్పందించలేదు. కాగా, మోదీ వ్యాఖ్యలపై కాంగ్రెస్ పార్టీ ధ్వజమెత్తింది. దేశంలోనే కాకుండా, అమెరికాలోనూ అదానీని మోదీ రక్షిస్తున్నారని లోక్‌సభలో కాంగ్రెస్ పక్ష నేత రాహుల్‌గాంధీ విమర్శించారు. "ఇక్కడ అడిగితే మోదీ మౌనంగా ఉంటారు. అక్కడ అడిగితే వ్యక్తిగత విషయం అంటూ దాటవేస్తున్నారు" అని 'ఎక్స్'లో హిందీలో రాహుల్ ట్వీట్ చేశారు. అదానీ అనే మాట వినగానే మోదీ ముఖం మాడిపోయిందని, పొంతన లేని విషయాలేవో మాట్లాడారని కాంగ్రెస్‌కు చెందిన మరో నేత జైరామ్ రమేశ్ విమర్శించారు. మరోవైపు, భాషతో సంబంధం లేకుండా చెప్పాలనుకున్న విషయాన్ని పార్లమెంటులో బలంగా ముందుపెట్టాలని కాంగ్రెస్ పార్టీ ఎంపీలకు రాహుల్ సూచించారు. శుక్రవారం ఢిల్లీలో ఆయన కాంగ్రెస్ ఎంపీలతో సమావేశమయ్యారు. పార్లమెంటులో హిందీ లేక ఇంగ్లిష్‌లో మాట్లాడాలనే పట్టింపు అక్కర్లేదని, బాగా తెలిసిన భాషలోనే చర్చల్లో పాల్గొనవచ్చునని రాహుల్ సూచించారు. వచ్చే నెల 10 నుంచి మొదలయ్యే బడ్జెట్ రెండో విడత సమావేశాల్లో ప్రతి సభ్యుడూ పాల్గొనాల్సిందేనని ఆయన స్పష్టం చేశారు.

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China boarder dispute

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चीन सीमा विवादः ट्रम्प की पेशकश पर भारत की न

नई दिल्ली| ट्रम्प ने फिर भारत-चीन के बीच सीमा विवाद पर मध्यस्थता की पेशकश की। लेकिन भारत ने इसे अस्वीकार कर दिया। विदेश सचिव विक्रम मिसरी ने स्पष्ट किया कि अपने पड़ोसियों के साथ समस्याओं का समाधान द्विपक्षीय रूप से किया जाएगा। दरअसल, ट्रम्प ने प्रेस ब्रीफिंग में कहा था, मैं भारत-चीन सीमा पर झड़पों को देखता हूं जो काफी क्रूर हैं। अगर मैं इसे सुलझाने में मदद कर पाया तो मुझे अच्छा लगेगा।

चीनः द्विपक्षीय सहयोग से किसी और को नुकसान न हो

बीजिंग | मोदी-ट्रम्प की बैठक पर चीन ने कहा, द्विपक्षीय सहयोग में चीन को मुद्दा नहीं बनाया जाना चाहिए। साथ ही इससे किसी तीसरे देश के हितों को नुकसान नहीं पहुंचे। वहीं, उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी के मुद्दे पर सवाल पूछे जाने पर मोदी ने कहा कि दो राष्ट्राध्यक्षों के बीच व्यक्तिगत मुद्दों पर चर्चा नहीं होती है।

पाकः आतंक पर बयान से बौखलाया, एकतरफा बताया

इस्लामाबाद | आतंक के मुद्दों को लेकर पीएम मोदी और राष्ट्रपति ट्रम्प के संयुक्त बयान पर पाकिस्तान बौखला गया। पाक ने इस मुद्दे पर तीखी प्रतिक्रिया दी। पाकिस्तान के विदेश मंत्रालय के प्रवक्ता शफकत अली खान ने बयान को एकतरफा, भ्रामक और कूटनीतिक मर्यादाओं के खिलाफ बताया।

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DEsh mein swaal pucho to chuppi videsh mein pucho to niji mamla

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'देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला!'



नई दिल्ली, (पंजाब केसरी): अमेरिका में अडानी समूह को लेकर पूछे गए सवाल को लेकर प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी के जवाब पर कांग्रेस नेता राहुल गांधी ने सवाल उठाए हैं। उन्होंने कहा कि देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला! अमेरिका में भी पीएम मोदी ने अडानी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया! जब मित्र का जेब भरना पीएम मोदी के लिए राष्ट्र निर्माण है, तब रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना व्यक्तिगत मामला बन जाता है।इससे पहले पीएम मोदी से अमेरिका में अडानी समूह को लेकर जारी विवाद को लेकर भी सवाल किया गया। 'क्या अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ बैठक में कारोबारी गौतम अडानी के खिलाफ मामले पर चर्चा हुई?' पूछे जाने पर प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने कहा, 'भारत एक लोकतांत्रिक देश है और हमारी संस्कृति 'वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम' की है, हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। हर भारतीय को मैं अपना मानता हूं। ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों के लिए दो देशों के मुखिया न मिलते हैं न बैठते हैं न बात करते हैं।दरअसल, अडानी समूह की कंपनियों से जुड़ा एक विवाद अमेरिका में सामने आया था। अमेरिकी अभियोजकों ने अरबपति गौतम अडानी और उनकी कंपनियों से जुड़े लोगों पर सौर ऊर्जा अनुबंध के लिए अनुकूल शर्तों के बदले भारतीय अधिकारियों को 25 करोड़ डॉलर (करीब 21 अरब रुपये) रिश्वत देने का आरोप लगाया था।

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Good bye for Aerial acrobatics

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వి హంగ న్యాసాలకు వీడ్కోలు..!

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- ఫైటర్ జెట్ల విన్యాసాలకు ఫిదా
- సూర్యాస్తమయం వరకు సాగిన విన్యాసాలు

బెంగళూరు, ఫిబ్రవరి 14(ఆంధ్రజ్యోతి): ఏరోఇండియా-2025 విమానాల ప్రదర్శనకు వీడ్కోలు పలికారు. ఐదురోజులపాటు బెంగళూరు యలహంక ఎయిర్‌బేస్‌లో వైమానిక ప్రదర్శనలు కొనసాగాయి. 15వ విడత ఎయిర్‌షో విజయవంతమైంది. గతంలో చోటు చేసుకున్న పలు సంఘటనల నేపథ్యంలో ఎయిర్‌ఫోర్స్, డిఫెన్స్ విభాగాలు సంయుక్తంగా కార్యాచరణ జరిపి ఎక్కడా అవాంఛనీయ సంఘటనలకు తావులేకుండా ఎయిర్‌షోను నిర్వహించారు. గతంలో కార్ పార్కింగ్ ప్రదేశంలో అగ్ని ప్రమాదంతో వందలాదికార్లు కాలిపోయాయి. ఓ ఎయిర్‌క్రాఫ్ట్‌కు నష్టం వాటిల్లిన విషయం తెలిసిందే. అటువంటి వాటికి అవకాశం లేకుండా 15వ విడత ఏరో ఇండియా ప్రదర్శనలు అద్భుతం అనిపించేలా నిర్వహించారు. ఈనెల 10న కేంద్ర రక్షణమంత్రి రాజ్‌నాథ్‌సింగ్ ప్రదర్శనలు ప్రారంభించారు. మూడురోజులపాటు బీజినెస్, డిఫెన్స్ తదితర విభాగాలకు మాత్రమే అవకాశం ఉండేది. 13, 14 తేదీలలో ప్రజలందరూ వీక్షించేందుకు అవకాశం ఉండడంతో లక్షలాదిమంది తరలివచ్చారు.

- ఇండియన్ ఎయిర్‌ఫోర్స్, హెచ్‌ఏఎల్ నిర్మించిన తేజస్ ఎల్‌సీఏ, ఎల్‌హెచ్ హెలీకాప్టర్, సూర్యకిరణ్ విమానాలు, రష్యా నిర్మిత ఎన్‌యూ 57, యూఎస్ ఎఫ్35తోపాటు అనేక ఫైటర్‌జెట్‌లు ప్రదర్శనలో పాల్గొన్నాయి. ఐదురోజులపాటు సాగిన వైమానిక ప్రదర్శనలను లక్షలాదిమంది వీక్షించారు. దేశ విదేశీ యుద్ధ విమానాలు, క్రయిసీ విమానాల అబ్బురపరిచే విన్యాసాలను చూసేందుకు ప్రజలు ఆసక్తి చూపారు. ఆసియాఖండంలోనే అతిపెద్ద వైమానిక ప్రదర్శన ఏరోఇండియా-2025 ద్వారా రక్షణరంగ సామర్థ్యాన్ని ప్రదర్శించే వేదికగా సాగింది. డిఫెన్స్, వైమానిక ఉపకరణాల పరిశ్రమ స్టైల్స్ ప్రత్యేక ఆకర్షణ లయ్యాయి. హెచ్‌ఏఎల్, భీఈఎల్, అదాని గ్రూప్స్, రిలయెన్స్‌తోపాటు వందలాది దేశ విదేశీ సంస్థలు తమ ఉత్పత్తులను ప్రదర్శించాయి. పలుదేశాలతో రక్షణ ఉపకరణాలకు సంబంధించి ఒప్పందాలు కుదిరాయి. చివరిరోజు సూర్యాస్తమయం వరకు విమానాల విన్యాసాలు కొనసాగగా సందర్శకులు సంతోషంగా గడిపారు. చివరగా వీడ్కోలు పలికేవేళ విమానాల విన్యాసాలకు చేతులుఊపి సందర్శకులు వీడ్కోలు పలికారు. కాగా చివరిరోజు సందర్శకుల పోటెత్తడంతో యలహంక సమీప ప్రాంతాలు ట్రాఫిక్‌జట్టితో ప్రయాణికులు ఇబ్బందులు ఎదుర్కొన్నారు. హెబ్బాళ - యలహంక మార్గంలో సుమారు రెండుమూడు గంటలపాటు రద్దీ కొనసాగింది.

బై..బై..: విహంగాలకు వీడ్కోలు పలుకుతున్న చిన్నారి

హృదయ ఆకారంలో విన్యాసం

యలహంక ఎయిర్‌బేస్‌లో యుద్ధవిమానాలు, ప్రజల సందడి

యలహంక ప్రధాన మార్గంలో ట్రాఫిక్

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కూటమి ప్రభుత్వం వచ్చాక జగన్ పాలనలోని ఆక్రమ నిర్ణయాలన్నీ రద్దు చేస్తారని అందరూ భావించారు. ఈ దిశగా కూటమి ప్రభుత్వం పలు చర్యలు తీసుకుంటోంది. అయితే మన్యంలో గిరిజన చట్టాల ఉల్లంఘనతో మంజూరైన పవర్ ప్రాజెక్టుల విషయంలో చర్యలు కొరవడ్డాయి. గత ప్రభుత్వంలో మాదిరిగానే ఇప్పుడు కూడా గిరిజన చట్టాల ఉల్లంఘనను కొనసాగిస్తున్న అధికారుల తీరుపై సర్వత్రా విమర్శలు వ్యక్తమవుతున్నాయి. జగన్ హయాంలోని పలువురు అధికారులే కూటమి ప్రభుత్వంలో కూడా అక్కడ కీలకంగా కొనసాగుతుండడమే ఇందుకు కారణమన్న విమర్శలు కూడా ఉన్నాయి. గత జగన్ పాలనలో గిరిజన చట్టాలను ఉల్లంఘించి మరీ మన్యంలో అదానీ పవర్ వంటి సంస్థలకు హైడ్రో పవర్ ప్రాజెక్టులను కట్టబెట్టారు. అప్పట్లో చట్టవిరుద్ధంగా భూములు కేటాయించడం తీవ్ర వివాదాస్పదమైంది. గిరిజన ప్రయోజనాల కోసం గతంలో బాక్సైట్ లీజులను రద్దు చేసిన చంద్రబాబు.. అలాగే మన్యంలో భూ కేటాయింపుల విషయంలోనూ గిరిజన చట్టాలను కాపాడాలని కోరుతున్నారు.

2022లో కేటాయింపులు

దేశవ్యాప్తంగా పునరుత్పాదక విద్యుదుత్పత్తి కోసం రాష్ట్ర ప్రభుత్వాలు ప్రత్యేక విధానాలను రూపొందించి అనేక రాయితీలతో ఆయా సంస్థలకు ప్రాజెక్టులు కట్టబెడుతున్నాయి. ఇందులో భాగంగా రాష్ట్రంలో 2022లో జగన్ సర్కార్ పలు సంస్థల కోసం ప్రత్యేక విధానాన్ని అమలులోకి తెచ్చింది. 14,680 మెగావాట్ల విద్యుత్తును ఉత్పత్తి చేసి నిల్వ చేసేందుకు రాష్ట్రవ్యాప్తంగా 14 ప్రాజెక్టులను వివిధ సంస్థలకు 2022-23 ఆర్థిక సంవత్సరంలో కేటాయించింది. వీటిలో నాలుగు ప్రాజెక్టులు అల్లూరి సీతారామరాజు, పార్వతీపురం మన్యం గిరిజన జిల్లాల్లోనే ఉన్నాయి. 1970 తర్వాత మన్యంలో ఒక్క అంగుళం భూమి కూడా గిరిజనేతరులకు బదలాయించేందుకు వీలులేని విధంగా చట్టాలు అమల్లో ఉన్నాయి. అయితే జగన్ సర్కారు ఇక్కడ హైడ్రో ప్రాజెక్టులను, అందుకు అవసరమైన భూములను చట్టవిరుద్ధంగా గిరిజనేతర సంస్థలకు కేటాయించింది. కూటమి ప్రభుత్వం వచ్చాక రద్దు దిశగా చర్యలు లేకపోగా, గత ప్రభుత్వం మాదిరిగానే మన్యంలో మరో రెండు పవర్ ప్రాజెక్టులను గిరిజనేతర సంస్థలకు కట్టబెట్టే చర్యలు మొదలయ్యాయి.

నాడు బాక్సైట్ లీజుల రద్దు

హైడ్రో పవర్ ప్రాజెక్టుల కేటాయింపు తరహాలో గతంలో బాక్సైట్ తవ్వకాల విషయంలోనూ ఉల్లంఘనలు చోటు చేసుకున్నాయి. వ్యవహారం వివాదాస్పదంగా మారి సుప్రీం కోర్టు వరకు కేసు నడిచింది. సమతా కేసుగా ప్రాచుర్యం పొందిన ఆ కేసులో గిరిజన ప్రాంతాలలో స్థిరాస్తులను గిరిజనేతరులెవ్వరికీ కట్టబెట్టేందుకు వీల్లేదని, ప్రభుత్వాన్ని కూడా గిరిజనేతరునిగానే పరిగణించాలని సుప్రీం కోర్టు తేల్చి చెప్పింది. 2014కు ముందు బాక్సైట్ లీజులను అప్పటి ప్రభుత్వం ఇస్తే తర్వాత అధికారంలోకి వచ్చిన చంద్రబాబు సర్కారు ఆయా లీజులను రద్దు చేసింది. చంద్రబాబు సూచ్రితో ప్రస్తుతం ఉన్న అధికారులు ఆ దిశగా చర్యలు తీసుకోవడం లేదన్న విమర్శలు వ్యక్తమవుతున్నాయి. ప్రభుత్వంలోని చాలా మంది ఉన్నతాధికారులకు ఈ విషయాలు తెలిసినా.. ఇంకా గత ప్రభుత్వ పోకడలు వదిలించుకోలేక చట్టవిరుద్ధ నిర్ణయాలను కొనసాగిస్తున్నారు.

నిబంధనలకు విరుద్ధంగా..

జగన్ ప్రభుత్వం అల్లూరి జిల్లాలోని కొయ్యూరు మండలం ఎర్రవరంలో 1200 మెగావాట్లతో, అనంతగిరి మండలం పెదకోటలో 1000 మెగావాట్లతో, పార్వతీపురం మన్యం జిల్లా సాలూరు మండలంలోని కురుకుట్టిలో 1200 మెగావాట్లతో, కర్రివలసలో 1000 మెగావాట్లతో పంప్ స్టోరేజ్ హైడ్రో పవర్ ప్రాజెక్టులను కేటాయించింది. ఇందులో మూడు ప్రాజెక్టులను అదానీ పవర్ కంపెనీకి, ఒక ప్రాజెక్టును మిడీ సాయి ఎలక్ట్రికల్స్‌కు కట్టబెట్టింది. ఈ ప్రాజెక్టుల కోసం మొత్తం సుమారు 2 వేల ఎకరాలకు పైగా భూమి కావాలి. వీటిలో 25 శాతం దాకా అటవీ భూములు ఉండగా, మిగిలినవి పట్టా భూములు, ప్రభుత్వ భూములు ఉన్నాయి. ఈ భూములను విక్రయం ద్వారా గానీ, లీజు ద్వారా గానీ ఆ సంస్థలకు కట్టబెట్టే వివాదాస్పద నిర్ణయాలను గత ప్రభుత్వం తీసుకుంది. ముఖ్యంగా గిరిజన ప్రాంతాల్లో ఏ విధమైన ప్రాజెక్టులు చేపట్టాలన్నా ఆయా గ్రామసభల తీర్మానాలు, రాష్ట్ర గిరిజన సలహా మండలి ఆమోదం అవసరం. కానీ ఇవేమీ లేకుండానే గత ప్రభుత్వం ఈ ప్రాజెక్టులను మంజూరు చేసింది. ఈ మేరకు భూ కేటాయింపులు చేస్తూ ఉత్తర్వులు జారీ చేసింది. కూటమి ప్రభుత్వం వచ్చాక ఈ ప్రాజెక్టుల రద్దు దిశగా చర్యలు తీసుకోవడంలో గిరిజన సంక్షేమం, రెవెన్యూ శాఖల ఉన్నతాధికారులు మీనమేషాలు లెక్కిస్తున్నారు.

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Trump ke sath Adani mudhe par charcha nahi hui: Modi

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3	Hindi	365	N/A	Middle Right	167696	1.54M

ट्रंप के साथ अदाणी मुद्दे पर चर्चा नहीं हुई : मोदी

वाशिंगटन, प्रेट्र : प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी ने कहा कि उनकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप से मुलाकात के दौरान उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी के खिलाफ लगाए गए रिश्वतखोरी के आरोपों पर चर्चा नहीं हुई। उन्होंने कहा कि जब दो वैश्विक नेता मिलते हैं तो ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर चर्चा नहीं की जाती।

व्हाइट हाउस में पीएम मोदी से पूछा गया कि क्या उन्होंने कथित रिश्वतखोरी में शामिल होने को लेकर न्यूयार्क की एक अदालत में अदाणी और उनके प्रमुख सहयोगियों पर चल रहे मुकदमे का मुद्दा उठाया। उन्होंने कहा, 'सबसे पहले, भारत एक लोकतांत्रिक देश है और हमारी संस्कृति और हमारा विचार दर्शन

कहा, दो नेता मिलते हैं तो व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर चर्चा नहीं होती

'वसुधैव कुटुंबकम' है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय मेरा है। दो देशों के दो प्रमुख नेता ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर कभी चर्चा नहीं करते हैं।' ट्रंप ने प्रेस वार्ता के दौरान कोई जिक्र नहीं किया।

पिछले वर्ष अमेरिकी न्याय मंत्रालय ने अदाणी समूह के प्रमुख गौतम अदाणी, उनके भतीजे सागर और प्रमुख कार्यकारी अधिकारी विनीत जैन पर आरोप लगाया था कि वे भारतीय अधिकारियों को करीब 2,100 करोड़ रुपये की रिश्वत देने की कथित साजिश का हिस्सा थे। हालांकि अदाणी समूह ने सभी आरोपों को खारिज किया है। ट्रंप ने गत सोमवार को करीब आधी सदी पुराने विदेशी भ्रष्ट आचरण अधिनियम के क्रियान्वयन पर रोक लगाने के लिए एक कार्यकारी आदेश पर किए।

यूक्रेन युद्ध पर भारत तटस्थ नहीं, शांति का पक्षधर : पीएम मोदी ने यूक्रेन और रूस के बीच जारी युद्ध समाप्त कराने के अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप के प्रयासों का स्वागत किया। इस बात पर जोर दिया कि संघर्ष का समाधान युद्ध के मैदान में नहीं खोजा जा सकता और शांति के लिए वार्ता और कूटनीति ही एकमात्र रास्ता है। उन्होंने कहा कि भारत युद्ध के मामले में तटस्थ नहीं रहा है और वह शांति का पक्षधर है।

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16	Hindi	136	N/A	Middle Center	61074	92.28K

एल्विश ने एआई टूल से एडिट कर वीडियो किया था अपलोड

जयपुर| यू-ट्यूबर एल्विश यादव ने जयपुर पुलिस द्वारा एस्कॉर्ट वाला वीडियो एआई टूल से एडिट कर अपलोड किया था। पुलिस की जांच में सामने आया कि जयपुर विजिट के दौरान इन लोगों ने जयपुर में कई जगह घूमने के दौरान अलग-अलग जगह पर पुलिस की गाड़ी (चेतक व डायल 112) के पीछे चलने के दौरान रिकॉर्ड कर लिए। उसके बाद आर्टिफिशियल इंटेलिजेंस पावर-वर्ड एडवांस्ड एडिटर टूल्स से एडिट कर एक वीडियो बना लिया, फिर उसे अपने यू-ट्यब चैनल पर अपलोड कर दिया। इस चैनल से कई लोगों ने वीडियो को डाउनलोड करके फिर एडिट किया और सोशल मीडिया पर वायरल कर दिया।

एल्विश जयपुर आया तो उसका शहर के ट्रांसपोर्ट, जवाहर सर्किल, एयरपोर्ट, न्यू सांगानेर रोड व अजमेर रोड सहित कई जगह पर मूवमेंट रहा। इस दौरान उसने सड़क पर गश्त कर रही डायल 112 और चेतक के पीछे चलकर वीडियो बना लिया। इसी दौरान उसने अपनी गाड़ी में लगा सायरन भी बजाया। रिकॉर्ड किए कई वीडियो को एआई टूल्स की मदद से एडिट कर एक नया वीडियो बना लिया। इसके बाद उसे राजस्थान में फुल प्रोटोकॉल शीर्षक लिखकर अपलोड कर दिया।

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Eighth consecutive session of sell-off

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2	Gujarati	289	N/A	Top Left	115782	34.89K

સતત આઠમા સત્રમાં વેચવાલી

મિડકેપ, સ્મોલકેપ શેર્સમાં ભારે ધોવાણ યથાવત્

વાણિજ્ય પ્રતિનિધિ તરફથી

મુંબઈ, તા. ૧૪ : સપ્તાહના અંતિમ સત્રમાં શુક્રવારે બજાર શરૂઆતમાં સકારાત્મક ખૂલ્યા બાદ ઘટીને બંધ રહ્યું હતું. સેન્સેક્સ ૧૯૯.૭૬ પોઇન્ટ્સ (૦.૨૬ ટકા) ઘટીને ૭૫,૯૩૯.૨૧ પોઇન્ટ્સ ઉપર અને નિફ્ટી ૧૦૨.૧૫ પોઇન્ટ્સ (૦.૪૪ ટકા) ઘટીને ૨૨,૯૨૯.૨૫ પોઇન્ટ્સ ઉપર બંધ રહ્યા હતા.

સતત આઠમા સત્રમાં બજાર ઘટ્યું હતું. ૧૩ ક્ષેત્રના સૂચકાંકો ઘટ્યા હતા. વિદેશી રોકાણકારોની સતત વેચવાલીને કારણે બજારનું સેન્ટિમેન્ટ ખરાબ થયું હતું. આઠ દિવસમાં સેન્સેક્સ ૨૬૪૪.૬ પોઇન્ટ્સ (૩.૩૬ ટકા) ઘટ્યો છે, જ્યારે નિફ્ટી ૮૧૦ પોઇન્ટ્સ (૩.૪૧ ટકા) ઘટ્યો હતો.

સેન્સેક્સમાં અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ ૪ ટકાથી વધુ ઘટ્યો હતો ત્યાર બાદ અલ્ટ્રાટેક સિમેન્ટ, સન ફાર્મા, ઇન્ડુસઇન્ડ બેન્ક, એનટીપીસી અને તાતા સ્ટીલ ઘટ્યા હતા, જ્યારે નેસ્લે, આઈસીઆઈસીઆઈ બેન્ક, ઇન્ફોસીસ, ટીસીએસ અને એચસીએલ ટેક વધ્યા હતા.

નિફ્ટીમાં ભારત ઇલેક્ટ્રોનિક્સ, અદાણી એન્ટરપ્રાઇઝિસ, ટ્રેન્ટ, અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ અને સનફાર્માના ભાવ સૌથી વધુ ઘટ્યા હતા, જ્યારે બ્રિટાનિયા, આઈસીઆઈસીઆઈ બેન્ક, નેસ્લે, ઇન્ફોસીસ અને ટીસીએસના ભાવ વધ્યા હતા.



જિયોજિત ફાઇનાન્સિયલના વિનોદ નાયરે જણાવ્યું હતું કે, ખાસ કરીને મિડકેપ અને સ્મોલકેપમાં કોર્પોરેટ કમાણી ધાર્યા કરતાં નોંધપાત્ર રીતે ઓછી હોવાથી રોકાણકારોમાં સાવચેતીનું વલણ છે.

ઓછી કોર્પોરેટ કમાણી, રૂપિયાનું અવમૂલ્યન અને ટેરિફ યુદ્ધ જેવા બહારનાં પરિબળોને કારણે નજીકના સમયમાં બજારનું સેન્ટિમેન્ટ ખરાબ રહેશે અને એફઆઈઆઈની વેચવાલી ચાલુ રહેશે જ્યાં સુધી ટેરિફની સ્પષ્ટતા ન થાય અને કોર્પોરેટ કમાણીની રિકવરી ન થાય ત્યાં સુધી બજારમાં અસ્થિરતા રહેશે, એમ નાયરે જણાવ્યું હતું.

બીએસઈ સ્મોલકેપ ઇન્ડેક્સ અને મિડકેપ ઇન્ડેક્સ એક તબક્કે ત્રણ ટકાથી વધુ ઘટ્યા હતા. એશિયન બજારોમાં સિઓલ, શાંઘાઈ અને હોંગકોંગ વધ્યા હતા, જ્યારે ટોક્યો ઘટ્યું હતું. યુરોપિયન બજારોમાં મિશ્ર વલણ હતું. ગુરુવારે રાત્રે અમેરિકન બજારો વધીને બંધ રહ્યા હતા.

એક્સચેન્જના એક અહેવાલ મુજબ ગુરુવારે એફઆઈઆઈએ રૂ. ૨૩૮૯.૯૧ કરોડની ચોખ્ખી વેચવાલી કરી હતી.

બે વર્ષ પછી શુક્રવારે સૌપ્રથમ વાર સેન્સેક્સ અને નિફ્ટી સતત આઠમા સત્રમાં ઘટ્યા હતા. ભારતમાં ફુગાવો નિયંત્રણમાં છે, રિઝર્વ બેન્કે વ્યાજદર ઘટાડ્યો છે, રશિયા-યુક્રેન વચ્ચેનો તણાવ ઓછો થઈ રહ્યો છે, મોદી અને ટ્રમ્પ વચ્ચે ફળદાયી મંત્રણા થઈ છે. આ બધાં સકારાત્મક પરિબળો હાલમાં બજારનું સેન્ટિમેન્ટ સુધારી શક્યા નથી.

બીએસઈમાં સીટી પ્લસ મલ્ટિપ્લેક્સ, થ્રી બી બ્લેકબિયો ડીએક્સ, ખેમાણી ડિસ્ટ્રિબ્યુટર્સ, એરીસ ઇન્ટરનેશનલ, સોલેરિયમ ગ્રીન એનર્જી, આનંદ રેયોન્સ, આવીર ફુડ્સ, ઇન્ડોકેમ, જ્યોતિ ઇન્ફ્રા, આરઆરપી સેમિ-કંડક્ટર્સ, ન્યૂટ્રાઇટ એગ્રો, એલાઇટકોન ઇન્ટરનેશનલ, જીએચવી ઇન્ફ્રા, અરુનિસ એબોડે, મિડવેસ્ટ ગોલ્ડ, કપુપીડ બુઅરીઝ, આયુષ આર્ટ, એસબીઆઈ કાર્ડસ, રાજસ્થાન ટયુબ, સોલીટેર મશીન ટુલ્સ, આરવી ઉનીમ વગેરે શેર્સના ભાવ બાવન સપ્તાહની ઊંચાઈએ હતા.

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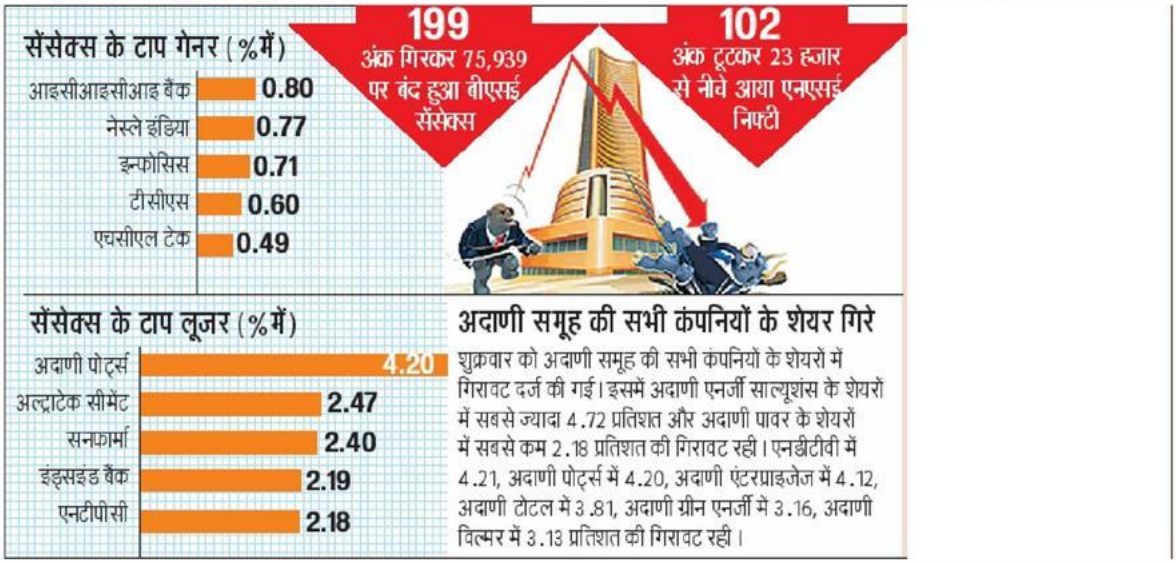
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एंजल वन के वरिष्ठ विश्लेषक ओशो कृष्णन का कहना है कि यह सप्ताह भारतीय शेयर बाजारों के लिए काफी खराब रहा है। इसने पिछले दो सप्ताहों से बनी सकारात्मक गति को फीका कर दिया है। लगातार आठ दिनों से जारी बिकवाली ने निवेशकों में चिंता का माहौल पैदा कर दिया है। इस सप्ताह बीएसई में 1,920.98 अंक और निफ्टी में 630.7 अंक की गिरावट आई है। बीते आठ दिनों में निवेशकों की संपत्ति में 25.31 लाख करोड़ रुपये की कमी आई है। अब बीएसई का पूंजीकरण घटकर 400.19 लाख करोड़ रुपये रह गया है।

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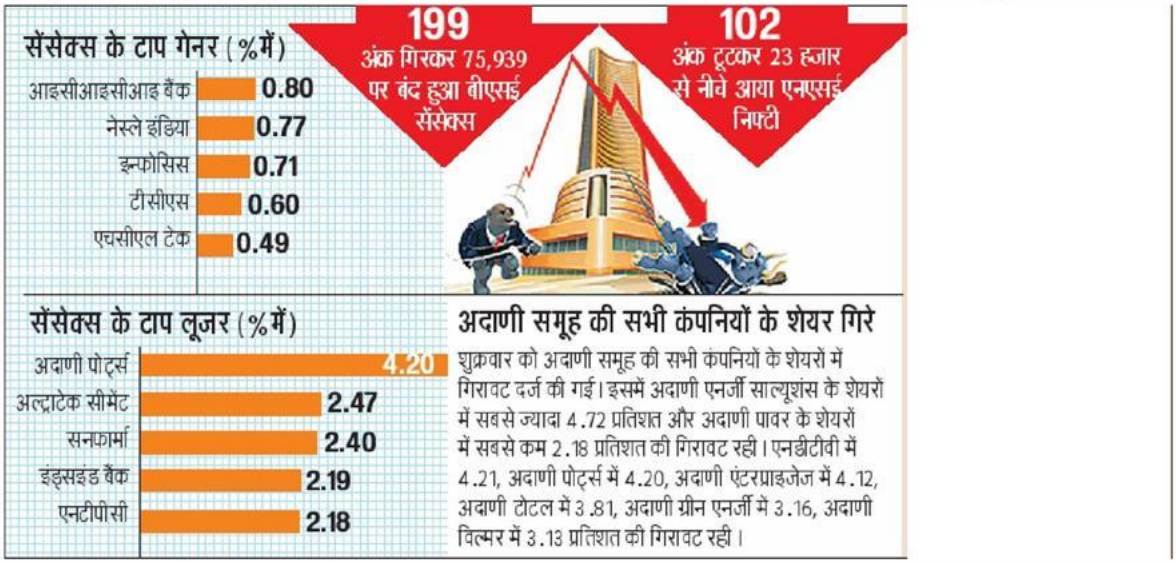
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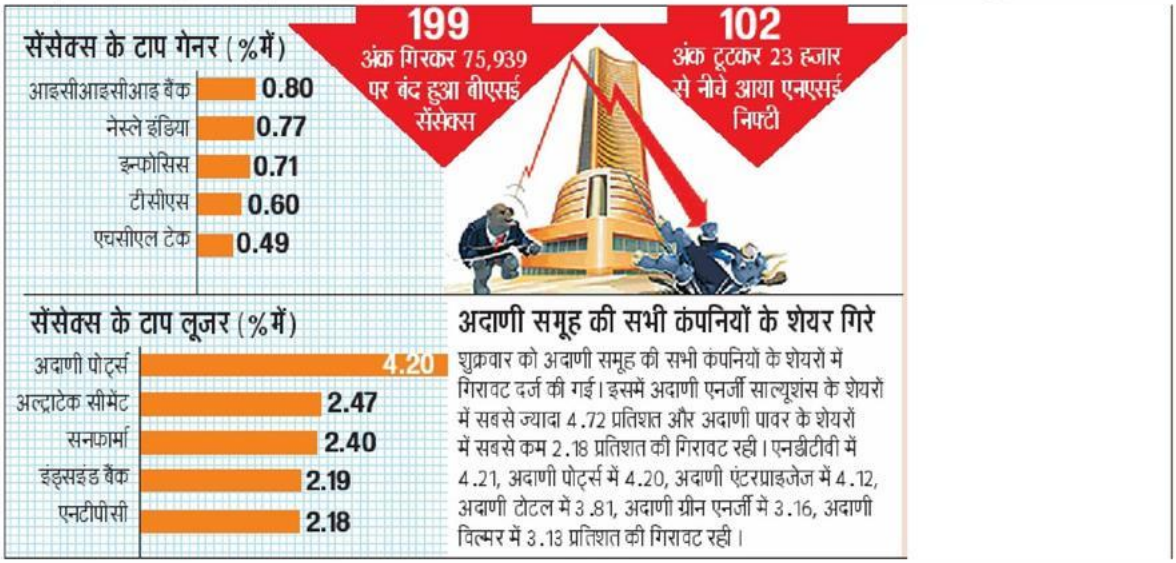
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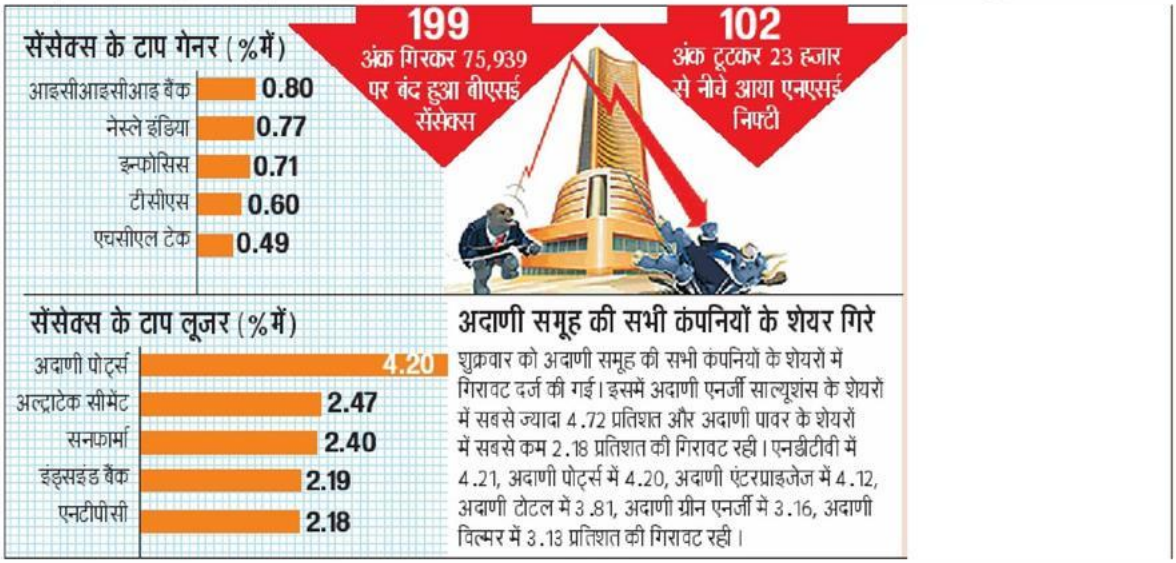
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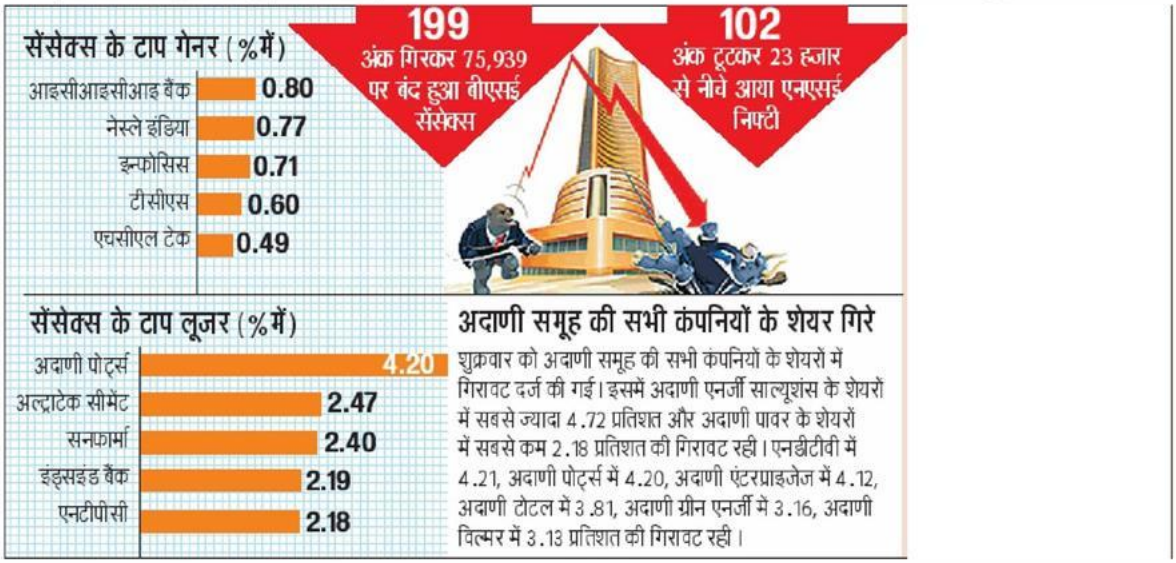
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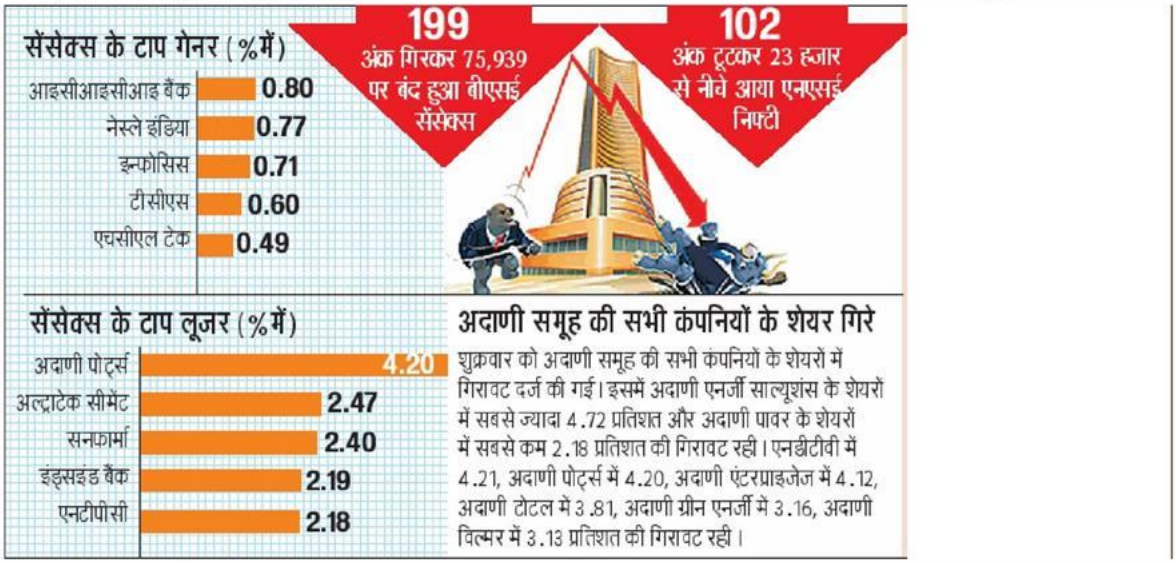
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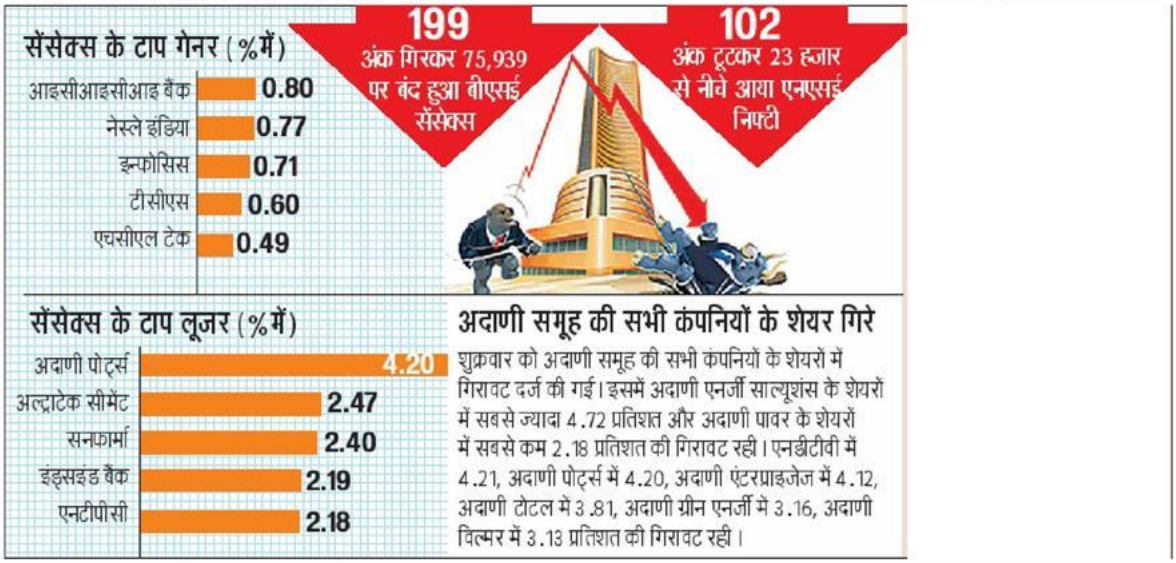
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પ્રયાગરાજમાં ચાલી રહેલો મહાકુંભ તેના અંતિમ ચરણ તરફ વધી રહ્યો છે. પ્રત્યેક ૧૪૪ વર્ષે યોજાતા મહાકુંભમાં આ વખતે જોવા મળ્યો સુરક્ષા અને ટેકનોલોજીનો સંગમ. કરોડો લોકો અત્યાર સુધીમાં ત્રિવેણી સંગમમાં ડૂબકી લગાવી ચૂક્યા છે અને અંતિમ અમૃત સ્નાન સુધીમાં હજી કરોડો લોકો શ્રદ્ધાની ડૂબકી લગાવશે. આ ૪૫ દિવસના મેળાવડાને કારણે દેશના અર્થતંત્રમાં આશરે ૨૦૦૦ અબજ રૂપિયાનો ઉમેરો થવાનો અંદાજ છે. ઉત્તર પ્રદેશ રાજ્યને રૂા. બે લાખ કરોડની આવક થવાની ધારણા છે.



સરકારે જણાવ્યું છે કે મહાકુંભને કારણે વપરાશી માગમાં ઘેરાયેલું ભારતીય અર્થતંત્રમાં ૨૩ અબજ ડૉલરનો ઉમેરો થવાનો અંદાજ છે.

આ કુંભમેળામાં અદાણી અને અંબાણી પરિવારના સભ્યો ઉપરાંત ઘણા કોર્પોરેટ મહાનુભાવોએ સ્નાન કર્યું. સ્નાન કર્યા પછી ધન્યતા અનુભવી હોવાનું પણ તેમણે કહ્યું છે. બોલીવુડ અને હોલીવુડના કલાકારો, રમત જગતના ખેલાડીઓથી લઈને કોચ સહિતના બધાએ સ્નાન કર્યું છે.

કંપનીઓ અને બ્રાન્ડ્સ માટે આ માર્કેટિંગનો સૌથી મોટો અવસર છે. ત્રિવેણી સંગમ તરફ જતા તમામ માર્ગો બિલબોર્ડ, વિક્રેતાઓ અને બ્રાન્ડેડ આઇટમોનો અખતરો કરવાના સ્થળોથી ભરેલા છે.

બ્રાન્ડ કન્સલ્ટન્ટ હરીશ બિજુરનું માનવું છે કે કંપનીઓ જાહેરાત અને માર્કેટિંગ પર લગભગ રૂા. ૩૬ અબજનો ખર્ચ કરશે. જોકે, ઘણા ઉદ્યોગ નિરીક્ષકોને શંકા થાય છે કે આટલી મોટી ભીડમાં ખરીદી કરનારા કેટલા? જરૂરી નથી કે તેમના કારણે વેચાણમાં ઉછાળો આવે. તે છતાં, કંપનીઓએ તેમના બ્રાન્ડ્સ ધાબળાથી લઈને આરામ કરવાના પોડ્સ મુક્યા છે અને જાહેરાતો મૂકવામાં શૌચાલયોને પણ બાકી રાખ્યા નથી.

ક્વિક ડિલિવરી સર્વિસીસ કંપનીઓ દ્વારા મિની સ્ટોર્સથી લઈને કોમ્યુનિટી લંચ સુધી, બ્રાન્ડિંગ માટે ઈન્સ્ટાગ્રામ વીડિયો પોસ્ટ્સથી લઈને મોબાઇલ એટીએમ અને કુંભ-લેબલવાળા ડેબિટ કાર્ડ સુધી, કંપનીઓ તેમના ઉત્પાદનોનું નોંધપાત્ર રીતે માર્કેટિંગ કરવા માટે ઇવેન્ટનો ઉપયોગ કરી રહી છે.

દોલત કેપિટલ માર્કેટના એનલિસ્ટ સચિન બોબાડેએ કહ્યું કે કંપનીઓ દર્શનાર્થીઓના મોટા વર્ગ સુધી પહોંચવા માટે પ્રયાગરાજ ગઈ છે. તેથી માગમાં નોંધપાત્ર વધારો થશે. જોકે, સરકારને આશા છે કે આ મહાકુંભ અર્થતંત્રને મદદ કરશે. મહાકુંભમાં નેસ્લે, પેપ્સીના ઉત્પાદકો, કોકા-કોલા, રિલાયન્સ ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝ, હિન્દુસ્તાન યુનિલિવર અને ડેટોલના માલિક રેકિટ બેનકીઝર ગ્રુપ સહિત વૈશ્વિક દિગ્ગજો અને નાની મોટી અનેક કંપનીઓ અને સ્ટાર્ટઅપ્સ ઉમટી પડ્યા છે.

દરમિયાન, એક્સિસ બેન્કે સાયબર સિક્યુરિટી વિશે જાગૃતિ અભિયાન SanskritPassword.com શરૂ કર્યું છે. આ એક એવું પ્લેટફોર્મ છે જે સુરક્ષિત પાસવર્ડ્સ બનાવવા માટે સંસ્કૃત ભાષાની જટિલતાનો લાભ લે છે. આ પ્લેટફોર્મ વિશે જાગૃતિ ફેલાવવા એક્સિસ બેન્ક કુંભ મેળામાં કયુઆર કોડવાળી કી ચેઇનનું વિતરણ કરી રહી છે. આ કી ચેઇન વેબસાઇટની સાથે લિંક થાય છે જેથી પાસવર્ડ બનાવવાનું સરળ થાય છે. એક્સિસ બેન્કની શાખાઓ અને નિર્ધારિત કિઓસ્કમાં ૨૫ દિવસ સુધી ચાલનારી આ પહેલનો હેતુ યાત્રાળુઓને ડિજિટલ સુરક્ષા વિશે પ્રશિક્ષિત કરવાનો છે. આ ઉપરાંત DevanagariPIN.com બેન્કિંગ સુરક્ષાને વધારવા માટેનું એક નવીનતાપૂર્ણ ટૂલ છે. આ સાધન યુઝર્સને દેવનાગરી લિપિનો ઉપયોગ કરીને અર્થપૂર્ણ શબ્દોને સંખ્યાત્મક કોડમાં રૂપાંતરિત કરીને વ્યક્તિગત અને સુરક્ષિત પિન રચવાની સુવિધા આપે છે. આ ઉપરાંત, એક્સિસ બેન્કે પ્રયાગરાજમાં તેની ૧૧ શાખાઓમાં ખાસ હેલ્પ ડેસ્ક શરૂ કરી છે જે મેળામાં નેવિગેશન વિશે માર્ગદર્શન, કરન્સી એક્સચેન્જ સહિતની નાણાકીય સહાયતા અને તેમના એકંદર અનુભવને વધારવા માટે સામાન્ય માહિતી પૂરી પાડે છે. બેન્કે કુંભમેળાના એરિયામાં એક મોબાઇલ એટીએમ વેન ગોઠવી છે, જે રોકડ ઉપાડ, કરન્સી એક્સચેન્જ અને સિક્કાના વિતરણ માટે સરળ એક્સેસ પૂરું પાડે છે.

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ಮೋದಿ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಭೇಟಿ ಯಶಸ್ವಿ | ಆರ್ಥಿಕ, ರಕ್ಷಣಾ ಸಂಬಂಧ ವೃದ್ಧಿಗೆ ಮುನ್ನುಡಿ

ಮಗಾ ಟ್ರಂಪ್, ಮಿಗಾ ಮೋದಿ ಮೆಗಾ ಡೀಲ್

ವಿಶ್ವದ ಅತಿ ಬಲಿಷ್ಠ ಸಮರ ವಿಮಾನ ಎಫ್-35, ಜಾವೆಲಿನ್ ಕ್ಷಿಪಣಿ, ಸ್ಟ್ರೈಕರ್ ಯುದ್ಧ ವಾಹನ ಪೂರೈಸಲು ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಒಪ್ಪಿಗೆ
ಅಮೆರಿಕದಿಂದ ಭಾರತ ತೈಲ, ಅನಿಲ ಖರೀದಿ | ವಾರ್ಷಿಕ 500 ಶತಕೋಟಿ ಡಾಲರ್ ವಹಿವಾಟಿಗೆ ಭಾರತ-ಅಮೆರಿಕ ನಿರ್ಧಾರ

ವಾಷಿಂಗ್ಟನ್: ಪರಸ್ಪರ ಸಂಬಂಧವನ್ನು ಇನ್ನಷ್ಟು ಎತ್ತರಕ್ಕೆ ಏರಿಸಲು ಮುಂದಾಗಿರುವ ಭಾರತ ಮತ್ತು ಅಮೆರಿಕ, ವ್ಯಾಪಾರ, ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ, ರಕ್ಷಣಾ ವಲಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಹಲವು ಒಪ್ಪಂದ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲು ನಿರ್ಧರಿಸಿವೆ. ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ನರೇಂದ್ರ ಮೋದಿ ಮತ್ತು ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಡೊನಾಲ್ಡ್ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ನಡುವೆ ಭಾರತೀಯ ಕಾಲಮಾನ ಶುಕ್ರವಾರ ಬೆಳಗ್ಗೆ ನಡೆದ ಮಾತುಕತೆ ವೇಳೆ ಉಭಯ ನಾಯಕರು ಹಲವು ವಿಷಯಗಳ ಕುರಿತು ಏಸ್ತರ ಚರ್ಚೆ ನಡೆಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.



ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ 2030ರ ವೇಳೆಗೆ ಉಭಯ ದೇಶಗಳ ವಾರ್ಷಿಕ ವಹಿವಾಟು 500 ಶತಕೋಟಿ ಡಾಲರ್‌ಗೆ ಏರಿಸುವ, ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ಎಫ್ 35 ವಿಮಾನ, ಜಾವೆಲಿನ್ ಕ್ಷಿಪಣಿ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆ ಪೂರೈಕೆ ಸೇರಿದಂತೆ ಹಲವು ಅಂಶಗಳು ಸೇರಿವೆ.

ವ್ಯಾಪಾರ: 2030ರ ವೇಳೆಗೆ ಭಾರತ-ಅಮೆರಿಕ ನಡುವಿನ ವ್ಯಾಪಾರ ವಹಿವಾಟನ್ನು 500 ಶತಕೋಟಿ ಡಾಲರ್‌ಗೆ (ಅಂದಾಜು 40 ಲಕ್ಷ ಕೋಟಿ ರು.) ದ್ವಿಗುಣಗೊಳಿಸಲು ಉಭಯ ದೇಶಗಳು ಸಮ್ಮತಿಸಿವೆ. ಸುಲಭವಾಗಿ ಮಾರುಕಟ್ಟೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ವ್ಯಾಪಾರ ನಡೆಸುವಂತಾಗಲು ನಿಯಮಗಳ ಸರಳೀಕರಣ, ವ್ಯಾಪಾರ ಸಂಬಂಧ ವೃದ್ಧಿಗೆ ಪ್ರತಿನಿಧಿಗಳ ನೇಮಕ. ವ್ಯಾಪಾರದ ಮೂಲಕ ಉದ್ಯೋಗ ಸೃಷ್ಟಿ, ಇತ್ಯಾದಿ ಗುರಿಗಳನ್ನು ಹೆಮ್ಮೆಕೊಳ್ಳಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಇದಲ್ಲದೆ, ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಭಾರಿ ಪ್ರಮಾಣದ ತೈಲ ಹಾಗೂ ನೈಸರ್ಗಿಕ ಅನಿಲ ಪೂರೈಸಲಿದೆ.

ರಕ್ಷಣಾ ಸಹಕಾರ: ಇದೇ ವೇಳೆ ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ನರೇಂದ್ರ ಮೋದಿ ಅವರ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಪ್ರವಾಸದ ವೇಳೆ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಡೊನಾಲ್ಡ್ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಅವರು ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ವಿಶ್ವದ ಅತಿ ಶಕ್ತಿಶಾಲಿ ಯುದ್ಧವಿಮಾನ ಎಫ್-35 ಅನ್ನು ನೀಡುವುದಾಗಿ ಘೋಷಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಇದಲ್ಲದೆ 10 ವರ್ಷಗಳ ಮಿಲಿಟರಿ ಸಹಭಾಗಿತ್ವವನ್ನು ಭಾರತದ ಜತೆ ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಿ ಸಾಕಷ್ಟು ಶಸ್ತ್ರಾಸ್ತ್ರ ಪೂರೈಸುವುದಾಗಿಯೂ ಅವರು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಈ ವೇಳೆ ಎರಡೂ ದೇಶಗಳು 10 ವರ್ಷಗಳ ಮಿಲಿಟರಿ ಸಹಭಾಗಿತ್ವ ಆನಾವರಣ ಮಾಡಿವೆ. ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಹಾಗೂ ಮೋದಿ ಅವರ ಈ ನಡೆಗಳು ಏಷ್ಯಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಾಬಲ್ಯ ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಲು ಯತ್ನಿಸುತ್ತಿರುವ ಚೀನಾಗೆ ಸವಾಲಾಗಿವೆ.

ಭಾರತವು ಈ ವೇಳೆ ಇನ್ನೂ 6 ಪಿ8ಐ ದೂರಗಾಮಿ ಸಬ್‌ಮರೀನ್ ನಿರೋಧಕ ವಿಮಾನಗಳನ್ನು ಅಮೆರಿಕದಿಂದ ಬಯಸಿದೆ. ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ಭಾರತದ ಬಳಿ ಇಂಥ 11 ವಿಮಾನ ಇವೆ. ಇದರ ಜೊತೆಗೆ ಟ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ದಾಳಿ ತಡೆಯಬಲ್ಲ ಜಾವೆಲಿನ್ ಕ್ಷಿಪಣಿ ರಕ್ಷಣಾ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಯುದ್ಧದ ವೇಳೆ ದಾಳಿಗೆ ಬಳಸಬಹುದಾದ ಸ್ಟ್ರೈಕರ್ ವಾಹನಗಳನ್ನು ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ಪೂರೈಸಲು ಮತ್ತು ಮುಂದೆ ಅದನ್ನು ಭಾರತದಲ್ಲೇ ಉತ್ಪಾದಿಸಲೂ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಸಮ್ಮತಿಸಿದೆ.



ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಮೋದಿ, ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಆತ್ಮೀಯ ಆಲಿಂಗನ.

ಚೌಕಾಸಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮೋದಿ ನಂ.1: ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಮೆಚ್ಚುಗೆ

ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ನರೇಂದ್ರ ಮೋದಿ ಅವರನ್ನು 'ಚೌಕಾಸಿ ನಿಪುಣ' ಎಂದು ಕರೆದಿರುವ ಟ್ರಂಪ್, 'ಮೋದಿಯವರೊಂದಿಗೆ ಚೌಕಾಸಿ ಮಾಡುವುದು ಬಲು ಕಷ್ಟ. ಅವರು ನನಗಿಂತಲೂ ಚೆನ್ನಾಗಿ ಚೌಕಾಸಿ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಅವರಿಗೆ ಈ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಎದುರಾಳಿಗಳೇ ಇಲ್ಲ' ಎಂದು ಶ್ಲಾಘಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಬಾಂಗ್ಲಾದೇಶ ಹಿಂಸೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನಮ್ಮ ಕೈವಾಡ ಇಲ್ಲ: ಟ್ರಂಪ್

'ಭಾರತದ ವಿರುದ್ಧ ಬಾಂಗ್ಲಾದಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಯುತ್ತಿರುವ ಹಿಂಸಾಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಮೆರಿಕದ ಕೈವಾಡ ಇಲ್ಲ' ಎಂದು ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಡೊನಾಲ್ಡ್ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಸ್ಪಷ್ಟನೆ ನೀಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಆವರೊಂದಿಗಿನ ದ್ವಿಪಕ್ಷೀಯ ಭೇಟಿಯ ವೇಳೆ ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ನರೇಂದ್ರ ಮೋದಿ ಅವರು, ಶೇಖ್ ಹಸೀನಾ ಪದತ್ಯಾಗದ ನಂತರ ಬಾಂಗ್ಲಾದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಆಗುತ್ತಿರುವ ಬೆಳವಣಿಗೆಗಳ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಕಳವಳ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಪಡಿಸಿದ್ದರು. ಬಳಿಕ ಈ ಕುರಿತು ಕೇಳಲಾದ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗೆ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿದ ಟ್ರಂಪ್, 'ಬಾಂಗ್ಲಾ ಹಿಂಸಾಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ನಮ್ಮ ಕೈವಾಡ ಏಲ್ಲ. ಬಾಂಗ್ಲಾ ವಿಷಯವನ್ನು ಮೋದಿಗೇ ಬಿಡುತ್ತೇನೆ' ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದರು.

ಉಗ್ರ ರಾಣಾ ಗಡೀಪಾರಿಗೆ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಒಪ್ಪಿಗೆ

ವಿಶ್ವದ ಅತಿದುಷ್ಟ ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ಗಡೀಪಾರು: ಟ್ರಂಪ್

ವಾಷಿಂಗ್ಟನ್: 26/11 ಮುಂಬೈ ದಾಳಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಮುಖ ಪಾತ್ರ ವಹಿಸಿದ್ದ ಪಾಕಿಸ್ತಾನ ಮೂಲದ ಕೆನಡಾ ಪ್ರಜೆ ತಹಾವ್ವರ್ ರಾಣಾನನ್ನು ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ಗಡೀಪಾರು ಮಾಡಲಾಗುವುದು ಎಂದು ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಡೊನಾಲ್ಡ್ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಘೋಷಿಸಿದರು.



ಇತ್ತೀಚೆಗೆ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಸುಪ್ರೀಂ ಕೋರ್ಟ್, ಆತನ ಗಡೀಪಾರಿಗೆ ಒಪ್ಪಿಗೆ ಸೂಚಿಸಿತ್ತು. ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮೋದಿ ಜತೆಗಿನ ಸುದ್ದಿಗೋಷ್ಠಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾತನಾಡಿದ ಟ್ರಂಪ್, 'ವಿಶ್ವದ ಅತಿ ದುಷ್ಟ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಯನ್ನು ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ಗಡೀಪಾರು ಮಾಡಲು ನನ್ನ ಸರ್ಕಾರ ಸಂತೋಷಪಡುತ್ತದೆ. ತಕ್ಷಣವೇ ಆತನನ್ನು ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ಹಸ್ತಾಂತರಿಸಿ ನ್ಯಾಯದ ಕಟಕಟೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ನಿಲ್ಲಿಸಲಾಗುತ್ತದೆ' ಎಂದು ರಾಣಾ ಹೆಸರೆತ್ತದೇ ಪ್ರಕಟಿಸಿದರು.

ಅಮೆರಿಕದಲ್ಲಿ ಬಂಧಿತ ರಾಣಾ ಗಡೀಪಾರಿಗೆ ಭಾರತ 16 ವರ್ಷದಿಂದ ಯತ್ನಿಸುತ್ತಿದೆ. ಆತ 26/11 ಮುಂಬೈ ದಾಳಿಗೆ ಸರ್ವೇ ನಡೆಸಿದ್ದ ಡೇವಿಡ್ ಹೆಡ್ಲಿಗೆ ಆತ ಮುಂಬೈನಲ್ಲಿ ಆಶ್ರಯ ನೀಡಿದ್ದ.

ಕಸಬ್‌ನನ್ನೇ ಬಂಧಿಸಿದ್ದೆವು, ಈಗ ರಾಣಾನ ಸೆರೆಗೆ ಸಿದ್ಧ: ಮಹಾ ಸಿಎಂ

ಮುಂಬೈ: 26/11 ಮುಂಬೈ ದಾಳಿಯ ಮಾಸ್ಟರ್ ಮೈಂಡ್ ತಹಾವುರ್ ರಾಣಾ ಗಡೀಪಾರಿಗೆ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಡೊನಾಲ್ಡ್ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಸಹಮತ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಪಡಿಸಿದ ಬೆನ್ನಲ್ಲೇ ರಾಣಾನನ್ನು ಬಂಧಿಸಿಡಲು ನಾವು ಸಿದ್ಧರಾಗಿದ್ದೇವೆ ಎಂದು ಮಹಾರಾಷ್ಟ್ರ ಮುಖ್ಯಮಂತ್ರಿ ದೇವೇಂದ್ರ ಫಡ್ನವೀಸ್ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮಾತನಾಡಿದ ಫಡ್ನವೀಸ್,'ಉಗ್ರ ಕಸಬ್‌ನನ್ನೇ ಬಂಧಿಸಿದ್ದೆವು, ಈಗ ರಾಣಾನನ್ನು ಬಂಧಿಸುತ್ತೇವೆ. ನಮಗೆ ಸಾಮರ್ಥ್ಯವಿದೆ' ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಉಕ್ರೇನ್ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ತಟಸ್ಥ ಅಲ್ಲ, ನಾವು ಶಾಂತಿ ಪರ: ಮೋದಿ

'ಉಕ್ರೇನ್ ಕದನಕ್ಕೆ ಪರಿಹಾರವನ್ನು ರಣರಂಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಲ್ಲ, ಮಾತುಕತೆ ಮೂಲಕ ಕಂಡುಕೊಳ್ಳಬಹುದು' ಎಂದಿರುವ ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಮೋದಿ, 'ನಾನು ರಷ್ಯಾ ಹಾಗೂ ಉಕ್ರೇನ್ ನಾಯಕರೊಂದಿಗೆ ಆಪ್ತ ಸಂಬಂಧ ಹೊಂದಿರುವ ಕಾರಣ ಯುದ್ಧದ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ ತಟಸ್ಥ ನಿಲುವು ತಾಳದೆ ಎಂದು ಜಗತ್ತು ಭಾವಿಸಿದೆ. ಆದರೆ ನಿಜವಾಗಿ ನಾವು ಶಾಂತಿಯ ಪರವಾಗಿದ್ದೇವೆ' ಎಂದಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಆದಾನಿ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಜೊತೆ ಚರ್ಚಿಸಿಲ್ಲ: ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಸ್ಪಷ್ಟನೆ



ಗೌತಮ್ ಆದಾನಿ ಕುರಿತು ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಜತೆ ಚರ್ಚೆ ನಡೆಸಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ಮೋದಿ ಸ್ಪಷ್ಟಪಡಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಯಾವುದೇ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಗತ ವಿಷಯಗಳ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಎರಡು ದೇಶಗಳ ಮುಖ್ಯಸ್ಥರು ಮಾತುಕತೆ ನಡೆಸುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದ ಮೋದಿ ಹೇಳಿದರು.

ಆಕ್ರಮ ವಲಸೆ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆ ವಿರುದ್ಧ ಹೋರಾಟ ಆಗತ್ಯ: ಮೋದಿ

ದೊಡ್ಡ ದೊಡ್ಡ ಕನಸು, ಭರವಸೆಗಳೊಂದಿಗೆ ಸಾಮಾನ್ಯ ಕುಟುಂಬಗಳ ಜನರನ್ನು ಅಕ್ರಮವಾಗಿ ವಿದೇಶಗಳಿಗೆ ಕರೆತರುವ ಮಾನವ ಕಳ್ಳಸಾಗಣೆ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆಯ ವಿರುದ್ಧ ಹೋರಾಡುವ ಆಗತ್ಯವಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಮೋದಿ ಪ್ರತಿಪಾದಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇತ್ತೀಚೆಗೆ ಅಮೆರಿಕ 100ಕ್ಕೂ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಅಕ್ರಮ ವಲಸಿಗರನ್ನು ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ಗಡೀಪಾರು ಮಾಡಿದ ಬೆನ್ನಲ್ಲೇ ಮೋದಿ ಈ ಹೇಳಿಕೆ ನೀಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಭಾರತದಲ್ಲಿ ಮೌನ, ಬೇರೆಡೆ ಖಾಸಗಿ ವಿಷಯ: ರಾಹುಲ್

ಆದಾನಿ ಕುರಿತು ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಮೋದಿ ಅಮೆರಿಕದಲ್ಲಿ ನೀಡಿದ ಹೇಳಿಕೆಗೆ ಪ್ರತಿಕ್ರಿಯಿಸಿರುವ ಕಾಂಗ್ರೆಸ್ ನಾಯಕ ರಾಹುಲ್ ಗಾಂಧಿ, 'ದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕೇಳಿದಾಗ ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಮೌನ ವಹಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಆದರೆ ವಿದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕೇಳಿದಾಗ ಅದು ವೈಯಕ್ತಿಕ ವಿಷಯ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳುತ್ತಾರೆ' ಎಂದು ಟೀಕಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಮಸ್ಕ್ ಮಕ್ಕಳಿಗೆ ಆರ್.ಕೆ.ಎನ್ ಪಂಚತಂತ್ರ ಪುಸ್ತಕ ಕೊಟ್ಟ ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ

ವಿಶ್ವದ ಶ್ರೀಮಂತ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿ ಎಲಾನ್ ಮಸ್ಕ್ ಗುರುವಾರ ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಮೋದಿ ಅವರನ್ನು ಗೆಳತಿ ಶಿವೋನ್, 3 ಮಕ್ಕಳೊಂದಿಗೆ ಭೇಟಿಯಾದರು. ಈ ವೇಳೆ ಮೋದಿ ಅವರು ಮಸ್ಕ್ ಅವರ ಮಕ್ಕಳಿಗೆ ರವೀಂದ್ರನಾಥ ಟ್ಯಾಗೋರ್ ಅವರ 'ದಿ ಕ್ರಿಸೆಂಟ್ ಮೂನ್', ಆರ್.ಕೆ. ನಾರಾಯಣ್ ಅವರ ಬರಹಗಳ ಸಂಗ್ರಹ, ವಿಷ್ಣುಶರ್ಮಾರ 'ಪಂಚತಂತ್ರ' ಕೃತಿಗಳನ್ನು ಉಡುಗೊರೆಯಾಗಿ ನೀಡಿದರು.

ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಮೋದಿಗೆ ಆತ್ಮೀಯ ಉಡುಗೊರೆ ನೀಡಿದ ಟ್ರಂಪ್

ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ನರೇಂದ್ರ ಮೋದಿ ಅವರಿಗೆ 'ಅವರ್ ಜರ್ನಿ ಟುಗೆದರ್' (ನಮ್ಮ ಒಟ್ಟಿನಪ್ರಯಾಣ) ಎಂಬ ಪುಸ್ತಕವನ್ನು ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಡೊನಾಲ್ಡ್ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಅವರು ಉಡುಗೊರೆಯಾಗಿ ನೀಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅದರ ಮುಖಪುಟದಲ್ಲಿ, 'ಪ್ರಧಾನಿಯವರೇ, ನೀವು ಅದ್ಭುತ' ಎಂದು ಬರೆಯಲಾಗಿದ್ದು, ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಸಹಿಯೂ ಇದೆ. ಜೊತೆಗೆ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ತಾಜ್‌ಮಹಲ್ ಭೇಟಿ ಫೋಟೋ ಇದೆ.

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दिव्य राष्ट्र

नई दिल्ली। लोकसभा में नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी ने एक बार फिर अडाणी मुद्दे पर पीएम नरेंद्र मोदी को घेरा। राहुल ने शुक्रवार को सोशल मीडिया एक्स पर लिखा कि अडाणी मामले पर पीएम से देश में सवाल पूछो तो वे चुप्पी साध लेते हैं। जब विदेश में सवाल किया गया तो इसे निजी मामला बताया। दरअसल, पीएम मोदी से अमेरिका दौरे पर पत्रकारों ने सवाल पूछा था कि क्या राष्ट्रपति ट्रम्प के साथ मीटिंग में गौतम अडाणी के केस पर कोई चर्चा हुई? इस पर पीएम ने जवाब दिया कि ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों में हमारे बीच कोई बातचीत नहीं हुई है। हमारे संस्कार और संस्कृति वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम की है। हम पूरे विश्व को अपना एक परिवार मानते हैं। हर भारतीय को मैं अपना मानता हूं। दूसरी बात है कि ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों के लिए दो देशों के मुखिया न मिलते हैं, न बैठते हैं और न बात करते हैं।उन्हें जो चाहिए होता है, वो मिल जाता है। उनके पीछे किसकी शक्ति है। 31 अगस्त को इंडियन नेशनल डेवलपमेंटल इनक्लूसिव अलायंस की बैठक से पहले राहुल ने प्रेस कॉन्फ्रेंस की थी। राहुल ने दो विदेशी न्यूज पेपर्स के हवाले से कहा था कि देश का पैसा बाहर भेजा जा रहा है। एक अरब (बिलियन) डॉलर भारत के बाहर गया। जो पैसा बाहर भेजा जा रहा है, वो पीएम के करीबी व्यक्ति का है।



पीएम के बयान के बाद राहुल का पोस्ट

वो 5 मौके, जब राहुल ने अडाणी मुद्दे पर सवाल उठाए। 9 दिसंबर 2024: राहुल ने मोदी-अडाणी का मुखौटा लगाए सांसदों का इंटरव्यू लिया, पूछा- आपकी पार्टनरशिप कब से दिसंबर 2024 में राहुल गांधी अडाणी मुद्दे पर रिपोर्टर के रोल में दिखे थे। विपक्ष के दो सांसदों ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी और गौतम अडाणी का मुखौटा लगाया और राहुल से बातचीत की। राहुल ने मोदी-अडाणी के संबंध, अमित शाह की भूमिका और संसद न चलने पर करीब 8 सवाल किए। कांग्रेस ने 1.19 मिनट की बातचीत का वीडियो शेयर किया था। कांग्रेस नेता राहुल गांधी ने अक्टूबर 2023 में गौतम अडाणी पर निशाना साधा था। उन्होंने दिल्ली में 14 मिनट की एक प्रेस कांफ्रेंस की थी। जिसमें कहा- अडाणी ने 32 हजार करोड़ का घोटाला किया है। आज महंगी बिजली के पीछे अडाणी हैं। उन्होंने जनता की जेब से पैसे लूटे हैं। इन आरोपों में उक्त सरकार को घेरते हुए राहुल बोले- अडाणी में ऐसा क्या है जो सरकार उनकी जांच नहीं कराती है।

गौतम अडाणी पर न्यूयॉर्क में धोखाधड़ी का आरोप

अमेरिका में उद्योगपति गौतम अडाणी समेत 8 लोगों पर अरबों रुपए की धोखाधड़ी के आरोप लगे हैं। यूनाइटेड स्टेट्स अटॉर्नी ऑफिस का कहना है कि अडाणी ने भारत में सोलर एनर्जी से जुड़ा कॉन्ट्रैक्ट हासिल करने के लिए भारतीय अधिकारियों को 265 मिलियन डॉलर (करीब 2200 करोड़ रुपए) की रिश्वत दी या देने की योजना बना रहे थे। अमेरिकी शॉर्ट-सेलिंग फर्म हिंडनबर्ग रिसर्च बंद होने जा रही है। कंपनी के फाउंडर नाथन एंडरसन ने जनवरी में इसकी घोषणा की थी। उन्होंने कहा कि कंपनी बंद करने का फैसला काफी बातचीत और सोच कर लिया है। हालांकि एंडरसन ने कंपनी बंद करने का कोई विशेष कारण नहीं बताया। हिंडनबर्ग रिसर्च की शुरुआत 2017 में हुई थी। राहुल का सवाल- अडाणी की कंपनियों में 20,000 करोड़ रुपए बेनामी पैसे किसके राहुल गांधी ने 8 अप्रैल 2023 को एक ट्वीट में अडाणी मुद्दे पर सवाल उठाए थे। ट्वीट में लिखा था- सच्चाई छिपाते हैं, इसलिए रोज भटकाते हैं। अडाणी की कंपनियों में 20,000 करोड़ रुपए बेनामी पैसे किसके हैं? राहुल ने कांग्रेस के पूर्व 5 नेताओं का नाम भी अडाणी से जोड़ा था। राहुल ने 7 फरवरी को एक तस्वीर सदन में दिखाई थी, इसमें मोदी और गौतम अडाणी नजर आ रहे थे। गक्ष मेंबर्स ने इसका विरोध किया था। सभापति ओम बिड़ला ने राहुल को टोका और स्पीच फिर शुरू हुई। राहुल ने कहा, "इनका हिंदुस्तान के प्रधानमंत्री के साथ क्या रिश्ता है और कैसा रिश्ता है?

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A meeting of all party organizations tomorrow against Adani in Prabhadevi

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प्रभादेवीमध्ये अदानीविरोधात उद्या सर्वपक्षीय संघटनांची बैठक

संयुक्त कृती कार्यक्रमावर होणार चर्चा

मुंबई, दि. १४ (प्रतिनिधी) – देशभरातील उद्योगधंदे, व्यापार, बंदरे, रेल्वे आणि इतर सार्वजनिक सेवा उद्योगांचे खासगीकरण करून ते अदानीला देण्याचा चंग केंद्रातल्या भाजप सरकारने बांधला आहे. या विरोधात प्रभादेवीमधील भूपेश गुप्ता भवनमध्ये रविवारी विविध संघटनांची बैठक आयोजित करण्यात आली आहे. दुपारी ४ वाजता होणाऱ्या बैठकीला विविध सामाजिक, राजकीय संघटनांचे पदाधिकारी उपस्थित राहणार आहेत.

केंद्र सरकारने विमानतळे, रेल्वे, खाणी, पाणी, वीजनिर्मिती आणि वितरण, बंदरे, मच्छीमार, बँकिंग सेवा, सुरक्षा विभाग, कारखाने, धारावी व इतर वस्त्या अदानी समूहाला देण्याचा सपाटा लावला आहे. या अदानीकरणाविरोधात संघर्ष करण्यासाठी रविवारी बैठकीचे आयोजन करण्यात आले आहे. यात सर्व संघटनांच्या वतीने संयुक्त कृती कार्यक्रमावर चर्चा करून एकजुटीने निर्णय घेतला जाणार आहे, अशी माहिती आयटक राष्ट्रीय सचिव सुकुमार दामले यांनी दिली.

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Adani on the threshold of entering space sector

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एसएसएलवी बनाने के लिए फाइनल तीन बोलीदाताओं में शामिल हुई कंपनी

अदाणी अंतरिक्ष क्षेत्र में प्रवेश की दहलीज पर

■ **बेंगलुरु,** नवभारत न्यूज नेटवर्क. अदाणी ग्रुप अब अंतरिक्ष के क्षेत्र में भी प्रवेश करने वाला है. भारत के स्माल सेटेलाइट लॉन्च व्हीकल (एसएसएलवी) के उत्पादन को अपने कब्जे में लेने के लिए वह अंतिम दौर में पहुंच गया है. भारतीय अंतरिक्ष अनुसंधान संगठन (इसरो) द्वारा विकसित किया एसएसएलवी एक कम लागत वाला व्हीकल है, जो 500 किलोग्राम (1,100 पाउंड) तक के उपग्रहों को लो-अर्थ ऑर्बिट (एलईओ) में लॉन्च करने में सक्षम है. यह सेटेलाइट लॉन्च बाजार का सबसे प्रमुख खंड है. 2023 में इसके पहले सफल लॉन्च के बाद सरकार ने इसके उत्पादन और प्रौद्योगिकी को निजी उद्योग को स्थानांतरित करने की योजना बनाई है. यह भारत के वाणिज्यिक अंतरिक्ष क्षेत्र को बढ़ावा देने के लिए एक व्यापक



प्रयास का हिस्सा है. सरकार को उम्मीद है कि यह देश को बढ़ते वैश्विक उपग्रह लॉन्च बाजार में अधिक हिस्सेदारी हासिल करने में मदद करेगा. अभी स्पेसएक्स जैसी निजी कंपनियों का इस पर प्रभुत्व है. लगभग 20 कंपनियों ने प्रारंभिक रूप से एसएसएलवी के लिए बोलियां लगाने में रुचि व्यक्त दिखाई थी. तीन फाइनलिस्ट कंसोर्टियम्स में अल्फा डिजाइन टेक्नोलॉजीज भी शामिल है, जिसमें अदानी डिफेंस सिस्टम्स एंड टेक्नोलॉजीज की हिस्सेदारी है. वहीं सरकारी भारत डायनेमिक्स लिमिटेड और हिंदुस्तान एरोनॉटिक्स लिमिटेड अन्य दो फायनलिस्ट हैं. जिस भी कंपनी को अंतिम रूप से चुना जाएगा, उसे एसएसएलवी के लिए भारतीय अंतरिक्ष एजेंसी को लगभग 3 बिलियन रुपये (30 मिलियन डॉलर) का भुगतान करना होगा. इसरो इसके बदले में डिजाइन नॉलेज, निर्माण प्रक्रियाएं, गुणवत्ता व प्रशिक्षण और 24 महीने तक का तकनीकी समर्थन या दो सफल लॉन्च में मदद करेगा. इसके अलावा संबंधित कंपनियों को एसएसएलवी का निर्माण, संरक्षण और बिक्री करने की क्षमता प्रदर्शित करनी होगी.

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Fear' of tariffs, Trump opens shop

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टैरिफ का 'डर', ट्रंप ने खोली दूकान

■ **वाशिंगटन,** विशेष प्रतिनिधि. डोनाल्ड ट्रंप अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति बाद में हैं और व्यापारी पहले. 'मेक अमेरिका ग्रेट अगेन (मागा)' ध्येय वाक्य के साथ दोबारा राष्ट्रपति बने ट्रंप ने ऐसे फैसले लेने शुरू कर दिए, जो अमेरिकी आर्थिक साम्राज्य के अनुकूल हों. टैरिफ भी इन्हीं में से एक है, जिसका उपयोग उन्होंने भारतीय प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी से मुलाकात करने से चंद घंटे पहले 'डराने' के लिए किया. पीएम मोदी का स्वागत कर उन्होंने कहा, 'हमें आपकी कमी खली और बहुत खली'. यह अलग बात है कि इसके बाद उन्होंने टैरिफ दरों में 'बराबरी' के लिए रक्षा, प्राकृतिक गैस, द्विपक्षीय व्यापार से लेकर तमाम क्षेत्रों में अमेरिका उत्पादों की पेशकश कर साफ कर दिया कि उनका लक्ष्य 2030 तक इंडो-यूएस ट्रेड को दोगुना यानी 500 बिलियन डॉलर तक ले जाने का है, जिस पर पीएम मोदी ने भी मुहर लगा दी. हालांकि मोदी अदाणी से जुड़े सवाल पर कन्नी काटते नजर आए. ट्रंप-मोदी मुलाकात के बाद कहा जा रहा है कि भारत अब अमेरिका से तेल भी आयात कर सकता है. ट्रंप की नजर 11 लाख करोड़ रुपए के भारतीय पेट्रोल-डीजल बाजार पर है. भारत का 80 फीसदी तेल दूसरे देशों से आता है, इसी वजह से हर देश चाहता है कि भारत उससे ही तेल खरीदे. ट्रंप भी इस होड़ में पीछे नहीं रहना चाहते.



ट्रेड, टैरिफ और अवैध अप्रवासी भारतीयों की वापसी

पीएम मोदी और ट्रंप के बीच मुलाकात का मुख्य मुद्दा ट्रेड, टैरिफ और अवैध अप्रवासी भारतीयों की वापसी थी. दोनों देशों ने व्यापार, सैन्य ताकत और आतंक के खिलाफ एक साथ लड़ने की हामी भरी है. मुलाकात के दौरान ट्रंप ने कहा कि कि वह भारत के खिलाफ विशेष टैरिफ का ऐलान करेंगे. इस दौरान ट्रंप ने ऐलान किया कि अमेरिका भारत को एफ-35 फाइटर प्लेन देगा, जो अमेरिका के सबसे अत्याधुनिक स्टील्थ फाइटर प्लेन में एक है.

द्विपक्षीय व्यापार का खाका होगा तैयार

मोदी और उनकी टीम ट्रंप 2.0 की घरेलू और विदेश नीतियों में हो रहे ऐतिहासिक बदलावों को जल्द पहचान उभरती नई संभावनाओं को भुनाने में पीछे नहीं रहना चाहती. राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप के इस साल के अंत में क्वाड शिखर सम्मेलन में भाग लेने के लिए भारत आने के साथ दोनों पक्षों ने इस मुलाकात में उठे कई महत्वाकांक्षी लक्ष्यों को लागू करने के लिए खुद को कुछ महीने दिए हैं. पहले अमेरिका-भारत संबंधों के वादे और प्रदर्शन के बीच का अंतर बहुत बड़ा रहा है.

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How Adani's corruption is Modi's personal matter

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वॉशिंगटन में बयान पर कांग्रेस नेता राहुल का पलटवार

अदाणी का भ्रष्टाचार मोदी का निजी मामला कैसे

■ दिल्ली/वॉशिंगटन, विशेष प्रतिनिधि. अमेरिकी दौर पर संयुक्त प्रेस वक्तव्य के बाद अदाणी भ्रष्टाचार पर एक पत्रकार के पीएम मोदी से पूछे गए प्रश्न पर देश में राजनीतिक विवाद गर्मा गया है. पीएम मोदी के उस पत्रकार को दिए गए जवाब के बाद राहुल गांधी ने मोदी पर तीखा पलटवार किया, तो विपक्ष भी 'दोस्ती निभाई' का आरोप लगा पीएम मोदी को घेर रहा है. बीजेपी ने भी आरोप प्रत्यारोप के तहत इसे विपक्ष की गैर परिपक्व राजनीति का हिस्सा बता रही है.

मोदी का ऐसा था जवाब : गौरतलब है कि पीएम मोदी से अमेरिका दौरे पर पत्रकार ने सवाल पूछा कि क्या राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप के साथ मीटिंग में गौतम अदाणी के केस पर कोई चर्चा हुई? इस पर पीएम ने जवाब दिया कि ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों में हमारे बीच कोई बातचीत नहीं हुई है. उन्होंने कहा, 'हमारे संस्कार और संस्कृति वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम की है. हम पूरे विश्व को अपना एक परिवार मानते हैं.'



सरकार की चुप्पी

अब कांग्रेस नेता राहुल गांधी ने सवाल उठाए हैं. राहुल गांधी ने सोशल मीडिया प्लेटफॉर्म 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट कर लिखा, 'देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला! अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने अडानी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया! जब मित्र का जेब भरना मोदी जी के लिए 'राष्ट्र निर्माण' है, तब रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना 'व्यक्तिगत मामला' बन जाता है.'

रिश्वतखोरी निजी मामला निंदनीय

आम आदमी पार्टी के आधिकारिक एक्स हैंडल से पोस्ट करते हुए कहा गया कि प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने अमेरिका में दिखाई अदाणी से अपनी दोस्ती. अदाणी द्वारा देश की संपत्ति को लूटना और रिश्वत बांटने के कुकृत्य को प्रधानमंत्री द्वारा निजी मामला बताना बेहद ही निंदनीय और शर्मनाक बात है.

बीजेपी ने दिया जवाब

पूर्व केंद्रीय मंत्री मुख्तार अब्बास नकवी ने जवाब देते हुए कहा कि यह विपक्ष की राजनीतिक अपरिपक्वता को दिखाते हैं कि वह किस तरह से दो राष्ट्रीय अध्यक्षों के बीच की बैठक के दौरान पूछे गए एक निजी व्यक्ति को लेकर सवाल पर राजनीति कर रहे हैं.

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Include organically grown vegetables in your diet - Eknath Shinde

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सेंद्रिय खतांपासून लागवड झालेल्या भाज्यांचा आहारात समावेश करा – एकनाथ शिंदे

ठाणे - सेंद्रिय खतांचा वापर करून लागवड केलेल्या भाज्यांचा रोजच्या आहारात समावेश करा, असे आवाहन उपमुख्यमंत्री एकनाथ शिंदे यांनी शुक्रवारी ठाण्यात बोलताना केले. झाडे, फुले, फळे आणि रोपे यांचे वृक्षवल्ली-२०२५ हे भव्य प्रदर्शन ठाणे महानगरपालिकेच्या उद्यान विभाग आणि वृक्षप्राधिकरण यांच्यातर्फे आयोजित करण्यात आले आहे. त्याचे उद्घाटन शुक्रवारी उपमुख्यमंत्री एकनाथ शिंदे यांच्या हस्ते पार पडले. यावेळी बोलताना शिंदे यांनी नागरिकांना सदर आवाहन केले.



झाडांमुळे आपण जगतोय आणि आनंदी राहतो, असे शिंदे म्हणाले. हे वृक्षवल्ली प्रदर्शन म्हणजे ठाणे महापालिकेची एक प्रकारची मोहीमच आहे. ठाणेकरांचा सहभाग जेव्हा एखाद्या उपक्रमात होतो तेव्हा तो उपक्रम यशस्वी होतो, असेही शिंदे पुढे म्हणाले. एक सुंदर आणि आदर्श गाव कसे असते ते पाहायला माझ्या गावाला या. तिथे ५०० प्रकारच्या विविध वनौषधींची लागवड करण्यात आली आहे, असे शिंदे यांनी सांगितले. स्वच्छ, सुंदर आणि हरित असे शहर आपण केले पाहिजे. आजच्या घडीला सेंद्रिय खतांचा वापर करून लागवड करण्यात आलेला भाजीपाला खाण्याची गरज आहे. तसेच यावेळी शिंदे यांनी महापालिका आयुक्त सौरव राव यांना १ एकरात सेंद्रिय भाजीपाला पिकवा आणि तो लोकांना दाखवा, अशी सूचनाही केली. पर्यावरणाचा समतोल राखण्यासाठी झाडे लावण्याची गरज आहे. मलंगगड या ठिकाणी श्रीकांत शिंदे यांनी एका दिवसात १ लाख झाडे लावली, अशी माहिती शिंदे यांनी दिली. आपण निसर्गाची काळजी घेऊ तेवढी कमी आहे. निसर्गाची जपणूक करण्यासाठीच समृद्धी महामार्गात पैसे खर्च केले. प्राण्यांना मोकळ्या वातावरणात फिरण्यासाठी तिथे मार्ग तयार केले. ठाण्यातील सेंट्रल पार्क, तलाव यांना जपले पाहिजे, असे आवाहन शिंदे यांनी नागरिकांना केले. 'वृक्षवल्ली' प्रदर्शनाचे यंदाचे १४ वे वर्ष आहे. दरवर्षी या प्रदर्शनाला सुमारे दीड ते दोन लाख नागरिक भेट देतात. यंदाचे प्रदर्शन हे 'जैवविविधतेचे सप्तरंग' या संकल्पनेवर आधारित असून या प्रदर्शनात सुमारे २०० प्रजातींची फुलझाडे, फळांची रोपटी, रंगीबेरंगी फुले व पाने असलेली झाडे, औषधी वनस्पती आदी मिळून सुमारे ५ हजार रोपांचा समावेश आहे. या प्रदर्शनामध्ये रोटरी क्लब, इनरव्हिल क्लब, पर्यावरण दक्षता मंच, महाराष्ट्र निसर्ग उद्यान, माहीम यांच्यासह एमसीएचआय, हिरानंदानी समूह, अदानी समूह, लोढा समूह, रेमंड समूह अशा १५ खासगी संस्था सहभागी झाल्या आहेत. तसेच स्थानिक ३० शाळांतील विद्यार्थ्यांनी चित्रकला व निसर्गाशी निगडित देखावे साकारले आहेत. कट फ्लावर्स, पुष्परचनामध्ये ३० नागरिकांनी सहभाग घेतला आहे. यांच्यासह मध्य रेल्वे, एचपीसीएल या सरकारी संस्था ही प्रदर्शनात सहभागी झाल्या आहेत. एकूण सुमारे ९० संस्थांनी आकर्षक पुष्परचना, निसर्गाशी निगडित देखावे, फुलपाखरांची छायाचित्रे या प्रदर्शनात सादर करण्यात आली आहेत.

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On Gautam Adani issue, Prime Minister Modi said in America – this is a personal matter

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मीडिया से बोले–दो राष्ट्राध्यक्ष ऐसे मुद्दों पर बात नहीं करते

गौतम अडाणी मुद्दे पर प्रधानमंत्री मोदी ने अमेरिका में कहा-यह निजी मामला

नई दिल्ली (एजेंसी)

पीएम नरेंद्र मोदी से अमेरिका दौरे पर पत्रकारों ने सवाल पूछा था कि क्या राष्ट्रपति ट्रम्प के साथ मीटिंग में गौतम अडाणी के केस पर कोई चर्चा हुई? इस पर पीएम ने जवाब दिया कि ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों में हमारे बीच कोई बातचीत नहीं हुई है। प्रधानमंत्री मोदी ने कहा कि हमारे संस्कार और संस्कृति वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम की है। हम पूरे विश्व को अपना एक परिवार मानते हैं।



हर भारतीय को मैं अपना मानता हूं। दूसरी बात है कि ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों के लिए दो देशों के मुखिया न मिलते हैं, न बैठते हैं और न बात करते हैं।

पीएम ने यूएस में भी पर्दा डाला : राहुल

नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी ने फिर अडाणी मुद्दे पर पीएम नरेंद्र मोदी को घेरा। राहुल ने सोशल मीडिया एक्स पर लिखा कि अडाणी मामले पर पीएम से देश में सवाल पूछो तो वे चुप्पी साध लेते हैं। जब विदेश में सवाल किया गया तो इसे निजी मामला बताया।

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They have no legal right to be there

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अवैध प्रवासियों के मुद्दे पर बोले प्र.म. मोदी

'उन्हें वहां रहने का कोई कानूनी अधिकार नहीं'

वाशिंगटन (एजेंसी)। अमेरिका में गौतम अडाणी के मुद्दे पर भारतीय प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने दो टूक जवाब दिया। प्र.म. मोदी से जब पूछा गया कि क्या अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ बैठक में व्यवसायी गौतम अडानी के खिलाफ मामले पर चर्चा हुई, तो प्र.म. मोदी ने कहा कि भारत एक लोकतंत्र है और हमारी संस्कृति 'वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम' है, हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय मेरा है। दो देशों के दो प्रमुख नेता कभी भी ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मुद्दों पर चर्चा नहीं करते हैं।



अवैध प्रवासियों के मुद्दे पर क्या बोले प्र.म. मोदी?

वहीं, अवैध अप्रवास के मुद्दे पर प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने कहा कि जो लोग अवैध रूप से दूसरे देशों में रहते हैं, उन्हें वहां रहने का कोई कानूनी अधिकार नहीं है। जहां तक भारत और अमेरिका का सवाल है, हमने हमेशा कहा है कि जो लोग सत्यापित हैं और वास्तव में भारत के नागरिक हैं, अगर वे अवैध रूप से अमेरिका में रहते हैं, तो भारत उन्हें वापस लेने के लिए तैयार है। लेकिन यह हमारे लिए यहीं तक सीमित नहीं है।

प्र.म. मोदी ने कहा कि ये सामान्य परिवारों के लोग हैं। उन्हें बड़े-बड़े सपने दिखाए जाते हैं और उनमें से ज्यादातर ऐसे होते हैं जिन्हें गुमराह करके यहां लाया जाता है। इसलिए, हमें मानव तस्करी की इस पूरी व्यवस्था पर हमला करना चाहिए। अमेरिका और भारत को मिलकर इस तरह के पारिस्थितिकी तंत्र को जड़ से खत्म करने का प्रयास करना चाहिए ताकि मानव तस्करी खत्म हो जाए, हमारी बड़ी लड़ाई उस पूरे पारिस्थितिकी तंत्र के खिलाफ है और हमें विश्वास है कि राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप इस पारिस्थितिकी तंत्र को खत्म करने में भारत का पूरा सहयोग करेंगे।

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Titagarh Rail bags order worth Rs 537 crore from Adani Cement

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टीटागढ़ रेल को अदाणी सीमेंट से 537 करोड़ रुपये का ऑर्डर मिला

कोलकाता (भाषा)।

टीटागढ़ रेल सिस्टम्स लिमिटेड (टीआरएसएल), को अदाणी सीमेंट की अनुषंगी कंपनियों अंबुजा सीमेंट्स लिमिटेड और एसीसी लिमिटेड से विशेष मालवाहक डिब्बों के विनिर्माण और आपूर्ति के लिए 537.11 करोड़ रुपये का अनुबंध मिला है। कंपनी ने शुक्रवार को यह जानकारी दी।

इन डिब्बों का उद्देश्य सीमेंट जैसी भारी सामग्री की ढुलाई को अधिक कुशल और प्रभावी बनाना है, ताकि कंपनी के व्यापारिक कामों में आसानी हो सके।

ऑर्डर की डिलीवरी जनवरी 2026 और मार्च 2027 के बीच निर्धारित है।

टीआरएसएल के उप प्रबंध निदेशक अनिल कुमार अग्रवाल ने कहा कंपनी भारत के बुनयादी ढांचे को बेहतर बनाने के लिए अपनी तकनीक और समाधान का उपयोग करेगी, ताकि परिवहन क्षेत्र में लागत कम किया जा सके।

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Will beat Chinese supremacy

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चिनी वर्चस्वाला शह देणार

अमेरिकेसोबत व्यापारवाढीची संधी, व्यापारातील भागीदारीत सध्या भारत १० व्या स्थानी

नवी दिल्ली/वॉशिंग्टन : वर्ष २०२४ मध्ये भारत हा अमेरिकेचा १० व्या क्रमांकाचा व्यापारी भागीदार राहिला. मेक्सिको, कॅनडा आणि चीन हे देश व्यापारात पहिल्या तीन स्थानावर आहेत.

अमेरिका मात्र भारताचा सर्वांत मोठा व्यापारी भागीदार आहे. अमेरिकी राष्ट्राध्यक्ष डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प यांनी सत्ता हाती घेताच मेक्सिको व कॅनडावर २५ टक्के, तर चीनवर १० टक्के दंडात्मक कर लावला. याचा लाभ भारताला होऊ शकतो, असे जाणकारांना वाटते. २०१७ ते २०२१ या काळात अमेरिकेचे भारतातील राजदूत केनेथ आय. जस्टर आणि माजी अमेरिकी व्यापार प्रतिनिधी मार्क लिन्स्कॉट यांनी एका लेखात म्हटले की, भारत आणि अमेरिका आपली आर्थिक भागीदारी वाढवून आशिया-प्रशांत क्षेत्रात चीनच्या वर्चस्वाला शह देऊ इच्छितात. मोठे करार करण्याची वेळ आता आली आहे. (वृत्तसंस्था)



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देशांचे प्रमुख व्यक्तिगत प्रकरणासाठी भेटत नाहीत; अदानीप्रकरणी मोदींचे उत्तर

१ अदानी समूहाचे चेअरमन गौतम अदानी यांच्यावर आरोपांबाबत अमेरिकेचे राष्ट्राध्यक्ष ट्रम्प यांच्याशी चर्चा झाली का, असे पत्रकारांनी विचारताच पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी म्हणाले की, व्यक्तिगत प्रकरणांवर आमच्यात कोणताही चर्चा झाली नाही.

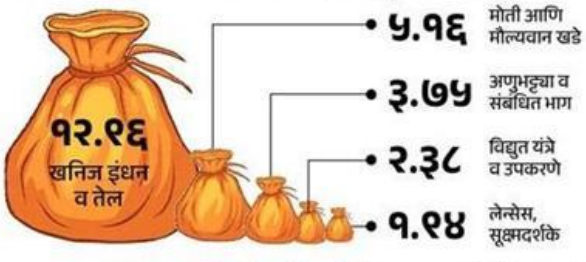
२ पत्रकारांसमोर पंतप्रधान मोदी म्हणाले की, आमची संस्कृती वसुधैव कुटुंबकम् हा संदेश देणारी आहे. आम्ही संपूर्ण जगाला एक परिवार मानतो. प्रत्येक भारतीयाला मी आपला मानतो. व्यक्तिगत प्रकरणासाठी दोन देशांचे प्रमुख ना कधी भेटतात, ना बैठक करतात, ना त्यावर चर्चा करतात.

३ काँग्रेस नेते आणि लोकसभा विरोधी पक्षनेते राहुल गांधी यांनी यावर टीका करताना म्हटले आहे की, देशात विचारले तर मौन आणि परदेशात विचारले तर व्यक्तिगत प्रकरण! अमेरिकेतही पंतप्रधानांनी अदानी यांच्या भ्रष्टाचारावर पांघरूण टाकले आहे.

भारत अमेरिकेहून काय आयात करतो?

भारत अमेरिकेहून आयात करीत असलेल्या वस्तूंत कच्चे तेल, त्यासंबंधीची उत्पादने, रत्ने व खडे, अणुभट्ट्या, विद्युत साहित्य आणि वैद्यकीय उपकरणे यांचा समावेश आहे.

वित्त वर्ष २०२३-२४ मध्ये भारताने अमेरिकेहून केलेली आयात



आकडेवारी अब्ज डॉलरमध्ये /(स्रोत : भारत सरकारचे वाणिज्य मंत्रालय)

अमेरिका भारताकडून काय आयात करते?

भारतातून अमेरिकेला होणारी आयात वाढत आहे. अमेरिका भारताकडून आयात करीत असलेल्या वस्तूंत प्रामुख्याने अर्ध-मौल्यवान खडे आणि विद्युत यंत्रसामग्रीचा समावेश आहे.

२०२३-२४ मधील आयात

१२.३६ अब्ज डॉलर
मोती व अर्ध-मौल्यवान खडे

१२.०८ अब्ज डॉलर
विद्युत यंत्रे व उपकरणे

१०.९७ अब्ज डॉलर
औषधी उत्पादने

६.६७ अब्ज डॉलर
अणुभट्ट्या व यंत्रसामग्री

५.१४ अब्ज डॉलर
खनिज इंधन व तेल

(स्रोत : संयुक्त राष्ट्रांचे कॉमट्रेड)

अंतराळ सहकार्य वाढवणार

१ पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी आणि अमेरिकेचे राष्ट्राध्यक्ष डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प यांच्यात वॉशिंग्टनमध्ये झालेल्या भेटीत 'अमेरिका-भारत ट्रस्ट' उपक्रमाची घोषणा करण्यात आली.

२ संरक्षण, एआय, सेमीकंडक्टर, क्वांटम, जैवतंत्रज्ञान, ऊर्जा आणि अंतराळ या क्षेत्रांत प्रोत्साहन देण्यासाठी सहकार्य वाढविण्याचा निर्णय घेतला. २०२५ हे वर्ष नागरी अंतराळ सहकार्यासाठी महत्त्वपूर्ण ठरणार आहे.

३ नासा-इस्रोच्या प्रयत्नांद्वारे पहिला भारतीय अंतराळवीर आंतरराष्ट्रीय अंतराळ स्थानकावर पाठविण्याची योजना आहे. तसेच, संयुक्त 'निसार' मिशनद्वारे पृथ्वीच्या पृष्ठभागावरील बदलांचे नकाशे तयार केले जातील.

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A meeting of all party organizations tomorrow against Adani in Prabhadevi

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3	Marathi	374	N/A	Middle Center	222300	910K

प्रभादेवीमध्ये अदानीविरोधात उद्या सर्वपक्षीय संघटनांची बैठक

संयुक्त कृती कार्यक्रमावर होणार चर्चा

मुंबई, दि. १४ (प्रतिनिधी) – देशभरातील उद्योगधंदे, व्यापार, बंदरे, रेल्वे आणि इतर सार्वजनिक सेवा उद्योगांचे खासगीकरण करून ते अदानीला देण्याचा चंग केंद्रातल्या भाजप सरकारने बांधला आहे. या विरोधात प्रभादेवीमधील भूपेश गुप्ता भवनमध्ये रविवारी विविध संघटनांची बैठक आयोजित करण्यात आली आहे. दुपारी ४ वाजता होणाऱ्या बैठकीला विविध सामाजिक, राजकीय संघटनांचे पदाधिकारी उपस्थित राहणार आहेत.

केंद्र सरकारने विमानतळे, रेल्वे, खाणी, पाणी, वीजनिर्मिती आणि वितरण, बंदरे, मच्छीमार, बँकिंग सेवा, सुरक्षा विभाग, कारखाने, धारावी व इतर वस्त्या अदानी समूहाला देण्याचा सपाटा लावला आहे. या अदानीकरणाविरोधात संघर्ष करण्यासाठी रविवारी बैठकीचे आयोजन करण्यात आले आहे. यात सर्व संघटनांच्या वतीने संयुक्त कृती कार्यक्रमावर चर्चा करून एकजुटीने निर्णय घेतला जाणार आहे, अशी माहिती आयटक राष्ट्रीय सचिव सुकुमार दामले यांनी दिली.

Jag Bani • Chandigarh • 15 Feb, 2025

Airport main Abika aur Andheri main dikhi Tapsee Jacqueline

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7	English	109	N/A	Middle Right	43560	124.76K



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Airport main Abika aur Andheri main dikhi Tapsee Jacqueline

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9	Hindi	142	N/A	Middle Right	131374	867.98K

एयरपोर्ट में अविका और अंधेरी में दिखीं तापसी-जैकलीन



कलर्स के शो 'बालिका वधु' से अपने अभिनय की शुरूआत करने वाली अविका गौर को एयरपोर्ट पर स्पॉट किया गया। फिलहाल अविका गौर साऊथ सिनेमा में भी काम कर रही हैं। आखिरी बार अविका तेलुगू फिल्म 'उमापति' में नजर आई थीं। अब 'शनमुखा' में नजर आने वाली हैं। वहीं, अभिनेत्री तापसी पन्नू और जैकलीन फर्नांडीज को अंधेरी में स्पॉट किया गया।

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Mumbai Chauffer • Mumbai • 15 Feb, 2025

Diamonds worth nine crores seized from Mumbai airport

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10	Marathi	40	N/A	Top Left	19756	510.65K

मुंबई विमानतळावरून नऊ कोटींचे हिरे जप्त

मुंबई - सीमा शुल्क विभागाने सहार येथील छत्रपती शिवाजी महाराज आंतरराष्ट्रीय विमानतळावरून सहा किलो सोने व २१४७ कॅरेट हिरे जप्त केले आहेत. त्या जवाहिऱ्यांची किंमत सव्वानऊ कोटी रुपये असल्याचे सांगण्यात आले. याप्रकरणी एका आरोपीला अटक करण्यात आली आहे. सीमा शुल्क विभागाने ही कारवाई ११ फेब्रुवारीला मध्यरात्री केली असून, यात ५ किलो ९२ ग्रॅम सोने आणि २१४७ कॅरेट हिरे जप्त केले आहेत. तस्करी करणाऱ्या प्रवाशाने पट्ट्याचे बक्कल, ट्रॉली बॅग आणि अंतर्वस्त्रांमध्ये सोने लपवले होते. तर, प्रवाशाच्या ट्रॉली बॅगमधील लॅपटॉपमध्ये हिरे दडविण्यात आले होते, अशी माहिती सीमा शुल्क विभागाकडून देण्यात आली.

Divya Bhaskar • Mumbai • 15 Feb, 2025

Diamonds, gold worth 9 crores seized from Mumbai airport, one arrested

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2	Gujarati	158	N/A	Top Right	23670	316.29K

મુંબઈ એરપોર્ટ પરથી 9 કરોડના હીરા, સોનુ જપ્ત, એકની ધરપકડ

બેંગકોક જતા પ્રવાસીઓ બેલ્ટમાં સોનુ તો લેપટોપમાં હીરા છુપાવ્યા

ભાસ્કર ન્યૂઝ | મુંબઈ

એક્સાઈઝ ડ્યુટી ડિપાર્ટમેંટે મુંબઈ એરપોર્ટ પર કરેલી કાર્યવાહીમાં છ કિલો સોનુ અને 2147 કેરેટ હીરા જપ્ત કર્યા છે જેની કિંમત સવા નવ કરોડ રૂપિયા થાય છે એવી માહિતી અધિકારીએ આપી હતી. આરોપી પ્રવાસીએ પહેરેલા બેલ્ટમાં સોનુ છુપાવ્યું હતું તો હીરા લેપટોપમાં છુપાવવામાં આવ્યા હતા. છેલ્લા થોડા દિવસથી બેંગકોકથી ગાંજાની મોટા પ્રમાણમાં દાણચોરી થતી હોવાથી એના રૂપિયાની લેતીદેતી હવાલા મારફત કરવા હીરાની દાણચોરી કરવામાં આવતી હતી કે નહીં એ બાબતે એક્સાઈઝ ડ્યુટી ડિપાર્ટમેંટ કરી રહ્યું છે.એક્સાઈઝ ડ્યુટી ડિપાર્ટમેંટે મુંબઈ એરપોર્ટ પર 11 ફેબ્રુઆરીના મધરાતે 5 કિલો 92 ગ્રામ સોનુ અને 2147 કેરેટ હીરા જપ્ત કર્યા. એની કિંમત અંદાજે 9 કરોડ 12 લાખ રૂપિયા છે. દાણચોરી કરનારા પ્રવાસીએ બેલ્ટના બક્કલ, ટ્રોલી બેગ અને આંતરવસ્ત્રોમાં સોનુ છુપાવ્યું હતું. પ્રવાસીની ટ્રોલી બેગમાં રાખવામાં આવેલા લેપટોપમાં હીરા છુપાવવામાં આવ્યા હતા. આ પ્રકરણમાં એક પ્રવાસીની ધરપકડ કરવામાં આવી હતી. આ બાબતે અધિકારીએ આપેલી માહિતી અનુસાર સુરક્ષા તપાસ અને સ્કેનિંગ પ્રક્રિયા સમયે કેન્દ્રિય ઔદ્યોગિક સુરક્ષા દળના (સીઆઈએસએફ) અધિકારીને એક પ્રવાસીના લેપટોપમાં શંકાસ્પદ વસ્તુ મળી. આ પ્રવાસી મુંબઈથી બેંગકોક જઈ રહ્યો હતો. શક થવાથી એને તરત એરપોર્ટના એર ઈન્ટેલિજન્સ યુનિટને સોંપવામાં આવ્યો. ચુસ્તતાથી તપાસ કરતા એક્સાઈઝ ડ્યુટી ડિપાર્ટમેંટના અધિકારીઓએ એ પ્રવાસી પાસેથી 2147 કેરેટ હીરા જપ્ત કર્યા. એની કિંમત 4 કરોડ 93 લાખ રૂપિયા છે. આ પ્રકરણે પ્રવાસીની ધરપકડ કરવામાં આવી હતી. છેલ્લા કેટલાક દિવસથી બેંગકોકથી મોટા પ્રમાણમાં ગાંજાની દાણચોરી કરવામાં આવે છે. આ હીરા એ માટેના હવાલા પ્રકરણથી સંબંધિત હોવાનો શક છે અને તપાસ ચાલુ છે.

સોનાની દાણચોરીનો સિલસિલો જારી

બીજી કાર્યવાહીમાં 12 ફેબ્રુઆરીના દુબઈથી મુંબઈ આવેલા ત્રણ પ્રવાસીઓને અટકાવવામાં આવ્યા હતા. તેમની પાસેથી 24 કેરેટ સોનાની વીંટીઓ અને બટન મળીને કુલ 775 ગ્રામ સોનુ જપ્ત કરવામાં આવ્યું. એની કિંમત 61 લાખ રૂપિયા છે. ત્રીજી કાર્યવાહીમાં કેન્યાના 14 પ્રવાસીઓને અટકાવવામાં આવ્યા. આ પ્રવાસીઓ નૈરોબીથી મુંબઈ આવ્યા હતા. તપાસ દરમિયાન તેમના આંતરવસ્ત્રોમાં અને કપડાના ગજવામાં છુપાવેલા 22 કેરેટ સોનાના બિસ્કિટ અને ઘરેણા મળ્યા. જપ્ત સોનાનું વજન 2741 ગ્રામ અને કિંમત 1 કરોડ 85 લાખ રૂપિયા હોવાની માહિતી અધિકારીએ આપી હતી. ઉપરાંત બીજી એક કાર્યવાહીમાં 2406 ગ્રામ સોનુ જપ્ત કરવામાં આવ્યું હતું.

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Gold smuggling; three Iranian nationals arrested

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2	Marathi	221	N/A	Middle Left	131404	910K

सोने तस्करी; तीन इराणी नागरिकांना अटक

■ सोने तस्करी करणाऱ्या तीन इराणी नागरिकांना महसूल गुप्तवार्ता संचालनालयाने (डीआरआय) अटक केली. त्यांच्याकडून ६.२८ कोटी रुपयांचे सोने जप्त करण्यात आले. काही जण परदेशातून सोने घेऊन छत्रपती शिवाजी महाराज आंतरराष्ट्रीय विमानतळावर येणार असल्याची माहिती डीआरआयला मिळाली. त्या माहितीची सत्यता पडताळली. डीआरआर यांच्या पथकाने त्या तीन इराणी नागरिकांना ताब्यात घेतले. दोघांनी परिधान केलेल्या कपड्यांमध्ये सात किलो सोने लपवले होते. त्या तिघांना डीआरआयने ताब्यात घेतले. त्यांच्याकडून ७.१४३ किलो सोने जप्त केले. जप्त केलेल्या सोन्याची किंमत सुमारे ६.२८ कोटी रुपये इतकी आहे. सोने तस्करीप्रकरणी त्या तिघांचा जबाब नोंद करून त्यांना अटक केली.

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Highway connecting Mumbai to Ulhasnagar, Ambernath, Badlapur soon

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2	Gujarati	135	N/A	Middle Center	20255	316.29K

મુંબઈથી ઉલ્હાસનગર, અંબરનાથ, બદલાપુરને જોડતો હાઈવે ટૂંક સમયમાં

થાણે અને આસપાસના પરિસરમાં ટ્રાફિકજામની સમસ્યા હળવી થશે

ભાસ્કર ન્યૂઝ | મુંબઈ

મુંબઈ ઉપનગરોમાંથી મુંબઈ નિયમિત પ્રવાસ કરનારા પ્રવાસીઓ માટે મુંબઈ મેટ્રોપોલિટન રિજિયનમાં એક હાઈવે બાંધવામાં આવશે. આ હાઈવે મુંબઈ, નવી મુંબઈ અને નવી મુંબઈ આંતરરાષ્ટ્રીય એરપોર્ટને કલ્યાણ, ડોંબિવલી, ઉલ્હાસનગર, અંબરનાથ અને બદલાપુરને જોડશે. ડોંબિવલી, કલ્યાણ, બદલાપુર, અંબરનાથ, ઉલ્હાસનગર જેવા ઉપનગરોમાં લોકસંખ્યા ઝડપથી વધી રહી છે. તેથી મોટા પ્રમાણમાં ટ્રાફિકજામની સમસ્યા ઊભી થાય છે. આ નવો હાઈવે ત્યાંના નાગરિકો માટે મહત્વનો બનશે. મુંબઈ મહાનગર પ્રદેશ વિકાસ પ્રાધિકરણ એટલે કે એમએમઆરડીએએ મર્યાદિત પ્રવેશ હાઈવેના બાંધકામ માટે તાજેતરમાં ટેંડર જારી કર્યા. આ પ્રકલ્પનો વિગતવાર અહેવાલ તૈયાર કરવા આ ટેંડર કાઢવામાં આવ્યા છે. આ હાઈવેની શરૂઆત મુંબઈ-દિલ્હી એક્સપ્રેસ વે દરમિયાન બદલાપુરથી થશે.

એમાં મુંબઈ-વડોદરા હાઈવે, કટાઈ-બદલાપુર હાઈવે અને કલ્યાણ રિંગ રોડનો સમાવેશ હશે. આ હાઈવેનો પહેલો ઈંટરચેન્જ અંબરનાથના પાલેગાવમાં હશે. બીજો ઈન્ટરચેન્જ કલ્યાણ પૂર્વમાં હેદુટણેમાં હશે. આ હાઈવે કલ્યાણ રિંગ રોડ અને કલ્યાણ શિળફાટા રોડને જોડશે. મહત્વની વાત એટલે આ હાઈવેના કારણે નવી મુંબઈ ઈંટરનેશનલ એરપોર્ટ અને નવી મુંબઈ એરપોર્ટ ઈન્ફ્લૂએન્સ નોટિફાઈડ એરિયા એટલે કે નયના (એનએએનઆઈએ) ની કનેક્ટિવિટી સહેલી થશે. આ હાઈવે નવી મુંબઈ અને મુંબઈ ઉપનગરોનું અંતર ઓછું કરવામાં મદદ કરશે. ઉપરાંત એના લીધે થાણે અને આસપાસના પરિસરમાં ટ્રાફિકજામની સમસ્યા ઓછી થશે.

આઠ લેનવાળા આ હાઈવે પર કલાકના 80 કિલોમીટરની સ્પીડથી વાહન ચલાવી શકાશે. આ હાઈવેમાં ત્રણ ટનલ અને પાંચ અંડરપાસ હશે. હાઈવેની લંબાઈ 20 કિલોમીટર હશે. એમ ચાર ઈન્ટરચેન્જ હશે. આ હાઈવે બાંધવા 200 હેકટર જમીન જોઈશે. એના માટેનો ખર્ચ અંદાજે 10 હજાર 833 કરોડ રૂપિયા થશે. આ હાઈવે બાબતનો રિપોર્ટ 31 જાન્યુઆરીના આપવામાં આવશે. ટેંડર માટે 17 ફેબ્રુઆરીના ઓનલાઈન અરજી કરી શકાશે.

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The stock market that started and ended in a decline

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11	English	357	N/A	Bottom Center	151737	167.26K

எழுச்சியில் தொடங்கி சரிவில் முடிந்த பங்குச்சந்தை

நமது திருப்பர்

மும்பை / புது தில்லி பிப் 14: இந்த வாரத்தின் இறுதி வர்த்தக தினமான வெள்ளிக்கிழமை பங்குச்சந்தை எழுச்சியுடன் தொடங்கினாலும் இறுதியில் சரிவில் முடிவடைந்தது. இதையடுத்து, மும்பை பங்குச்சந்தைக் குறியீட்டு எண்ணான சென்செக்ஸ், தேசிய பங்குச்சந்தைக் குறியீட்டு எண்ணான நிஃப்டி ஆகிய இரண்டும் தொடர்ந்து எட்டாவது நாளாக சரிவில் முடிவடைந்தன.

அமெரிக்கா-இந்தியா இருதரப்பு வர்த்தகத்தை இரட்டிப்பாக்கி 500 பில்லியன் அமெரிக்க டாலராக உயர்த்துவதை நோக்கமாகக் கொண்ட 'மிஷன் 500' என்ற இருதரப்பு வர்த்தகத்திற்கான புதிய இலக்கை பிரதமர் நரேந்திர மோடியும், அமெரிக்க அதிபர் டொனால்டு டிரம்ப்பும் நிர்ணயித்துள்ளனர். இது சந்தைக்கு சாதகமாக பார்க்கப்பட்ட

சென்செக்ஸ், நிஃப்டி எட்டாவது நாளாக சரிவு

தால் உள்நாட்டு சந்தை உற்சாகத்துடன் தொடங்கி சற்று மேலே சென்றது.

ஆனால், பிற்பகல் வர்த்தகத்தின் போது முன்னணி முதல் தரப் பங்குகள் விற்பனை அதிகரித்தது. இதனால், வங்கிகள், நிதித் துறை, ஆட்டோ, ஃபார்மா, ஹெல்த்கேர், ஆயில் & காஸ் உள்பட அனைத்துத் துறை குறியீடுகளும் வீழ்ச்சிப்பட்டியலில் வந்தன என்று பங்குவர்த்தகத் தரகு நிறுவனங்கள் தெரிவித்தன.

சென்செக்ஸ் 200 புள்ளிகள் இழப்பு: சென்செக்ஸ் காலையில் 250.02 புள்ளிகள் கூடுதலுடன்தொடங்கிஅதி கபட்சமாக 76,483.06 வரை மேலே சென்றது. பின்னர், பங்குகள் விற்பனை அதிகரித்ததால் 75,439.64 வரை கீழே சென்ற சென்செக்ஸ் இறுதியில் 199.76 புள்ளிகள் (0.26 சதவீதம்) இழப்புடன் 75,939.21-இல் நிறைவடைந்தது. ஒரு கட்டத்தில் சென்செக்ஸ் 699.33 புள்ளிகளை இழந்திருந்தது. மும்பை பங்குச்சந்தையில் மொத்தம் வர்த்தகமான 4,083 பங்குகளில் 681 பங்குகள் மட்டும் விலையுயர்ந்த பட்டியலில் இருந்தன.

அதே சமயம், 3,320 பங்குகள் விலை குறைந்த பட்டியலில் வந்தன. 82 பங்குகள் விலையில் மாற்றமின்றி நிலைபெற்றன.

அதானி போர்ட்ஸ் கடும் வீழ்ச்சி: சென்செக்ஸ் பட்டியலில் அதானி போர்ட்ஸ் 4.20 சதவீதம் குறைந்து வீழ்ச்சிப் பட்டியலில் முன்னிலை வகித்தது. இது தவிர அல்ட்ராடெக் சிமென்ட், சன்ஃபார்மா, இண்டஸ்இண்ட் வங்கி, என்டிபிசி, டாடா மோல் உள்பட 21 பங்குகள் விலை குறைந்த பட்டியலில் இருந்தன. அதே சமயம், நெஸ்லே, ஐசிஐசிஐ வங்கி, இன்ஃபோசிஸ், டிசிஎஸ், ஹெச்சிஎல் டெக், பார்தி ஏர்டெல், ஐடிசி, ரிலையன்ஸ், மாருதி ஆகிய 9 பங்குகள் மட்டும் விலையுயர்ந்த பட்டியலில் இருந்தன.

நிஃப்டி 102 புள்ளிகள் சரிவு: தேசிய பங்குச்சந்தையில் நிஃப்டி 65.05 புள்ளிகள் கூடுதலுடன் 23,096.45-இல் தொடங்கி அதிகபட்சமாக 23,133.70 வரை மேலே சென்றது. பின்னர், 22,774.85 வரை கீழே சென்ற நிஃப்டி, இறுதியில் 102.15 புள்ளிகள் (0.44 சதவீதம்) இழப்புடன் 22,929.25-இல் நிறைவடைந்தது.

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ஒரே நாளில் நஷ்டம் ரூ.6.93 லட்சம் கோடி

மும்பை பங்குச் சந்தையில் வெள்ளிக்கிழமை சந்தை மூதன மதிப்பு ரூ.6.93 லட்சம் கோடி குறைந்து வர்த்தக முடிவில் ரூ.401.12 லட்சம் கோடியாக இருந்தது. அதாவது, ஒரே நாளில் முதலீட்டாளர்களுக்கு ரூ.6.93 லட்சம் கோடி இழப்பு ஏற்பட்டது. அந்நிய நிறுவன முதலீட்டாளர்கள் (எஃபஐஐ) இந்த மாதத்தில் வியாழக்கிழமை வரை மொத்தம் ரூ.24,888 கோடிக்கு பங்குகளை விற்று முதலீடுகளை வாபஸ் பெற்றுள்ளனர். அதே சமயம், உள்நாட்டு நிறுவனங்கள் (டிஐஐ) மொத்தம் ரூ.21,655 கோடிக்கு பங்குகளை வாங்கியுள்ளது சந்தை புள்ளி விவரத் தகவல் மூலம் தெரிய வந்துள்ளது.

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Titagarh Rail bags order worth Rs 537 crore from Adani Cement

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कोलकाता (भाषा)।

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इन डिब्बों का उद्देश्य सीमेंट जैसी भारी सामग्री की ढुलाई को अधिक कुशल और प्रभावी बनाना है, ताकि कंपनी के व्यापारिक कामों में आसानी हो सके।

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Adani's corruption was hidden

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'अदाणींच्या भ्रष्टाचारावर पडदा टाकला'

नवी दिल्ली, ता. १४ : "उद्योगपती गौतम अदाणी यांच्या मुद्द्यावर देशात प्रश्न विचारला तर गप्प राहतात आणि विदेशात प्रश्न विचारला तर खासगी मुद्दा असल्याचे म्हणतात," असे म्हणत लोकसभेतील विरोधी पक्षनेते राहुल गांधी यांनी पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी यांच्यावर टीका केली आहे. "अमेरिकेत मोदी यांनी अदाणींच्या भ्रष्टाचारावर पडदा टाकला आहे. मित्राचा खिसा भरणे मोदी यांच्यासाठी राष्ट्रनिर्माण आहे. तेव्हा लाचखोरी आणि देशाची संपत्ती लुटणे हा व्यक्तीगत मुद्दा बनतो," अशी खरपूस टीका गांधी यांनी शुक्रवारी समाज माध्यमातून केली.

काय आहे प्रकरण?

ज्यो बायडेन यांच्या अध्यक्षपदाच्या कार्यकाळात अमेरिकेच्या न्याय विभागाने दाखल केलेल्या खटल्यात उद्योगपती अदाणी यांच्याविरोधात गंभीर आरोप करण्यात आले होते. सौरऊर्जेच्या करारांसाठी अनुकूल परिस्थिती निर्माण करण्यासाठी अदाणी यांनी भारतीय अधिकाऱ्यांना दोन हजार १०० कोटी रुपयांची लाच देण्याचा प्रयत्न केला. हे व्यवहार अमेरिकी बँका आणि गुंतवणूकदारांपासून लपवून ठेवण्यात आले होते, असा आरोप न्याय विभागाने केला होता.

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Questions about Adani in front of Trump, Modi says, 'personal issue'!

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मायदेशात पत्रकारांना टाळणाऱ्या पंतप्रधानांची अमेरिकेत उडाली भंबेरी

ट्रम्प यांच्यासमोरच अदानींबद्दल प्रश्न मोदी म्हणतात, 'वैयक्तिक मुद्दा'!

अमेरिकेत बेकायदा राहणाऱ्या हिंदुस्थानींना परत घेऊ, त्यांची पाठवणी करा!

वॉशिंग्टन, दि. १४ (वृत्तसंस्था) – मायदेशात पत्रकार परिषदा घेण्याचे टाळणाऱ्या पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी यांची शुक्रवारी अमेरिकेत देश-विदेशातील पत्रकारांच्या प्रश्नांच्या सरबत्तीला तोंड देताना चांगलीच भंबेरी उडाली. या वेळी उद्योजक गौतम अदानीवरील लाचलुचपतीच्या आरोपांपासून, हिंदुस्थानी स्थलांतरितांना अमेरिकी लष्कराकडून मिळालेल्या अपमानास्पद वागणुकीपर्यंतच्या विविध अडचणींच्या प्रश्नांचा मारा पत्रकारांनी केला. अर्थात अदानीवर न्यूयॉर्कच्या न्यायालयाने ठेवलेल्या लाचलुचपतीच्या ठपक्याबाबत विचारलेल्या प्रश्नाला वैयक्तिक विषय असे उत्तर देऊन मोदींनी या वेळीही बगल दिली. व्हाईट हाऊस येथील ओव्हल ऑफिसमध्ये अमेरिकी राष्ट्राध्यक्ष डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प यांनी मोदींची भेट घेतली. ट्रम्प यांच्या भेटीनंतर उभयतांनी ही पत्रकार परिषद घेतली. पान ६

रशिया-युक्रेनबाबत हिंदुस्थान तटस्थ नाही

रशिया-युक्रेन युद्धाबाबत हिंदुस्थान तटस्थ आहे असे जगाला वाटते, परंतु हिंदुस्थानची भूमिका तटस्थ नाही. हिंदुस्थान नेहमीच शांततेच्या बाजूने राहिला आहे. दोन्ही बाजूंनी चर्चा व्हावी असे आम्ही नेहमीच म्हटले आहे. मी दोन्ही देशांच्या नेत्यांची भेट घेतली. मी पुतीन यांना भेटलो तेव्हा 'हा युद्धाचा काळ' नाही असे सांगितले होते. युद्धभूमीवर उपाय शोधता येत नाहीत, असेही मी म्हटले होते. केवळ चर्चेतून यावर तोडगा निघू शकतो, असे मोदी म्हणाले.



मोदींनी अदानींच्या भ्रष्टाचारावर पडदा टाकला!



अमेरिकेत मोदींनी अदानींच्या भ्रष्टाचारावर पडदा टाकला. देशात प्रश्न विचारला तर ते गप्प राहतात. विदेशात प्रश्न विचारल्यास खासगी मुद्दा असल्याचे सांगतात. मित्राचा खिसा भरणे मोदींसाठी राष्ट्रनिर्माण आहे. लाचखोरी व देशाची संपत्ती लुटणे हा त्यांच्यासाठी व्यक्तिगत मुद्दा बनला आहे, अशी टीका लोकसभेतील विरोधी पक्षनेते राहुल गांधींनी केली.

तहव्वूर राणाच्या प्रत्यार्पणास मंजुरी

मुंबई दहशतवादी हल्ल्यातील दोषी तहव्वूर राणाच्या प्रत्यार्पणावर ट्रम्प प्रशासनाने शिक्कामोर्तब केले असून त्याला लवकरच हिंदुस्थानच्या स्वाधीन केले जाईल. राणाच्या प्रत्यार्पणाला मंजुरी देताना ट्रम्प यांनी त्याचा उल्लेख अत्यंत वाईट व्यक्ती असा केला.

आयात शुल्क लादण्यावर ट्रम्प सरकार ठाम

आयात शुल्क लादण्याच्या निर्णयावर ट्रम्प सरकार ठाम आहे. हिंदुस्थान अमेरिकेकडून तेल, गॅस आणि लष्करी सामुग्री अधिक प्रमाणात खरेदी करणार आहे. मात्र परस्पर आयात शुल्कातून अमेरिका हिंदुस्थानला वगळणार नाही. हिंदुस्थान आपल्यावर जितके कर लादेल तितके आपण लादू, असे सांगत ट्रम्प यांनी आयात शुल्कातून हिंदुस्थानला दिलासा देण्यास नकार दिला.

ट्रम्प यांच्यासमोरच अदानींबद्दल प्रश्न मोदी म्हणतात, 'वैयक्तिक मुद्दा'!

(पान १ वरून) हिंदुस्थान हा लोकशाही देश आहे. आमची संस्कृती आणि तत्त्वज्ञान हे वसुधैव कुटुंबकम विचारसरणी मानणारे आहे. मी प्रत्येक हिंदुस्थानी आपला आहे, असे मानतो. तसेच जेव्हा दोन जागतिक नेते भेटत असतात तेव्हा अशा वैयक्तिक विषयावर चर्चा होत नसते, असे सांगत मोदी यांनी ट्रम्प यांच्या समवेत अदानीवरील आरोपांबाबत कोणतीही चर्चा झाली नसल्याचे स्पष्ट केले. अदानी यांनी सौर ऊर्जेची कंत्राटे मिळवण्याकरिता हिंदुस्थानी अधिकाऱ्यांना २,१०० कोटी चारल्याचा ठपका अमेरिकेच्या न्याय विभागाने ठेवला आहे. या प्रकरणी माजी राष्ट्राध्यक्ष जो बायडेन यांच्या कार्यकाळात सुरू झालेल्या कार्यवाहीला ट्रम्प यांच्यामुळे तात्पुरती स्थगिती मिळाली आहे.

अमेरिकेतील हिंदुस्थानी घुसखोरांच्या प्रश्नावरही मोदी बोलले. हा प्रश्न केवळ हिंदुस्थानाचा नसून जागतिक आहे. जे अवैधपणे अमेरिकेत राहत आहेत, त्यांना परत घेण्यासाठी हिंदुस्थान तयार आहे, असे मोदी यांनी सांगितले. घुसखोरी करणारे अत्यंत सामान्य घरातील लोक असतात. त्यांना फसवून अन्य देशांत नेले जाते. त्यांना हिंदुस्थानात परत घेऊ. हिंदुस्थानींना परत पाठविण्याच्या प्रश्नावर सहकार्य करण्याचे ट्रम्प यांनी मान्य केले आहे, असे मोदी यांनी सांगितले.

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Rahul accuses Modi of 'covering up Adani's corruption', BJP hits back

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Congress MP Rahul Gandhi Friday accused PM Modi of "covering up" businessman Gautam Adani's alleged corruption.

"If you ask questions in the country, there is silence, If you ask abroad, it is a personal matter! Even in America, Modi Ji covered up Adani Ji's corruption!" Gandhi wrote in a post on X in Hindi. "When filling a friend's pocket is 'nation building' for Modiji, then taking bribes and looting the nation's wealth becomes a 'personal matter'," he also said. Party general secretary Jairam Ramesh wrote, "Modi ji's face turned pale on hearing Adani's name... Since when has corruption become a personal matter."

BJP spokesperson Ajay Alok slammed Gandhi for his remarks, stating the Congress neta is suffering from a disease that keeps him obsessed with "Adani, Hindenburg and Rafale". Finding faults with the PM's foreign visits has become a habit of Congress, said BJP's Syed Shahnawaz Hussain.

The Congress took a swipe at the prime minister and said in a post on its official X handle, "In America, a journalist asked a question related to the corruption of Narendra Modi's best friend Adani. Narendra Modi called it a personal matter and started talking about other things. His face turned pale as soon as he heard the question." AGENCIES

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मोदी-ट्रम्प भेटीतून २६/११ च्या मुंबई दहशतवादी हल्ल्याचा मास्टर माइंड तहव्वूर राणा याचे मार्गी लागलेले प्रत्यार्पण तसेच व्यापारी, संरक्षण आणि इतर करारांचा नेहमीचा सोपस्कार हे सगळे ठीक असले तरी या करारांमध्ये भारतासाठी 'घेवाण' किती आणि 'देवाण' किती? ट्रम्प यांच्या 'टेरिफ'च्या दणक्याने भारतीय अर्थव्यवस्थेला आलेले टेंगूळ कमी करण्यासाठी एखादे 'मलम' ट्रम्प यांनी त्यांचे 'टफ निगोशिएटर मित्र' मोदी यांना दिले आहे काय? मोदींच्या या 'टफ निगोशिएशन'चा देशाला किती फायदा झाला आणि त्यांच्या उद्योगपती मित्राला किती झाला? हा दौरा कोणासाठी होता? मोदीजी, तुमच्या अमेरिका दौऱ्याने निर्माण केलेले हे असंख्य प्रश्न आहेत. त्यांची उत्तरे भारतीय जनतेला हवी आहेत. ती देण्याचे धाडस तुम्ही दाखविणार आहात का?

मोदी-ट्रम्प भेट

दौरा कोणासाठी?

पंतप्रधान मोदी यांनी दोन दिवसांच्या अमेरिका दौऱ्यात अमेरिकेचे नवनिर्वाचित राष्ट्राध्यक्ष डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प यांची भेट घेतली. मोदींनी आलिंगन देताच ट्रम्प यांना म्हणे खूपच गहिवरून आले. ते मोदींना म्हणाले की, "मिस्टर प्राईम मिनिस्टर, वुई मिस यू अ लॉट!" त्यावर मोदी यांनी काय उत्तर दिले ते ट्रम्प यांनाच माहीत. परंतु मोदी आणि ट्रम्प हे 'मित्र' आहेत आणि मागील चार-पाच वर्षे ट्रम्प सत्तेत नसल्याने ते एकमेकांना मिस करू शकतात. ट्रम्प यांच्यासाठी मोदी हे 'हाऊडी मोदी' आहेत आणि मोदींसाठी ट्रम्प हे 'केम छो' आहेत. ट्रम्प यांच्या पहिल्या कारकीर्दीत या संबंधांचा प्रत्यय आला होता. आता मोदी यांच्या तिसऱ्या आणि ट्रम्प यांच्या दुसऱ्या कारकीर्दीतील त्या दोघांची ही पहिलीच गळाभेट होती. साहजिकच ट्रम्प यांनी मोदी यांचे उत्कट स्वागत केले, तर मोदी यांनीही "तुम्हाला पुन्हा व्हाईट हाऊसमध्ये पाहून मला खूप बरे वाटले," अशी स्तुतीसुमने ट्रम्प यांच्यावर उधळली. मोदी हे अमेरिकन अब्जाधीश उद्योगपती एलन मस्क यांच्या मुलांमध्येही रमले. ट्रम्प यांनी मोदी यांना 'मि. प्राईम मिनिस्टर, यू आर ग्रेट' असे स्वत:च्या स्वाक्षरीसह लिहिलेले एक खास पुस्तक भेट देऊन आपल्या मोदीप्रेमाची साक्ष पुन्हा दिली. मोदींच्या अमेरिका दौऱ्यातील या

मुद्द्यांचे भांडवल

मोदीभक्त नक्कीच करतील. मोदींचा हा दौरा भारतासाठी कसा फायदेशीर ठरला, मोदी-ट्रम्प मैत्रीमुळे भारताच्या पारड्यात कसे अनेक लाभ पडले याचा ढिंढोरा मोदीभक्त नक्कीच पिटतील. त्यासाठी ते ट्रम्प महाशयांच्या 'मोदी इज टफ निगोशिएटर' या वक्तव्याचा हवाला द्यायलाही कमी करणार नाहीत. प्रश्न इतकाच आहे की, मोदींच्या 'टफ निगोशिएशन' वगैरेमुळे देशाला खरोखर किती फायदा झाला? त्या बदल्यात भारताला अमेरिकेच्या तिजोरीत काय काय टाकावे लागणार आहे? पुन्हा मोदींचे हे टफ निगोशिएशन नेमके कोणासाठी होते? देशासाठी की उद्योगपती मित्रासाठी? कारण मोदीमित्र अदानी यांना या दौऱ्याआधीच अमेरिकेतील लाचखोरीच्या खटल्याबाबत दिलासा मिळाला होता. तसा निर्णयच ट्रम्प यांनी घेतला. 'फॉरेन करप्ट प्रॅक्टिसेस ॲक्ट - १९७७' (एफसीपीए) ला ट्रम्प यांनी सोमवारीच स्थगिती दिली. हे सगळे मोदींच्या दौऱ्याआधी घडले असे दिसत असले तरी दौऱ्याच्या पूर्वसंध्येला घडले, हा निव्वळ योगायोग कसा म्हणता येईल? ट्रम्प यांच्यासोबतच्या संयुक्त पत्रकार परिषदेत यासंदर्भातील प्रश्नाला मोदी यांनी बगल दिली. देशात असताना तुम्ही ज्या प्रश्नावर मौन बाळगतात, त्या प्रश्नाला परदेशात तुम्ही वैयक्तिक, खासगी संबोधून बगल देता!

मोदींच्या याच बनवाबनवीवर

काँग्रेस नेते राहुल गांधी यांनीही नेमके बोट ठेवले आहे आणि मोदींच्या 'टफ निगोशिएशन'ला उघडे पाडले आहे. मोदींचे अमेरिकेतील पत्रकार परिषदेतील हे उत्तर म्हणजे अमेरिकेतील अदानी लाचखोरी प्रकरणावर पडलेला पडदा समजायचा का? अमेरिकेच्या नव्या राष्ट्राध्यक्षांनी भलेही आता त्या कायद्याला स्थगिती दिली असेल, पण म्हणून या खटल्याने भारताच्या प्रतिमेवर उडालेले शिंतोडे कसे पुसले जाऊ शकतात? प्रश्न असंख्य असले तरी नेहमीप्रमाणे मोदी त्यांचीदेखील उत्तरे अनुल्लेखाने टाळतील. बाकी मोदी-ट्रम्प भेटीतून २६/११ च्या मुंबई दहशतवादी हल्ल्याचा मास्टर माइंड तहव्वूर राणा याचे मार्गी लागलेले प्रत्यार्पण तसेच व्यापारी, संरक्षण आणि इतर करारांचा नेहमीचा सोपस्कार हे सगळे ठीक असले तरी या करारांमध्ये भारतासाठी 'घेवाण' किती आणि 'देवाण' किती? ट्रम्प यांच्या 'टेरिफ'च्या दणक्याने भारतीय अर्थव्यवस्थेला आलेले टेंगूळ कमी करण्यासाठी एखादे 'मलम' ट्रम्प यांनी त्यांचे 'टफ निगोशिएटर मित्र' मोदी यांना दिले आहे काय? मोदींच्या या 'टफ निगोशिएशन'चा देशाला किती फायदा झाला आणि त्यांच्या उद्योगपती मित्राला किती झाला? हा दौरा कोणासाठी होता? मोदीजी, तुमच्या अमेरिका दौऱ्याने निर्माण केलेले हे असंख्य प्रश्न आहेत. त्यांची उत्तरे भारतीय जनतेला हवी आहेत. ती देण्याचे धाडस तुम्ही दाखविणार आहात का?

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নিজস্ব সংবাদদাতা

আসন্ন গ্রীষ্মে দিল্লি, অমৃতসর, আমদাবাদ বিমানবন্দর থেকে ইউরোপের বিভিন্ন গন্তব্যে উড়ানের সংখ্যা বাড়াচ্ছে এয়ার ইন্ডিয়া। তার মধ্যে আবার বেশ কয়েকটি ক্ষেত্রে এ-৩২১ শ্রেণির এয়ারবাস শ্রেণির উড়ানের বদলে বোয়িং (বি-৭৮৭) ড্রিম লাইনার শ্রেণির উড়ান চালানোর সিদ্ধান্ত নিয়েছে সংস্থা। তবে কলকাতার জন্য কোনও সুখবর নেই। যাত্রীদের চাহিদার সঙ্গে সাযুজ্য রেখেই বর্ধিত স্বাচ্ছন্দ্যের ওই সব উড়ান চালানো হচ্ছে বলে খবর।

বিশ্ববঙ্গ বাণিজ্য সম্মেলনের মঞ্চ থেকে কলকাতা বিমানবন্দর থেকে লন্ডন ও ইউরোপগামী উড়ান চালানোর প্রশ্নে টাটা গোষ্ঠীকে আবেদন জানানোর কথা জানিয়েছিলেন মুখ্যমন্ত্রী মমতা বন্দ্যোপাধ্যায়। টাটা গোষ্ঠীর চেয়ারম্যানের কাছ থেকে আশ্বাস মেলার কথাও জানিয়েছিলেন তিনি। কলকাতা থেকে কবে লন্ডন এবং ইউরোপের অন্যান্য গন্তব্যে উড়ান চলবে তা নিয়ে স্পষ্ট কিছু জানা যায়নি। বরং কলকাতা থেকে বর্ধিত স্বাচ্ছন্দ্যযুক্ত বিজনেস ক্লাস শ্রেণির উড়ানের পরিষেবা গুটিয়ে নেওয়া নিয়ে জল্পনা ছড়ানোয় উদ্বেগ বেড়েছে।

বস্তুত, অন্তর্দেশীয় উড়ানের পরিষেবার ক্ষেত্র প্রসারিত হওয়ার পর গত এক দশকে কলকাতা বিমানবন্দর থেকে কম ভাড়ার ' ইকনমি ' ক্লাসের উড়ানের যাত্রী কার্যত লাফিয়ে লাফিয়ে বেড়েছে। তুলনায় বেশি ভাড়ার উড়ানের যাত্রী হ্রাস পাওয়ায় আন্তর্জাতিক উড়ানের সংখ্যা কমেছে।

গত, নভেম্বর মাসে টাটা গোষ্ঠীর চারটি উড়ান সংস্থা মিশিয়ে দুটি সংস্থায় পরিণত করা হয়। তার মধ্যে এয়ার ইন্ডিয়াকে 'ফুল সেগমেন্ট' বা সর্ববিধ স্বাচ্ছন্দ্য যুক্ত পরিষেবার উড়ান হিসেবে তুলে ধরার পরিকল্পনা করা হয়। অন্যদিকে এয়ার ইন্ডিয়া এক্সপ্রেসকে তুলনামূলক কম ভাড়ার ' ইকনমি ' শ্রেণির উড়ান হিসেবে তুলে ধরার কথা জানানো হয়।

সংস্থা আসন্ন গ্রীষ্মে ৩০ মার্চ থেকে ইউরোপের নানা গন্তব্যে উড়ানের সংখ্যা বাড়াচ্ছে। তার মধ্যে দিল্লি থেকে লন্ডন পথে নিয়মিত উড়ানের সংখ্যা সপ্তাহে তিনটি বাড়ানোর পাশাপাশি ওই পথে বোয়িং উড়ান চালানোর কথা জানিয়েছে। পাশাপাশি উড়ানের সংখ্যা বাড়ছে অমৃতসর এবং বার্মিংহাম এবং লন্ডনের গ্যাটউইক বিমানবন্দরের মধ্যেও। ইউরোপের অন্যান্য গন্তব্যের মধ্যে দিল্লি থেকে জুরিখ এবং ভিয়েনার উড়ানের সংখ্যাও বাড়াচ্ছে এয়ার ইন্ডিয়া। এশিয়ার দেশগুলোর মধ্যে দিল্লি থেকে হংকংয়ের মধ্যে সপ্তাহে সাত দিন এয়ারবাস শ্রেণির উড়ানের পরিবর্তে বি -৭৮৭ ড্রিম লাইনার উড়ান চালানোর সিদ্ধান্ত নিয়েছে সংস্থা। সংস্থার ওই ঘোষণায় এয়ার ইন্ডিয়া এক্সপ্রেস শ্রেণিতেও কলকাতা থেকে পরিষেবা বৃদ্ধির কোনও খবর নেই।

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Sensex fell by 200 points

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8	Hindi	173	N/A	Bottom Center	24170	100K

बिकवाली जारी रहने से शेयर बाजार में आठवें दिन गिरावट, सेंसेक्स 200 अंक और टूटा



मुंबई : विदेशी संस्थागत निवेशकों की पूंजी निकासी जारी रहने के चलते प्रमुख शेयर सूचकांक सेंसेक्स और निफ्टी में शुक्रवार को लगातार 8वें दिन गिरावट जारी रही। बाजार में कारोबार की शुरुआत सकारात्मक रुख के साथ हुई, लेकिन जल्द ही शुरुआती बढ़त खत्म हो गई। कारोबार के अंत में बीएसई सेंसेक्स 199.76 अंक यानी 0.26 प्रतिशत गिरकर 75,939.21 पर बंद हुआ। कारोबार के दौरान यह 699.33 अंक तक लुढ़क गया था। नेशनल स्टॉक एक्सचेंज का निफ्टी 102.15 अंक यानी 0.44 प्रतिशत गिरकर 22,929.25 पर बंद हुआ। आठ कारोबारी सत्रों में बीएसई सेंसेक्स 2,644.6 अंक यानी 3.36 प्रतिशत और निफ्टी 810 अंक यानी 3.41 प्रतिशत टूट चुका है। सेंसेक्स के शेयरों में अदाणी पोर्ट्स में चार प्रतिशत से अधिक की गिरावट आई। इसके अलावा अल्ट्राटेक सीमेंट, सन फार्मा, इंडसइंड बैंक, एनटीपीसी और टाटा स्टील भी नुकसान में रहे। दूसरी ओर नेस्ले, आईसीआईसीआई बैंक, इंफोसिस, टाटा कंसल्टेंसी सर्विसेज और एचसीएल टेक लाभ में रहे। कंपनियों की कमजोर आय के कारण निवेशकों के बीच जोखिम से बचने की भावना हावी होती जा रही है। जियोजित फाइनेंशियल सर्विसेज के शोध प्रमुख विनोद नायर ने कहा, 'कमजोर तिमाही नतीजों, रुपये में गिरावट और शुल्क जैसे बाहरी कारकों से निकट भविष्य में बाजार धारणा कमजोर रहने का अनुमान है। एफआईआई की निकासी जारी रहने से गिरावट बढ़ सकती है।' उन्होंने कहा कि जब तक शुल्क पर स्पष्टता नहीं आ जाती है, और कंपनियों की आय में सुधार नहीं होता है, तब तक अस्थिरता बनी रहने का अनुमान है। एंजल वन के तकनीकी एवं वायदा-विकल्प के वरिष्ठ विश्लेषक ओशो कृष्णन ने कहा कि भारतीय शेयर बाजारों में आई जोरदार गिरावट ने पिछले दो हफ्तों की तेजी को पूरी तरह से फीका कर दिया है। उन्होंने कहा, 'इस सप्ताह लगातार आठ सत्रों में बिकवाली हुई, जिससे निवेशकों में चिंता का माहौल बन गया।' बीएसई स्मॉलकैप सूचकांक में 3.24 प्रतिशत और मिडकैप सूचकांक में 2.59 प्रतिशत की गिरावट आई। बीएसई के क्षेत्रवार सूचकांकों की बात करें तो सेवा में 3.16 प्रतिशत, औद्योगिक में 3.03 प्रतिशत, पूंजीगत सामान में 2.76 प्रतिशत, बिजली में 2.65 प्रतिशत, उपयोगिता में 2.52 प्रतिशत, उपभोक्ता टिकाऊ वस्तुओं में 2.39 प्रतिशत, जिंस में 2.25 प्रतिशत और रियल्टी में 2.03 प्रतिशत की गिरावट आई।

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Even on the 8th day there is a decline

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10	Marathi	105	N/A	Middle Right	52397	510.65K

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सेन्सेक्सची २०० अंकांनी आपटी

मुंबई - विदेशी गुंतवणूकदारांनी सातत्याने सुरू ठेवलेला विक्रीचा मारा भांडवल बाजारासाठी चिंताजनक ठरला आहे. परिणामी शेअर बाजाराला सावरण्यासाठी संधी मिळत नाही. शुक्रवारी ती संधी मिळाली. सकाळची सुरुवात सकारात्मक झाली, पण ती फार काळ तग धरू शकली नाही. सतत भांडवलाचा ओघ बाहेर जात असल्याने विक्रीचा जोर कायम राहिला आणि शुक्रवारी सलग आठव्या दिवशी सेन्सेक्स आणि निफ्टी निर्देशांकांमध्ये घसरण सुरूच राहिली. कंपन्यांच्या तिमाहीत निराशाजनक कामगिरीमुळे गुंतवणूकदार जोखीम टाळणे जास्त पसंत करत आहेत.

बाजाराने सकारात्मक सुरुवात केली, परंतु सुरुवातीला कमावलेला नफा लवकरच गमवावा लागला. सेन्सेक्स १९९.७६ अंकांनी घसरून ७५,९३९.२१ अंकांच्या पातळीवर बंद झाला. दिवसभरात तो ६९९.३३ अंकांनी घसरून ७५,४३९.६४ अंकांच्या पातळीवर आला. निफ्टी १०२.१५ अंकांनी घसरून २२,९२९.२५ अंकांच्या पातळीवर बंद झाला. गेल्या आठ व्यापार



सत्रांमध्ये सेन्सेक्स २,६४४.६ अंकांनी आणि निफ्टी ८१० अंकांनी किंवा ३.४१ टक्क्यांनी घसरला आहे.

विक्रीच्या माऱ्याचा अदानी पोर्ट्सला जास्त फटका बसला. याशिवाय अल्ट्राटेक सिमेंट, सन फार्मा, इंडसइंड बँक, एनटीपीसी आणि टाटा स्टील हे देखील घसरले. दुसरीकडे नेस्ले, आयसीआयसीआय बँक, इन्फोसिस, टाटा कन्सल्टन्सी सर्व्हिसेस आणि एचसीएल टेक यांना खरेदीचा आधार मिळाला.

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Fear of Trump, erosion of 24 lakh crores in a week in Mcap

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7	Gujarati	304	N/A	Top Left	45567	316.29K

ટ્રમ્પ-મોદી બેઠક માર્કેટ માટે નિરાશાજનક, સળંગ 8 દિવસમાં સેન્સેક્સ 3.4%, મિડકેપ 7.4%, સ્મોલકેપ 10% તૂટ્યા

ટ્રમ્પનો ડર, M.capમાં સપ્તાહમાં 24 લાખ કરોડનું ધોવાણ

ભાસ્કર ન્યૂઝ | અમદાવાદ

અમેરિકામાં પોઝિટીવ આશાવાદ વચ્ચે ટ્રમ્પ અને મોદી વચ્ચે મળેલી બેઠક રોકાણકારો માટે નિરાશાજનક સાબીત થઇ છે. ટ્રમ્પે ટેરિફ લાદવાની ચીમકી આપી છે જેના કારણે માર્કેટમાં વધુ નિરૂત્સાહી ટ્રેન્ડ જોવા મળ્યો હતો. સળંગ આઠ દિવસ ઘટાડો રહ્યો છે જે અગાઉ 2023 ફેબ્રુ.માં 17-28ના રહ્યો હતો. સાપ્તાહિક ધોરણે સેન્સેક્સ 1920.98 પોઇન્ટ અને નિફ્ટી 630.70 પોઇન્ટ તૂટ્યાં છે જ્યારે રોકાણકારોની મૂડી સરેરાશ 24 લાખ કરોડ ઘટી 400 લાખ કરોડ નજીક પહોંચી છે. ઇક્વિટી માર્કેટમાં ચાલી રહેલા કરેક્શનમાં છેલ્લા એક માસમાં સ્મોલ અને મિડકેપ શેર્સમાં સૌથી વધુ ધોવાણ થયું છે. સ્મોલકેપ 12 ડિસે.ના 57827.69ની રેકોર્ડ સ્તરથી સરેરાશ 20 ટકા ઘટી 45411.25 પહોંચ્યો છે જ્યારે મિડકેપ 24 સપ્ટેમ્બરના 49701.55થી સતત ઘટીને અત્યારે 39731.79 પોઇન્ટ એટલે કે સરેરાશ 22 ટકા ઘટી ચૂક્યો છે. જ્યારે આ ઇન્ડેક્સમાં કેટલાક શેરોમાં છેલ્લા એક મહિનામાં 30-40 ટકાનું ધોવાણ જોવાયું છે.

સેન્સેક્સમાં સપ્તાહના અંતીમ દિવસે 199.76 પોઇન્ટ ઘટીને 75939.21 બંધ રહ્યો હતો ઇન્ટ્રા-ડેમાં 699.33 ઘટીને 75439.64 પહોંચ્યો હતો. નિફ્ટી 102.15 પોઇન્ટ ઘટીને 22929.25 રહ્યો હતો. સેન્સેક્સ પેકમાં અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ 4 ટકાથી વધુ ઘટ્યો હતો. અલ્ટ્રાટેક સિમેન્ટ, સન ફાર્મા, ઇન્ડસઇન્ડ બેન્ક, એનટીપીસી અને ટાટા સ્ટીલ ઘટ્યા હતા. સ્મોલકેપ 3.24 ટકા અને મિડકેપ ઇન્ડેક્સ 2.59 ટકા ઘટ્યો હતો. સેક્ટોરલ ઇન્ડેક્સમાં સર્વિસિસ 3.16 ટકા, ઔદ્યોગિક 3.03 ટકા, કેપિટલ ગુડ્સ 2.76 ટકા, પાવર 2.65 ટકા, યુટિલિટીઝ 2.52 ટકા, કન્ઝ્યુમર ડ્યુરેબલ્સ 2.39 ટકા, કોમોડિટીઝ 2.25 ટકા ઘટ્યા છે.

સ્મોલ-મિડકેપના શેર્સ રેકોર્ડ સ્તરે પહોંચતા હવે બે વર્ષ લાગશે

ભાસ્કર એક્સપર્ટ

પાર્થ સંઘાડિયા, રિસર્ચ એનાલિસ્ટ, તોરીન વેલ્થ ગ્રુપ

ઇક્વિટી માર્કેટમાં કરેક્શનનો તબક્કો લંબાઈ રહ્યો છે. સૌથી વધુ માર છેલ્લા એકાદ પખવાડીયામાં સ્મોલ અને મિડકેપ સેગમેન્ટને પડ્યો છે. રેકોર્ડ સ્તરથી સરેરાશ 20-22 ટકા તૂટ્યા છે અને હજુ અમુક શેર્સના વેલ્યુએશન ઉંચા હોવાના કારણે આગામી સમયમાં સરેરાશ 5-7 ટકાનો વધુ ઘટાડો થવાની શક્યતા રહેલી છે. માર્કેટમાં હજુ નિરૂત્સાહી માહોલ જોવા મળી રહ્યો છે.

{ કરેક્શન ક્યારે અટકશે, રોકાણ માટે સમય શ્રેષ્ઠ ગણી શકાય

માર્કેટમાં હજુ ફંડામેન્ટલ નકારાત્મક છે. અમેરિકા ભારત પર કેટલી ડ્યૂટી લાગુ કરે છે તેના પર નજર છે આ ઉપરાંત હજુ સ્મોલ-મિડકેપમાં અમુક શેર્સના વેલ્યુએશન ઉંચા છે જેના કારણે 5-7 ટકાનો ઘટાડો સંભવ છે. માર્ચ મહિના સુધી માર્કેટમાં મોટી તેજીની સંભાવના નથી. રોકાણ માટે હજુ વેઇટ એન્ડ વોચની નીતિ અપનાવવી જોઇએ. માર્કેટ સ્ટેબલ થાય પછી જ એન્ટ્રી કરવી હિતાવહ રહેશે.

{ રેકોર્ડ સ્તરે પહોંચેલા શેર્સને ફરી નવી હાઇ બનાવતા બે વર્ષ લાગી શકે : ગતવર્ષે સપ્ટેમ્બર મહિનામાં માર્કેટે રેકોર્ડ સપાટી હાંસલ કરી હતી અને અનેક કંપનીઓએ આ સમયમાં એકવર્ષમાં બમણાથી પણ વધુ રિટર્ન આપ્યું હતું. કરેક્શનમાં 50-75 ટકા સુધી ઘટાડો આવ્યો છે અને આગળ જતા હવે ફરી નવી ટોચ બનાવતા એકથી બે વર્ષનો સમય લાગી શકે છે.

{ FIIનું વેઈટ એન્ડ વોચ, ભારતમાં રિટર્ન મુદ્દે આશંકાઓ: ભારતીય માર્કેટમાં FIIની એન્ટ્રી મુદ્દે હજુ વેઈટ એન્ડ વોચ છે. કેમકે અમેરિકન બોન્ડ યિલ્ડમાં સારૂ રિટર્ન મળે છે જ્યારે ભારતમાં સરેરાશ 10-12 ટકાના રિટર્ન સામે 3-4 ટકા ફોરેક્સ વેલ્યુએશન, અન્ય ખર્ચના કારણે 7-8 ટકા રિસ્કી રિટર્ન સામે સલામત રિટર્નને પ્રાધાન્ય આપી રહ્યાં છે.

{ તેજી માટે FIIની એન્ટ્રી અને આગામી બે ક્વાર્ટર મહત્ત્વના રહેશે : સુધારા માટે હવે એફઆઇઆઇની એન્ટ્રી જરૂરી છે. આ ઉપરાંત તેજીને સપોર્ટ માટે કોર્પોરેટ કંપનીઓના ક્યુ-4 અને નવા નાણાવર્ષના પહેલા ક્વાર્ટર પર નજર રહેશે. ચાલુ વર્ષમાં હવે આક્રમક તેજીની શક્યતાઓ ઘણી ઓછી છે.

સ્મોલકેપ શેર્સની સ્થિતિ

કંપની	રેકોર્ડ	અત્યારે	ઘટાડો
ચેન્નઇ પેટ્રો	1275	477	-62.59%
ઇરકોન	351	157	-55.27%
ઝી એન્ટ.	205	96.24	-53.05%
SJVN	159.25	89.24	-43.96%
NBCC	139.83	82	-41.36%

મિડકેપ શેર્સમાં થયેલું ધોવાણ

કંપની	રેકોર્ડ	અત્યારે	ઘટાડો
વોડાફોન	19.18	8.18	-57.35%
કોનકોર	1180	673	-42.97%
એસ્ટ્રલ	2454	1333	-45.68%
IDFC ફર્સ્ટ	95.5	60.5	-36.65%
ભારત ફોર્જ	1804	1077	-40.30%

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Sensex falls below 76,000 in eighth session

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12	Marathi	241	N/A	Middle Center	48487	419.55K

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विदेशी संस्थांकडून विक्रीचा मारा सुरूच

मुंबई : विदेशी संस्थांकडून सतत निधी काढून घेणे आणि कंपन्यांच्या कॉर्पोरेट्सच्या कमकुवत तिमाही निकालामुळे सलग आठव्या सत्रात भारतीय शेअर बाजारात घसरण झाली. सेन्सेक्स शुक्रवारी सुमारे २०० अंकांनी घसरला.

बीएसई सेन्सेक्स १९९.७६ अंक किंवा ०.२६ टक्क्यांनी घसरून ७५,९३९.२१ वर बंद झाला. त्यातील २१ कंपन्यांचे समभाग घसरले. दिवसभरात तो ६९९.३३ अंकांनी किंवा ०.९१ टक्क्यांनी घसरून ७५,४३९.६४ वर आला होता. अशाच प्रकारे एनएसई निफ्टी १०२.१५ अंकांनी किंवा ०.४४ टक्क्यांनी घसरून २२,९२९.२५ वर आला.

सेन्सेक्सवर्गवारीत अदानी पोर्ट्स ४ टक्क्यांहून अधिक घसरला. अल्ट्राटेक सिमेंट, सन फार्मा, इंडसइंड बँक, एनटीपीसी आणि टाटा स्टील आदींचे समभाग घसरले. तर नेस्ले, आयसीआयसीआय बँक, इन्फोसिस, टाटा कन्सल्टन्सी सर्व्हिसेस आणि एचसीएल टेक या कंपन्यांच्या समभागात वाढ झाली.

बीएसई स्मॉलकॅप ३.२४ टक्के आणि मिडकॅप निर्देशांक २.५९ टक्क्यांनी घसरला. बीएसई क्षेत्रीय निर्देशांकांमध्ये सेवा ३.१६ टक्के, औद्योगिक ३.०३ टक्के, भांडवली वस्तू २.७६ टक्के, ऊर्जा २.६५ टक्के, युटिलिटीज २.५२ टक्के, ग्राहकोपयोगी वस्तू २.३९ टक्के, कमोडिटीज २.२५ टक्के आणि रिअॅल्टी २० टक्के घसरले. फक्त बीएसई फोकस्ड आयटी हा एकमेव वधारला.

विदेशी संस्थागत गुंतवणूकदारांनी (एफआयआय) गुरुवारी २,७८९.९१ कोटी रुपयांच्या समभागांची विक्री केली. तर जागतिक तेल बाजारात ब्रेंट क्रूड ०.५५ टक्क्यांनी वाढून ७५.४३ अमेरिकन डॉलर प्रति बॅरल झाले.

बीएसईवर तब्बल ३,३२० समभाग घसरले, तर ६८१ वधारले आणि ८२ मध्ये बदल झाला नाही. साप्ताहिक आघाडीवर, बीएसई सेन्सेक्स १,९२०.९८ अंक किंवा २.४६ टक्क्यांनी घसरला आणि निफ्टी ६३०.७ अंक किंवा २.६७ टक्क्यांनी घसरला.



८ सत्रात २५.३१ लाख कोटींचे नुकसान

आठ व्यवहार सत्रातील घसरणीने बीएसई-सूचीबद्ध कंपन्यांचे बाजार भांडवल २५,३१,५७९.११ कोटींनी घसरून रु. ४,००,१९,२४७ कोटी (४.६१ ट्रिलियन अमेरिकन डॉलर) झाले. आठ सत्रात शुक्रवारपर्यंत बीएसई निर्देशांक २,६४४.६ अंक किंवा ३.३६ टक्क्यांनी घसरला आणि निफ्टी ८१० अंक किंवा ३.४१ टक्क्यांनी घसरला.

डॉलरच्या तुलनेत रुपया १२ पैशांनी मजबूत

शुक्रवारी रुपया अमेरिकन डॉलरच्या तुलनेत १२ पैशांनी मजबूत होऊन ८६.८१ वर बंद झाला. तथापि, कच्च्या तेलाच्या वाढत्या किमती आणि विदेशी संस्थागत गुंतवणूकदारांनी देशांतर्गत इक्विटींची सतत केलेली विक्री यामुळे स्थानिक युनिटमध्ये मोठा फायदा झाला नाही, असे विदेशी मुद्रा व्यापाऱ्यांनी सांगितले. इंटरबँक फॉरेक्स मार्केटमध्ये रुपया ८६.८६ वर उघडला आणि दिवसभरात ८६.७९ इतका मजबूत झाल्यानंतर पुन्हा ८६.९० या नीचांकी पातळीवर पोहोचल्यानंतर डॉलरच्या तुलनेत ८६.८१ वर बंद झाला. मागील बंदच्या तुलनेत रुपया १२ पैशांनी मजबूत झाला.

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Stock market falls for the 8th day, Sensex falls further by 200 points

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3	Hindi	285	N/A	Top Left	29635	16.42K

शेयर बाजार में ८वें दिन गिरावट, सेंसेक्स २०० अंक और टूटा

मुंबई : विदेशी संस्थागत निवेशकों की पूंजी निकासी जारी रहने के चलते प्रमुख शेयर सूचकांक सेंसेक्स और निफ्टी में शुक्रवार को लगातार ८वें दिन गिरावट जारी रही। बाजार में कारोबार की शुरुआत सकारात्मक रुख के साथ हुई, लेकिन जल्द ही शुरुआती बढ़त खत्म हो गई। कारोबार के अंत में बीएसई सेंसेक्स १९९.७६ अंक या ०.२६ प्रतिशत गिरकर ७५,९३९.२१ पर बंद हुआ। कारोबार के दौरान यह ६९९.३३ अंक या ०.९१ प्रतिशत गिरकर ७५,४३९.६४ पर आ गया था। एनएसई निफ्टी १०२.१५ अंक यानी ०.४४ प्रतिशत गिरकर २२,९२९.२५ पर बंद हुआ। आठ कारोबारी सत्रों में बीएसई सेंसेक्स २,६४४.६ अंक यानी ३.३६ प्रतिशत और निफ्टी ८१० अंक यानी ३.४१ प्रतिशत टूट चुका है। सेंसेक्स के शेयरों में अदाणी पोर्ट्स में चार प्रतिशत से अधिक की गिरावट आई। इसके अलावा अल्ट्राटेक सीमेंट, सन फार्मा, इंडसइंड बैंक, एनटीपीसी और टाटा स्टील भी नुकसान में रहे। दूसरी ओर नेस्ले, आईसीआईसीआई बैंक, इंफोसिस, टाटा कंसल्टेंसी सर्विसेज और एचसीएल टेक लाभ में रहे। कंपनियों की कमजोर आय के कारण निवेशकों के बीच जोखिम से बचने की भावना हावी होती जा रही है। जियोजित फाइनेंशियल सर्विसेज के शोध प्रमुख विनोद नायर ने कहा, ''कमजोर तिमाही नतीजों, रुपये



में गिरावट और शुल्क जैसे बाहरी कारकों से निकट भविष्य में बाजार धारणा कमजोर रहने का अनुमान है। एफआईआई की निकासी जारी रहने से गिरावट बढ़ सकती है।'' उन्होंने कहा कि जब तक शुल्क पर स्पष्टता नहीं आ जाती है, और कंपनियों की आय में सुधार नहीं होता है, तब तक अस्थिरता बनी रहने का अनुमान है। एशिया के अन्य बाजारों में दक्षिण कोरिया का कॉस्पी, चीन का शंघाई कम्पोजिट और हांगकांग का हैंगसेंग बढ़कर बंद हुए, जापान के निक्की में गिरावट हुई। यूरोपीय बाजारों में मिलाजुला रुख रहा। अमेरिकी बाजार बृहस्पतिवार को बढ़त के साथ बंद हुए। शेयर बाजार के आंकड़ों के अनुसार विदेशी संस्थागत निवेशकों (एफआईआई) ने बृहस्पतिवार को २,७८९.९१ करोड़ रुपये के शेयर बेचे। वैश्विक तेल मानक ब्रेंट क्रूड ०.५५ प्रतिशत बढ़कर ७५.४३ डॉलर प्रति बैरल पर पहुंच गया।

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ટ્રમ્પે ભારતને રેસિપ્રોકલ ટેરિફમાં કોઇ રાહત ના આપવાનું ભારપૂર્વક દોહરાવ્યું હોવાથી શેરબજાર સતત આઠમા સત્રમાં ગબડ્યું

(વાણિજ્ય પ્રતિનિધિ તરફથી)

મુંબઇઃ વડાપ્રધાન મોદી અને અમેરિકાના પ્રેસિડેન્ટની બેઠકમાં ભારત માટે કોઇ રાહતની જાહેરાત થવાની આશા પર પાણી ફરી વળતા ખરડાયેલા સેન્ટિમેન્ટ વચ્ચે શેરબજારમાં સતત આઠમા સત્રમાં નેગેટિવ ઝોનમાં ગબડ્યું હતું. ટ્રમ્પે ભારપૂર્વક દોહરાવ્યું છે કે વોશિંગ્ટન રેસિપ્રોકલ ટેરિફ બાબતે ભારતને કોઇ રાહત નહીં આપશે.

એફઆઇઆઇની એકધારી વેચવાલી વચ્ચે શુક્રવારે સેન્સેક્સ ૧૯૯.૭૬ પોઇન્ટ અથવા તો ૦.૨૬ ટકા ઘટીને ૭૫,૯૩૯.૨૧ પોઇન્ટની સપાટીએ પહોંચ્યું હતું. સત્ર દરમિયાન બેન્ચમાર્ક લગભગ ૭૦૦ પોઇન્ટ નીચે ગબડ્યો હતો. નિફ્ટી ૧૦૨.૧૫ પોઇન્ટ અથવા તો ૦.૪૪ ટકા ગબડીને ૨૨,૯૨૯.૨૫ પોઇન્ટની સપાટીએ પહોંચ્યો હતો.

એકધારા આઠ સત્રની પીછેહઠમાં સેન્સેક્સ ૨૬૪૪.૬૦ પોઇન્ટ અથવા તો ૩.૩૬ ટકા ગુમાવ્યા છે અને નિફ્ટીએ ૮૧૦ પોઇન્ટ અથવા તો ૩.૪૧ ટકા ગુમાવ્યા છે. અદાણી પોર્ટ, અલ્ટ્રા સિમેન્ટ, સન ફાર્મા, ઇન્ડસઇન્ડ બેન્ક, એનટીપીસી અને ટાટા સ્ટીલ ટોપ લુઝર બન્યા હતા. જ્યારે નેસ્લે, આઇસીઆઇસીઆઇ બેન્ક, ઇન્ફોસિસ, ટાટા કન્સલ્ટન્સી સિર્વસિસ અને એચસીએલ ટેકનોલોજી ટોપ ગેઇનર રહ્યા હતા. કોર્પોરેટ પરિણામ ચાલુ રહ્યાં છે. મલ્ટિમોડલ લોજિસ્ટિક્સ સોલ્યુશન્સ પ્રોવાઇડર એવીજી લોજિસ્ટિક્સ લિમિટેડે નાણાકીય વર્ષ ૨૦૨૫ના નવમા ક્વાર્ટરના અનઓડિટેડ નાણાકીય પરિણામમાં રૂ. ૧૭.૭૦ ટકાની વૃદ્ધિ સાથે રૂ. ૪૦૩.૮૧ કરોડની કુલ આવક, ૫૬.૧૦ ટકાની વાર્ષિક વૃદ્ધિ સાથે રૂ. ૨૧.૬૧ કરોડનો ચોખ્ખો નફો અને ૧૭.૩૦ ટકાના વધારા સાથે રૂ. ૭૪.૫૦ કરોડનો એબિટા નોંધાવ્યો છે. ઝુઆરી ઇન્ડસ્ટ્રીઝે ડિસેમ્બર ક્વાર્ટરમાં રૂ. ૨૫ કરોડની ખોટ નોંધાવી છે.

ઓજસ ગ્રુપ ઓફ આઈ હોસ્પિટલ સાથે વ્યૂહાત્મક ભાગીદારી હેઠળ આઈ કેર નેટવર્કની પ્રીમિયર ચેઈન મેક્સિવિઝન ગ્રુપ ઓફ આઈ હોસ્પિટલે મહારાષ્ટ્રમાં વિસ્તરણ કર્યું છે. નવા જોઇન્ટ વેન્ચરનું નામ ઓજસ મેક્સિવિઝન આઈ હોસ્પિટલ રાખવામાં આવ્યું છે, જે રાજ્યમાં કામકાજ વિસ્તારવા રૂ.૫૦૦ કરોડનું રોકાણ કરશે. ઇનોવેટીવ ઇન્ડિયાએ સેબી પાસે રૂ. ૨૦૦૦ના આઇપીઓ માટે ડીઆરએચપી દાખલ કર્યું છે. વીનસ પાઇપના નફમાં બાવીસ ટકાનો વધારો થયો છે.

નેટકો ફાર્માએ ડિસેમ્બર ક્વાર્ટરમાં ૩૭.૭૫ ટકાના ઘટાડા સાથે રૂ. ૧૩૨.૪ કરોડનો ચોખ્ખો નફો નોંધાવ્યો છે. ઇરકોન ઇન્ટરનેશનલના ચોખ્ખા નફમાં ત્રીજા ક્વાર્ટરમાં ૬૫ ટકાનો કડાકો નોંધાયો છે. ભારત ફોર્જનો ત્રીજા ક્વાર્ટરમાં ચોખ્ખો નફો ૧૬.૩૮ ટકા ઘટીને રૂ. ૨૧૨.૭૮ કરોડ થયો છે. કલ્પતરુ પ્રોજેક્ટ્સ ઇન્ટરનેશનલનો ચોખ્ખો નફો ત્રણ ટકા ઘટ્યો છે.

અશોક લેલેન્ડનો ત્રીજા ક્વાર્ટરનો ચોખ્ખો નફો ૩૬ ટકા, જ્યારે આવક આઠ ટકા વધી છે. સીમેનનો ચોખ્ખો નફો ડિસેમ્બર ક્વાર્ટરમાં ૧૦ ટકા ઘટીને રૂ. ૩૭૨ કરોડ નોંધાયો છે. પાવર ફાઇનાન્સ કોર્પોરેશને ત્રીજા ક્વાર્ટરના પરિણામમાં વાર્ષિક ધોરણે ૨૩ ટકાના વધારા સાથે રૂ. ૫,૮૨૯ કરોડનો ચોખ્ખો નફો નોંધાવ્યો છે અને શેર દીઠ રૂ. ૩.૫૦ના ડિવિડન્ડની જાહેરાત કરી છે. વોડાફોન આઇડિયાએ સહેજ ઘટાડા સાથે રૂ. ૬,૬૦૯ કરોડની ખોટ જાહેર કરી છે.

એકંદરે નિરાશાજનક કોર્પોરેટ પરિણામો, ડોલર સામે રૂપિયાના મૂલ્યમાં ઘસારો અને ટેરિફ જેવા બાહ્ય પરિબળોને કારણે એફઆઇઆઇની વેચવાલી વધતી રહે એવી સંભાવના સાથે બજાર પણ નિકટ ગાળામાં ઠંડુ જ રહેવાની સંભાવના છે. ટેરિફ અંગે પૂર્ણ સ્પષ્ટતા ના આવે અને કોર્પોરેટ કામગીરીમાં સુધારો ના થાય ત્યાં સુધી બજારમાં અફડાતફડીનો માહોલ યથાવત રહેશે. એશિયાઇ બજારમાં સિઓલ, શાંઘાઇ અને હોંગકોંગના બેન્ચમાર્ક ઊંચી સપાટી તરફ વધ્યા હતા જ્યારે જાપાનના ટોકિયો એક્સચેન્જનો ઇન્ડેક્સ નેગેટિવ ઝોનમાં ગબડ્યો હતો. યુરોપિયન બજારોમાં મિશ્ર વલણ જોવા મળ્યું હતું જ્યારે અમેરિકન બજારો ગુરુવારે ઊંચા મથાળે બંધ રહ્યાં હતાં.

બજારના વિશ્લેષકો અનુસાર ભારતીય બજાર ખૂબ જ ઓવરસોલ્ડ છે. જોકે તેજી માટે કોઇ ટ્રીગર મળવાને સ્થાને મોદી - ટ્રમ્પની મુલાકાતમાં આશાઓ પર પાણી ફરી વળ્યા છે. ટ્રમ્પને ભારત માટે કોઇ કૂણી લાગણી નથી અને તે આ બાબતમાં સ્પષ્ટ પણ છે. બજારના સતત ગબડવાના કારણો જોઇએ તો યુએસ પ્રમુખે સ્ટીલ અને એલ્યુમિનિયમની આયાત ટેરિફમાં વધારો ઝીંકીને સત્તાવાર ટ્રેડ વોર શરૂ કરી છે. દેશ-વિશિષ્ટ મુક્તિલાભ અને પ્રોડક્ટ એક્ઝમ્પશન દૂર કરવા સાથે આગામી દિવસોમાં તમામ દેશ સામે પારસ્પરિક ટેરિફની જાહેરાત કરવાનું ઉચ્ચારણ કર્યું છે. ભારત આમાંથી બાકાત નથી એવું સ્પષ્ટ કથન પણ ટ્રમ્પે કર્યું છે. આ તમામ બાબતો ચિંતાપ્રેરક છે. અલબત્ત ભારત સાથે દ્વીપક્ષીય વેપાર ૨૦૩૦ સુધીમાં ૫૦૦ અબજ ડોલર સુધી લઇ જવાની પરસ્પરના દેશની બજારોનો પ્રવેશ સુગમ બનાવવા તથા અન્ય વેપાર સંબંધિત મુદ્દાની વાત પણ છે, જોકે રોકાણકારોને ટ્રમ્પની કોઇ વાત પર ભરોસો નથી.

ઉપરાંત અમેરિકામાં રેટ કટની આશા ધૂંધળી બની છે. યુ.એસ. ફેડના ચેરમેને જણાવ્યું હતું કે જ્યારે અર્થવ્યવસ્થા સારી સ્થિતિમાં છે, ત્યારે ફુગાવો ફેડના બે ટકાના ટાર્ગેટ કરતાં વધુ સારી રીતે રહે છે, જે કેન્દ્રીય બેંકને વધુ દર ઘટાડા અંગે સાવચેત રહેવા માટે પ્રેરિત કરે છે. યુ.એસ. કન્ઝ્યુમર પ્રાઇસ ઇન્ડેક્સ દોઢ વર્ષની ઊંચી સપાટીએ પહોંચતા ફેડરલને વ્યાજદરનો ઘટાડો ટાળવાનું વધુ એક કારણ મળ્યું છે. પાછલા સત્રમાં એફઆઇઆઇએ રૂ. ૨૭૮૯.૯૧ કરોડની વેચવાલી કરી છે. ઉપલબ્ધ ડેટા અનુસાર વિદેશી સંસ્થાકીય રોકાણકારોએ આ વર્ષે અત્યાર સુધીમાં રૂ. એક લાખ કરોડના મૂલ્યની ભારતીય ઇક્વિટીઓ ઓફલોડ કરી છે, જે બજારની નબળાઇમાં ફાળો આપે છે. મજબૂત ડોલરને કારણે ભારત જેવા ઊભરતાં બજારોમાંથી મૂડીના બાહ્યપ્રવાહમાં વધારો થયો છે.

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Rahul accuses PM of 'covering up Adani's 'corruption' in US

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अदाणी पर देश में चुप्पी साधते हैं, विदेश में 'व्यक्तिगत मामला' बताते हैं प्रधानमंत्री: राहुल गांधी

नयी दिल्ली : लोकसभा में नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी द्वारा अमेरिका में उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी से जुड़े मामले में की गई टिप्पणी को लेकर शुक्रवार को आरोप लगाया कि विदेश में प्रधानमंत्री मोदी के लिए रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना व्यक्तिगत मामला बन जाता है। प्रधानमंत्री मोदी ने अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ संयुक्त प्रेस वार्ता में गौतम अदाणी से जुड़े सवाल पर कहा, ''भारत एक लोकतंत्र है और हमारी संस्कृति 'वसुधैव कुटुंबकम' की है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय से मेरा नाता है।'' मोदी ने कहा कि दो नेताओं के बीच बातचीत में ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर चर्चा नहीं की जाती। कांग्रेस के पूर्व अध्यक्ष राहुल गांधी ने 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट किया, ''देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला। अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने अदाणी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया।'' उन्होंने आरोप लगाया, ''जब मित्र की जेब भरना मोदी जी के लिए राष्ट्र निर्माण है, तब रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना व्यक्तिगत मामला बन जाता है।''



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Rahul on PM on Adani case

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अडाणी मामले पर राहुल ने पीएम पर ...

जब अडाणी से जुड़े भ्रष्टाचार के आरोपों पर सवालों का सामना कर रहे थे, तब उन्होंने इसे खारिज करते हुए कहा कि, भारत एक लोकतंत्र है और हमारी संस्कृति वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम की है। दो देशों के प्रमुख कभी भी ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर चर्चा नहीं करते हैं। अमेरिकी न्याय विभाग ने गौतम अडाणी, उनके भतीजे सागर अडाणी और अडाणी समूह के अन्य अधिकारियों पर 250 मिलियन डॉलर की रिश्वतखोरी योजना में संलिप्त होने का आरोप लगाया था। यह रिश्वत भारत में सौर ऊर्जा परियोजनाओं से जुड़ी थी। अमेरिकी एजेंसियों का दावा है कि अडाणी समूह ने प्रतिभूति और वायर धोखाधड़ी में लिप्त रहते हुए अमेरिकी निवेशकों को गुमराह किया। हालांकि, अडाणी समूह ने इन आरोपों को निराधार बताया है और किसी भी तरह की अनियमितता से इनकार किया है। यहां अडाणी मामले को लेकर विपक्ष लगातार सरकार पर हमलावर है। पिछले साल संसद के शीतकालीन सत्र में भी यह मुद्दा उठा था, जहां विपक्षी गठबंधन इंडिया ब्लॉक ने प्रदर्शन और सदन से वॉकआउट किया था।

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Adani Group in Space sector

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अडाणी अब स्पेस में भी करेंगे राज!

नई दिल्ली, जेएनएन। स्पेस सेक्टर में भारत एक नया चैप्टर लिखने जा रहा है, जिसमें निजी कंपनियों को स्पेस टेक्नोलॉजी को बनाने और उन्हें मैनेज करने की जिम्मेदारी सौंपी जा रही है। इसी कड़ी में भारत के छोटे सैटेलाइट लॉन्च व्हीकल (SSLV) के निजीकरण की प्रक्रिया में तीन फाइनल नाम चुने गए हैं, जिनमें अडानी ग्रुप भी शामिल है। यह कदम न केवल भारत के अंतरिक्ष क्षेत्र को नई ऊंचाइयों पर ले जाने वाला साबित हो सकता है, बल्कि वैश्विक स्तर पर भारत की पहचान को और मजबूत करने का मौका भी देता है। SSLV को भारतीय अंतरिक्ष अनुसंधान संगठन द्वारा विकसित किया गया है। यह एक कम लागत वाला लॉन्च व्हीकल है। यह 500 किलोग्राम तक के सैटेलाइटों को पृथ्वी की निचली कक्षा (Low-Earth Orbit या LEO) में स्थापित करने में सक्षम है। LEO सैटेलाइट लॉन्च मार्केट का सबसे महत्वपूर्ण हिस्सा है, जहां दुनिया भर की कंपनियां अपने सैटेलाइटों को अंतरिक्ष में स्थापित करने के लिए कंपीटिशन कर रही हैं।

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If you ask a question in the country, there is silence; abroad it is a personal matter!

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'देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में निजी मामला!'

राहुल गांधी बोले- मोदी ने अडानी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया

नई दिल्ली (एजेंसी)। प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी से अमेरिका में गौतम अडानी के मुद्दे पर पूछे गए सवाल पर अब कांग्रेस के दिग्गज नेता राहुल गांधी ने सवाल उठाए हैं। राहुल गांधी ने कहा कि अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने अडानी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया।

राहुल गांधी ने एक्स पर लिखा, देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछे तो निजी मामला! अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने



अडानी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया! जब मित्र का जेब भरना मोदी जी के लिए 'राष्ट्र निर्माण' है, तब रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना 'व्यक्तिगत मामला' बन जाता है।

बता दें, अमेरिका में गौतम अडाणी के मुद्दे पर भारतीय प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने दो टूक जवाब दिया। प्र.म. मोदी से जब पूछा गया कि क्या अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ बैठक में व्यवसायी गौतम अडानी के खिलाफ मामले पर चर्चा हुई, तो प्र.म. मोदी ने कहा कि भारत एक लोकतंत्र है और हमारी संस्कृति 'वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम' है, हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय मेरा है। दो देशों के दो प्रमुख नेता कभी भी ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मुद्दों पर चर्चा नहीं करते हैं।

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Looting country's wealth abroad becomes a 'personal matter' for Modi: Rahul

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देश की संपत्ति लूटना विदेश में मोदी के लिए 'व्यक्तिगत मामला' बन जाता है : राहुल

नई दिल्ली (एसएनबी)। लोकसभा में नेता



प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी द्वारा अमेरिका में उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी से जुड़े मामले में की गई टिप्पणी को लेकर शुक्रवार आरोप लगाया कि विदेश में प्रधानमंत्री मोदी के लिए रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना 'व्यक्तिगत मामला' बन जाता है।

प्रधानमंत्री मोदी ने अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ संयुक्त प्रेस वार्ता में गौतम अदाणी से जुड़े सवाल पर कहा, 'भारत एक लोकतंत्र है और हमारी संस्कृति 'वसुधैव कुटुंबकम' की है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते है। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय से मेरा नाता है। मोदी ने कहा, दो नेताओं के बीच बातचीत में ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर चर्चा नही की जाती। कांग्रेस के पूर्व अध्यक्ष राहुल गांधी ने 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट किया, देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला। अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने अदाणी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया।

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Looting the nation's wealth is a personal matter for the PM: Rahul

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देश की संपत्ति लूटना पीएम के लिए व्यक्तिगत मामला : राहुल



लोकसभा में नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी द्वारा अमरीका में उद्योगपति गौतम अडाणी से जुड़े मामले में की गई टिप्पणी को लेकर शुक्रवार आरोप लगाया कि विदेश में प्रधानमंत्री मोदी के लिए रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना व्यक्तिगत मामला बन जाता है।

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Stock market fell for 8th day as selling continued, Sensex fell by 200 points

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बिकवाली जारी रहने से शेयर बाजार में 8वें दिन गिरावट, सेंसेक्स 200 अंक और टूटा

एजेंसी

मुंबई . विदेशी संस्थागत निवेशकों की पूंजी निकासी जारी रहने के चलते प्रमुख शेयर सूचकांक सेंसेक्स और निफ्टी में शुक्रवार को लगातार 8वें दिन गिरावट जारी रही। बाजार में कारोबार की शुरुआत सकारात्मक रुख के साथ हुई, लेकिन जल्द ही शुरुआती बढ़त खत्म हो गई। कारोबार के अंत में बीएसई सेंसेक्स 199.76 अंक यानी 0.26 प्रतिशत गिरकर 75,939.21 पर बंद हुआ। कारोबार के दौरान यह 699.33 अंक तक लुढ़क गया था। नेशनल स्टॉक एक्सचेंज का निफ्टी 102.15 अंक यानी 0.44 प्रतिशत गिरकर 22,929.25 पर बंद हुआ। आठ कारोबारी सत्रों में बीएसई सेंसेक्स 2,644.6 अंक यानी 3.36 प्रतिशत और निफ्टी 810 अंक यानी 3.41 प्रतिशत टूट चुका है।

सेंसेक्स के शेयरों में अदाणी पोर्ट्स में चार प्रतिशत से अधिक



की गिरावट आई। इसके अलावा अल्ट्राटेक सीमेंट, सन फार्मा, इंडसइंड बैंक, एनटीपीसी और टाटा स्टील भी नुकसान में रहे। दूसरी ओर नेस्ले, आईसीआईसीआई बैंक, इंफोसिस, टाटा कंसल्टेंसी सर्विसेज और एचसीएल टेक लाभ में रहे। कंपनियों की कमजोर आय के कारण निवेशकों के बीच जोखिम से बचने की भावना हावी होती जा रही है।

जियोजित फाइनेंशियल सर्विसेज के शोध प्रमुख विनोद नायर ने कहा कि कमजोर तिमाही नतीजों, रुपए में गिरावट और शुल्क जैसे बाहरी कारकों से निकट भविष्य में बाजार धारणा कमजोर रहने का अनुमान है। एफआईआई की निकासी जारी रहने से गिरावट बढ़ सकती है।

उन्होंने कहा कि जब तक शुल्क पर स्पष्टता नहीं आ जाती है, और कंपनियों की आय में सुधार नहीं होता है, तब तक अस्थिरता बनी रहने का अनुमान है।

एंजल वन के तकनीकी एवं वायदा-विकल्प के वरिष्ठ विश्लेषक ओशो कृष्णन ने कहा कि भारतीय शेयर बाजारों में आई जोरदार गिरावट ने पिछले दो हफ्तों की तेजी को पूरी तरह से फीका कर दिया है। उन्होंने कहा कि इस सप्ताह लगातार आठ सत्रों में बिकवाली हुई, जिससे निवेशकों में चिंता का माहौल बन गया। बीएसई स्मॉलकैप सूचकांक में 3.24 प्रतिशत और मिडकैप सूचकांक में 2.59 प्रतिशत की गिरावट आई।

बीएसई के क्षेत्रवार सूचकांकों की बात करें तो सेवा में 3.16 प्रतिशत, औद्योगिक में 3.03 प्रतिशत, पूंजीगत सामान में 2.76 प्रतिशत, बिजली में 2.65 प्रतिशत, उपयोगिता में 2.52 प्रतिशत, उपभोक्ता टिकाऊ वस्तुओं में 2.39 प्रतिशत, जिंस में 2.25 प्रतिशत और रियल्टी में 2.03 प्रतिशत की गिरावट आई। इस दौरान सिर्फ आईटी क्षेत्र फायदे में रहा।

बीएसई के 3,320 शेयरों में गिरावट आई, जबकि 681 शेयर तेजी के साथ बंद हुए। कुल 82 शेयरों में कोई बदलाव नहीं हुआ।

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Adani Group is working on a plan to invest in power and cement plants in UP

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यूपी में पॉवर एवं सीमेंट प्लांट में निवेश की योजना पर कार्य कर रहा अदाणी समूह

लखनऊ । देश-दुनिया के अग्रणी उद्योग समूहों में एक और भारत के आर्थिक विकास में निरंतर सकारात्मक व सक्रिय योगदान देने वाले अदाणी समूह के अदाणी पोर्ट्स एवं सेज लिमिटेड के एमडी करण अदाणी ने उत्तर प्रदेश सरकार के औद्योगिक विकास मंत्री नंद गोपाल गुप्ता नंदी से उनके सरकारी आवास छह कालिदास मार्ग पर मुलाकात की। इस दौरान उन्होंने अदाणी समूह द्वारा उत्तर प्रदेश में क्रियाशील निवेश परियोजनाओं एवं विभिन्न क्षेत्रों में भावी निवेश योजनाओं पर विस्तारपूर्वक चर्चा की। करण अदाणी ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी के मार्गदर्शन एवं मुख्यमंत्री योगी आदित्यनाथ के नेतृत्व में उत्तर प्रदेश के बदले औद्योगिक परिवेश की सराहना की। करण अदाणी ने विभिन्न परियोजनाओं में प्रदेश सरकार द्वारा मिल रहे सहयोग के लिए आभार व्यक्त किया। उन्होंदने कहा कि ट्रांसपेरेंट और प्रभावी प्रक्रियाओं के माध्यम से उत्तर प्रदेश में निवेश की प्रक्रिया सरल हुई है। उत्तर प्रदेश सरकार के औद्योगिक विकास मंत्री नंद गोपाल गुप्ता नंदी ने प्रदेश की आर्थिक विकास यात्रा में सहयात्री बनने के लिए अदाणी समूह का आभार व्यक्त करते हुए करण अदाणी का अभिनंदन किया। मंत्री नंदी ने कहा कि उत्तर प्रदेश सरकार की बेहतरीन इन्वेस्टमेंट पॉलिसी, इंडस्ट्री फ्रेंडली इकोसिस्टम एवं वर्ल्ड क्लास इंफ्रास्ट्रक्चर ने निवेशकों का रुझान प्रदेश की ओर आकर्षित किया है। इन निवेशकों में अदाणी समूह की सहभागिता बेहद महत्वपूर्ण एवं उल्लेखनीय है। डिफेंस कॉरिडोर एवं गंगा एक्सप्रेसवे जैसी वृहद परियोजनाओं में अदाणी समूह की भागीदारी से प्रदेश के आर्थिक विकास को एक नई रफ्तार मिली है। इसके साथ ही बड़े पैमाने पर रोजगार के नए अवसर सृजित हुए हैं। मंत्री नंदी ने कहा कि आगामी समय में अदाणी ग्रुप द्वारा पॉवर प्लांट एवं सीमेंट प्लांट के साथ ही अन्य प्रमुख क्षेत्रों में निवेश की भावी योजनाओं से उत्तर प्रदेश की आर्थिक संरचना को एक नई मजबूती मिलेगी। इस दिशा में सार्थक, ठोस एवं प्रभावी परिचर्चा हुई। मंत्री नंदी ने कहा कि प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी के बहुमूल्य मार्गदर्शन एवं मुख्यमंत्री योगी आदित्यनाथ के कुशल नेतृत्व में उत्तर प्रदेश भारत का ग्रोथ इंजन बन कर उभरा है। इसी का परिणाम है कि वन ट्रिलियन डॉलर इकोनॉमी बनने की दिशा में उत्तर प्रदेश निरंतर तेजी से आगे बढ़ रहा है।

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Sensex fell by 200 points

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सूचकांक 200 अंक और टूटा

मुंबई, 14 फरवरी (भाषा)।

विदेशी संस्थागत निवेशकों की पूंजी निकासी जारी रहने के कारण प्रमुख शेयर सूचकांक सेंसेक्स और निफ्टी में शुक्रवार को लगातार 8वें दिन गिरावट जारी रही। बाजार में कारोबार की शुरुआत सकारात्मक रुख के साथ हुई, लेकिन जल्द ही शुरुआती बढ़त खत्म हो गई। कारोबार के अंत में बीएसई सूचकांक 199.76 अंक यानी 0.26 फीसद गिरकर 75,939.21 पर बंद हुआ। कारोबार के दौरान यह 699.33 अंक तक लुढ़क गया था। नेशनल स्टाक एक्सचेंज का निफ्टी 102.15 अंक यानी 0.44 फीसद गिरकर 22,929.25 पर बंद हुआ।

आठ कारोबारी सत्रों में बीएसई सूचकांक 2,644.6 अंक यानी 3.36 फीसद और निफ्टी 810 अंक यानी 3.41 फीसद टूट चुका है। सूचकांक के शेयरों में अडाणी पोर्ट्स में चार फीसद से अधिक की गिरावट आई। इसके अलावा अल्ट्राटेक सीमेंट, सन फार्मा, इंडसइंड बैंक, एनटीपीसी और टाटा स्टील भी नुकसान में रहे। दूसरी ओर नेस्ले, आइसीआइसीआइ बैंक, इंफोसिस, टाटा कंसल्टेंसी सर्विसेज और एचसीएल टेक लाभ में रहे। कंपनियों की कमजोर आय के कारण निवेशकों के बीच जोखिम से बचने की भावना हावी होती जा रही है। जियोजित फाइनेंशियल सर्विसेज के शोध प्रमुख विनोद नायर ने कहा कि कमजोर तिमाही नतीजों, रुपए में गिरावट और शुल्क जैसे बाहरी कारकों से निकट भविष्य में बाजार धारणा कमजोर रहने का अनुमान है। एफआइआइ की निकासी जारी रहने से गिरावट बढ़ सकती है। उन्होंने कहा कि जब तक शुल्क पर स्पष्टता नहीं आ जाती है, और कंपनियों की आय में सुधार नहीं होता है, तब तक अस्थिरता बनी रहने का अनुमान है। एंजल वन के तकनीकी एवं वायदा-विकल्प के वरिष्ठ विश्लेषक ओशो कृष्णन ने कहा कि भारतीय शेयर बाजारों में आई जोरदार गिरावट ने पिछले दो हफ्तों की तेजी को पूरी तरह से फीका कर दिया है। उन्होंने कहा कि इस सप्ताह लगातार आठ सत्रों में बिकवाली हुई, जिससे निवेशकों में चिंता का माहौल बन गया। बीएसई के क्षेत्रवार सूचकांक की बात करें तो सेवा में 3.16 फीसद, औद्योगिक में 3.03 फीसद, पूंजीगत सामान में 2.76 फीसद, बिजली में 2.65 फीसद, उपयोगिता में 2.52 फीसद, उपभोक्ता टिकाऊ वस्तुओं में 2.39 फीसद, जिंस में 2.25 फीसद और रियल्टी में 2.03 फीसद की गिरावट आई।

निवेशकों को 25.31 लाख करोड़ का नुकसान



बाजार में लगातार आठ कारोबारी सत्रों से जारी गिरावट के कारण निवेशकों को 25.31 लाख करोड़ रुपए कर नुकसान हुआ है। इस दौरान विदेशी पूंजी निकासी, उम्मीद से कम तिमाही आय और वैश्विक व्यापार युद्ध को लेकर अनिश्चितता की चिंताओं के बीच बीएसई सूचकांक में तीन फीसद से अधिक की गिरावट आई है। लगातार आठ सत्रों में बीएसई सूचकांक 2,644.6 अंक यानी 3.36 फीसद गिरा, तथा एनएसई निफ्टी 810 अंक यानी 3.41 फीसद नुकसान में रहा। शुक्रवार को बीएसई सूचकांक 199.76 अंक यानी 0.26 फीसद गिरकर 75,939.21 पर बंद हुआ। शेयर बाजार में कमजोर रुख के चलते बीएसई पर सूचीबद्ध कंपनियों का बाजार पूंजीकरण आठ दिन में 25,31,579.11 करोड़ रुपए घटकर 4,00,19,247 करोड़ रुपए (4,610 अरब डालर) रह गया।

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Stock market falls for 8th day, Sensex falls by 200 points more

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2	Hindi	162	N/A	Middle Center	16831	16.42K

शेयर बाजार में 8वें दिन गिरावट, सेंसेक्स 200 अंक और टूटा

मुंबई । विदेशी संस्थागत निवेशकों की पूंजी निकासी जारी रहने के चलते प्रमुख शेयर सूचकांक सेंसेक्स और निफ्टी में शुक्रवार को लगातार 8वें दिन गिरावट जारी रही। बाजार में कारोबार की शुरुआत सकारात्मक रुख के साथ हुई, लेकिन जल्द ही शुरुआती बढ़त खत्म हो गई। कारोबार के अंत में बीएसई सेंसेक्स 199.76 अंक या 0.26 प्रतिशत गिरकर 75,939.21 पर बंद हुआ। कारोबार के दौरान यह 699.33 अंक या 0.91 प्रतिशत गिरकर 75,439.64 पर आ गया था। एनएसई निफ्टी 102.15 अंक यानी 0.44 प्रतिशत गिरकर 22,929.25 पर बंद हुआ। आठ कारोबारी सत्रों में बीएसई सेंसेक्स 2,644.6 अंक यानी 3.36 प्रतिशत और निफ्टी 810 अंक यानी 3.41 प्रतिशत टूट चुका है। सेंसेक्स के शेयरों में अदाणी पोर्ट्स में चार प्रतिशत से अधिक की गिरावट आई। इसके अलावा अल्ट्राटेक सीमेंट, सन फार्मा, इंडसइंड बैंक, एनटीपीसी और टाटा स्टील भी नुकसान में रहे। दूसरी ओर नेस्ले, आईसीआईसीआई बैंक, इंफोसिस, टाटा कंसल्टेंसी सर्विसेज और एचसीएल टेक लाभ में रहे। कंपनियों की कमजोर आय के कारण निवेशकों के बीच जोखिम से बचने की भावना हावी होती जा रही है। जियोजित फाइनेंशियल सर्विसेज के शोध प्रमुख विनोद नायर ने कहा, "कमजोर तिमाही नतीजों, रुपये में गिरावट और शुल्क जैसे बाहरी कारकों से निकट भविष्य में बाजार धारणा कमजोर रहने का अनुमान है। एफआईआई की निकासी जारी रहने से गिरावट बढ़ सकती है।" उन्होंने कहा कि जब तक शुल्क पर स्पष्टता नहीं आ जाती है, और कंपनियों की आय में सुधार नहीं होता है, तब तक अस्थिरता बनी रहने का अनुमान है। एशिया के अन्य बाजारों में दक्षिण कोरिया का कॉस्पी, चीन का शंघाई कम्पोजिट और हांगकांग का हैंगसेंग बढ़कर बंद हुए, जापान के निक्की में गिरावट हुई। यूरोपीय बाजारों में मिलाजुला रुख रहा। अमेरिकी बाजार बृहस्पतिवार को बढ़त के साथ बंद हुए। शेयर बाजार के आंकड़ों के अनुसार विदेशी संस्थागत निवेशकों (एफआईआई) ने बृहस्पतिवार को 2,789.91 करोड़ रुपये के शेयर बेचे। वैश्विक तेल मानक ब्रेंट क्रूड 0.55 प्रतिशत बढ़कर 75.43 डॉलर प्रति बैरल पर पहुंच गया।

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The stock market fell for the 8th day, the Sensex fell by another 200 points

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13	Hindi	126	N/A	Middle Right	27642	562.46K

शेयर बाजार में 8वें दिन गिरावट सेंसेक्स 200 अंक और टूटा



मुंबई (भाषा)।

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कारोबार के अंत में बीएसई सेंसेक्स 199.76 अंक या 0.26 प्रतिशत गिरकर 75,939.21 पर बंद हुआ। कारोबार के दौरान यह 699.33 अंक या 0.91 प्रतिशत गिरकर 75,439.64 पर आ गया था। एनएसई निफ्टी 102.15 अंक यानी 0.44 प्रतिशत गिरकर 22,929.25 पर बंद हुआ। आठ कारोबारी सत्रों में बीएसई सेंसेक्स 2,644.6 अंक यानी 3.36 प्रतिशत और निफ्टी 810 अंक यानी 3.41 प्रतिशत टूट चुका है।

सेंसेक्स के शेयरों में अदाणी पोर्ट्स में चार प्रतिशत से अधिक की गिरावट आई। इसके अलावा अल्ट्राटेक सीमेंट, सन फार्मा, इंडसइंड बैंक, एनटीपीसी और टाटा स्टील भी नुकसान में रहे। दूसरी ओर नेस्ले, आईसीआईसीआई बैंक, इंफोसिस, टाटा कंसल्टेंसी सर्विसेज और एचसीएल टेक लाभ में रहे।

कंपनियों की कमजोर आय के कारण निवेशकों के बीच जोखिम से बचने की भावना हावी होती जा रही है। जियोजित फाइनेंशियल सर्विसेज के शोध प्रमुख विनोद नायर ने कहा, "कमजोर तिमाही नतीजों, रुपये में गिरावट और शुल्क जैसे बाहरी कारकों से निकट भविष्य में बाजार धारणा कमजोर रहने का अनुमान है। एफआईआई की निकासी जारी रहने से गिरावट बढ सकती है।"

उन्होंने कहा कि जब तक शुल्क पर स्पष्टता नहीं आ जाती है, और कंपनियों की आय में सुधार नहीं होता है, तब तक अस्थिरता बनी रहने का अनुमान है। एशिया के अन्य बाजारों में दक्षिण कोरिया का कॉस्पी, चीन का शंघाई कम्पोजिट और हांगकांग का हैंगसेंग बढकर बंद हुए, जापान के निक्की में गिरावट हुई। यूरोपीय बाजारों में मिलाजुला रुख रहा। अमेरिकी बाजार बृहस्पतिवार को बढत के साथ बंद हुए।

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Adani Group is working on a plan to invest in power and cement plants in UP

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यूपी में पॉवर एवं सीमेंट प्लांट में निवेश की योजना पर कार्य कर रहा अदाणी समूह

लखनऊ । देश-दुनिया के अग्रणी उद्योग समूहों में एक और भारत के आर्थिक विकास में निरंतर सकारात्मक व सक्रिय योगदान देने वाले अदाणी समूह के अदाणी पोर्ट्स एवं सेज लिमिटेड के एमडी करण अदाणी ने उत्तर प्रदेश सरकार के औद्योगिक विकास मंत्री नंद गोपाल गुप्ता नंदी से उनके सरकारी आवास छह कालिदास मार्ग पर मुलाकात की। इस दौरान उन्होंने अदाणी समूह द्वारा उत्तर प्रदेश में क्रियाशील निवेश परियोजनाओं एवं विभिन्न क्षेत्रों में भावी निवेश योजनाओं पर विस्तारपूर्वक चर्चा की। करण अदाणी ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी के मार्गदर्शन एवं मुख्यमंत्री योगी आदित्यनाथ के नेतृत्व में उत्तर प्रदेश के बदले औद्योगिक परिवेश की सराहना की। करण अदाणी ने विभिन्न परियोजनाओं में प्रदेश सरकार द्वारा मिल रहे सहयोग के लिए आभार व्यक्त किया। उन्होंदने कहा कि ट्रांसपेरेंट और प्रभावी प्रक्रियाओं के माध्यम से उत्तर प्रदेश में निवेश की प्रक्रिया सरल हुई है। उत्तर प्रदेश सरकार के औद्योगिक विकास मंत्री नंद गोपाल गुप्ता नंदी ने प्रदेश की आर्थिक विकास यात्रा में सहयात्री बनने के लिए अदाणी समूह का आभार व्यक्त करते हुए करण अदाणी का अभिनंदन किया। मंत्री नंदी ने कहा कि उत्तर प्रदेश सरकार की बेहतरीन इन्वेस्टमेंट पॉलिसी, इंडस्ट्री फ्रेंडली इकोसिस्टम एवं वर्ल्ड क्लास इंफ्रास्ट्रक्चर ने निवेशकों का रुझान प्रदेश की ओर आकर्षित किया है। इन निवेशकों में अदाणी समूह की सहभागिता बेहद महत्वपूर्ण एवं उल्लेखनीय है। डिफेंस कॉरिडोर एवं गंगा एक्सप्रेसवे जैसी वृहद परियोजनाओं में अदाणी समूह की भागीदारी से प्रदेश के आर्थिक विकास को एक नई रफ्तार मिली है। इसके साथ ही बड़े पैमाने पर रोजगार के नए अवसर सृजित हुए हैं। मंत्री नंदी ने कहा कि आगामी समय में अदाणी ग्रुप द्वारा पॉवर प्लांट एवं सीमेंट प्लांट के साथ ही अन्य प्रमुख क्षेत्रों में निवेश की भावी योजनाओं से उत्तर प्रदेश की आर्थिक संरचना को एक नई मजबूती मिलेगी। इस दिशा में सार्थक, ठोस एवं प्रभावी परिचर्चा हुई। मंत्री नंदी ने कहा कि प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी के बहुमूल्य मार्गदर्शन एवं मुख्यमंत्री योगी आदित्यनाथ के कुशल नेतृत्व में उत्तर प्रदेश भारत का ग्रोथ इंजन बन कर उभरा है। इसी का परिणाम है कि वन ट्रिलियन डॉलर इकोनॉमी बनने की दिशा में उत्तर प्रदेश निरंतर तेजी से आगे बढ़ रहा है।

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Adani-Question personal: Modi

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1	Hindi	199	N/A	Middle Left	73532	132.36K

अडाणी समूह का मामला व्यक्तिगत, इस पर चर्चा नहीं : मोदी

जनसत्ता ब्यूरो
नई दिल्ली, 14 फरवरी।

प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने वाशिंगटन में कहा कि भारत एक लोकतांत्रिक देश है और हमारी संस्कृति 'वसुधैव कुटुंबकम' की है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। अमेरिका में अडाणी समूह से जुड़े एक मामले पर उन्होंने कहा कि यह व्यक्तिगत मामला है और दो राष्ट्राध्यक्षों की वार्ता में ऐसे मामलों पर चर्चा नहीं की जाती है।

दरअसल, प्रधानमंत्री मोदी और अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप ने गत गुरुवार को द्विपक्षीय वार्ता के बाद वाशिंगटन में संवाददाता सम्मेलन किया। इस दौरान प्रधानमंत्री मोदी से अमेरिका में अडाणी समूह से जुड़े मामले को लेकर सवाल किया गया। इस पर मोदी ने कहा कि यह एक व्यक्तिगत मामला है और दो राष्ट्राध्यक्षों की वार्ता में ऐसे मामलों पर बात नहीं की जाती है।

प्रधानमंत्री मोदी की इस प्रतिक्रिया पर लोकसभा में नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी ने सवाल उठाए हैं। उन्होंने शुक्रवार को 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट कर कहा कि रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटने का मामला व्यक्तिगत कैसे हो सकता है। उन्होंने आरोप लगाया कि प्रधानमंत्री ने अमेरिका में भी अडाणी समुह के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डालने की कोशिश की है।

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Life is bigger than any exam: Adani to student

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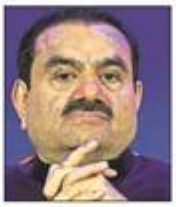
Life is bigger than any exam: Adani to students

NEW DELHI, Feb 14 (AN)

GAUTAM Adani, Chairperson of the Adani Group on Thursday urged students to look beyond exams after a devastating incident in Gorakhpur, where an 18-year-old girl died allegedly by suicide after failing the JEE-Mains Exam.

Adani expressed his deep sorrow over the girl's death, saying it's heartbreaking to see a young life lost due to the burden of expectations.

In a heartfelt post on X, Adani wrote, "It is heartbreaking to see a daughter go away like this under the burden of expectations. Life is bigger than any exam - parents have to understand this themselves and also explain it to their children...My only request to all of you is - never consider failure as your final destination. Because life always gives a second chance...!"



The girl's tragic death highlights the immense pressure students face in India's competitive education system. The JEE Mains results were declared on February 11, and the student was reportedly distressed after not performing well.

Police also recovered a suicide note from her room, indicating her disappointment over the failure. Adani's message serves as a reminder to students, parents, and educators that there's more to life than just exams. It's essential to prioritise mental health, well-being, and emotional support to help students navigate the challenges of growing up. On February 11, the National Testing Agency (NTA) declared the results for the first paper of the Joint Entrance Examination (JEE Mains), the BE/BTech paper. According to the testing agency, the results of the 2nd paper, of BArch/BPlanning will be declared later.

Paper one of JEE Mains was conducted on January 22, 23, 24, 28 and 29 this year.

According to the NTA, 14 people obtained a score of 100, with five students from Rajasthan; two students each from Delhi and Uttar Pradesh; and one student each from Karnataka, Maharashtra, Gujarat, Andhra Pradesh and Telangana obtaining the full marks.

The JEE (Mains) - 2025 paper 1 (BE/B Tech) examination was conducted in Computer Based Test (CBT) mode in 13 languages, in Assamese, Bengali, English, Gujarati, Hindi, Kannada, Malayalam, Marathi, Odia, Punjabi, Tamil, Telugu, and Urdu, read a statement from the agency.

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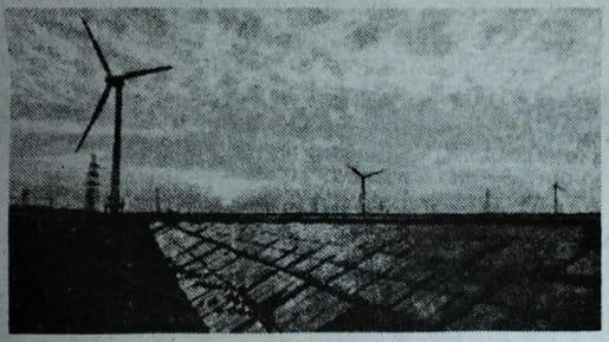
Adani green withdraws Sri Lanka power project

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2	English	495	N/A	Bottom Left	197849	56.5K

Adani Green pulls out of 2 Lanka power projects as new govt seeks tariff cuts

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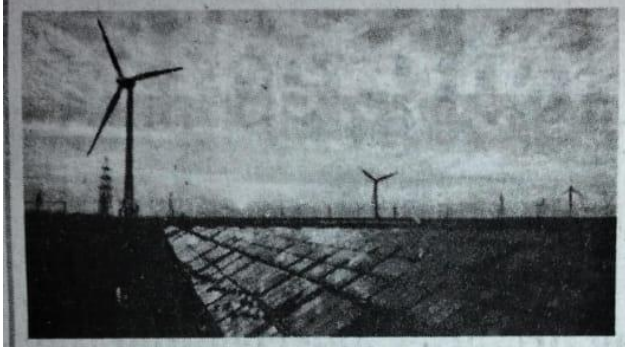
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8	English	488	N/A	Bottom Left	146505	377.2K

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5	Bengali	115	N/A	Top Center	28755	107K

আদানি ইস্যু ব্যক্তিগত ট্রাম্পের সঙ্গে কোনো কথা হয়নি: মোদী

ওয়াশিংটন : গৌতম আদানির বিরুদ্ধে ঘুষের অভিযোগ তুলেছে মার্কিন আদালত। শুক্রবার হোয়াইট হাউজে মার্কিন প্রেসিডেন্ট ডোনাল্ড ট্রাম্পের সঙ্গে যৌথ সাংবাদিক সম্মেলন করার সময় প্রধানমন্ত্রী নরেন্দ্র মোদীকে সাংবাদিকরা গৌতম আদানি ও তাঁর ঘনিষ্ঠদের বিরুদ্ধে মার্কিন আদালতে ঘুষ দেওয়ার অভিযোগ নিয়ে প্রশ্ন তোলেন। জবাবে মোদী বলেন, 'আদানি ইস্যু ব্যক্তিগত। আদানির বিষয় মার্কিন প্রেসিডেন্ট ডোনাল্ড ট্রাম্পের সঙ্গে আমার কোনো কথা হয়নি।' প্রধানমন্ত্রী মোদীর মন্তব্যকে নিশানা করে লোকসভার বিরোধী দলনেতা রাহুল গান্ধী সোশাল মিডিয়ায় লেখেন, 'দেশে প্রশ্ন জিজ্ঞাসা করা হলে নিশ্চুপ থাকেন, বিদেশে জিজ্ঞাসা করা হলে বলেন ব্যক্তিগত বিষয়! আমেরিকাতেও মোদীজী আদানিজীর দুর্নীতি ধামাচাপা দিলেন!' সরকারি প্রকল্পের কাজে গৌতম আদানি ও তাঁর সহযোগীদের বিরুদ্ধে ঘুষ দেওয়ার যে অভিযোগ উঠেছে সে প্রসঙ্গে মোদীকে এদিন জিজ্ঞাসা করা হলে হোয়াইট হাউজে তিনি বলেন, 'ভারত গণতান্ত্রিক দেশ। আমাদের সংস্কৃতি, আমাদের দর্শন হল 'বসুধৈব কুটুম্বকম'। আমরা গোটা বিশ্বকে এক পরিবার ভাবি। আমি প্রত্যেক ভারতীয়কে নিজের লোক বলে মনে করি। যখন ২ দেশের ২ রাষ্ট্রপ্রধানের মধ্যে বৈঠক হয় তখন ব্যক্তিগত বিষয় নিয়ে কখনো আলোচনা হয় না।' মার্কিন প্রেসিডেন্ট ডোনাল্ড ট্রাম্পও মোদীর সুরে সুর মিলিয়ে জানান আদানিকাণ্ড নিয়ে কোনো আলোচনাই হয়নি দু'জনের মধ্যে। প্রাক্তন মার্কিন প্রেসিডেন্ট জো বাইডেনের আমলে গত নভেম্বরে মার্কিন ফেডারেল কোর্ট আদানিদের ঘুষকাণ্ডে দোষী সাব্যস্ত করে।'

—সংবাদ সংস্থা

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Dharavi Redevelopment Project's record number of survey crossed 50 thousand

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10	Gujarati	141	N/A	Middle Left	21216	316.29K

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મુંબઈ સ્લમ રિહેબિલિટેશન ઓથોરિટી માં ડોર-ટુ-ડોર સર્વેનો સૌથી વધુ આંક

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ધારાવી રીડિવલમેન્ટ પ્રોજેક્ટ (DRP) એ બુધવારે તેના ડોર-ટુ-ડોર સર્વેનો પચાસ હજારથી વધુનો આંક પૂર્ણ કરીને, એક મોટો સીમાચિહ્ન હાંસલ કર્યો છે. જે મુંબઈ સ્લમ રિહેબિલિટેશન ઓથોરિટી (SRA) ના ઈતિહાસમાં સૌથી વધુ છે. ધારાવી રીડિવલમેન્ટ પ્રોજેક્ટ -DRPના અધિકારીએ જણાવ્યું હતું "મુંબઈ SRA માટે આ ડોર-ટુ-ડોર સર્વેનો આંક પચાસ હજારથી વધુ થવો એ એક સીમાચિહ્ન છે. આ કામગીરી સર્વે ટીમ અને ધારાવીના રહેવાસીઓ માટે એક મોટું પ્રોત્સાહન સમાન છે, જેઓ રીડિવલપમેન્ટને આગળ વધવા માટે આતુર છે. તેમની સક્રિય ભાગીદારી એશિયાના સૌથી મોટા ઝૂંપડપટ્ટી રીડિવલપમેન્ટ સર્વે પ્રત્યેની તેમની પ્રતિબદ્ધતા દર્શાવે છે."

ઘણા પડકારો હોવા છતાં, આ વ્યાપક સર્વે પૂર્ણ કરવા માટે ટીમ દ્વારા સખત મહેનત કરવામાં આવી રહી છે, જેમાં લોકોના ઘર અને લાગણીઓનો સમાવેશ થાય છે. ધારાવી રીડિવલમેન્ટ પ્રોજેક્ટ સીઈઓ, એસવીઆર શ્રીનિવાસ, એ તાજેતરમાં બધા ધારાવીકરોને સર્વેમાં ભાગ લેવા વિનંતી કરી હતી ,જેથી કોઈ પણ હાઉસિંગ પ્લાનમાંથી બાકાત ન રહે. "અમે રિસર્વેને કારણે વિલંબ સહન કરી શકતા નથી કારણ કે અમે એકસાથે અનેક પડકારોનો સામનો કરી રહ્યા છીએ. અમે આ પ્રોજેક્ટને ઝડપી બનાવવા માટે રહેવાસીઓ પાસેથી મહત્તમ સહયોગ માંગીએ છીએ. જે લોકો અત્યાર સુધી સર્વેમાં ભાગ લઈ શક્યા નથી તેઓએ તેમના દસ્તાવેજો સાથે આગળ આવવું જોઈએ અને સહયોગ કરવો જોઈ."

તાજેતરના સર્વેના આંકડા મુજબ, 85,000 ટેનામેન્ટ માટે નંબરિંગ પૂર્ણ થઈ ગયું છે, જ્યારે 50,000 થી વધુ ટેનામેન્ટ્સનો ડોર-ટુ-ડોર સર્વે કરવામાં આવ્યો છે. "જો એશિયાની સૌથી મોટી ઝૂંપડપટ્ટી, તેની ગીચ અને વૈવિધ્યસભર વસ્તી સાથે, મેપિંગની જટિલતા, ચોકસાઈ અને લોજિસ્ટિકલ પડકારોને સંપૂર્ણપણે ધ્યાનમાં પર લઈએ , તો આ એક મહત્વપૂર્ણ સિદ્ધિ છે," તેમ DRPના અધિકારીએ જણાવ્યું હતું.

1.5 લાખ પરિવારોનું પુનર્વસન

લગભગ 10 લાખ લોકોનું ઘર, તેનો ઉદ્દેશ્ય એશિયાની સૌથી મોટી ઝૂંપડપટ્ટીને આધુનિક શહેરી હબમાં પરિવર્તિત કરવાનો છે. લગભગ 1.5 લાખ ટેનામેન્ટ્સનું પુનર્વસન કરવામાં આવશે, જે ધારાવીના લોકોની ગરિમા જાળવી રાખીને વધુ સારા આવાસ, માળખાગત સુવિધાઓ અને આર્થિક તકો સુનિશ્ચિત કરશે.

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Upstairs huts in Dharavi preserved

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मुंबई, दि. १४ : प्रतिनिधी

वरच्या मजल्यावरील झोपडीधारकांना अपात्र ठरवणारी कलमातील तरतूद योग्य असल्याचा निर्वाळा मुंबई उच्च न्यायालयाने नुकताच एका जनहित याचिकेच्या सुनावणीदरम्यान दिला आहे. मात्र, राज्य शासनाच्यावतीने 'विशेष जनहिताच्या प्रकल्पाचा' दर्जा प्राप्त असल्याने 'धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पा'तील वरच्या मजल्यावरील झोपड्यांना हा निकाल लागू असणार नाही. **(पान ६ वर)»»**

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"राज्य शासनाने दि. ४ ऑक्टोबर २०२४ रोजी जीआर (शासन निर्णय) जारी करून धारावीतील वरच्या मजल्यावरील झोपड्यांना संरक्षण देण्याचे जे काम केले आहे, त्याबद्दल आम्ही शासनाचे आभारी आहोत.

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(पान १ वरुन) राज्य शासनाने आधीच घोषित केलेल्या धोरणानुसार धारावीतील वरच्या मजल्यावरील झोपडीधारकांना पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पात सामावून घेतले जाणार आहे.

'झोपडपट्टी पुनर्विकास सुधारणा कायदा २०१७' मधील 'कलम ३ ब (फ)'ला एका याचिकेद्वारे आव्हान देण्यात आले होते. दि. १ जानेवारी २०१९च्या आधीपासून अस्तित्वात असलेल्या दुमजली झोपड्यांचे वरचे मजले कायदेशीर ठरवून त्यांचा पुनर्विकासात समावेश करण्याची मागणी या याचिकेत करण्यात आली होती. यावर सुनावणी करताना मुंबई उच्च न्यायालयाने 'झोपडपट्टी पुनर्वसन सुधारणा कायदा' हा सरकारचा धोरणात्मक निर्णय असल्याचे स्पष्ट करत ही याचिका निकाली काढली.

धारावीकरांना मिळणार दिलासा

'धारावी पुनर्विकास प्रकल्प' हा विशेष आहे. राज्य शासनाच्या दि. ४ ऑक्टोबर २०२४ रोजीच्या शासन निर्णयानुसार, धारावीत दि. १५ नोव्हेंबर २०२२ पूर्वी अस्तित्वात असलेल्या वरच्या मजल्यावरील झोपडीधारकांना पुनर्विकास प्रकल्पात सामावून घेतले जाणार आहे. वरच्या मजल्यावरील झोपडीधारकांचे भाडेकरार-खरेदी योजनेनुसार धारावीबाहेर पुनर्वसन केले जाणार आहे. भाडेकरार-खरेदी योजनेनुसार, धारावीतील वरच्या मजल्यावरील झोपडीधारकांना २५ वर्षांसाठी माफक भाडे आकारून मुंबईत ३०० चौ. फुटांचे घर दिले जाणार आहे.

या योजनेत २५ वर्षांच्या कालावधीत कधीही निर्धारित रक्कमेचा एकत्रित भरणा करून धारावीकरांना या घराचा मालकीहक्क मिळवता येईल. या सदनिकांची खरेदी किंमत आणि घरभाडे राज्य शासनाच्या 'धारावी रिडेव्हलपमेंट प्रोजेक्ट' (डीआरपी) मार्फत निश्चित करण्यात येईल. वरच्या मजल्यावरील झोपडीधारकांना या योजनेचा लाभ मिळण्यासाठी वीजबिल, नोंदणीकृत खरेदी किंवा भाडे करार, आधार कार्ड, रेशन कार्ड, मजल्याचा उल्लेख असलेले पारपत्र अथवा तळमजल्यावरील सदनिकाधारकाचे शपथपत्र अशी अत्यावश्यक कागदपत्रे सादर करावी लागतील.

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Deep state, shallow state, non-state

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It's early days in 2025 yet, but the "deep state" looks like the frontrunner for winning the "word of the year" honours. Anything goes wrong and we blame this sinister entity — the deep state.

Except that it isn't so mythical. It is as much a part of our lives and system of governance as shallow state and non-state. We shall explore these definitions and how these intermesh as we go along. However, the deep state, often just called DS, has now become the engine of conspiracy theories across democracies.

The first thing we need to look at is the dictionary/Wikipedia definition of it: Potentially secret and unauthorised network of power operating independently of a state's political leadership in pursuit of its own agenda and goals. Of course, it all has a negative and conspiratorial connotation. Then, let's follow our usual three-example formula and list these specific issues/events.

- The regime change in Bangladesh. It was sudden, violent at street level, leaderless and dramatic. It's been widely blamed on the US deep state (we will use DS hereon). It's also been called a US (United States) DS success, with the insinuation that similar operations were planned in India as well. Because, of course, the Biden administration and the DS do not like Narendra Modi.
- Next, the series of exposés on the Adani group across two years. Many came from a shadowy short-seller Hindenburg, which vaporised as mysteriously as it had appeared on the scene. There were also many other stories that came in through organisations supported or funded by OCCRP (Organised Crime and Corruption Reporting Project). There is also the ICIJ, or the International Consortium of Investigative Journalists. Both are supported by the George Soros-founded Open Society Foundations. Mr Soros is an acknowledged Left-leaning anarchist (I won't call him liberal) and a stock and currency markets predator. He's the man who broke the pound and the Bank of England (1992) as well as many key East Asian countries in the 1997 financial crisis. Both these organisations supported investigations leading to stories on the Adani group. The conspiracy theory is that this was an indirect attack on the Modi government. In fact, Prime Minister Narendra Modi noted at the outset of the current Budget session of Parliament that this was the first in many years that a session was beginning without any "mischief from abroad".
- And the third, two difficult and embarrassing situations India was caught in — in Canada and the US — were linked to Sikh radical operations there. In each of these cases, the American media highlighted the stories in great detail and persisted with the coverage as did the *Financial Times* in the case of Adani. All of this, the argument is, couldn't be a coincidence. It must have been the work of DS. And you know what, now even Donald Trump, Elon Musk, and their lieutenants are all complaining about it as they set out to drain the swamp.

So far so good, and we then examine each in some detail. On Bangladesh are we sure this was merely the handiwork of some "potentially secret and unauthorised" group that worked under the US government radar? If you saw the pictures of George Soros' son flying in to meet Chief Adviser Mohammed Yunus in Dhaka last month, your suspicions will be strengthened.

Then also see that iconic (if I may be allowed to use just once the description I usually ban in my own newsroom for anything but a sculpture) picture of a doting Joe Biden with his arm around Yunus' shoulders.

If Hasina's downfall was really engineered by the Americans, was it by some DS working on its own? Or in conjunction with the Biden Administration? This won't pass the conspiracy theorists' definition of DS.

There are shadowy, amorphous, vaguely defined organisations that work as instruments of a regular, upfront state. A trick question follows: How will you describe the Lashkar-e-Taiba and Jaish-e-Mohammed? As non-state actors which the Pakistanis would? Or DS? Both will give the Pakistan state plausible deniability. They are the state, and they mean enormous harm to India.

The Adani issue might be a bit more complex because in most of the stories from Hindenburg and OCCRP, there is no clear US government role. So, was DS at play? But then, the US Department of Justice and Securities and Exchange Commission came up with indictments potentially and a lot more threatening than Hindenburg's. Now, were Hindenburg and OCCRP working independent of the state, or in cahoots with it? Or vice versa?

And finally, the issues India faced in Canada and the US over Nijjar and Pannun. The notion of this being DS activity was brought in mostly because some in the US and Canadian media were particularly active on this. All of their stories, however, were based on briefings by their own intelligence officials.

One way of looking at DS is the bureaucracy, civil services, police, armed forces, judiciary, regulators, election commission and other institutions that span the tenure of multiple governments.

They follow the rule book, provide continuity, and protect the family silver. Between 1996 and 1999, India had six Prime Ministers. It was a brilliant set of civil servants, military leaders, and nuclear scientists who kept continuity with our strategic programme, protected it, and didn't let a word leak.

The same system can act differently. If they kept the nuclear assets all so secret and defined as "peaceful" all of these decades, they made them open and military in 1998. Why?

That's because the Vajpayee government asked them to do so. This DS, which provides continuity and also assurance on broad policies and sovereign commitments remaining intact, also changes when political leaders command so. Those we describe as the shallow state.

"Shallow" is not to denote weakness but because they're transient. Actually, they are the ones with real power. It is used only because the political leaderships will have the deeper state apparatus at their command. It is only when the shallow state is weak that DS takes over the agenda. We saw this play out just after Manmohan Singh signed the nuclear deal.

Much of the opposition to it was based on leaks from his office and his Ministry of External Affairs by career civil servants, partly motivated by ingrained anti-Americanism and partly by those who found the change too drastic.

That is why the nuclear liability law was so poisoned as to make the entire deal fruitless. This is precisely what the Modi government's Budget just promised to change and which the Modi-Trump joint statement has taken note of.

And finally, where does non-state feature? From ancient times, sovereigns have used the cover of non-state actors to take their cause forward.

From bhikshus of Ashokan 3rd century BC and medieval Sufis to Oxfam, Omidyar and Soros now, non-state actors have any real power only when they work in conjunction with a real state. What is the US Agency for International Development, for example? It can't be DS because it is very much an instrument of the American state. So much so that Marco Rubio has now taken direct charge of it and moved it in the state department. The Trumpian objection is that it had been hijacked by Leftist ideologues who were using it to indulge their own fancy and not to further American interests.

Jump millennia to present-day India and ask what the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh is. The Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) will say it is a non-state entity, and, in fact, the world's largest non-government organisation. Ask the Congress, and they will call it the BJP's DS. The exact equation will apply if you asked the BJP and the Congress what Sonia Gandhi's National Advisory Council was. One shallow state antagonist's DS is the other's non-state entity.

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Modi's complexion raised questions on Adani in America!

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सामना एंकर

अमेरिका में अडानी पर सवाल उड़ा मोदी के चेहरे का रंग!

कांग्रेस ने की पीएम की आलोचना

देश में चुप्पी, विदेश में निजी मामला

अमेरिका में अडानी घूस मामले से जुड़े सवाल पर प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी के जवाब 'व्यक्तिगत मामलों के लिए दो देशों के मुखिया नहीं मिलते' पर कांग्रेस नेता राहुल गांधी ने प्रतिक्रिया दी है। उन्होंने ट्वीट किया, 'देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला...अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने अडानी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर...पर्दा डाल दिया।'

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अमेरिका में अडानी घूस मामले पर सवाल पूछते ही पीएम मोदी के चेहरे का रंग उड़ गया था। यह आरोप कांग्रेस ने लगाया है। कांग्रेस प्रवक्ता जयराम रमेश ने 'एक्स' पर लिखा है, 'अडानी का नाम सुनते ही मोदी जी के चेहरे का रंग उड़ गया, भ्रष्टाचार व्यक्तिगत मामला कब से हो गया?' कांग्रेस प्रवक्ता पवन खेड़ा ने प्रतिक्रिया देते हुए 'बात निकलेगी तो दूर तलक जाएगी' कविता लिखी।

प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी के जवाब का वीडियो एक्स पर शेयर कर 'आप' ने लिखा, 'प्रधानमंत्री मोदी ने अमेरिका में दिखाई अडानी से अपनी दोस्ती!' 'आप' ने लिखा, 'अडानी द्वारा देश की संपत्ति को लूटना और रिश्वत बांटने के कुकृत्य को प्रधानमंत्री द्वारा निजी मामला बताना बेहद निंदनीय और शर्मनाक बात है।'

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Trump tariff won't hurt Hindalco's India biz

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'Trump's volley of tariffs will not hurt India business'

Hindalco Industries plans to spend ₹6,000 crore as capex in India in 2024-25 (FY25) and ₹8,000 crore the next year. **SATISH PAI**, the company's managing director, told Amritha Pillay in a video interview that he expects Novelis, a subsidiary, to bounce back in the fourth quarter (Q4). Pai said America's announcement of trade tariffs will not have a "negative" impact on Hindalco, and Chinese aluminium imports to India are no longer cheaper. Edited excerpts:

In your Q3 performance, India operations helped offset the weakness seen for Novelis. Do you expect this trend to prevail?

In Q4, Novelis will bounce back. Both India and Novelis should do well and it should be a good quarter. Q3 for Novelis is a seasonally low quarter because of maintenance during the holiday season. This was compounded by the scrap spreads tightening. But the volumes will come back in Q4. With LME (London Metal Exchange) still holding, India operations should be good in Q4 as well.

Q&A

SATISH PAI
MD, Hindalco Industries

With the US imposing tariffs on aluminium, what is the outlook for the two markets you have a presence in: India and US?

(US President Donald) Trump tariff: There is no negative for our India business because we do not export anything to the US. We are not impacted. Well, it is neutral to positive for what is happening in the US (for Novelis) as the scrap benefit will go up when the Midwest (premiums) goes up.

There are concerns that the US tariffs could mean exports meant for that country will be diverted. What will be the likely impact for your other export markets?

The primary aluminium that the US uses – 90 per cent – comes from one country: Canada. It is not that there is a lot of aluminium from many different parts of the world going there. I do not expect worldwide aluminium prices to get impacted. Regional premiums may get impacted, but there is not going to be a huge directional flow because every country has got 25 per cent.

You had flagged concerns about Chinese aluminium imports. Do you still see those concerns?

No. What China has done, which is more important than this Trump tariff, is that they have taken away that 13 per cent VAT rebate. For China to import into India, the prices have gone up. China, probably to protect itself under US tariffs, has been removing its subsidies. With this 13 per cent rebate going away, it makes it more expensive for China to export aluminium now. They should not be able to dump in India at very low prices.



Any update on plans for Novelis to have an initial public offering (IPO)?

For us now, we have to get Novelis' profitability back to $500 per tonne. We have to finish the Bay Minette project that is to be commissioned in September of 2026. Until those two happen, the IPO is not a priority right now. At least for another year, we are not going to think about it.

There is a considerable rise in your debt numbers from a year ago. Do we expect any changes there?

Novelis needs to get more debt to fund the payment. Novelis did a $750 million bond offering in January and probably in the latter half of FY26 they'll do another $750 million. On the India side, we are net cash positive.

For your India copper operations, two big conglomerates, Adani and JSW, are now competitors. What is Hindalco's strategy?

Competition is coming in and that is okay. The way we look at it is that we are going more and more into copper downstream. Just like we did in aluminium. We will keep our differentiation on having an upstream and a downstream. If the upstream comes under pressure, the downstream will help. The integrated business model is the way we will differentiate ourselves.

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Adani to restore full power to B'desh, but differences remain

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Adani Power has agreed to fully restore supply from a 1,600 Mw India power plant to Bangladesh in a few days after a gap of three months but has rejected Dhaka's request for discounts and tax benefits, two sources told *Reuters*. It halved supply to Bangladesh on October 31 due to payment delays as the country battled foreign exchange shortage. REUTERS

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We didnt meet to discuss about Adani : Modi

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ವಾಷಿಂಗ್ಟನ್: ದ್ವಿಪಕ್ಷೀಯ ಮಾತುಕತೆಯ ನಂತರ ನಡೆದ ಪತ್ರಿಕಾಗೋಷ್ಠಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕೆಲ ಕಠಿಣ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಮೋದಿ ಎದುರಿಸಬೇಕಾಗಿ ಬಂದಿತಾದರೂ, ಅವೆಲ್ಲಕ್ಕೂ ಅಷ್ಟೇ ಸಮರ್ಪಕ ಉತ್ತರವನ್ನು ಕೊಟ್ಟರು.

ಗೌತಮ್ ಅದಾನಿ ಪ್ರಕರಣದ (250 ಮಿಲಿಯನ್ ಭ್ರಷ್ಟಾಚಾರ ಕೇಸ್) ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಜತೆ ಮಾತನಾಡಿದ್ದೀರಾ? ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಕ್ರಮ ಕೈಗೊಳ್ಳುವ ಚರ್ಚೆ ಆಗಿದೆಯಾ ಎಂಬ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಪತ್ರಕರ್ತರೊಬ್ಬರ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗೆ, 'ಭಾರತ ಒಂದು ಪ್ರಜಾಪ್ರಭುತ್ವ, ವಸುದೈವ ಕುಟುಂಬಕಂ ನಮ್ಮ ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತಿ. ಇಡೀ ವಿಶ್ವವನ್ನೇ ಒಂದು ಎಂದು ಪರಿಗಣಿಸುವವರು ನಾವು. ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಬ್ಬ ಭಾರತೀಯರೂ ನನ್ನವರೇ. ಹೀಗಿರುವಾಗ ಯಾವುದೋ ಒಬ್ಬ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿಯ ವೈಯಕ್ತಿಯ ವಿಷಯಗಳನ್ನು ಎರಡು ದೇಶದ ನಾಯಕರು ಚರ್ಚೆ ಮಾಡಲು ಭೇಟಿಯಾಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ಮೋದಿ ಉತ್ತರಿಸಿದರು.

ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಪ್ರತಿಕ್ರಿಯಿಸಿರುವ ವಿರೋಧ ಪಕ್ಷದ ನಾಯಕ ರಾಹುಲ್ ಗಾಂಧಿ, ಅದಾನಿ ವಿಷಯವನ್ನು ಭಾರತದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೇಳಿದಾಗ ಮೋದಿ ಮಾತಾಡುವುದೇ ಇಲ್ಲ. ವಿದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಕೇಳಿದಾದ ಅದನ್ನು ವೈಯಕ್ತಿಯ ವಿಷಯ ಎಂದು ಬಿಡುತ್ತಾರೆ. ಆ ಮೂಲಕ ಅದಾನಿ ಭ್ರಷ್ಟಾಚಾರದ ಮೇಲೆ ಈಗ ಅಮೆರಿಕದಲ್ಲೂ ಕರ್ಟನ್ ಎಳೆಯುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಪ್ರಯತ್ನಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ ಎಂದು ಬರೆದುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

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मुंबईतील झोपडपट्टी पुनर्वसन प्राधिकरणाच्या इतिहासातील आतापर्यंतचे हे सर्वांत मोठे सर्वेक्षणाचे काम पूर्ण झाले आहे. पुनःसर्वेक्षणामुळे होणाऱ्या विलंबाचा तूर्तास आम्ही विचारही करू शकत नाही.

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Modi hiding Adani corruption

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मुंबईतील झोपडपट्टी पुनर्वसन प्राधिकरणाच्या इतिहासातील आतापर्यंतचे हे सर्वांत मोठे सर्वेक्षणाचे काम पूर्ण झाले आहे. पुनःसर्वेक्षणामुळे होणाऱ्या विलंबाचा तूर्तास आम्ही विचारही करू शकत नाही.

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Rs.25 lakhs crores fut in 8 days

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దేశీయ సూచీలను వరుసగా 8వ రోజూ నష్టాలు వీడ లేదు. కార్పొరేట్ సంస్థల బలహీన త్రైమాసిక ఫలితా లకు విదేశీ మదుపర్ల అమ్మకాలు తోడవ్వడంతో శుక్ర వారం సెన్సెక్స్ 76,000 పాయింట్ల దిగువకు చేరింది. నిఫ్టీ కీలకమైన 23,000 పాయింట్ల స్థాయిని కోల్పో యింది. చిన్న, మధ్య స్థాయి షేర్లకు అమ్మకాలు వెల్ల వెత్తాయి. డాలర్‌తో పోలిస్తే రూపాయి 21 పైసలు బల పడి 86.71 వద్ద ముగిసింది. బ్యారెల్ ముడిచమురు 0.55% పెరిగి 75.43 డాలర్ల వద్ద ట్రేడవుతోంది.

◆ బీఎస్‌ఈలోని నమోదిత సంస్థల మొత్తం మార్కెట్ విలువ శుక్రవారం ఒక్కరోజే దాదాపు రూ.7 లక్షల కోట్ల మేర ఆవిరైంది. గత 8 ట్రేడింగ్ రోజుల్లో రూ.25.31 లక్షల కోట్లు తగ్గి రూ.400.19 లక్షల కోట్ల (4.61 లక్షల కోట్ల డాలర్ల)కు చేరింది. గత 8 రోజుల్లో సెన్సెక్స్ 2,644.6 పాయింట్లు, నిఫ్టీ 810 పాయింట్ల దొప్పున నష్టపోయాయి.

◆ 2024 సెప్టెంబరు 27 నాటి బీఎస్‌ఈ కంపెనీల మొత్తం నమోదిత విలువ రూ.477.93 లక్షల కోట్లతో పోలిస్తే, ఇప్పటికి రూ.77.74 లక్షల కోట్ల మేర క్షీణించింది.

◆ సెన్సెక్స్ ఉదయం 250 పాయింట్ల (క్రితం ముగింపు 76,138.97) లాభంతో 76,388.99 వద్ద ప్రారంభమైంది. ఇంట్రాడేలో 76,483.06 పాయింట్ల వద్ద గరిష్ఠాన్ని తాకిన సూచీ, అనంతరం నష్టాల్లోకి జారుకుంది. ఒకదశలో 699.33 పాయింట్లు క్షీణించి 75,439.64 పాయింట్లకు చేరింది. ఆఖర్లో కాస్త కోలుకుని 199.76 పాయింట్ల నష్టంతో 75,939.21 వద్ద ముగిసింది. నిఫ్టీ 102.15 పాయింట్లు తగ్గి 22,929.25 దగ్గర స్థిరపడింది. ఇంట్రాడేలో ఈ సూచీ 22,774.85- 23,133.70 పాయింట్ల మధ్య కదలాడింది.

◆ సెన్సెక్స్ సూచీలో 21 షేర్ల నష్టాలు చవిచూశాయి. అదానీ పోర్ట్స్ 4.20%, అల్ట్రాటెక్ 2.47%, సన్‌ఫార్మా 2.40%, ఇండస్‌ఇండ్ బ్యాంక్ 2.19%, ఎన్‌టీపీసీ 2.18%, టాటా స్టీల్ 1.32%, ఎం అండ్ ఎం 1.26%, యాక్సిస్ బ్యాంక్ 1.14%, టెక్ మహీంద్రా 1.06%, కోటక్ బ్యాంక్ 0.99% దొప్పున నష్టాలు నమోదుచేశాయి. రంగాల వారీ సూచీల్లో సేవలు 3.16%, పరిశ్రమలు 3.03%, యంత్ర పరికరాలు 2.76%, విద్యుత్ 2.65%, యుటిలిటీస్ 2.52%, మన్నికైన వినిమయ వస్తువులు 2.39%, కమొడిటీస్ 2.25%, స్థిరాస్తి 2.03% కుదేలయ్యాయి. హోమ్స్ ఐటీ మాత్రమే పెరిగింది. బీఎస్‌ఈలో 3386 షేర్లు నష్టాల్లో ముగియగా, 629 ష్రైస్ లాభపడ్డాయి. 68 షేర్లలో ఎటువంటి మార్పు లేదు.

◆ **రెలిగేర్ ఎంటర్‌ప్రైజెస్‌లో** మెజారిటీ వాటా కోసం, పోటీ ఓపెన్ ఆఫర్ ఇచ్చేందుకు దిగ్విజయ్ లక్ష్మీసిన్హ్ గైక్వాడ్ చేసుకున్న దరఖాస్తును మార్కెట్ల నియంత్రణ సంస్థ సెబీ తోసిపుచ్చింది. పోటీ ఓపెన్ ఆఫర్ ఇచ్చేందుకు అవసరమైన ఆర్థిక వనరులను వివరించడంలో దరఖాస్తుదారు విఫలమైనట్లు సెబీ తెలిపింది.

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Adani company pulls out of power project in Sri Lanka

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Leaders of 2 nations don't meet to discuss an individual matter: Modi on Adani issue

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Transcript Of His Jt Press Conference In The US With Prez Trump

Prime Minister, the US is giving a lot of push to curb illegal immigration, and India has been cooperating on this issue. How does India see this issue in the larger context?

■ Modi: I don't think this is a question that is about India only, but even globally, you can talk about this issue. And we are of the opinion that anybody who enters another country illegally, they have absolutely no right to be in that country. And as far as India and the US is concerned, we have always been of the same opinion, and that is any verified Indian who is in the US illegally, we are fully prepared to take them back to India.

However, it doesn't stop there. These are children of very ordinary families, and they are lured by big dreams and big promises. A lot of them are brought in without them knowing about why they are going to a country. And in fact, they are connected with a human trafficking system, and we have to make sure that we fight against this system. As far as the US and India are concerned, I think what we should do is make efforts to make sure that we uproot these from within the system so that we can reduce or remove human trafficking.



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And basically, the young, vulnerable, poor people of India are fooled into coming over as illegal immigrants. And our bigger fight actually is against this ecosystem or this system that encourages such gangs to thrive. And I can tell you that India will completely support your endeavour in achieving this.

I wanted to ask you, did you discuss any possible business deals with Elon Musk during your meetings today, Mr Prime Minister?

■ Modi: I have known him for a very long time. I was not even Prime Minister at the time when I first met him. I was chief minister and today he came to meet me along with all his family with his children and so we had a nice discussion.

As far as EVs are concerned, the word EV has a copyright and that is one person who has a copyright to the word EV and that is Trump.

Mr President. Can I ask whether you discussed at all today the case of Gautam Adani who is one of the wealthiest men in Asia and perceived as an ally of Prime Minister Modi. Prime Minister Modi, have you asked the President to take action on that case?

■ Modi: Firstly, India is a democratic country, and our culture and our thought philosophy is Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam, which basically means that the entire world is a family. Every Indian is my own family member. And when it comes to such personal matters, two leaders of two countries will not get together on that topic and discuss anything on an individual matter.

Mr Prime Minister, how do you see India's role? You have had discussions with President Trump about de-escalating the conflict in Russia and Ukraine.

■ Modi: As you know, I have been in constant contact with both Russia and Ukraine. I have also visited both countries. And many people are mistaken, and they feel that India is neutral. I would like to clarify, India is not neutral. We have taken a side, and we have taken the side of peace. And it is based on this principle of ours that in the presence of President Putin, I clearly said in front of the media that this is not the era of war and even today it is my conviction that solutions cannot be found on the battlefield.

Ultimately, you have to come to the negotiating table and India has constantly made efforts that there are talks that take place where both parties are present. It is only then that we will find a solution. The efforts being made by President Trump, I support them, I welcome them and I would like that President Trump is successful as soon as possible so that the world is on the path to peace once again.

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JSW Energy's bid for KSK Mahanadi gets nod

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JSW Energy's bid for KSK Mahanadi gets nod

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New Delhi: The National Company Law Tribunal (NCLT) has given a green light to JSW Energy's resolution plan for KSK Mahanadi Power Company under the Insolvency & Bankruptcy Code, which will result in an upfront cash recovery of around Rs 16,000 crore for financial creditors, which is around half their claim. Besides, the creditors will get a 26% stake in the company.

While resolution process had started in 2019 the plan was finalised in Nov 2024 and submitted around a month ago. NCLT bench, comprising members Rajiv Bharadwaj and Sanjay Puri, decided on the issue within a month, sending a strong signal that the tribunal is not sitting on proposals, especially where the amount involved is large. NCLT, IBBI and govt have been seeking to expedite cases.

While there were 10 resolution applicants vying for KSK Mahanadi, there were six — including Adani Power, Capri Global, Jindal Power, NTPC Vedanta and JSW —which participated in the challenge as the resolution professional sought to maximise the realisation for creditors. Aditya Birla Asset Reconstruction Company, Prudent ARC, Power Finance Corp and REC are the largest creditors to KSK Mahanadi. Power Finance Corporation had initiated the insolvency process against the company. The admitted claims of creditors were to the tune of Rs 26,000 crore. JSW Energy has proposed to arrange Rs 13,000 crores debt and the remaining Rs.3,084 in the form of quasi-equity.

The cash realisation is significantly higher than the fair value of Rs 9,947 crore and Rs 6,849 crore liquidation value.

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Survey of 50 thousand houses conducted in Dharavi redevelopment project

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धारावी पुनर्विकास परियोजना में 50 हजार घरों का हुआ सर्वेक्षण

वरिष्ठ संवाददाता | मुंबई. धारावी पुनर्विकास परियोजना के तहत स्लम रिहैबिलिटेशन ऑथोरिटी (एसआरए) घर-घर जाकर सर्वे कर रही है। अभी तक 50 हजार घरों का सर्वे किया गया है और 85 हजार घरों को नंबर आवंटित कर दिए गए हैं। धारावी पुनर्विकास योजना के सीईओ एसवीआर श्रीनिवासन ने बताया कि धारावी के निवासी सर्वे में शामिल हों, ताकि कोई भी इस परियोजना के लाभ से बाहर ना रहे। उन्होंने कहा कि हम दोबारा सर्वेक्षण करने का जोखिम नहीं उठा सकते हैं। उन्होंने कहा अभी तक जिन लोगों ने घरों का सर्वेक्षण नहीं कराया है वे अपने कागजात लेकर आगे आएं और सर्वेक्षण में शामिल हों। धारावी पुनर्विकास परियोजना में करीब 10 लाख लोगों को घर देकर एशिया की सबसे बड़ी झोपड़पट्टी को आधुनिक इमारतों में तब्दील करना है।

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Adani case in private matter

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'ಅದಾನಿ ಪ್ರಕರಣ ಖಾಸಗಿ ವಿಷಯ'

ಪ್ರಜಾವಾಣಿ ವಾರ್ತೆ

ನವದೆಹಲಿ: 'ಅಮೆರಿಕದ ಕೋರ್ಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಉದ್ಯಮಿ ಗೌತಮ್ ಅದಾನಿ ವಿರುದ್ಧ ಮೊಕದ್ದಮೆ ದಾಖಲಾಗಿರುವುದು 'ಖಾಸಗಿ ವಿಷಯ'. ಎರಡು ದೇಶಗಳ ನಾಯಕರು ಇಂತಹ ಖಾಸಗಿ ಸಂಗತಿ ಚರ್ಚಿಸಲು ಭೇಟಿ ಆಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ' ಎಂದು ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ನರೇಂದ್ರ ಮೋದಿ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಶ್ವೇತಭವನದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಡೊನಾಲ್ಡ್ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಅವರ ಜೊತೆಗೆ ನಡೆದ ಸಭೆಯ ಬಳಿಕ ತಮ್ಮನ್ನು ಭೇಟಿಯಾದ ಸುದ್ದಿಗಾರರಿಗೆ ಮೋದಿ ಹೀಗೆ ಪ್ರತಿಕ್ರಿಯೆ ನೀಡಿದರು.

ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಜೊತೆಗಿನ ಸಭೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಅದಾನಿ ವಿಷಯವೂ ಚರ್ಚೆಯಾಯಿತೇ ಎಂಬ ಸುದ್ದಿಗಾರರ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗೆ, 'ಎರಡು ದೇಶಗಳ ನಾಯಕರು ಎಂದಿಗೂ ಇಂತಹ ವಿಷಯಗಳ ಚರ್ಚೆಗೆ ಭೇಟಿ ಆಗುವುದಿಲ್ಲ. ಚರ್ಚಿಸುವುದೂ ಇಲ್ಲ' ಎಂದು ಮೋದಿ ಪ್ರತಿಕ್ರಿಯಿಸಿದರು.

ಅದಾನಿ ಅವರು ಪ್ರಧಾನಿಯವರ ಆಪ್ತ ಎಂದು ಬಿಂಬಿಸುವುದನ್ನು ಉಲ್ಲೇಖಿಸಿ, 'ಮೊದಲಿಗೆ ಭಾರತ ಪ್ರಜಾಪ್ರಭುತ್ವ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರ. ನಮ್ಮ ಸಂಸ್ಕೃತಿ, ಸಿದ್ಧಾಂತಗಳು 'ವಸುಧೈವ ಕುಟುಂಬಕಂ' ಧ್ಯೇಯ ಆಧರಿಸಿದೆ. ಭಾರತೀಯ ರೆಲ್ಲರೂ ನನ್ನವರು ಎಂದು ಭಾವಿಸುತ್ತೇನೆ' ಎಂದರು.

ಬಂಡವಾಳ ಸೆಳೆಯಲು ಹೇರಾಮಾರುಕಟ್ಟೆಯ ವಹಿವಾಟಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಅಕ್ರಮ ಹಾಗೂ ನಿಯಮಗಳ ಉಲ್ಲಂಘನೆ ಆರೋಪದಡಿ ಉದ್ಯಮಿ ಗೌತಮ್ ಅದಾನಿ, ಅವರ ಸಂಬಂಧಿ ಸಾಗರ್ ಅದಾನಿ ವಿರುದ್ಧ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಫೆಡರಲ್ ಕೋರ್ಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಕರಣ ದಾಖಲಾಗಿದೆ.

ಈ ಹಿಂದೆ ಅದಾನಿ ವಿರುದ್ಧದ ಪ್ರಕರಣವನ್ನು ಉಲ್ಲೇಖಿಸಿ ವಿದೇಶಾಂಗ ವ್ಯವಹಾರಗಳ ಸಚಿವಾಲಯವು, 'ಇದು ಖಾಸಗಿ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆ, ಉದ್ಯಮಿ ಮತ್ತು ಅಮೆರಿಕದ ನ್ಯಾಯಾಂಗ ಇಲಾಖೆಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದ ವಿಷಯ' ಎಂದು ಪ್ರತಿಕ್ರಿಯಿಸಿತ್ತು.



ಶ್ವೇತಭವನದಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ನರೇಂದ್ರ ಮೋದಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಡೊನಾಲ್ಡ್ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಮಾತುಕತೆ ನಡೆಸಿದರು –ಪಿಟಿಐ ಚಿತ್ರ

'ಭ್ರಷ್ಟಾಚಾರ ಮುಚ್ಚಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವ ಯತ್ನ'

'ಅದಾನಿ ಪ್ರಕರಣ 'ಖಾಸಗಿ ವಿಷಯ' ಎನ್ನುವ ಮೂಲಕ ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ನರೇಂದ್ರ ಮೋದಿ, ಅಮೆರಿಕದಲ್ಲೂ ಉದ್ಯಮಿ ವಿರುದ್ಧದ ಭ್ರಷ್ಟಾಚಾರ ಆರೋಪ ಮುಚ್ಚಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲು ಯತ್ನಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ' ಎಂದು ಕಾಂಗ್ರೆಸ್ ಪಕ್ಷದ ನಾಯಕ ರಾಹುಲ್‌ಗಾಂಧಿ ಟೀಕಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

'ಎಕ್ಸ್' ಜಾಲತಾಣದಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಕುರಿತು ಪ್ರತಿಕ್ರಿಯಿಸಿರುವ ಅವರು, 'ದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಪ್ರಶ್ನಿಸಿದರೆ ಮೌನವಹಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆ. ವಿದೇಶದಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಶ್ನಿಸಿದರೆ ಅದು ಖಾಸಗಿ ವಿಷಯ ಆಗುತ್ತದೆ' ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಮೂರನೆಯವರ ಮಧ್ಯಸ್ಥಿಕೆ ಒಪ್ಪಲ್ಲ–ಭಾರತ

ವಾಷಿಂಗ್ಟನ್ (ಪಿಟಿಐ): ಚೀನಾ ಜೊತೆಗಿನ ಗಡಿ ವಿವಾದ ಕುರಿತು ಮೂರನೆಯರ ಮಧ್ಯಸ್ಥಿಕೆ ಒಪ್ಪುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ನಿಲುವನ್ನು ಭಾರತ ಪುನರುಚ್ಚರಿಸಿದೆ.

ಚೀನಾ -ಭಾರತ ಗಡಿ ವಿವಾದ ಪರಿಹರಿಸಲು ಅಗತ್ಯವಿದ್ದರೆ ಸಹಕಾರ ನೀಡಲು ಸಿದ್ಧ ಎಂದು ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಡೊನಾಲ್ಡ್ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಹೇಳಿಕೆ ಹಿನ್ನೆಲೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾರತ ಈ ಮಾತು ಹೇಳಿದೆ.

ಶುಕ್ರವಾರ ಮಾಧ್ಯಮ ಸಂವಾದದಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾತನಾಡಿದ ಭಾರತದ ವಿದೇಶಾಂಗ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿ ವಿಕ್ರಂ ಮಿಸ್ರಿ ಅವರು, 'ಇಂತಹ ವಿಷಯಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾರತ ಎಂದಿಗೂ ದ್ವಿಪಕ್ಷೀಯ ಮಾತುಕತೆಗೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಆದ್ಯತೆಯನ್ನು ನೀಡಲಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದರು.

'ನೆರೆಹೊರೆ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರಗಳ ಜೊತೆಗಿನ ಯಾವುದೇ ವಿಷಯ ಇರಲಿ. ಎಂದಿಗೂ ದ್ವಿಪಕ್ಷೀಯ ಚರ್ಚೆಗೆ ಭಾರತ ಒತ್ತು ನೀಡಲಿದೆ. ಚೀನಾ-ಭಾರತ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿಯೂ ಇದೇ ನಿಲುವು ಅನ್ವಯವಾಗಲಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಮಿಸ್ರಿ ಸುದ್ದಿಗಾರರ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗೆ ಪ್ರತಿಕ್ರಿಯಿಸಿದರು.

ಹಿತಾಸಕ್ತಿಗೆ ಧಕ್ಕೆ ಆಗದಿರಲಿ –ಚೀನಾ

ಬೀಜಿಂಗ್ (ಪಿಟಿಐ): 'ಭಾರತ ಮತ್ತು ಅಮೆರಿಕ ನಡುವಣ ದ್ವಿಪಕ್ಷೀಯ ಮಾತುಕತೆಯು ಮೂರನೇ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರದ ಹಿತಾಸಕ್ತಿಗೆ ಧಕ್ಕೆಯಾಗದಂತೆ ಇರಲಿ' ಎಂದು ಚೀನಾ ಪ್ರತಿಕ್ರಿಯಿಸಿದೆ.

ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಮೋದಿ ಮತ್ತು ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಡೊನಾಲ್ಡ್ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ನಡುವಣ ಮಾತುಕತೆಗೆ ಪ್ರತಿಕ್ರಿಯಿಸಿರುವ ಚೀನಾ, 'ಏಷ್ಯಾ ಪೆಸಿಫಿಕ್ ವಲಯ ಶಾಂತಿಯುತ ಪ್ರಗತಿಗೆ ತಾಣವಾಗಿದೆ. ಜಾಗತಿಕ ರಾಜಕೀಯ ವೈರತ್ವದ ನೆಲೆಯಲ್ಲ' ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದೆ.

ಎರಡು ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರಗಳ ನಡುವಣ ಬಾಂಧವ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ಸಹಕಾರ ಚೀನಾಗೆ ಸಮಸ್ಯೆ ಆಗಬಾರದು ಮತ್ತು ಹಿತಾಸಕ್ತಿಗೆ ಧಕ್ಕೆ ತರಬಾರದು. ಅದು, ಶಾಂತಿ, ಸ್ಥಿರತೆ ಮತ್ತು ಪ್ರಗತಿಗೆ ಪೂರಕವಾಗಿರಬೇಕು ಎಂದು ಬಯಸುತ್ತದೆ ವಿದೇಶಾಂಗ ಸಚಿವಾಲಯದ ವಕ್ತಾರ ಗುವೊ ಜೈಕುನ್ ಅವರು ಪ್ರತಿಕ್ರಿಯಿಸಿದರು.

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ପ୍ରୟାଗରାଜ/ଧାମରା, ୧୪।୨(ସ୍ୱାଧିକାର ନ୍ୟୁଜ):ସେବା, ସମର୍ପଣ ଓ ବିଶ୍ୱାସର ଭାବନା ନେଇ ମହାକୁମ୍ଭରେ ଆଦାନୀ ଗ୍ରୁପ ପକ୍ଷରୁ ଇଲେକ୍ଟ୍ରିକ ଗଲ୍ଫକାର୍ଟ ସେବା ଜାରି ରହିଛି । ଏହି ଇଲେକ୍ଟ୍ରିକ୍ ଗଲ୍ଫକାର୍ଟ ସେବା ବୟୋଜ୍ୟେଷ୍ଠ ନାଗରିକ, ମହିଳା ଓ ଶିଶୁମାନଙ୍କ ଆସ୍ଥା ଭାଜନ ହୋଇପାରିଛି । ଆଦାନୀ ଗ୍ରୁପ୍‌ର ଏହି ଅନନ୍ୟ ପଦକ୍ଷେପ ଅଧିନରେ ପ୍ରତିଦିନ ହଜାର ହଜାର ବରିଷ୍ଠ ନାଗରିକ ସଙ୍ଗମରେ ବୁଡ଼ ପକାଇବା ପାଇଁ ଇଲେକ୍ଟ୍ରିକ୍ ଗଲ୍ଫକାର୍ଟ ସେବା ଉପଲବ୍ଧ କରାଯାଉଛି । ସଦ୍ୟତମ ପରିସଂଖ୍ୟାନ ଅନୁଯାୟୀ, ୩୨ ଦିନରେ ୩ ଲକ୍ଷରୁ ଅଧିକ ବୃଦ୍ଧ, ମହିଳା ଓ ପିଲାମାନଙ୍କୁ ଇଲେକ୍ଟ୍ରିକ୍ ଗଲ୍ଫକାର୍ଟ ମାଧ୍ୟମରେ ସେବା ଯୋଗାଇ ଦିଆଯାଇଛି । ଏହି ପଦକ୍ଷେପ କେବଳ ବୟସ୍କ ଓ ମହିଳାମାନଙ୍କ ପ୍ରତି ସମ୍ମାନକୁ ପ୍ରୋତ୍ସାହିତ କରେ ନାହିଁ ବରଂ ସମାଜରେ ସେବା ଓ ସଦ୍‌ଭାବନାର ଏକ ଉଦାହରଣ ସୃଷ୍ଟି କରୁଛି ।



ଆଦାନୀର ଇଲେକ୍ଟ୍ରିକ ଗଲ୍ଫକାର୍ଟ ସେବା ଅଧିନରେ ୪୦ ଟି ଇଲେକ୍ଟ୍ରିକ ଗଲ୍ଫକାର୍ଟ ପ୍ରତିଦିନ ବିଭିନ୍ନ ପିକ୍-ଅପ୍ ପଏଣ୍ଟରୁ ବୟସ୍କ, ମହିଳା ଏବଂ ପିଲାମାନଙ୍କୁ ନେଇ ସଙ୍ଗମ ସ୍ଥଳକୁ ଯାଉଥାଏ । ପ୍ରତି ଇଲେକ୍ଟ୍ରିକ୍ ଗଲ୍ଫକାର୍ଟ ଗୋଟିଏ ଥରରେ ୫୫ ରାଉଣ୍ଡ ଯାତ୍ରା କରିଥାଏ । ୪୦ ଟି ଇଲେକ୍ଟ୍ରିକ ଗଲ୍ଫକାର୍ଟରେ ୪ ସିଟର, ୮ ସିଟର ଏବଂ ୧୦ ସିଟର୍ ଉପଲବ୍ଧ ଯାହା ତ୍ରିବେଣୀ ସଙ୍ଗମ ନିମ୍ନ ବିଭିନ୍ନ ସ୍ଥାନରୁ ଲୋକମାନଙ୍କୁ ସ୍ନାନ ପାଇଁ ଛାଡ଼ିଥାଏ ଏବଂ ସେଠାରୁ ସେମାନଙ୍କ ନିକଟତମ ଗନ୍ତବ୍ୟସ୍ଥଳକୁ ଛାଡ଼ିଥାଏ । ହଜାର ହଜାର ଭକ୍ତ ଏହି ନିଃଶୁଳ୍କ ସେବା ପାଇ ଅତ୍ୟନ୍ତ ଖୁସି ଜାହରି କରିଛନ୍ତି । ବରିଷ୍ଠ ନାଗରିକଙ୍କୁ ଆଉ ପାଦରେ ଚାଲି ଦୀର୍ଘ ଯାତ୍ରା କରିବାକୁ ପଡ଼ିବ ନାହିଁ, ଦିବ୍ୟାଙ୍ଗମାନେ ସୁଗମ ପରିବହନ ପାଇପାରୁଛନ୍ତି ଏବଂ ଏହି ସୁବିଧା ଛୋଟ ପିଲାମାନଙ୍କୁ ସାଙ୍ଗରେ ନେଇ ଯାଉଥିବା ମା'ମାନଙ୍କୁ ମଧ୍ୟ ଆଶ୍ୱସ୍ତିକର ହୋଇଛି ।

ଆଦାନୀ ଗ୍ରୁପ ଗୀତା ପ୍ରେସ୍ ଏବଂ ଇସ୍କନ ସହଯୋଗରେ ମହାକୁମ୍ଭରେ ଭକ୍ତମାନଙ୍କୁ ଆଧ୍ୟାତ୍ମିକ ଅଭିଜ୍ଞତା ପ୍ରଦାନ କରୁଛି । ଏହାର ଉଦ୍ଦେଶ୍ୟ କେବଳ ଧାର୍ମିକ ରୀତିନୀତିକୁ ସରଳ କରିବା ନୁହେଁ ବରଂ ଭକ୍ତମାନଙ୍କୁ ସନାତନ ଧର୍ମର ଆଦର୍ଶ ସହିତ ଯୋଡ଼ିବା ମଧ୍ୟ । ମହାକୁମ୍ଭରେ ଆଦାନୀ ଗ୍ରୁପର ଏହି ଯୋଗଦାନ ସେବା ଓ ସମର୍ପଣର ପ୍ରତୀକ ପାଇଛି । ତାଙ୍କର ଏହି ପଦକ୍ଷେପ ସମାଜ ପାଇଁ ପ୍ରେରଣାର ଉତ୍ସ ପାଇଛି ଯେଉଁଠାରେ ଭକ୍ତି, ସେବା ଏବଂ ଭାରତୀୟ ସଂସ୍କୃତିର ଏକ ଅଦ୍ଭୁତ ସମନ୍ୱୟ ଦୃଶ୍ୟମାନ ହେଉଛି ।

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'अदानींच्या भ्रष्टाचारावर पडदा टाकला'

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नवी दिल्ली, ता. १४ : "उद्योगपती गौतम अदानी यांच्या मुद्द्यावर देशात प्रश्न विचारला तर गप्प राहतात आणि विदेशात प्रश्न विचारला तर खासगी मुद्दा असल्याचे म्हणतात," असे म्हणत लोकसभेतील विरोधी पक्षनेते राहुल गांधी यांनी पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी यांच्यावर टीका केली आहे. "अमेरिकेत मोदी यांनी अदानींच्या भ्रष्टाचारावर पडदा टाकला आहे. मित्राचा खिसा भरणे मोदी यांच्यासाठी राष्ट्रनिर्माण आहे. तेव्हा लाचखोरी आणि देशाची संपत्ती लुटणे हा व्यक्तीगत मुद्दा बनतो," अशी खरपूस टीका गांधी यांनी शुक्रवारी समाज माध्यमातून केली.

काय आहे प्रकरण?

ज्यो बायडेन यांच्या अध्यक्षपदाच्या कार्यकाळात अमेरिकेच्या न्याय विभागाने दाखल केलेल्या खटल्यात उद्योगपती अदानी यांच्याविरोधात गंभीर आरोप करण्यात आले होते. सौरऊर्जेच्या करारांसाठी अनुकूल परिस्थिती निर्माण करण्यासाठी अदानी यांनी भारतीय अधिकाऱ्यांना दोन हजार १०० कोटी रुपयांची लाच देण्याचा प्रयत्न केला. हे व्यवहार अमेरिकी बँका आणि गुंतवणुकदारांपासून लपवून ठेवण्यात आले होते, असा आरोप न्याय विभागाने केला होता. या प्रकरणावरून काँग्रेससह अन्य विरोधी पक्षांनी या सरकारची कोंडी करण्याचा प्रयत्न केला होता.

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धारावी पुनर्वसन प्रोजेक्ट : 50,000 घरों का सर्वे पूरा

एनएमडीपीएल द्वारा 85,000 फ्लैटों की नंबरिंग का काम भी पूरा; रुका हुआ कार्य फिर शुरू

मुंबई, 14 फरवरी (वि.प्र.)

पिछले कुछ महीनों से नवभारत मेगा डेवलपर प्राइवेट लिमिटेड (एनएमडीपीएल) के माध्यम से धारावी पुनर्विकास परियोजना के तहत धारावी में घरों का सर्वेक्षण चल रहा है. अब तक एनएमडीपीएल ने धारावी में 85,000 फ्लैटों को नंबर देने का काम पूरा कर लिया है. 50,000 घरों का सर्वेक्षण पूरा हो चुका है.

एशिया की सबसे बड़ी मलिन बस्ती का रुका हुआ पुनर्विकास कार्य अंततः शुरू हो रहा है. एनएमडीपीएल ने इस पुनर्विकास के तहत धारावी निवासियों की पात्रता निर्धारित करने के लिए मार्च 2024 से एक सर्वेक्षण शुरू किया है. शुरुआत में धारावी निवासियों के कड़े विरोध के कारण कुछ स्थानों पर सर्वेक्षण रोकना पड़ा था. हालांकि, पिछले कुछ महीनों से सर्वेक्षण तेजी से चल रहा है और सर्वेक्षण टीमों की संख्या भी बढ़ा दी गई है. डीआरपी ने यह भी कहा कि एनएमडीपीएल ने बुधवार को 50,000 घरों का सर्वेक्षण पूरा करके एक बड़ी उपलब्धि हासिल कर ली है.

इस बीच, 2007-08 में मशाल इंस्टीट्यूट ने धारावी में एक सर्वेक्षण किया. उस समय 60,000 झुग्गीवासी पुनर्वास के पात्र थे. इस बीच, डीआरपी ने यह भी संभावना जताई है कि मकानों की संख्या बढ़ने के कारण लगभग डेढ़ लाख धारावी निवासियों को धारावी पुनर्विकास योजना के तहत पुनर्वासित करना पड़ेगा. निवासियों की संख्या में वृद्धि होना तय है, क्योंकि राज्य सरकार ने पुनर्वास योजना में अटारी निवासियों और अपात्र निवासियों को भी शामिल करने का निर्णय लिया है.

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Gautam Adani's issue is not under discussion

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गौतम अदानींचा मुद्दा चर्चेत नाही



गौतम अदानी

वॉशिंग्टन, ता. १४ (पीटीआय) : उद्योगपती गौतम अदानी यांचा मुद्दा अमेरिकेचे अध्यक्ष डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प आणि पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी यांच्या चर्चेत नसल्याचे निष्पन्न झाले. अदानी यांचा मुद्दा उपस्थित झाला का, असे पत्रकारांनी विचारले असता मोदी म्हणाले, "भारताची वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम् ही संस्कृती आहे. त्यामुळे सर्व भारतीयांना आम्ही आपले मानतो. मात्र, दोन देशांचे नेते चर्चा करत असतात तेव्हा एखाद्या व्यक्तीशी निगडित चर्चा होत नसते."

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How is Adani's corruption Modi's personal matter

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अदाणी का भ्रष्टाचार मोदी का निजी मामला कैसे ?

वॉशिंगटन में बयान पर राहुल का पलटवार

■ दिल्ली/वॉशिंगटन, विशेष प्रतिनिधि. अमेरिकी दौर पर संयुक्त प्रेस वक्तव्य के बाद अदाणी भ्रष्टाचार पर एक पत्रकार के पीएम मोदी से पूछे गए प्रश्न पर देश में राजनीतिक विवाद गर्मा गया है. पीएम मोदी के उस पत्रकार को दिए गए जवाब के बाद राहुल गांधी ने मोदी पर तीखा पलटवार किया, तो विपक्ष भी 'दोस्ती निभाई' का आरोप लगा पीएम मोदी को घेर रहा है. बीजेपी ने भी आरोप प्रत्यारोप के तहत इसे विपक्ष की गैर परिपक्व राजनीति का हिस्सा बता रही है.

मोदी का ऐसा था जवाब

गौरतलब है कि पीएम मोदी से अमेरिका दौरे पर पत्रकार ने सवाल पूछा कि क्या राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप के साथ मीटिंग में गौतम अदाणी के केस पर कोई चर्चा हुई? इस पर पीएम ने जवाब दिया कि ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों में हमारे बीच कोई बातचीत नहीं हुई है. उन्होंने कहा, 'हमारे संस्कार और संस्कृति वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम की है. हम पूरे विश्व को अपना एक परिवार मानते हैं. हर भारतीय को मैं अपना मानता हूं, दूसरी बात है कि ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों के लिए दो देशों के मुखिया न मिलते हैं, न बैठते हैं और न बात करते हैं.'

सरकार की चुप्पी

अब कांग्रेस के दिग्गज नेता राहुल गांधी ने सवाल उठाए हैं. राहुल गांधी ने सोशल मीडिया प्लेटफॉर्म 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट कर लिखा, 'देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला! अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने अडानी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया! जब मित्र का जेब भरना मोदी जी के लिए 'राष्ट्र निर्माण' है, तब रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना 'व्यक्तिगत मामला' बन जाता है.'

लूट, रिश्वतखोरी निजी मामला निंदनीय: आप

आम आदमी पार्टी के आधिकारिक एक्स हैंडल से पोस्ट करते हुए कहा गया कि प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने अमेरिका में दिखाई अदाणी से अपनी दोस्ती. अदाणी द्वारा देश की संपत्ति को लूटना और रिश्वत बांटने के कुकृत्य को प्रधानमंत्री द्वारा निजी मामला बताना बेहद ही निंदनीय और शर्मनाक बात है.

बीजेपी ने दिया जवाब

पूर्व केंद्रीय मंत्री मुख्तार अब्बास नकवी ने जवाब देते हुए कहा कि यह विपक्ष की राजनीतिक अपरिपक्वता को दिखाते हैं कि वह किस तरह से दो राष्ट्रीय अध्यक्षों के बीच की बैठक के दौरान पूछे गए एक निजी व्यक्ति को लेकर सवाल पर राजनीति कर रहे हैं.



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Question about Adani

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अदानींबाबत प्रश्न

पत्रकार परिषदेमध्ये 'गौतम अदानी प्रकरणाबद्दल आपण ट्रम्प यांच्यासोबत चर्चा करून त्यांच्यावर कारवाई करण्याबद्दल काही बोलणे झाले का,' असा प्रश्न मोदींना अमेरिकेतील पत्रकारांकडून करण्यात आला. या वेळी मोदी म्हणाले, 'भारतात लोकशाही आहे. आमची मूल्य, संस्कृती ही वसुधैव कुटुंबकम मानणारी आहेत. आम्ही पूर्ण विश्वाला आपले कुटुंब मानतो आणि मी प्रत्येक भारतीयाला आपले समजतो. अशा वैयक्तिक बाबींसाठी दोन देशांचे प्रमुख भेटत नाहीत किंवा बोलतही नाहीत.'

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देशात मौन, तर परदेशात खासगी मुद्दा

अदानी प्रकरणावरून राहुल यांची मोदींवर टीका

नवी दिल्ली : पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी यांनी उद्योगपती गौतम अदानी यांच्या गैरव्यवहारावर पांघरुण घालण्याचे काम केले, असा आरोप काँग्रेस नेते राहुल गांधी यांनी शुक्रवारी केला.

लोकसभेतील विरोधी पक्षनेते राहुल यांनी 'एक्स' या समाज माध्यमावरील पोस्टमध्ये म्हटले आहे की, अदानी प्रकरणावर देशात प्रश्न विचारले की, ते मौन बाळगतात आणि परदेशात प्रश्न विचारले की, ते वैयक्तिक बाब म्हणून संबोधतात.



पंतप्रधान दोन दिवस अमेरिकेच्या दौऱ्यावर होते. या दौऱ्यात पंतप्रधान मोदी आणि अध्यक्ष डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प यांची बैठक झाली. बैठकीनंतर मोदी-ट्रम्प यांची संयुक्त पत्रकार परिषद झाली. यावेळी एक पत्रकाराने अदानी प्रकरणाबद्दल प्रश्न विचारला. अदानी यांच्यावर अमेरिकेत दाखल झालेल्या खटल्याबाबत डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प यांच्याशी चर्चा झाली का? असे विचारण्यात आले होते. याला उत्तर देताना मोदी म्हणाले की, भारत एक लोकशाही मानणारा देश आहे आणि आपली संस्कृती 'वसुधैव कुटुंबकम' आहे, आम्ही संपूर्ण जगाला एक कुटुंब मानतो. प्रत्येक भारतीय माझा आहे, असे मला वाटते. दोन देशांचे दोन सर्वोच्च नेते कधीही अशा वैयक्तिक मुद्द्यांवर चर्चा करत नाहीत.

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मोदींवर राहुल गांधींनी साधला निशाणा

दिल्ली, नवराष्ट्र न्यूज नेटवर्क. विरोधी पक्षनेते राहुल गांधी यांनी पुन्हा एकदा पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी यांना अदाणी मुद्द्यावरून घेरले. याला निमित्त ठरले ते अमेरिका दौऱ्यात पंतप्रधान मोदींना विचारण्यात आलेला अदाणीबद्दलचा प्रश्न! पत्रकाराच्या प्रश्नाला उत्तर देताना मोदींनी तो खासगी मुद्दा असल्याचे सांगितले. त्यावर बोट ठेवत राहुल गांधींनी पंतप्रधान मोदींना टोला लगावला आहे. 'दौऱ्यात पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी आणि राष्ट्राध्यक्ष डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प यांची बैठक झाली. दोन्ही नेत्यांमध्ये उभय देशांतील आर्थिक संबंध वृद्धिंगत करण्याबरोबरच सहकार्य वाढवण्यावर भर देण्यात आला. बैठकीनंतर मोदी-ट्रम्प यांची संयुक्त पत्रकार परिषद झाली. यावेळी पत्रकाराने अदाणी प्रकरणाबद्दल प्रश्न विचारला.

अदाणी प्रकरणाबद्दल काय विचारण्यात आला प्रश्न : संयुक्त पत्रकार परिषदेत पंतप्रधान मोदींना एका पत्रकाराने विचारले की, ट्रम्प यांच्यासोबत झालेल्या बैठकीमध्ये गौतम अदानींच्या प्रकरणावर काही चर्चा झाली का? या प्रश्नाला उत्तर देताना पंतप्रधान मोदी म्हणाले, 'व्यक्तिगत प्रकरणांवर आमच्यामध्ये कोणतीही चर्चा झाली नाही. आमचे संस्कार आणि संस्कृती वसुधैव कुटुम्बकम अशी आहे. आम्ही संपूर्ण विश्वाला एक कुटुंब मानतो. प्रत्येक भारतीयाला मी माझा मानतो. अशा खासगी मुद्द्यासाठी दोन देशांचे प्रमुख बसत नाहीत, बैठत नाही आणि बोलतही नाहीत, असे पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी यावेळी बोलताना म्हणाले.



राहुल गांधी काय म्हणाले?

राहुल गांधी यांनी एक्सवर पोस्ट करत म्हटले की, देशात प्रश्न विचारला की मौन, परदेशात प्रश्न विचारला की, खासगी मुद्दा. अमेरिकेमध्ये मोदींनी अदानींच्या भ्रष्टाचार प्रकरणावर पडदा टाकला.जेव्हा मित्राचा खिसा भरणे मोदीसाठी राष्ट्र निर्माण आहे. तेव्हा लाचखोरी आणि देशाची संपत्ती लुटणे व्यक्तिगत प्रकरण बनतो, असा टोला राहुल गांधींनी मोदींना लगावला.

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Trump opens shop due to'fear' of tariff

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अदाणी भ्रष्टाचार के प्रश्न पर कन्नी काटी, बताया 'व्यक्तिगत' मामला

टैरिफ का 'डर', ट्रंप ने खोली दूकान

■ वाशिंगटन, विशेष प्रतिनिधि. डोनाल्ड ट्रंप अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति बाद में हैं और व्यापारी पहले. 'मेक अमेरिका ग्रेट अगेन (मागा)' ध्येय वाक्य के साथ दोबारा राष्ट्रपति बने ट्रंप ने ऐसे फैसले लेने शुरू कर दिए, जो अमेरिकी आर्थिक साम्राज्य के अनुकूल हों. टैरिफ भी इन्हीं में से एक है, जिसका उपयोग उन्होंने भारतीय प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी से मुलाकात करने से चंद घंटे पहले 'डराने' के लिए किया. पीएम मोदी का स्वागत कर उन्होंने कहा, 'हमें आपकी कमी खली और बहुत खली'. यह अलग बात है कि इसके बाद उन्होंने टैरिफ दरों में 'बराबरी' के लिए रक्षा, प्राकृतिक गैस, द्विपक्षीय व्यापार से लेकर तमाम क्षेत्रों में अमेरिका उत्पादों की पेशकश कर साफ कर दिया कि उनका लक्ष्य 2030 तक इंडो-यूएस ट्रेड को दोगुना यानी 500 बिलियन डॉलर तक ले जाने का है, जिस पर पीएम मोदी ने भी मुहर लगा दी. हालांकि मोदी अदाणी से जुड़े सवाल पर कन्नी काटते नजर आए. ट्रंप-मोदी मुलाकात के बाद कहा जा रहा है कि भारत अब अमेरिका से तेल भी आयात कर सकता है. ट्रंप की नजर 11 लाख करोड़ रुपए के भारतीय पेट्रोल-डीजल बाजार पर है. भारत का 80 फीसदी तेल दूसरे देशों से आता है, इसी वजह से हर देश चाहता है कि भारत उससे ही तेल खरीदे. ट्रंप भी इस होड़ में पीछे नहीं रहना चाहते.



ट्रेड, टैरिफ और अवैध अप्रवासी भारतीयों की वापसी

पीएम मोदी और ट्रंप के बीच मुलाकात का मुख्य मुद्दा ट्रेड, टैरिफ और अवैध अप्रवासी भारतीयों की वापसी थी. दोनों देशों ने व्यापार, सैन्य ताकत और आतंक के खिलाफ एक साथ लड़ने की हामी भरी है. मुलाकात के दौरान ट्रंप ने कहा कि कि वह भारत के खिलाफ विशेष टैरिफ का ऐलान करेंगे. इस दौरान ट्रंप ने ऐलान किया कि अमेरिका भारत को एफ-35 फाइटर प्लेन देगा, जो अमेरिका के सबसे अत्याधुनिक स्टील्थ फाइटर प्लेन में एक है.

द्विपक्षीय व्यापार का खाका होगा तैयार

मोदी और उनकी टीम ट्रंप 2.0 की घरेलू और विदेश नीतियों में हो रहे ऐतिहासिक बदलावों को जल्द पहचान उभरती नई संभावनाओं को भुनाने में पीछे नहीं रहना चाहती. राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप के इस साल के अंत में क्वाड शिखर सम्मेलन में भाग लेने के लिए भारत आने के साथ दोनों पक्षों ने इस मुलाकात में उठे कई महत्वाकांक्षी लक्ष्यों को लागू करने के लिए खुद को कुछ महीने दिए हैं. पहले अमेरिका-भारत संबंधों के वादे और प्रदर्शन के बीच का अंतर बहुत बड़ा रहा है.

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Adani's corruption exposed

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■ सकाळ न्यूज नेटवर्क

नवी दिल्ली, ता. १४ : "उद्योगपती गौतम अदानी यांच्या मुद्द्यावर देशात प्रश्न विचारला तर गप्प राहतात आणि विदेशात प्रश्न विचारला तर खासगी मुद्दा असल्याचे म्हणतात," असे म्हणत लोकसभेतील विरोधी पक्षनेते राहुल गांधी यांनी पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी यांच्यावर टीका केली आहे. "अमेरिकेत मोदी यांनी अदानींच्या भ्रष्टाचारावर पडदा टाकला आहे. मित्राचा खिसा भरणे मोदी यांच्यासाठी राष्ट्रनिर्माण आहे. तेव्हा लाचखोरी आणि देशाची संपत्ती लुटणे हा व्यक्तीगत मुद्दा बनतो," अशी खरपूस टीका गांधी यांनी शुक्रवारी समाज माध्यमातून केली.

काय आहे प्रकरण?

ज्यो बायडेन यांच्या अध्यक्षपदाच्या कार्यकाळात अमेरिकेच्या न्याय विभागाने दाखल केलेल्या खटल्यात उद्योगपती अदानी यांच्याविरोधात गंभीर आरोप करण्यात आले होते. सौरऊर्जेच्या करारांसाठी अनुकूल परिस्थिती निर्माण करण्यासाठी अदानी यांनी भारतीय अधिकाऱ्यांना दोन हजार १०० कोटी रुपयांची लाच देण्याचा प्रयत्न केला. हे व्यवहार अमेरिकी बँका आणि गुंतवणुकदारांपासून लपवून ठेवण्यात आले होते, असा आरोप न्याय विभागाने केला होता. या प्रकरणावरून काँग्रेससह अन्य विरोधी पक्षांनी या सरकारची कोंडी करण्याचा प्रयत्न केला होता.

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Bull dance suspended

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ಕರಡಿ ಕುಣಿತ ಅಬಾಧಿತ

ಮುಂಬೈ (ಪಿಟಿಐ): ಸತತ ಎಂಟನೇ ದಿನವಾದ ಶುಕ್ರವಾರವೂ ದೇಶದ ಷೇರುಪೇಟೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಕರಡಿ ಕುಣಿತ ಮುಂದುವರಿಯಿತು.

ವಿದೇಶಿ ಬಂಡವಾಳದ ಹೊರಹರಿವು ಮುಂದುವರಿಕೆ ಹಾಗೂ ಅಮೆರಿಕದ ಸುಂಕ ನೀತಿಯಿಂದಾಗಿ ಸೂಚ್ಯಂಕಗಳು ಇಳಿಕೆ ಕಂಡಿವೆ. ಕಂಪನಿಗಳ ತ್ರೈಮಾಸಿಕದ ಗಳಿಕೆ ಕಡಿಮೆಯಾಗಿದೆ. ಇದು ಕೂಡ ಸೂಚ್ಯಂಕ ಇಳಿಕೆಗೆ ಕಾರಣವಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಮಾರುಕಟ್ಟೆ ತಜ್ಞರು ತಿಳಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಎಂಟು ದಿನಗಳ ಮಹಿವಾಟಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಹೂಡಿಕೆದಾರರ ಸಂಪತ್ತು ₹25.31 ಲಕ್ಷ ಕೋಟಿ ಕರಗಿದೆ.

ಮುಂಬೈ ಷೇರುಪೇಟೆ ಸೂಚ್ಯಂಕ ಸೆನ್ಸೆಕ್ಸ್ 199 ಅಂಶ ಕಡಿಮೆಯಾಗಿ, 75,939ಕ್ಕೆ ಮಹಿವಾಟು ಅಂತ್ಯಗೊಂಡಿತು. ಒಂದು ಸಂದರ್ಭದಲ್ಲಿ 699 ಅಂಶ ಕುಸಿತ ಕಂಡಿತ್ತು. ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರೀಯ ಷೇರುಪೇಟೆ ಸೂಚ್ಯಂಕ ನಿಫ್ಟಿ 102 ಅಂಶ ಇಳಿಕೆಯಾಗಿ, 22,929ಕ್ಕೆ ಕೊನೆಗೊಂಡಿತು.

ಅದಾನಿ ಪೋರ್ಟ್ಸ್ ಷೇರಿನ ಮೌಲ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಶೇ 4ರಷ್ಟು ಇಳಿಕೆಯಾಗಿದೆ. ಅಲ್ಟ್ರಾಟೆಕ್ ಸಿಮೆಂಟ್, ಸನ್ ಫಾರ್ಮಾ, ಇಂಡಸ್‌ಇಂಡ್ ಬ್ಯಾಂಕ್, ಎನ್‌ಟಿಪಿಸಿ ಮತ್ತು ಟಾಟಾ ಸ್ಟೀಲ್ ಷೇರಿನ ಮೌಲ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಇಳಿದಿದೆ.

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Dharavi Project

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धारावी पुनर्वसन प्रोजेक्ट : 50,000 घरों का सर्वे पूरा

एनएमडीपीएल द्वारा 85,000 फ्लैटों की नंबरिंग का काम भी पूरा; रुका हुआ कार्य फिर शुरू

मुंबई, 14 फरवरी (वि.प्र.)

पिछले कुछ महीनों से नवभारत मेगा डेवलपर प्राइवेट लिमिटेड (एनएमडीपीएल) के माध्यम से धारावी पुनर्विकास परियोजना के तहत धारावी में घरों का सर्वेक्षण चल रहा है. अब तक एनएमडीपीएल ने धारावी में 85,000 फ्लैटों को नंबर देने का काम पूरा कर लिया है. 50,000 घरों का सर्वेक्षण पूरा हो चुका है.

एशिया की सबसे बड़ी मलिन बस्ती का रुका हुआ पुनर्विकास कार्य अंततः शुरू हो रहा है. एनएमडीपीएल ने इस पुनर्विकास के तहत धारावी निवासियों की पात्रता निर्धारित करने के लिए मार्च 2024 से एक सर्वेक्षण शुरू किया है. शुरुआत में धारावी निवासियों के कड़े विरोध के कारण कुछ स्थानों पर सर्वेक्षण रोकना पड़ा था. हालांकि, पिछले कुछ महीनों से सर्वेक्षण तेजी से चल रहा है और सर्वेक्षण टीमों की संख्या भी बढ़ा दी गई है. डीआरपी ने यह भी कहा कि एनएमडीपीएल ने बुधवार को 50,000 घरों का सर्वेक्षण पूरा करके एक बड़ी उपलब्धि हासिल कर ली है.

इस बीच, 2007-08 में मशाल इंस्टीट्यूट ने धारावी में एक सर्वेक्षण किया. उस समय 60,000 झुग्गीवासी पुनर्वास के पात्र थे. इस बीच, डीआरपी ने यह भी संभावना जताई है कि मकानों की संख्या बढ़ने के कारण लगभग डेढ़ लाख धारावी निवासियों को धारावी पुनर्विकास योजना के तहत पुनर्वासित करना पड़ेगा. निवासियों की संख्या में वृद्धि होना तय है, क्योंकि राज्य सरकार ने पुनर्वास योजना में अटारी निवासियों और अपात्र निवासियों को भी शामिल करने का निर्णय लिया है.

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Diamonds and gold worth 9 crores seized from the airport

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एयरपोर्ट से 9 करोड़ के हीरे और सोना जब्त

मुंबई, 14 फरवरी (वि.प्र.)

सीमा शुल्क विभाग ने मुंबई हवाई अड्डे पर एक अभियान चलाकर छह किलो सोना और 2,147 कैरेट के हीरे जब्त किए हैं. इनकी अनुमानित कीमत 1.25 करोड़ रुपये है. आरोपी यात्री ने सोना अपनी बेल्ट में छिपा रखा था. लैपटॉप में हीरे भी पाए गए. सीमा शुल्क विभाग इस बात की जांच कर रहा है कि क्या पिछले कुछ दिनों में बैंकॉक से बड़ी मात्रा में मारिजुआना की तस्करी की गई है और क्या हवाला के जरिए धन बदलने के लिए हीरे की तस्करी की जा रही थी. सीमा शुल्क विभाग ने 11 फरवरी की मध्य रात्रि को मुंबई हवाई अड्डे पर 5 किलो 92 ग्राम सोना और 2,147 कैरेट हीरे जब्त किए. तस्करों ने सोने को बेल्ट के बक्कल, ट्रॉली बैग और अंडरवियर में छिपा रखा था.

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Adani pulls out of Sri Lanka's $1 billion power project

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3	Marathi	137	N/A	Middle Center	89001	392.81K

श्रीलंकेतील एक अब्ज डॉलर्सच्या वीज प्रकल्पातून अदानी बाहेर

नवी दिल्ली : अदानी समूहाने श्रीलंकेतील ४४२ दशलक्ष डॉलर्स (सुमारे तीन हजार ८०० कोटी) म्हणजेच अंदाजे ३६ अब्ज रुपये किमतीच्या पवन ऊर्जा प्रकल्पातून माघार घेतली आहे. एएफपीच्या कागदपत्रांनुसार, श्रीलंकेच्या अधिकाऱ्यांनी करार बदलण्याचा प्रयत्न केल्यानंतर अदानी यांनी हा निर्णय घेतला आहे.

अदानी ग्रुपने श्रीलंकेच्या गुंतवणूक मंडळाला एक पत्र लिहिले. यामध्ये त्यांनी सरकारच्या भूमिकेचा आदर करत प्रकल्पातून माघार घेण्याची घोषणा केली आहे. या पत्रात लिहिले आहे, की सरकारशी कोणताही वाद नाही; परंतु काही



गोष्टींवर एकमत नव्हते.

करारात काय होते?

श्रीलंकेचे अध्यक्ष अनुरा कुमार दिसानायके यांच्या सरकारने अलीकडेच अदानी समूहासोबतचा वीज खरेदी करार रद्द केला होता. श्रीलंकेला कमी किमतीत वीज हवी होती. त्यामुळे नवीन करार करण्याबाबत चर्चा झाली.

अदानी काय म्हणाले?

श्रीलंकेच्या वायव्य किनाऱ्यावर बांधल्या जाणाऱ्या ४८४ मेगावॅट क्षमतेच्या या प्रकल्पाच्या सुरुवातीच्या कामावर त्यांनी सुमारे पाच दशलक्ष डॉलर्स (सुमारे ४१ कोटी रुपये) खर्च केले. इतके पैसे गुंतवूनही हा प्रकल्प सोडून द्यावा लागला. १२ फेब्रुवारी रोजी लिहिलेल्या पत्रात, कंपनीने असेही म्हटले आहे की प्रकल्पातून माघार घेतली असली तरी, भविष्यातील विकास संधींवर श्रीलंका सरकारसोबत काम करण्यास आम्ही इच्छुक आहोत.

अदानी ग्रुपला श्रीलंका सरकारसोबतचे संबंध बिघडवायचे नाहीत. म्हणून हा गट आदरपूर्वक या प्रकल्पातून माघार घेऊ इच्छितो.

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Modi defended Adani in US: Rahul Gandhi

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मोदी ने अमेरिका में अडानी का बचाव किया : राहुल गांधी

नई दिल्ली, 14 फरवरी (वि.प्र.)



लोकसभा में विपक्ष के नेता राहुल गांधी ने अमेरिका में गौतम अडानी अभियोग मुद्दे पर सवाल को खारिज करने के लिए प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी की आलोचना की. उन्होंने कहा कि पीएम इसे निजी मामला बताकर अपने दोस्त को बचा रहे हैं. कांग्रेस नेता ने एक्स पर एक पोस्ट में कहा कि घर में सवालों पर चुप्पी, विदेश में निजी मामला! यहां तक कि अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने अडानी जी को भ्रष्टाचार के आरोपों से बचाया उन्होंने लिखा कि मोदी जी के लिए दोस्त की जेब भरना राष्ट्र निर्माण है, जबकि रिश्वतखोरी और राष्ट्रीय संपत्ति की लूट सुविधाजनक रूप से निजी मामला बन जाती है.

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Modi's attempt to cover up Adani's corruption

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7	Marathi	191	N/A	Bottom Center	111524	272.51K

अदानींच्या भ्रष्टाचारावर मोदींचा पांघरुण घालण्याचा प्रयत्न

राहुल गांधी यांचा आरोप

नवी दिल्ली: 'उद्योगपती गौतम अदानींनी केलेल्या भ्रष्टाचारावर पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी पांघरुण घालण्याचा प्रयत्न करीत आहेत,' असा आरोप काँग्रेसचे नेते राहुल गांधी यांनी शुक्रवारी केला.



राहुल गांधी म्हणाले, 'पंतप्रधान देशामध्ये या अदानींनी केलेल्या भ्रष्टाचारावर प्रश्न विचारला, तर मौन पाळतात आणि अमेरिकेत यावर बोलताना हा मुद्दा वैयक्तिक असल्याचे विधान करतात. अमेरिकेतही त्यांनी अदानींच्या भ्रष्टाचारावर पांघरुण घातले.'

राहुल गांधी यांनी 'एक्स'वर याबाबत टिप्पणी केली. 'मित्रांचे खिसे भरणे ही मोदींसाठी राष्ट्रउभारणी असेल, तर लाच घेणे आणि देशाची संपत्ती लुटणे हा वैयक्तिक मुद्दा बनतो,' असेही ते म्हणाले.

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The beginning of a new era of friendship

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1	Marathi	709	N/A	Top Center	415056	272.51K

नव्या मैत्रीपर्वाची नांदी

संरक्षण, ऊर्जा क्षेत्रात अमेरिकेची भरीव मदत; व्यापार शुल्काच्या मुद्द्यावरून मात्र भारताची कोंडी

पीटीआय, वॉशिंग्टन

संरक्षण आणि ऊर्जा क्षेत्रात भारताला भरीव मदत करण्याचे आश्वासन पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी आणि अध्यक्ष डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प यांच्यात गुरुवारी येथे झालेल्या शिखर परिषदेत अमेरिकेकडून देण्यात आले. दोन्ही देशांतील व्यापार वाढवणे, दहशतवादविरोधी लढा आणि कृत्रिम प्रज्ञा अशा क्षेत्रांमध्ये सहकार्य वाढविण्याबद्दलही मतैक्य झाले.

अमेरिकेच्या अध्यक्षपदावर दुसऱ्यांदा निवड झाल्यानंतर ट्रम्प यांची भेट घेणारे मोदी हे पहिलेच प्रमुख जागतिक नेते ठरले. दोन्ही नेत्यांमध्ये काही काळांपासून स्नेहभाव आहे आणि याची प्रचीती या दोहोंच्या सौहार्दपूर्ण भेटी-गाठींमधून आली. परस्पर मैत्रीचे पर्व प्रदीर्घ करण्यावर यात भर देण्यात आला. मात्र, मोदी भेटीआधी आणि भेटीदरम्यानही ट्रम्प यांनी भारताबरोबर 'रेसिप्रोकल टॅरिफ'चा (परस्परसमान व्यापार शुल्क) स्पष्ट उल्लेख केला आणि याबाबत कोणतीही मैत्रीपूर्ण तडजोड नसल्याचे पुरेसे स्पष्ट केले.



अमेरिकेचे अध्यक्ष डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प यांनी व्हाइट हाऊस येथे पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी यांचे स्वागत केले.

पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदींचे ट्रम्प यांनी व्हाइट हाउसमधील ओव्हल कार्यालयात हस्तांदोलन आणि गळाभेट घेऊन स्वागत केले. मोदींचा उल्लेख त्यांनी महान मित्र आणि उत्कृष्ट व्यक्ती म्हणून उल्लेख केला. दोन्ही नेत्यांची संयुक्त पत्रकार परिषद झाली. त्यात दोन्ही देश लवकरच मोठा व्यापारी करार करण्याच्या तयारीत असल्याचे ट्रम्प म्हणाले. त्याच वेळी भारताने अमेरिकेच्या काही वस्तूंवर लावलेले आयात शुल्क अतिशय अन्यायकारक आणि जास्त असल्याचे त्यांनी ठासून सांगितले. मोदी यांच्याबरोबर चर्चा होण्याच्या काही तास आधीच ट्रम्प यांनी अमेरिकेच्या सर्व व्यापारी भागीदारी देशांबरोबर परस्परसमान कर धोरणावर स्वाक्षरी केली, हे विशेष. **- संबंधित वृत्त /७**

'व्यापारी तूट कमी करण्यासाठी भारत अमेरिकेकडून तेल, नैसर्गिक वायू आणि एफ-३५ लढाऊ विमानांसह लष्करी सामग्री अधिकाधिक प्रमाणात खरेदी करेल; मात्र भारत अमेरिकी वस्तूंवर जितके शुल्क आकारतो, तितकेच शुल्क भारताच्या वस्तूंवर येथे आकारले जाईल.

- डोनाल्ड ट्रम्प, अमेरिकेचे अध्यक्ष

'भारत आणि अमेरिकेमधील सहकार्याने अधिक चांगले जग निर्माण होईल. संरक्षण क्षेत्रातील सहकार्याची चौकट पुढील दशकासाठी तयार केली जाईल. ट्रम्प यांच्याकडून एक चांगली बाब मी शिकलो. ती म्हणजे, ते राष्ट्रहिताला प्रथम प्राधान्य देतात. त्यांच्याप्रमाणेच मीदेखील भारताच्या राष्ट्रहिताला इतर कुठल्याही गोष्टींपेक्षा सर्वोच्च प्राधान्य देईन.'

- नरेंद्र मोदी, पंतप्रधान

पत्रपरिषदेतील महत्त्वाचे मुद्दे

- भारत-पश्चिम आशिया-युरोप महामार्गाबाबत मतैक्य. एकत्रितपणे 'महान व्यापारी मार्ग' उभारण्याचा विश्वास.
- पूर्व लडाखमधील चीनबरोबरील संघर्ष वाईट असल्याची ट्रम्प यांची टिप्पणी. चीन, रशिया, भारत, अमेरिका या सर्वांचे संबंध चांगले राहावे, अशी अपेक्षा.
- भारतामधील बाजारपेठेत अमेरिकी अणुतंत्रज्ञानाचे स्वागत करण्यासाठी भारत कायद्यामध्ये सुधारणा करणार असल्याबद्दल ट्रम्प यांच्याकडून स्वागत

अदानींवर चर्चा नाही गौतम अदानींचा मुद्दा चर्चेत निघाला का, या प्रश्नावर मोदी म्हणाले, 'भारत लोकशाहीवादी देश आहे आणि आमची संस्कृती 'वसुधैव कुटुंबकम्' अशी आहे. आम्ही सारे जग एक कुटुंब मानतो. प्रत्येक भारतीय माझा आहे, यावर मी विश्वास ठेवतो. अशा वैयक्तिक बाबींवर दोन देशांतील प्रमुख नेत्यांमध्ये चर्चा होत नाही.'

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उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी मुद्दे पर उठे सवाल पर पीएम मोदी ने कहा, भारत एक लोकतंत्र है और हमारी संस्कृति वसुधैव कुटुंबकम है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय मेरा अपना है। इसके बाद उन्होंने कहा कि दो राष्ट्र प्रमुखों के बीच बातचीत में ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर चर्चा नहीं होती।

- प्रधानमंत्री मोदी से पूछा गया था कि क्या राष्ट्रपति ट्रम्प के साथ बातचीत में गौतम अडाणी के केस पर कोई चर्चा हुई?

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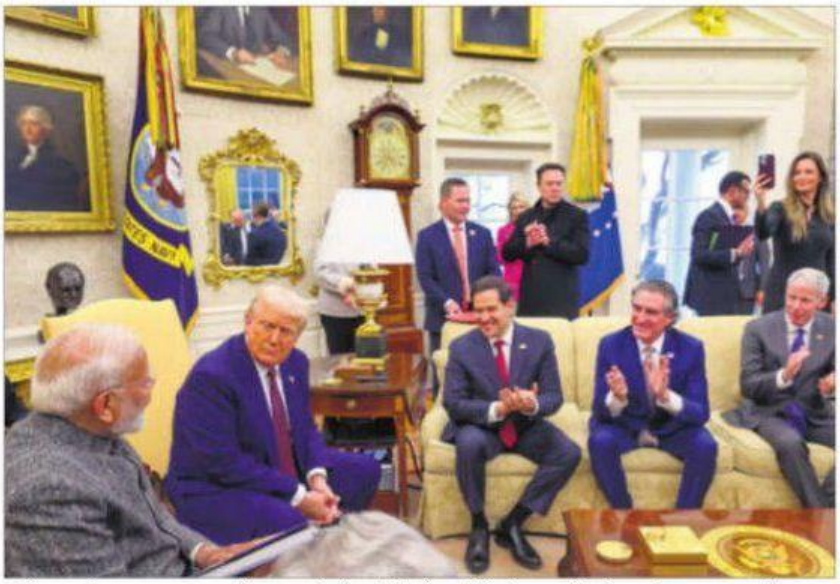
मोदी ने अदाणी मुद्दे को बताया व्यक्तिगत, राहुल ने कसा तंज

वाशिंगटन/नयी दिल्ली, 14 फरवरी (एजेंसी)

अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप के साथ प्रेस वार्ता के दौरान एक सवाल के जवाब में प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने अदाणी मुद्दे को व्यक्तिगत बताया। यह पूछे जाने पर कि क्या कारोबारी गौतम अदाणी से जुड़ा मुद्दा ट्रंप के साथ बातचीत में उठा, मोदी ने कहा, 'दो देशों के दो प्रमुख नेता कभी भी ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मुद्दों पर चर्चा नहीं करते।'

इस बीच, लोकसभा में नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी ने आरोप लगाया कि विदेश में प्रधानमंत्री मोदी के लिए रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना 'व्यक्तिगत मामला' बन जाता है। राहुल गांधी ने 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट किया, 'देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला। अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने अदाणी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया।' कांग्रेस महासचिव जयराम रमेश ने सवाल किया कि आखिर 'भ्रष्टाचार' का मामला व्यक्तिगत कब से हो गया? उन्होंने 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट किया, 'मोदी जी के चेहरे का रंग उड़ गया अडानी का नाम सुनते ही, फिर घुमा फिराकर, असंगत ज्ञान देकर बोले कि ये व्यक्तिगत मामला है। भ्रष्टाचार व्यक्तिगत मामला कब से हो गया?'

उधर, बेंगलुरू में कांग्रेस के वरिष्ठ नेता शशि थरूर ने शुक्रवार को उम्मीद जताई कि प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी ने अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप को यह बताया होगा कि भारतीय प्रवासियों को बेड़ियों में जकड़कर निर्वासित करना सही नहीं है। उन्होंने यह भी कहा कि प्रधानमंत्री मोदी और राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप के संयुक्त संवाददाता सम्मेलन से पता चलता है कि दोनों नेताओं के बीच अच्छी मुलाकात हुई।



वाशिंगटन स्थित व्हाइट हाउस में प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी और अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति की बातचीत का दृश्य। - प्रेट्र

मोदी-ट्रंप में इन मुद्दों पर बनी सहमति

असैन्य परमाणु सहयोग

मोदी और ट्रंप ने 16 साल पहले दोनों देशों के बीच हुए ऐतिहासिक असैन्य परमाणु समझौते के तहत भारत में अमेरिकी डिजाइन वाले परमाणु रिएक्टरों के निर्माण को सुविधाजनक बनाने की दिशा में आगे बढ़ने का संकल्प लिया। ट्रंप ने कहा, 'भारतीय बाजार में अमेरिकी परमाणु प्रौद्योगिकियों का स्वागत करने के लिए भारत अपने कानूनों में सुधार कर रहा है।'

राणा के प्रत्यर्पण को मंजूरी

अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप ने कहा कि भारत और अमेरिका दुनिया भर में कट्टरपंथी इस्लामी आतंक के खतरे का मुकाबला करने के लिए इस तरह काम करेंगे जैसा पहले कभी नहीं किया गया। उन्होंने मुंबई पर 26/11 हमले के साजिशकर्ता तहव्वुर राणा के भारत प्रत्यर्पण का जिक्र करते हुए कहा, 'मुझे यह घोषणा करते हुए खुशी हो रही है कि मेरे प्रशासन ने दुनिया के सबसे बुरे लोगों में से एक के प्रत्यर्पण को मंजूरी दे दी है। राणा वर्तमान में लॉस एंजिलिस के एक 'मेट्रोपोलिटन डिटेंशन सेंटर' में हिरासत में है। ट्रंप ने कहा, 'वह न्याय का सामना करने के लिए भारत वापस जा रहा है। हम उसे तुरंत भारत वापस भेज रहे हैं और इस तरह के और प्रत्यर्पण हो सकते हैं, क्योंकि हमारे पास (भारत से) काफी अनुरोध हैं।'

प्रौद्योगिकी संबंधों को बढ़ावा

भारतीय पीएम नरेंद्र मोदी और अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप की मुलाकात के दौरान आर्टिफिशियल इंटेलिजेंस, नवाचार व अगली पीढ़ी की प्रौद्योगिकियों पर प्रमुखता से चर्चा हुई। दोनों पक्षों ने प्रौद्योगिकी संबंधों को प्रगाढ़ करने के लिए अमेरिका-भारत टीआरयूएसटी (ट्रस्ट) पहल, एआई अवसंरचना में तेजी लाने के लिए खाका तैयार करने और इंडस इनोवेशन सहित परिवर्तनकारी उपायों की घोषणा की।

मोदी की यात्राओं में खामियां निकालना कांग्रेस की आदत : भाजपा

नयी दिल्ली (एजेंसी) : भाजपा ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी की अमेरिका यात्रा को 'ऐतिहासिक' बताया और राहुल गांधी की टिप्पणी को लेकर उनकी आलोचना करते हुए कहा कि पीएम की विदेश यात्राओं में खामियां निकालना कांग्रेस नेताओं की आदत है। भाजपा के राष्ट्रीय प्रवक्ता शहजाद पूनावाला ने 'एक्स' पर एक पोस्ट में यह बात कही। पार्टी के राष्ट्रीय प्रवक्ता सैयद शाहनवाज हुसैन ने 26/11 मुंबई आतंकवादी हमले के आरोपी तहव्वुर राणा के प्रत्यर्पण को मंजूरी के बारे में अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप की घोषणा को 'भारत के लिए बड़ी कूटनीतिक जीत बताया। उन्होंने कहा कि कांग्रेस नेता को यह ध्यान रखना चाहिए कि मोदी ने देश के प्रधानमंत्री और 140 करोड़ लोगों के नेता के रूप में अमेरिका का दौरा किया था, न कि भाजपा नेता के रूप में।

चीन बोला- द्विपक्षीय सहयोग से तीसरे पक्ष का न हो नुकसान

बीजिंग : मोदी-ट्रंप की बैठक पर सधी हुई प्रतिक्रिया देते हुए बीजिंग ने कहा कि द्विपक्षीय सहयोग में चीन को मुद्दा नहीं बनाया जाना चाहिए और इससे किसी तीसरे देश के हितों को नुकसान नहीं पहुंचना चाहिए। चीनी विदेश मंत्रालय के प्रवक्ता गुओ जियाकुन ने मोदी और ट्रंप की मुलाकात पर कहा कि एशिया-प्रशांत शांतिपूर्ण विकास का केंद्र है, न कि भू-राजनीतिक प्रतिद्वंद्विता का क्षेत्र।

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Rahul ne Adani ,muhe par sadha nishana

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राहुल ने अदाणी मुद्दे पर साधा निशाना

नई दिल्ली, विसं। लोकसभा में विपक्ष के नेता राहुल गांधी ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी के अमेरिका में गौतम अदाणी को लेकर की गई टिप्पणी पर निशाना साधा।

उन्होंने आरोप लगाया कि विदेश में प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी के लिए रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटना व्यक्तिगत मामला बन जाता है। राहुल ने 'एक्स' पर पोस्ट कर कहा, 'देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछो तो निजी मामला।

महाकुम्भ जा सकते हैं : राहुल गांधी और प्रियंका गांधी वाड्रा रविवार को प्रयागराज का दौरा कर संगम में डुबकी लगा सकते हैं।

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शेअर बाजार पुन्हा घसरला

मुंबई : मुंबई शेअर बाज़ारात सेन्सेक्स आणि निफ्टी यांची शुक्रवारी पुन्हा घसरगुंडी पाहायला मिळाली. सेन्सेक्स २०० ने घसरून ७५ हजार ९३९ वर तर निफ्टी १०२ ने घसरून २२ हजार ९६० वर बंद झाला.

भारत इलेक्ट्रॉनिक्स, अदानी एंटरप्राजयेस, अदानी पोर्ट, सन फार्मा आणि ट्रेंट कंपनीचे समभाग घसरले. या उलट ब्रिटानिया इंडस्ट्रिज, आयसीआयसीआय बँक, नेसले इंडिया, इन्फोसिस, टीसीएस, यांचे समभाग घसरले. माध्यमे, धातू, तेल आणि वायू, फार्मा, सार्वजनिक बँका, बांधकाम क्षेत्र, ग्राहकोपयोगी वस्तू, वाहन, ऊर्जा यांचे समभाग एक ते तीन टक्के घसरले. दरम्यान, सेन्सेक्स आणि निफ्टी सलग आठव्यांदा घसरले आहेत. एकंदरीत निफ्टीतील समभाग घसरल्याने ती धोक्याची घंटा मानली जात आहे.

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The stock market fell again

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Adani mamle par ek baar phir garmai siyasat

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अदाणी मामले पर एक बार फिर गरमाई सियासत

देश में चुप्पी, विदेश में निजी मामला : राहुल

नई दिल्ली। कांग्रेस नेता राहुल गांधी ने शुक्रवार को प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी पर कारोबारी गौतम अदाणी के भ्रष्टाचार को छिपाने का आरोप लगाया। सोशल मीडिया पर हिंदी में लिखे पोस्ट में उन्होंने कहा, देश में सवाल पूछो तो चुप्पी, विदेश में सवाल पूछो तो निजी मामला बताते हैं। पीएम ने अमेरिका में भी अदाणी के भ्रष्टाचार को छुपाया। उन्होंने कहा, जब पीएम के लिए दोस्त की जेब भरना राष्ट्र निर्माण' है, तो रिश्वत लेना और देश की संपत्ति लूटना निजी मामला हो जाता है। वहीं, अपनी पोस्ट में कांग्रेस महासचिव (संचार) जयराम रमेश ने कहा, अदाणी का नाम सुनते ही पीएम ने घुमा-फिराकर अप्रासंगिक ज्ञान दिया और कहा, यह व्यक्तिगत मामला है। पूछा, भ्रष्टाचार कब से व्यक्तिगत मामला बन गया है।



- **आप बोली, देश की छवि खराब हो रही : आप**
आप नेता संजय सिंह ने कहा कि अदाणी की वजह से भारत की छवि खराब हो रही है। पूरे देश को अदाणी के चक्कर में शर्मसार होना पड़ रहा है। आप एक ही व्यक्ति को आकाश से लेकर पाताल तक देश की सारी संपत्ति सौंपते जा रहे हैं।
- **आपके लिए व्यक्तिगत ही है : तृणमूल**
टीएमसी सांसद महुआ मोइत्रा ने सोशल मीडिया पोस्ट में पीएम का वीडियो साझा करते हुए लिखा, नमस्ते पीएम नरेंद्र मोदी। आपने अपने सबसे अच्छे दोस्त गौतम अदाणी के सामानों को श्रीलंका, बांग्लादेश, केन्या, ऑस्ट्रेलिया आदि देशों में अपनी राजकीय यात्राओं पर बेचा था, इसलिए बहुत संभव है कि यह आपके लिए व्यक्तिगत मामला ही है।

कमियां ढूंढ़ना कांग्रेस की आदत : भाजपा

नई दिल्ली। भाजपा ने शुक्रवार को प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी की अमेरिका यात्रा को ऐतिहासिक बताया और राहुल गांधी की उन पर की गई टिप्पणियों की आलोचना करते हुए कहा कि प्रधानमंत्री के विदेश दौरों में खामियां निकालना कांग्रेस नेताओं की आदत बन गई है।



सोशल मीडिया पोस्ट में भाजपा के राष्ट्रीय प्रवक्ता शहजाद पूनावाला ने लिखा, प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी की प्रभावशाली अमेरिका यात्रा ने भारत-अमेरिका संबंधों को पहले से कहीं अधिक मजबूत किया है। उन्होंने मोदी की अमेरिका यात्रा के दौरान उपलब्धियां गिनाते हुए कहा, यह एक ऐतिहासिक यात्रा है। वहीं, पार्टी के अन्य राष्ट्रीय प्रवक्ता सैयद शाहनवाज हुसैन ने कहा कि अमेरिका से मुंबई आतंकी हमले के आरोपी तहव्वुर राणा के प्रत्यर्पण को मंजूरी मिलना भारत के लिए एक बहुत बड़ी कूटनीतिक जीत है। उन्होंने मोदी पर व्यवसायी गौतम अदाणी के भ्रष्टाचार को ढंकने का आरोप लगाने के लिए राहुल गांधी की भी आलोचना की। कहा, कांग्रेस नेता को यह ध्यान में रखना चाहिए कि मोदी देश के प्रधानमंत्री और 140 करोड़ लोगों के नेता के रूप में अमेरिका गए थे, न कि भाजपा नेता के रूप में।

- **राहुल गांधी मानसिक रूप से बीमार :** भाजपा के राष्ट्रीय प्रवक्ता अजय आलोक ने कहा, राहुल गांधी मानसिक विकार से पीड़ित हैं। इसलिए, वह अदाणी, हिंडनबर्ग और राफेल के बारे में जुनूनी हैं। उनकी दुनिया इन सभी सवालों के इर्द-गिर्द घूमती है।

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Controversy over giving land for Adani project on Pak border

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নিয়ম ভেঙে পাক সীমান্তে আদানি প্রকল্পের জন্য জমি দেওয়ায় বিতর্ক

নয়াদিল্লি, ১৪ ফেব্রুয়ারি: বিধি ভেঙে 'বন্ধু' আদানিকে পাক সীমান্ত সংলগ্ন এলাকায় জমি দানের অভিযোগ! আরও একবার আন্তর্জাতিক মিডিয়ায় সমালোচনার শিকার বিজেপি নেতৃত্বাধীন এনডিএ সরকার। জানা গেছে, সংবেদনশীল এলাকা থাকা সত্ত্বেও একটি নির্দিষ্ট ব্যবসায়ী গোষ্ঠীর সুবিধার্থে গুজরাতে নবায়নযোগ্য জ্বালানি পার্ক তৈরির জন্য সীমান্ত সুরক্ষা সংক্রান্ত নিয়ম শিথিল করেছে কেন্দ্র সরকার। আর এই পদক্ষেপ জাতীয় নিরাপত্তাকে প্রশ্নের মুখে ফেলতে পারে বলে দাবি তাদের। গুজরাতের কচ্ছে পাকিস্তান সীমান্ত থেকে এক থেকে দুই কিলোমিটারের মধ্যে এলাকাটি। বলা বাহুল্য, পাকিস্তান সীমান্তের কাছে আদানি গোষ্ঠী সৌর ও বায়ু বিদ্যুৎ তৈরির প্রকল্পে হাত দিচ্ছে। অভিযোগ, সীমান্তের কাছে সংবেদনশীল এলাকা হওয়া সত্ত্বেও এই প্রকল্পের জন্য নিরাপত্তা বিধি শিথিল করা হয়েছে। আর এই ঘটনা প্রকাশ্যে আসতেই বুধবার সাংসদে তীব্র আপত্তি জানায় কংগ্রেস। সংশ্লিষ্ট বিষয়ে প্রধানমন্ত্রী নরেন্দ্র মোদিকে তীব্র আক্রমণ করেন কং সভাপতি মল্লিকার্জুন খাড়গে। সশস্ত্র বাহিনীর উদ্বেগ উপেক্ষা করে কীভাবে সংবেদনশীল জমি আদানিগোষ্ঠীকে দেওয়া হল? তাই নিয়ে তিনি প্রশ্ন উত্থাপন করেন তিনি। পাশাপাশি 'প্রিয় বন্ধু' আদানিকে পাকিস্তানের সীমান্তে কৌশলগতভাবে মূল্যবান জমি কি উপহার দিয়েছেন মোদি? তা নিয়েও প্রশ্ন তোলেন খাড়গে। এ ছাড়া নিজের এক্স হ্যান্ডেলে কংগ্রেস সভাপতি লেখেন, বিজেপির ছদ্মবেশী জাতীয়তাবাদীদের মুখোশ সর্বসমক্ষে আবারও উন্মোচিত হল। কোটিপতি বন্ধুদের ব্যক্তিগত স্বার্থ চরিতার্থ করার জন্য ওঁরা দেশের নিরাপত্তা নিয়ে খেলা করছেন। এই প্রেক্ষাপটে বিজেপি এবং প্রধানমন্ত্রী নরেন্দ্র মোদিকে একযোগে আক্রমণ শানিয়েছেন কংগ্রেস নেত্রী প্রিয়াঙ্কা গান্ধিও। তিনি মন্তব্য করেন, এক এক করে দেশের সবকিছু প্রিয় বন্ধুর হাতে তুলে দিচ্ছে প্রধানমন্ত্রী মোদি। তবে এই বারের ঘটনাটি সব সীমা অতিক্রম করে দিয়েছে। দেশের সমস্ত সম্পদ প্রধানমন্ত্রীর বন্ধুর হাতে তুলে দেওয়ার প্রক্রিয়া এত চরমে পৌঁছেছে যে সীমান্তের নিরাপত্তা বিধিও বদলে দেওয়া হচ্ছে! আন্তর্জাতিক সংবাদমাধ্যম গার্ডিয়ানের প্রতিবেদন অনুযায়ী, কচ্ছে পাকিস্তান সীমান্ত দুই কিলোমিটারের দূরত্বে অবস্থিত সৌর ও বায়ু বিদ্যুৎ প্রকল্পের জন্য আদানি গোষ্ঠী ৪৪৫ বর্গ কিলোমিটার জমি পেয়েছে। তবে এর আগে সৌর ও বায়ু বিদ্যুৎ প্রকল্পের জন্য রাষ্ট্রায়ত্ত সংস্থা সোলার এনার্জি কর্পোরেশনকে জমি বরাদ্দ করা হয়েছিল। খোদ রাজ্য সরকার সেটি বরাদ্দ করেছিল। যেহেতু এলাকাটি সংবেদনশীল তাই ওই বরাদ্দের জন্য কিছু নিয়মও পরিবর্তন করা হয়েছিল। কিন্তু, পরে সোলার এনার্জি কর্পোরেশন রাজ্য সরকারকে জমি ফিরিয়ে দেয়। তাতে অভিযোগ ওঠে যে কেন্দ্রের নির্দেশেই সেই জমি ফিরিয়ে দেওয়া হয়। কিন্তু, পরে সেই আদানি গোষ্ঠীর হাতে তুলে দেওয়া হয়।



পাক সীমান্তে আদানিদের এই সোলার কারখানা নিয়ে শুরু হয়েছে বিতর্ক

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আদানির দুর্নীতি 'ব্যক্তিগত' বলে এড়ালেন মোদী

নিজস্ব প্রতিনিধি: নয়াদিল্লি, ১৪ ফেব্রুয়ারি– প্রধানমন্ত্রী নরেন্দ্র মোদী আমেরিকায় তার প্রিয় বন্ধু গৌতম আদানির ঘুষ দুর্নীতি নিয়ে প্রশ্ন 'ব্যক্তিগত' বলে এড়িয়ে গেলেন। শনিবার আমেরিকা সফরে মোদী ও আমেরিকার রাষ্ট্রপতি ডোনাল্ড ট্রাম্পের যৌথ সাংবাদিক সম্মেলনে মোদী ঘনিষ্ঠ আদানির ঘুষ কেলেঙ্কারি নিয়ে সরাসরি প্রশ্ন তোলেন আমেরিকার সাংবাদিক। হোয়াইট হাউসে সাংবাদিক সম্মেলনে এক বিদেশি সাংবাদিকের মোদীকে সরাসরি প্রশ্ন ছিল, ট্রাম্পের সঙ্গে আলোচনায় তাঁর ঘনিষ্ঠ বন্ধু আদানির দুর্নীতির প্রসঙ্গ কি ছিল?

মোদী দেশে কোনদিনই সাংবাদিকদের তাঁকে সরাসরি প্রশ্ন করার কোনও অধিকার দেননি। ক্বচিৎ অনুমতি মিললে দেশের কোনও সাংবাদিক মোদীর তৈরি প্রশ্ন তাকে করতে পারেন। এদিন আমেরিকায় সেই দেশের সাংবাদিকের তার ঘনিষ্ঠ বন্ধুর দুর্নীতি নিয়ে প্রশ্নে বেশ বিব্রত দেখা যায় মোদীকে। বন্ধু আদানির দুর্নীতি নিয়ে নীরব থেকে তিনি প্রসঙ্গ ঘোরাতে বলেন, 'এটা একটা বক্তিগত বিষয়।' তাতে বিষয় এড়ানো যাচ্ছে না বুঝে তিনি বলেন,'ভারত হলো গণতান্ত্রিক রাষ্ট্র। তা বসুদেব কুটুমবাকম নীতির উপর গড়ে উঠেছে। সারা বিশ্ব হলো একটি পরিবার। প্রতি ভারতবাসী হলো সেই পরিবারের অংশ। এর পরেই তিনি এটা একটা ব্যক্তিগত ইস্যু দুই দেশের প্রধানের মধ্যে আলোচনায় এসব বিষয় আসে না বলে তা এড়িয়ে যান। তিনি বলেন, দুই দেশের দুই প্রধান নেতা যখন আলোচনা করেন সেসময় কখনো এসব বক্তিগত বিষয় আসে না।' অন্যদিকে ট্রাম্প সাংবাদিক সম্মেলনে আদানি প্রসঙ্গে কোনও মন্তব্য করেননি।

প্রসঙ্গত, হিন্ডেনবার্গ আদানি গোষ্ঠীর শেয়ার বাজারে জালিয়াতিতে বিপুল টাকা লোপাটের রিপোর্ট ফাঁস করার পর তাদের বিরুদ্ধে একের পর এক আর্থিক কেলেঙ্কারির খবর সামনে আসে। এতে বিরোধীরা সংসদীয় কমিটি গড়ে আদানির দুর্নীতির তদন্তের দাবি করলেও কেন্দ্র তা মানেনি। এমনকি আদানির দুর্নীতি চাপা দেওয়ার চেষ্টা করে গেছে মোদী সরকার। আর্থিক কেলেঙ্কারি শেষ অভিযোগ এসেছে খোদ আমেরিকার সরকারের তরফ থেকে। আমেরিকার রাষ্ট্রপতি জো বাইডেনের আমলে আদানির বিরুদ্ধে লাভজনক বরাত আদায়ে ভারত সরকারের সরকারি আধিকারিকদের ঘুষ দেওয়ার অভিযোগ ওঠে। প্রায় ২ হাজার ১০০ কোটি টাকা ঘুষ দিয়ে বরাত আদায়ের অভিযোগ জানিয়ে আমেরিকার আদালতে মামলা দায়ের করে আমেরিকার সরকার। এই তথ্য আদানি গোষ্ঠী আমেরিকায় গোপন করে যায়। আমেরিরকার তাদের তদন্ত সংস্থা সেই ঘুষ কেলেঙ্কারি ফাঁস করে দেয়। তা নিয়ে মামলা চলছে। এদিকে আমেরিকায় আদানি গোষ্ঠীর দুর্নীতি আদালতে শুরু হওয়ায় বিভিন্ন দেশের সরকার আদানি গোষ্ঠীর প্রকল্প বন্ধ করে দিয়েছে। আমেরিকাতে এদিন সেই দেশের সাংবাদিকেরা আদানি গোষ্ঠীর বহুল প্রচারিত দুর্নীতির প্রসঙ্গ আলোচনা এসেছিল কিনা তার জবাব চাইলে মোদী তা দিতে রাজি নন এটা বুঝিয়ে দিয়েছেন।

এদিন বিরোধী দলের কংগ্রেস নেতা রাহুল গান্ধী বলেন, মোদী তার বন্ধু আদানির দুর্নীতি নিয়ে দেশে নীরব থাকেন আর বিদেশে গেলে তা ব্যক্তিগত বিষয় বলে এড়িয়ে যান। এভাবে মোদী তার প্রিয় বন্ধু আদানির যাবতীয় দুর্নীতি আড়াল করতে চাইছেন। তিনি বলেন, মোদী তার বন্ধুর পকেট ভরতে একের পর জাতীয় সম্পদ

● *দ্বিতীয় পৃষ্ঠায় দেখুন*

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● প্রথম পৃষ্ঠার পর

তার হাতে তুলে দিচ্ছেন। এনিয়ে কেউ প্রশ্ন তুললে তা দেশ গঠন বলে মোদী দাবি করেন। যখন আদানি ঘুষ দিয়ে সরকারি সম্পদ লুট করে তা বিদেশে হয়ে যায় ব্যক্তিগত বিষয়। কংগ্রেস মুখপাত্র জয়রাম রমেশ বলেন, মোদীকে আমেরিকার সাংবাদিক যখন তার বন্ধু আদানির দুর্নীতি নিয়ে প্রশ্ন রাখেন তাতে মোদীর মুখ বিবর্ণ হয়ে যায়। দেশের কোনও সাংবাদিকের তাকে প্রশ্ন করার অধিকার নেই। মোদী নিজের করা প্রশ্ন এবং নিজের করা জবাবের স্ক্রিপ্ট সাংবাদিকের হাতে তুলে দিয়ে সেই সাক্ষাৎকার প্রচার করা হয়। এই প্রথম বন্ধু আদানির দুর্নীতির প্রশ্নের মুখোমুখী হলেন মোদী। তার কাছে জবাব এড়ানো ছাড়া আর কোনও পথ ছিল না।

এদিকে সংবাদ সংস্থা পিটিআই জানাচ্ছে, আমেরিকায় আদানির দুর্নীতি নিয়ে মামলায় ডোনাল্ড ট্রাম্প প্রশাসন ধীরে চলো নীতি নিয়ে চলছে। চলতি মাসের প্রথমে এতে প্রশাসনিক নির্দেশ জারি করা হয়েছে। সেই ধীরে চলো নির্দেশ আমেরিকার অ্যাটর্নি জেনারেল পাম বন্ডিকে জানানো হয়েছে। আমেরিকায় তাদের ১৯৭৭ সালের ফরেন করাপ্ট প্র্যাকটিশ অ্যাক্টে দেশি ও বিদেশি কোম্পানির দুর্নীতি ও ঘুষের বিনিময়ে কোনও ব্যবসা চালানো ফৌজদারি অপরাধ বলে গণ্য হয়।এই আইনে আদানি গোষ্ঠীর ভারতের বরাত নেওয়ায় ক্ষেত্রে ঘুষ দেওয়াকে ফৌজদারি অপরাধ বলে গণ্য করা হয়েছে। ট্রাম্প প্রশাসন চলতি মাসে এই আইন স্থগিত রাখার নির্দেশ দিয়েছে বলে সংবাদ সংস্থার খবর।

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মার্কিন মুলুকে আদানি-প্রসঙ্গ এড়িয়ে বিতর্কের মুখে মোদি

নয়াদিল্লি, ১৪ ফেব্রুয়ারি: দেশে কখনও সাংবাদিকদের মুখোমুখি হতে চান না প্রধানমন্ত্রী নরেন্দ্র মোদি। তবে মার্কিন মুলুকে গিয়ে ট্রাম্পের 'চাপে' সাংবাদিক সম্মেলন করতে হল তাঁকে। আর তাতেই মুখ ফসকে বেরিয়ে গেল বিতর্কিত মন্তব্য। আর মওকা নিলেন বিরোধী দলনেতা রাহুল গান্ধি, তৃণমূল সাংসদ সাকেত গোখেলরা। তারা মাঝেমধ্যেই আদানি-মোদির ঘনিষ্ঠতা নিয়ে অভিযোগ করেন। মার্কিন মুলুকে সেই মোদি সাংবাদিকদের সামনে দাঁড়িয়ে বললেন, আদানির বিষয়টি নাকি 'ব্যক্তিগত'। এর পর পরই রাহুল গান্ধি সপাটে ব্যাট চালিয়েছেন— বন্ধুকে আড়াল করছেন মোদি। বিদেশে গিয়েও নির্লজ্জতা সীমা ছাড়াচ্ছে। দু'দিনের আমেরিকা সফরে ইতিমধ্যে প্রেসিডেন্ট ডোনাল্ড ট্রাম্পের সঙ্গে বৈঠক সেরেছেন প্রধানমন্ত্রী নরেন্দ্র মোদি। বৈঠক শেষে তাকে সাংবাদিকরা প্রশ্ন করেন, আদানি ঘুষ-কাণ্ড নিয়ে প্রেসিডেন্ট ট্রাম্পের সঙ্গে কী আলোচনা হল? উত্তরে মোদি সটান বলেন, দুই রাষ্ট্রের প্রধানের বৈঠকে কোনও ব্যক্তিগত বিষয়ে আলোচনা হয় না! তিনি 'ব্যক্তিগত' কথাটিই ব্যবহার করেছেন সাংবাদিকদের প্রশ্নের জবাব দিতে গিয়ে। ইংরেজি



সংবাদমাধ্যমগুলি সেটির তরজমা করেছে 'পার্সোনাল' শব্দ দিয়ে। ফলত মোদির 'পার্সোনাল' ব্যাপার নিয়ে দেশে-বিদেশে কটাক্ষ চলছে।

মার্কিন মুলুকের সাংবাদিকরা দু-জনের উদ্দেশেই প্রশ্নটি ছুড়েছিলেন। তবে ট্রাম্প তার কোনও উত্তর দেননি। মোদিই তখন উত্তর দিতে গিয়ে এসব কথা বলেন। সাংবাদিকদের প্রশ্নের উত্তরে প্রধানমন্ত্রী বলেন, প্রথমত ভারত একটি গণতান্ত্রিক দেশ। আমরা 'বসুধৈব কুটুম্বকম' আদর্শে বিশ্বাসী। গোটা বিশ্বকে আমরা পরিবার হিসেবে ধরি। প্রতিটি ভারতীয় আমার নিজের মানুষ। এ রকম 'ব্যক্তিগত' বিষয়ে দুই দেশের রাষ্ট্রপ্রধানের মধ্যে কোনও আলোচনা হয় না। মোদির এই জবাব নিয়ে সমালোচনা করতে ছাড়েননি লোকসভার বিরোধী দলনেতা রাহুল। তিনি বলেন, ভারতে প্রশ্ন করা হলে চুপ থাকেন। আর বিদেশে প্রশ্ন করলে বলা হয় ব্যক্তিগত বিষয়। আমেরিকাতেও মোদিজি আদানির দুর্নীতি ঢাকছেন। আক্রমণ করেছেন তৃণমূলের রাজ্যসভার সাংসদ সাকেত গোখেলও। সোশ্যাল মিডিয়ায় তিনি লিখেছেন, প্রধানমন্ত্রী মোদিকে আমেরিকায় সাংবাদিক বৈঠক করতে বাধ্য করা হয়েছে। যা গত ১১ বছরে ভারতে তিনি করেননি। এই জন্যই তিনি সাংবাদিকদের মুখোমুখি হন না।

কটাক্ষ রাহুলের

প্রসঙ্গত, গত নভেম্বর মাসে আদানি গ্রুপের প্রধান গৌতম আদানি এবং আরও সাত জনের বিরুদ্ধে ২,২৫০ কোটি টাকার ঘুষ ও প্রতারণার অভিযোগ আনা হয়েছিল। ২০২০-২০২৪ সালের মধ্যে বাজারের চেয়ে বেশি দামে সৌরবিদ্যুৎ বিক্রির বরাত পেতে অন্ধ্রপ্রদেশ-সহ কয়েকটি রাজ্যের সরকারি আধিকারিকদের এই টাকা ঘুষ দেওয়ার অভিযোগ উঠেছে আদানির বিরুদ্ধে। সম্প্রতি ঘুষ-বিরোধী আইন প্রত্যাহারের জন্য নির্দেশে সই করে দিয়েছেন প্রেসিডেন্ট ডোনাল্ড ট্রাম্প। এমনকী ঘুষ সংক্রান্ত সব মামলা স্থগিত রাখার নির্দেশ দিয়েছেন ট্রাম্প। এই ঘোষণার ফলে আমেরিকায় ঘুষ সংক্রান্ত মামলার তদন্ত থেকে রেহাই পেয়েছে আদানি গোষ্ঠী।

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ট্রাম্পের সামনেই আদানি প্রশ্ন, মোদি মেজাজ হারালেন



■ সাংবাদিক বৈঠকে আদানি নিয়ে প্রশ্ন শুনে বিব্রত মোদি। রয়েছেন ট্রাম্পও। বৃহস্পতিবার মধ্যরাতে ওয়াশিংটনে।

নয়াদিল্লি: দেশে নয়, বিদেশের মাটিতে সাম্প্রতিককালের সর্বাধিক অস্বস্তিকর প্রশ্নটির মুখে পড়তে হল প্রধানমন্ত্রী নরেন্দ্র মোদিকে। তিনি একটি 'তাৎক্ষণিক' জবাব অবশ্য দিয়েছেন, তাতে বিতর্ক আরও বেড়েছে। বৃহস্পতিবার ওয়াশিংটনে মার্কিন প্রেসিডেন্ট ডোনাল্ড ট্রাম্পের মুখোমুখি হন মোদি। এরপর যৌথ সাংবাদিক বৈঠক করেন দুই রাষ্ট্রনেতা। সেখানে নানা প্রশ্নের উত্তর দেন তাঁরা। সে সময় এক সাংবাদিক মোদিকে প্রশ্ন করেন, ট্রাম্পের সঙ্গে বৈঠকে কি (গৌতম) আদানি নিয়ে কোনও আলোচনা হয়েছে? তার উত্তরে মোদি মেজাজ হারিয়ে বলেন, "ওটা ব্যক্তিগত বিষয়। এরকম ব্যক্তিগত ব্যাপার নিয়ে দু'দেশের রাষ্ট্রনেতা না দেখা করেন, না আলোচনায় বসেন, না কথা বলেন।"

প্রসঙ্গত, আমেরিকার লগ্নিকারীদের থেকে তোলা টাকায় ভারতের একাধিক রাজ্যের সরকারি আধিকারিকদের ঘুষ দিয়ে বিদ্যুৎ প্রকল্পের বরাত হাসিল করার অভিযোগ উঠেছে শিল্পপতি গৌতম আদানি এবং তাঁর সংস্থার বিরুদ্ধে। আমেরিকার এফসিপিএ আইনে আদানিদের বিরুদ্ধে মামলা দায়ের হয়। মার্কিন বিচার বিভাগ এবং সিকিউরিটিজ অ্যান্ড এক্সচেঞ্জ কমিশন নিউ ইয়র্ক ডিস্ট্রিক্ট কোর্ট গৌতম আদানি, তাঁর ভাইপো সাগর আদানি এবং আদানি গ্রিন এনার্জির সিইও বিনীত জৈনের বিরুদ্ধে গ্রেপ্তারি পরোয়ানা জারি করেছে। তবে, কিন্তু ট্রাম্প প্রেসিডেন্ট পদে শপথ নিতেই ছবিটা পাল্টে গিয়েছে। প্রধানমন্ত্রী মোদির আমেরিকা সফরের ঠিক দু'দিন আগে আমেরিকার ঘুষ তদন্ত আইন কার্যকর করা স্থগিত রাখার সিদ্ধান্ত নেয় ট্রাম্প প্রশাসন। এই পরিস্থিতিতে বৃহস্পতিবার মুখোমুখি হন মোদি ও ট্রাম্প। স্বাভাবিকভাবেই সেই সাক্ষাতে মোদি-ঘনিষ্ঠ আদানির প্রসঙ্গ উঠতে পারে বলে মনে করছে ওয়াকিবহাল মহল।

কিন্তু, আদানির ইস্যুটিকে মোদি 'ব্যক্তিগত' বলে মন্তব্য করে নিজেই ফের আরও একটি বিতর্ক উস্কে দিলেন। তার ঢেউ এসে পৌঁছেছে দেশের অভ্যন্তরীণ রাজনীতিতে। মোদির এ হেন প্রতিক্রিয়ার পরিপ্রেক্ষিতে সোশ্যাল মিডিয়ায় কটাক্ষ করেছেন লোকসভার বিরোধী দলনেতা রাহুল গান্ধী। তিনি লেখেন, 'দেশে প্রশ্ন করা হলে নীরব থাকেন। বিদেশে গিয়ে একে ব্যক্তিগত বিষয় বলে মনে হল? আমেরিকাতে গিয়েও আদানির দুর্নীতিকে ধামাচাপা দিচ্ছেন মোদি। বন্ধুর পকেট ভরার জন্য দেশ গড়ার ডাক আর ঘুষ দেওয়া এবং দেশের সম্পদ লুট করা ব্যক্তিগত বিষয় হয়ে গেল?' নিউইয়র্ক-ভিত্তিক শর্টসেলার সংস্থা হিন্ডেনবার্গ রিসার্চের রিপোর্টে আদানি গোষ্ঠীর মালিকানাধীন সংস্থাগুলির শেয়ারদরে কারচুপি করার অভিযোগ উঠেছিল। এরপর মার্কিন আদালতে আদানি গোষ্ঠীর বিরুদ্ধে ঘুষ-মামলা। দুই ক্ষেত্রেই কেন্দ্রের বিরুদ্ধে মোদি-ঘনিষ্ঠ আদানিকে আড়াল করার অভিযোগ তুলেছে কংগ্রেস-সহ বিরোধীরা।

পাঁচের পাতায়

ট্রাম্পের সামনেই আদানি প্রশ্ন

একের পাতার পর

সরকারের বা বিজেপির নেতারা বিরোধীদের অভিযোগের জবাব দিলেও, প্রধানমন্ত্রী মোদি কখনও এই ইস্যুতে মুখ খোলেননি। এই প্রথম তিনি বিষয়টিকে 'ব্যক্তিগত' বলে উড়িয়ে দিলেন। কটাক্ষ করতে ছাড়েনি তৃণমূলও। দলের রাজ্যসভার সাংসদ সাকেত গোখলে বলেন, 'আমেরিকায় গিয়ে সাংবাদিক সম্মেলন করতে বাধ্য হলেন প্রধানমন্ত্রী। যা গত ১১ বছরে করেননি। আদানি নিয়ে প্রশ্ন করতেই প্রধানমন্ত্রী বিচলিত ও ক্ষুব্ধ হয়ে পড়েন। এই কারণেই ভারতে কখনও সাংবাদিকদের মুখোমুখি হন না। তাঁর সাক্ষাৎকার সব সময়েই স্ক্রিপ্টেড থাকে।'

ট্রাম্প দ্বিতীয়বার আমেরিকার প্রেসিডেন্ট হওয়ার পর এই প্রথম ওয়াশিংটনে সফরে গিয়েছেন প্রধানমন্ত্রী মোদি। ট্রাম্পের বাণিজ্য নীতির কী প্রভাব ভারতের উপর পড়বে, তা নিয়ে জল্পনার আবহে দুই রাষ্ট্রপ্রধানের বৈঠক হয়। হোয়াইট হাউসে দ্বিপাক্ষিক বৈঠক শেষে প্রধানমন্ত্রী জানান, দু'দেশের মধ্যে তেল ও প্রাকৃতিক গ্যাসের মতো জ্বালানির ব্যবসা আরও মজবুত হবে। পরমাণু ও পরিকাঠামোক্ষেত্রে বাড়বে দ্বিপাক্ষিক সহযোগিতা। ভারত-আমেরিকার মধ্যে প্রযুক্তি বিনিময় নিয়েও ট্রাম্পের সঙ্গে তাঁর কথা হয়েছে বলে জানিয়েছেন প্রধানমন্ত্রী। ফিফথ জেনারেশন ফাইটার জেট থেকে শুরু করে ২৬/১১-র মুম্বই হামলার অভিযুক্ত তহাউর রহমানের প্রত্যর্পণ, মোদির মার্কিন সফরের পর তৈরি হয়েছে প্রাপ্তির লম্বা তালিকায়। তার মধ্যেই রয়েছে 'মাগা' এবং 'মিগা'। মোদি বলেন, "আমেরিকার নাগরিকরা মেগা (মেক আমেরিকা গ্রেট এগেন) সম্পর্কে জানেন এবং ভারতবাসীও ২০৪৭ সালের মধ্যে বিকশিত ভারতের পথে এগোচ্ছে। আমেরিকার ভাষায় এটা মেক ইন্ডিয়া গ্রেট এগেন, মিগা। আমেরিকা ও ভারত যখন একসঙ্গে কাজ করে, তখন মেগা ও মিগা একসঙ্গে মেগা পার্টনারশিপ তৈরি করে উন্নতির জন্য। আজ আমরা সিদ্ধান্ত নিয়েছি যে, ২০৩০ সালের মধ্যে আমাদের বাণিজ্য দ্বিগুণ করব।" যৌথ সাংবাদিক সম্মেলনে ঘোষণা করা হয়েছে, দুই দেশই শুল্ককে পরস্পরের জন্য গ্রহণযোগ্য করার সিদ্ধান্তে সহমত হয়েছে। প্রধানমন্ত্রী বুঝিয়ে দিয়েছেন, ভারত যেভাবে অনুপ্রবেশকারীদের নিয়ে কড়া অবস্থান নিতে চায়, আমেরিকা যদি ঠিক একইভাবে কড়া অবস্থান নেয়, তাহলে আপত্তি নেই নয়াদিল্লির।

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विदेशी निकासी से लगातार आठवें दिन टूटे बाजार

पांच फरवरी से अब तक दोनों प्रमुख सूचकांक सेंसेक्स 2,644 और निफ्टी में 810 अंक लुढ़के

जेएनएन, नई दिल्ली: विदेशी निवेशकों की निकासी और कारपोरेट के कमजोर तिमाही नतीजों के कारण घरेलू शेयर बाजार शुक्रवार को लगातार आठवें दिन गिरावट के साथ बंद हुए। बीएसई का मानक सूचकांक सेंसेक्स शुरुआती तेजी के बाद 199.76 अंक की गिरावट के साथ 76 हजार के नीचे जाकर 75,939.21 पर बंद हुआ। दिनभर के कारोबार के दौरान इसमें 699.33 अंक तक की गिरावट दर्ज की गई थी। इसी तरह, एनएसई का निफ्टी 102.15 अंक की गिरावट के साथ 23 हजार के स्तर से नीचे जाकर 22,929.25 पर बंद हुआ। पांच फरवरी से अब तक आठ दिनों में सेंसेक्स 2,644.6 अंक या 3.36 प्रतिशत और निफ्टी 810 अंक या 3.41 प्रतिशत गिर चुका है।

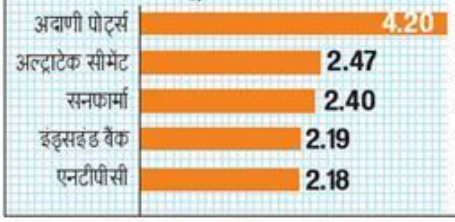
जियोजित फाइनेंशियल सर्विसेज के शोध प्रमुख विनोद नायर का कहना है कि निवेशकों के दिमाग पर जोखिम से बचने की भावना हावी है। इसका कारण यह है कि साल की शुरुआत में कारपोरेट आय बाजार की उम्मीदों से काफी कम रही है। खासतौर पर मिड और स्मालकैप कंपनियों का प्रदर्शन ज्यादा अच्छा नहीं रहा है। इसके अलावा, रुपये में गिरावट के साथ टैरिफ जैसे बाहरी कारकों से निकट भविष्य में बाजार धारणा कमजोर रहने की उम्मीद है। इससे विदेशी संस्थागत निवेशकों (एफआइआइ) की निकासी और बढ़ सकती है। टैरिफ पर स्पष्टता और कारपोरेट आय में सुधार होने तक अस्थिरता उच्च स्तर पर बनी रह सकती है।

एंजल वन के वरिष्ठ विश्लेषक ओशो कृष्णन का कहना है कि यह सप्ताह भारतीय शेयर बाजारों के लिए काफी खराब रहा है। इसने पिछले दो सप्ताहों से बनी सकारात्मक गति को फीका कर दिया है। लगातार आठ दिनों से जारी बिकवाली ने निवेशकों में चिंता का माहौल पैदा कर दिया है। इस सप्ताह बीएसई में 1,920.98 अंक और निफ्टी में 630.7 अंक की गिरावट आई है। बीते आठ दिनों में निवेशकों की संपत्ति में 25.31 लाख करोड़ रुपये की कमी आई है। अब बीएसई का पूंजीकरण घटकर 400.19 लाख करोड़ रुपये रह गया है।

सेंसेक्स के टाप गेनर (%में)



सेंसेक्स के टाप लूजर (%में)



199 अंक गिरकर 75,939 पर बंद हुआ बीएसई सेंसेक्स

102 अंक टूटकर 23 हजार से नीचे आया एनएसई निफ्टी



अदाणी समूह की सभी कंपनियों के शेयर गिरे

शुक्रवार को अदाणी समूह की सभी कंपनियों के शेयरों में गिरावट दर्ज की गई। इसमें अदाणी एनर्जी सालूशंस के शेयरों में सबसे ज्यादा 4.72 प्रतिशत और अदाणी पावर के शेयरों में सबसे कम 2.18 प्रतिशत की गिरावट रही। एनडीटीवी में 4.21, अदाणी पोर्ट्स में 4.20, अदाणी एंटरप्राइजेज में 4.12, अदाणी टोटल में 3.81, अदाणी ग्रीन एनर्जी में 3.16, अदाणी विल्मर में 3.13 प्रतिशत की गिरावट रही।

सात अरब डालर बढ़ा विदेशी मुद्रा भंडार

मुंबई, प्रेट्र: बीते सप्ताह देश के विदेशी मुद्रा भंडार में 7.654 अरब डालर की बढ़ोतरी रही है। आरबीआइ की ओर से शुक्रवार को जारी डाटा के अनुसार, अब देश का कुल विदेशी मुद्रा भंडार 638.261 अरब डालर हो गया है। डाटा के अनुसार, सात फरवरी को समाप्त सप्ताह में विदेशी मुद्रा आस्तियों में 6.422 अरब डालर की वृद्धि रही। अब कुल विदेशी मुद्रा आस्तियां 544.106 अरब डालर हो गई हैं। इसी तरह, स्वर्ण भंडार 1.315 अरब डालर बढ़कर 72.208 अरब डालर हो गया है।

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ନୂଆଦିଲ୍ଲୀ, ୧୪/୨: ଭାରତୀୟ ବ୍ୟବସାୟୀ ଗୌତମ ଆଦାନୀଙ୍କ ବିରୋଧରେ ଲାଞ୍ଚ ଅଭିଯୋଗ ଉପରେ ପ୍ରତିକ୍ରିୟା ରଖି ପ୍ରଧାନମନ୍ତ୍ରୀ ନରେନ୍ଦ୍ର ମୋଦୀ କହିଛନ୍ତି ଯେ ଯେତେବେଳେ ସେ ଆମେରିକା ରାଷ୍ଟ୍ରପତି ଡୋନାଲ୍ଡ ଟ୍ରମ୍ପଙ୍କୁ ଭେଟିଥିଲେ ସେତେବେଳେ ଏହି ପ୍ରସଙ୍ଗ ଉଠି ନ ଥିଲା। ଆଦାନୀଙ୍କ ସହ ଚାଲିଥିବା ଲାଞ୍ଚ ମାମଲା ଏବଂ ରାଷ୍ଟ୍ରପତି ଟ୍ରମ୍ପଙ୍କ ସହ ତାଙ୍କ କଥାବାର୍ତ୍ତାରେ ଏହି ବିଷୟ ଉଲ୍ଲେଖ କରାଯାଇଛି କି ନାହିଁ ବୋଲି ପତ୍ରକାରଙ୍କୁ ପ୍ରଧାନମନ୍ତ୍ରୀ କହିଥିଲେ, ଦୁଇ ଦେଶର ଦୁଇ ଗୁରୁତ୍ୱପୂର୍ଣ୍ଣ ନେତା କେତେବି ବ୍ୟକ୍ତିଗତ ବିଷୟ ଉପରେ କଥା ହୁଅନ୍ତି ନାହିଁ। ଭାରତ ଏକ ଗଣତନ୍ତ୍ର ଏବଂ ଆମ ସଂସ୍କୃତି ହେଉଛି 'ବସୁଧୈବ କୁଟୁମ୍ବକମ୍', ଆମେ ଭାବୁଛୁ ଯେ ସମଗ୍ର ବିଶ୍ୱ ଏକ ପରିବାର ପରି। ମୁଁ ଭାବୁଛି ସମସ୍ତ ଭାରତୀୟ ମୋ ପରିବାର।

ନିକଟରେ ଆମେରିକାର ନ୍ୟାୟ ବିଭାଗ ଗୌତମ ଆଦାନୀଙ୍କୁ ଭାରତୀୟ କର୍ତ୍ତୃପକ୍ଷଙ୍କୁ ୨୫୦ ନିଯୁତ ଡଲାରରୁ ଅଧିକ ଲାଞ୍ଚ ଦେବା ଷଡ଼ଯନ୍ତ୍ରରେ ଅଂଶଗ୍ରହଣ କରିଥିବା ଅଭିଯୋଗରେ ଦୋଷୀ ସାବ୍ୟସ୍ତ କରିଥିଲା। କୁହାଯାଉଛି, ସୌରଶକ୍ତି କାରବାର ପାଇଁ ଅନୁକୂଳ ପରିସ୍ଥିତି ହାସଲ କରିବା ନିମନ୍ତେ ଏହା କରାଯାଇଥିଲା। ଅଭିଯୋଗରେ ଦର୍ଶାଯାଇଛି ଯେ ଏହି ଦେୟ ଆମେରିକୀୟ ବ୍ୟାଙ୍କ ଓ ନିବେଶକଙ୍କଠାରୁ ଲୁଚାଇ ରଖାଯାଇଥିଲା, ଯେଉଁମାନଙ୍କଠାରୁ ଆଦାନୀ ଗ୍ରୁପ୍ ଏହି ପ୍ରକଳ୍ପ ପାଇଁ କୋଟି କୋଟି ଟଙ୍କା ସଂଗ୍ରହ କରିଥିଲା।

ଡୋନାଲ୍ଡ ଟ୍ରମ୍ପ ଆମେରିକାର ୪୭ତମ ରାଷ୍ଟ୍ରପତି ହେବାର କିଛି ଦିନ ପରେ ଏକ ଗୁରୁତ୍ୱପୂର୍ଣ୍ଣ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟନିର୍ବାହୀ ଆଦେଶରେ ସ୍ୱାକ୍ଷର କରିଥିଲେ। ଆଦାନୀ ଗ୍ରୁପ୍ ଭଳି କାରବାରର ତଦନ୍ତରେ ବ୍ୟବହୃତ ପାଖାପାଖି ୫୦ ବର୍ଷ ପୁରୁଣା ଆଇନର କାର୍ଯ୍ୟକାରିତାକୁ ସ୍ଥଗିତ ରଖିବାକୁ ସେ ନ୍ୟାୟ ବିଭାଗକୁ ନିର୍ଦ୍ଦେଶ ଦେଇଥିଲେ। ଟ୍ରମ୍ପଙ୍କ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟନିର୍ବାହୀ ଆଦେଶରେ ଆଟର୍ଣ୍ଣି ଜେନେରାଲଙ୍କୁ କୁହାଯାଇଛି- ୧୮୦ ଦିନ ମଧ୍ୟରେ ଏଭଳି ତଦନ୍ତକୁ ନିୟନ୍ତ୍ରଣ କରୁଥିବା ମାର୍ଗଦର୍ଶିକା ଓ ନୀତି ଉପରେ ବିଚାର କରନ୍ତୁ। କୌଣସି ବିଶେଷ ବ୍ୟତିକ୍ରମ ନ ଥିଲେ କୌଣସି ନୂତନ ବିଦେଶୀ ଦୁର୍ନୀତି ଉପରେ ପ୍ରବର୍ତ୍ତନ କାର୍ଯ୍ୟାନୁଷ୍ଠାନ ଗ୍ରହଣ କରାଯିବ ନାହିଁ। ଅପରପକ୍ଷେ ଲାଞ୍ଚ ଓ ଠକେଇ ଅଭିଯୋଗ ଆସିବା ପରେ ଗୌତମ ଆଦାନୀ ଏହି ଅଭିଯୋଗକୁ ଖଣ୍ଡନ କରିଛନ୍ତି। ଏହା ତାଙ୍କ ବିରୋଧରେ ଏକ ଷଡ଼ଯନ୍ତ୍ର ବୋଲି କହିଛନ୍ତି।

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ଆମେରିକା ରାଷ୍ଟ୍ରପତି ଡୋନାଲ୍ଡ ଟ୍ରମ୍ପଙ୍କ ସହିତ ମିଳିତ ସାମ୍ବାଦିକ ସମ୍ମିଳନୀରେ ଉତ୍ତରୋଧନ ଦେଉଥିବାବେଳେ ପ୍ରଧାନମନ୍ତ୍ରୀ ନରେନ୍ଦ୍ର ମୋଦିଙ୍କୁ ଜଣେ ସାମ୍ବାଦିକ ଗୌତମ ଅଡାନୀଙ୍କ ବିରୋଧରେ ଜାର୍ଯ୍ୟାନୁଷ୍ଠାନ ଲାଗି ସେ ରାଷ୍ଟ୍ରପତି ଟ୍ରମ୍ପଙ୍କୁ କହିଛନ୍ତି କି ବୋଲି ପ୍ରଶ୍ନ କରିଥିଲେ। ଯେହେତୁ ଆମେରିକାର ଏକ ଅଦାଲତ ଅଡାନୀଙ୍କ ବିରୋଧରେ

'ଏଭଳି ବ୍ୟକ୍ତିଗତ ମାମଲା ପାଇଁ ଦୁଇ ଦେଶର ମୁଖ୍ୟ ନା ଭେଟଭାଟ ହୁଅନ୍ତି, ନା ବୈଠକ କରନ୍ତି ନା କଥାବାର୍ତ୍ତା ହୁଅନ୍ତି'

ଆରନଗତ ଜାର୍ଯ୍ୟାନୁଷ୍ଠାନ ନେବାକୁ ନିର୍ଦ୍ଦେଶ ଦେଇଛି ତେଣୁ ସାମ୍ବାଦିକଙ୍କର ଏହି ପ୍ରଶ୍ନ ଥିଲା।

ପ୍ରଧାନମନ୍ତ୍ରୀ ଏହାର ଉତ୍ତର ଦେଇ କହିଥିଲେ ଯେ, ପ୍ରଥମ କଥା ହେଉଛି ଭାରତ ଏକ ଗଣତାନ୍ତ୍ରିକ ରାଷ୍ଟ୍ର। ଆମର ସଂସ୍କାର ଓ ଆମର ସଂସ୍କୃତି ବସୁଧୈବ କୁଟୁମ୍ବକମରେ ବିଶ୍ୱାସ କରେ। ଆମେ ପୁରା ବିଶ୍ୱକୁ ଏକ ପରିବାର ବୋଲି ମାନିଥାଉ। ସମସ୍ତ ଭାରତୀୟଙ୍କୁ ମୁଁ ନିଜର ମାନିଥାଏ। ଦ୍ୱିତୀୟ କଥା ହେଲା ଏଭଳି ବ୍ୟକ୍ତିଗତ ମାମଲା ପାଇଁ ଦୁଇ ଦେଶର ମୁଖ୍ୟ ନା ଭେଟଭାଟ ହୁଅନ୍ତି, ନା ବୈଠକ କରନ୍ତି ନା କଥାବାର୍ତ୍ତା ହୁଅନ୍ତି।

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ट्रंप के साथ अदाणी मुद्दे पर नहीं हुई चर्चा : मोदी

अमेरिका में प्रधानमंत्री मोदी ने कहा, दो नेता मिलते हैं तो व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर चर्चा नहीं होती

वाशिंगटन, प्रेट्र : प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी ने कहा कि उनकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप से मुलाकात के दौरान उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी के खिलाफ लगाए गए रिश्वतखोरी के आरोपों पर चर्चा नहीं हुई। व्हाइट हाउस में प्रेस वार्ता के दौरान पीएम मोदी से पूछा गया कि क्या उन्होंने कथित रिश्वतखोरी में शामिल होने को लेकर न्यूयार्क की एक अदालत में अदाणी व उनके प्रमुख सहयोगियों पर चल रहे मुकदमे का मुद्दा उठाया। इस पर उन्होंने कहा, 'सबसे पहले, भारत एक लोकतांत्रिक देश है और हमारी संस्कृति और हमारा विचार दर्शन 'वसुधैव कुटुंबकम' है। हम पूरी दुनिया को एक परिवार मानते हैं। मेरा मानना है कि हर भारतीय मेरा है। दो देशों के दो प्रमुख नेता ऐसे व्यक्तिगत मामलों पर कभी चर्चा नहीं करते हैं।' ट्रंप ने प्रेस वार्ता के दौरान इस मामले का कोई जिक्र नहीं किया।

पिछले वर्ष अमेरिकी न्याय मंत्रालय ने अदाणी समूह के प्रमुख गौतम अदाणी, उनके भतीजे सागर और प्रमुख कार्यकारी अधिकारी विनीत जैन पर आरोप लगाया था कि वे भारतीय अधिकारियों को करीब 2,100 करोड़ की रिश्वत देने की कथित साजिश का हिस्सा थे। यह रिश्वत कथित रूप से सौर बिजली की आपूर्ति के लिए ठेका हासिल करने को दी गई थी। हालांकि, अदाणी समूह ने सभी आरोपों को खारिज किया है।



व्हाइट हाउस में प्रधानमंत्री नरेन्द्र मोदी एवं अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति डोनाल्ड ट्रंप की बैठक के दौरान विदेश मंत्री एस जयशंकर तथा राष्ट्रीय सुरक्षा सलाहकार अजीत डोभाल भी उपस्थित रहे● प्रेट्र

यूक्रेन युद्ध पर भारत तटस्थ नहीं, शांति का पक्षधर: पीएम मोदी ने यूक्रेन-रूस युद्ध समाप्त कराने के अमेरिकी राष्ट्रपति ट्रंप के प्रयासों का स्वागत किया। इस बात पर जोर दिया कि संघर्ष का समाधान युद्ध के मैदान में नहीं खोजा जा सकता और शांति के लिए वार्ता और कूटनीति ही एकमात्र रास्ता है।

उन्होंने कहा, भारत युद्ध के मामले में तटस्थ नहीं रहा है और वह शांति का पक्षधर है। ट्रंप के साथ संयुक्त प्रेस वार्ता में मोदी ने कहा, 'मैं हमेशा रूस और यूक्रेन के साथ निकट संपर्क में रहा हूं। मैंने दोनों देशों के नेताओं से मुलाकात की है। दुनिया को लगता है कि भारत तटस्थ है, लेकिन मैं दोहराना चाहता हूं कि भारत तटस्थ नहीं रहा है।'

अवैध रूप से रह रहे भारतीयों को लेने को तैयार: पीएम मोदी ने ट्रंप संग बैठक के दौरान कहा, भारत अपने नागरिकों को वापस लेने को तैयार है, अगर वे अमेरिका में अवैध रूप से रह रहे हैं। उन्होंने मानव तस्करी के इकोसिस्टम को खत्म करने की जरूरत पर जोर दिया।

'मोदी ने अदाणी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाला'

नई दिल्ली, प्रेट्र : कांग्रेस नेता राहुल गांधी ने प्रधानमंत्री मोदी पर भारतीय उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी के कथित 'भ्रष्टाचार को ढंकने' का आरोप लगाया है। राहुल ने एक्स पर एक पोस्ट में कहा, पीएम मोदी जब देश में होते हैं तो सवालों पर चुप्पी साध लेते हैं, लेकिन जब वह सवाल विदेश में पूछे जाते हैं तो वह उसे निजी मामला बता देते हैं। कांग्रेस सांसद ने आरोप लगाया, अमेरिका में भी मोदी जी ने अदाणी जी के भ्रष्टाचार पर पर्दा डाल दिया।



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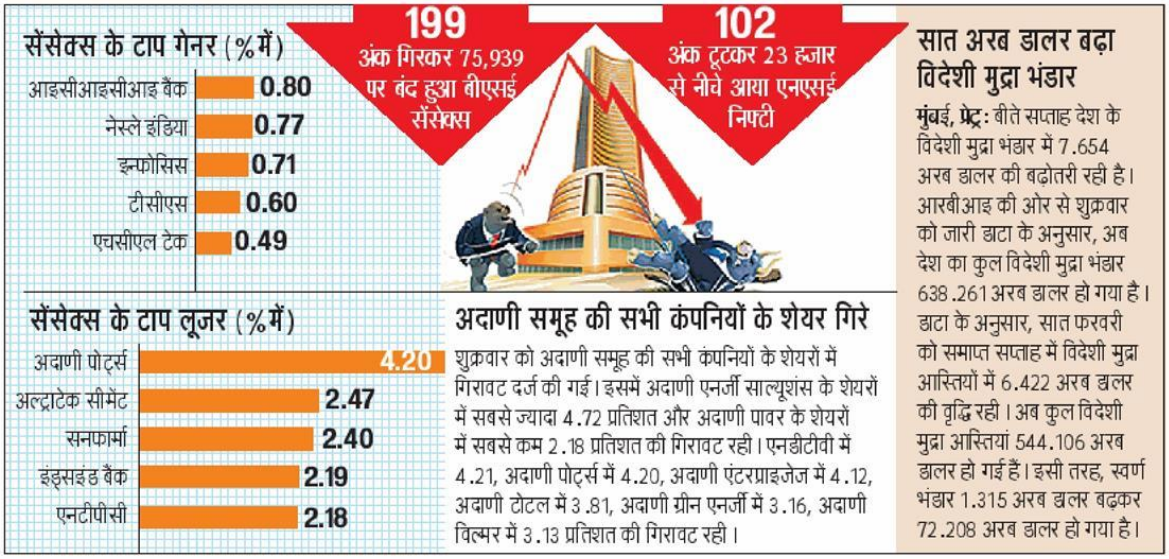
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विदेशी निकासी से लगातार आठवें दिन टूटे बाजार

पांच फरवरी से अब तक दोनों प्रमुख सूचकांक सेंसेक्स 2,644 और निफ्टी में 810 अंक लुढ़के

जेएनएन, नई दिल्ली: विदेशी निवेशकों की निकासी और कारपोरेट के कमजोर तिमाही नतीजों के कारण घरेलू शेयर बाजार शुक्रवार को लगातार आठवें दिन गिरावट के साथ बंद हुए। बीएसई का मानक सूचकांक सेंसेक्स शुरुआती तेजी के बाद 199.76 अंक की गिरावट के साथ 76 हजार के नीचे जाकर 75,939.21 पर बंद हुआ। दिनभर के कारोबार के दौरान इसमें 699.33 अंक तक की गिरावट दर्ज की गई थी। इसी तरह, एनएसई का निफ्टी 102.15 अंक की गिरावट के साथ 23 हजार के स्तर से नीचे जाकर 22,929.25 पर बंद हुआ। पांच फरवरी से अब तक आठ दिनों में सेंसेक्स 2,644.6 अंक या 3.36 प्रतिशत और निफ्टी 810 अंक या 3.41 प्रतिशत गिर चुका है।



अदाणी समूह की सभी कंपनियों के शेयर गिरे

शुक्रवार को अदाणी समूह की सभी कंपनियों के शेयरों में गिरावट दर्ज की गई। इसमें अदाणी एनर्जी साल्यूशंस के शेयरों में सबसे ज्यादा 4.72 प्रतिशत और अदाणी पावर के शेयरों में सबसे कम 2.18 प्रतिशत की गिरावट रही। एनडीटीवी में 4.21, अदाणी पोर्ट्स में 4.20, अदाणी एंटरप्राइजेज में 4.12, अदाणी टोटल में 3.81, अदाणी ग्रीन एनर्जी में 3.16, अदाणी विल्मर में 3.13 प्रतिशत की गिरावट रही।

सात अरब डालर बढ़ा विदेशी मुद्रा भंडार

मुंबई, प्रेट्र: बीते सप्ताह देश के विदेशी मुद्रा भंडार में 7.654 अरब डालर की बढ़ोतरी रही है। आरबीआइ की ओर से शुक्रवार को जारी डाटा के अनुसार, अब देश का कुल विदेशी मुद्रा भंडार 638.261 अरब डालर हो गया है। डाटा के अनुसार, सात फरवरी को समाप्त सप्ताह में विदेशी मुद्रा आस्तियों में 6.422 अरब डालर की वृद्धि रही। अब कुल विदेशी मुद्रा आस्तियां 544.106 अरब डालर हो गई हैं। इसी तरह, स्वर्ण भंडार 1.315 अरब डालर बढ़कर 72.208 अरब डालर हो गया है।

जियोजित फाइनेंशियल सर्विसेज के शोध प्रमुख विनोद नायर का कहना है कि निवेशकों के दिमाग पर जोखिम से बचने की भावना हावी है। इसका कारण यह है कि साल की शुरुआत में कारपोरेट आय बाजार की उम्मीदों से काफी कम रही है। खासतौर पर मिड और स्मालकैप कंपनियों का प्रदर्शन ज्यादा अच्छा नहीं रहा है। इसके अलावा, रुपये में गिरावट के साथ टैरिफ जैसे बाहरी कारकों से निकट भविष्य में बाजार धारणा कमजोर रहने की उम्मीद है। इससे विदेशी संस्थागत निवेशकों (एफआइआइ) की निकासी और बढ़ सकती है। टैरिफ पर स्पष्टता और कारपोरेट आय में सुधार होने तक अस्थिरता उच्च स्तर पर बनी रह सकती है।

एंजल वन के वरिष्ठ विश्लेषक ओशो कृष्णन का कहना है कि यह सप्ताह भारतीय शेयर बाजारों के लिए काफी खराब रहा है। इसने पिछले दो सप्ताहों से बनी सकारात्मक गति को फीका कर दिया है। लगातार आठ दिनों से जारी बिकवाली ने निवेशकों में चिंता का माहौल पैदा कर दिया है। इस सप्ताह बीएसई में 1,920.98 अंक और निफ्टी में 630.7 अंक की गिरावट आई है। बीते आठ दिनों में निवेशकों की संपत्ति में 25.31 लाख करोड़ रुपये की कमी आई है। अब बीएसई का पूंजीकरण घटकर 400.19 लाख करोड़ रुपये रह गया है।

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Diamonds, gold worth Rs 9 crore seized at Mumbai airport, one person arrested

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મુંબઈ એરપોર્ટ પરથી 9 કરોડના હીરા-સોનાની સાથે એકની ધરપકડ

મુંબઈઃ એક્સાઈઝ ડ્યુટી ડિપાર્ટમેંટે મુંબઈ એરપોર્ટ પર કરેલી કાર્યવાહીમાં છ કિલો સોનુ અને 2147 કેરેટ હીરા જપ્ત કર્યા છે જેની કિંમત સવા નવ કરોડ રૂપિયા થાય છે એવી માહિતી અધિકારીએ આપી હતી. આરોપી પ્રવાસીએ પહેરેલા બેલ્ટમાં સોનુ છુપાવ્યું હતું તો હીરા લેપટોપમાં છુપાવવામાં આવ્યા હતા. છેલ્લા થોડા દિવસથી બેંગકોકથી ગાંજાની મોટા પ્રમાણમાં દાણચોરી થતી હોવાથી એના રૂપિયાની લેતીદેતી હવાલા મારફત કરવા હીરાની દાણચોરી કરવામાં આવતી હતી કે નહીં એ બાબતે એક્સાઈઝ ડ્યુટી ડિપાર્ટમેંટ કરી રહ્યું છે.

એક્સાઈઝ ડ્યુટી ડિપાર્ટમેંટે મુંબઈ એરપોર્ટ પર 11 ફેબ્રુઆરીના મધરાતે 5 કિલો 92 ગ્રામ સોનુ અને 2147 કેરેટ હીરા જપ્ત કર્યા. એની કિંમત અંદાજે 9 કરોડ 12 લાખ રૂપિયા છે. દાણચોરી કરનારા પ્રવાસીએ બેલ્ટના બક્કલ, ટ્રોલી બેગ અને આંતરવસ્ત્રોમાં સોનુ છુપાવ્યું હતું. પ્રવાસીની ટ્રોલી બેગમાં રાખવામાં આવેલા લેપટોપમાં હીરા છુપાવવામાં આવ્યા હતા. આ પ્રકરણમાં એક પ્રવાસીની ધરપકડ કરવામાં આવી હતી.

આ બાબતે અધિકારીએ આપેલી માહિતી અનુસાર સુરક્ષા તપાસ અને સ્કેનિંગ પ્રક્રિયા સમયે કેન્દ્રિય ઔદ્યોગિક સુરક્ષા દળના (સીઆઈએસએફ) અધિકારીને એક પ્રવાસીના લેપટોપમાં શંકાસ્પદ વસ્તુ મળી. આ પ્રવાસી મુંબઈથી બેંગકોક જઈ રહ્યો હતો. શક થવાથી એને તરત એરપોર્ટના એર ઈન્ટેલિજન્સ યુનિટને સોંપવામાં આવ્યો. ચુસ્તતાથી તપાસ કરતા એક્સાઈઝ ડ્યુટી ડિપાર્ટમેંટના અધિકારીઓએ એ પ્રવાસી પાસેથી 2147 કેરેટ હીરા જપ્ત કર્યા.

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ટ્રમ્પ-મોદી બેઠક માર્કેટ માટે નિરાશાજનક, સળંગ 8 દિવસમાં સેન્સેક્સ 3.4%, મિડકેપ 7.4%, સ્મોલકેપ 10% તૂટ્યા

ટ્રમ્પનો ડર, M.capમાં સપ્તાહમાં 24 લાખ કરોડનું ધોવાણ

સ્મોલ-મિડકેપના શેર્સ રેકોર્ડ સ્તરે પહોંચતા હવે બે વર્ષ લાગશે

ભાસ્કર એક્સપર્ટ

પાર્થ સંઘાડિયા, રિસર્ચ એનાલિસ્ટ, તોરીન વેલ્થ ગ્રુપ

ભાસ્કર ન્યૂઝ | અમદાવાદ

અમેરિકામાં પોઝિટીવ આશાવાદ વચ્ચે ટ્રમ્પ અને મોદી વચ્ચે મળેલી બેઠક રોકાણકારો માટે નિરાશાજનક સાબીત થઈ છે. ટ્રમ્પે ટેરિફ લાદવાની ચીમકી આપી છે જેના કારણે માર્કેટમાં વધુ નિરુત્સાહી ટ્રેન્ડ જોવા મળ્યો હતો. સળંગ આઠ દિવસ ઘટાડો રહ્યો છે જે અગાઉ 2023 ફેબ્રુ.માં 17-28ના રહ્યો હતો. સાપ્તાહિક ધોરણે સેન્સેક્સ 1920.98 પોઈન્ટ અને નિફ્ટી 630.70 પોઈન્ટ તૂટ્યાં છે જ્યારે રોકાણકારોની મૂડી સરેરાશ 24 લાખ કરોડ ઘટી 400 લાખ કરોડ નજીક પહોંચી છે. ઈક્વિટી માર્કેટમાં ચાલી રહેલા કરેક્શનમાં છેલ્લા એક માસમાં સ્મોલ અને મિડકેપ શેર્સમાં સૌથી વધુ ધોવાણ થયું છે. સ્મોલકેપ 12 ડિસે.ના 57827.69ની રેકોર્ડ સ્તરથી સરેરાશ 20 ટકા ઘટી 45411.25 પહોંચ્યો છે જ્યારે મિડકેપ 24 સપ્ટેમ્બરના 49701.55થી સતત ઘટીને અત્યારે 39731.79 પોઈન્ટ એટલે કે સરેરાશ 22 ટકા ઘટી ચૂક્યો છે. જ્યારે આ ઈન્ડેક્સમાં કેટલાક શેરોમાં છેલ્લા એક મહિનામાં 30-40 ટકાનું ધોવાણ જોવાયું છે.

સેન્સેક્સમાં સપ્તાહના અંતીમ દિવસે 199.76 પોઈન્ટ ઘટીને 75939.21 બંધ રહ્યો હતો ઈન્ટ્રા-ડેમાં 699.33 ઘટીને 75439.64 પહોંચ્યો હતો. નિફ્ટી 102.15 પોઈન્ટ ઘટીને 22929.25 રહ્યો હતો. સેન્સેક્સ પેકમાં અદાણી પોર્ટ્સ 4 ટકાથી વધુ ઘટ્યો હતો. અલ્ટ્રાટેક સિમેન્ટ, સન ફાર્મા, ઈન્ડસઈન્ડ બેન્ક, એનટીપીસી અને ટાટા સ્ટીલ ઘટ્યા હતા. સ્મોલકેપ 3.24 ટકા અને મિડકેપ ઈન્ડેક્સ 2.59 ટકા ઘટ્યો હતો. સેક્ટોરલ ઈન્ડેક્સમાં સર્વિસિસ 3.16 ટકા, ઔદ્યોગિક 3.03 ટકા, કેપિટલ ગુડ્સ 2.76 ટકા, પાવર 2.65 ટકા, યુટિલિટીઝ 2.52 ટકા, કન્ઝ્યુમર ડ્યુરેબલ્સ 2.39 ટકા, કોમોડિટીઝ 2.25 ટકા ઘટ્યા છે.

▪ કરેક્શન ક્યારે અટકશે, રોકાણ માટે સમય શ્રેષ્ઠ ગણી શકાય

માર્કેટમાં હજુ ફંડામેન્ટલ નકારાત્મક છે. અમેરિકા ભારત પર કેટલી ડ્યૂટી લાગુ કરે છે તેના પર નજર છે આ ઉપરાંત હજુ સ્મોલ-મિડકેપમાં અમુક શેર્સના વેલ્યુએશન ઉંચા છે જેના કારણે 5-7 ટકાનો ઘટાડો સંભવ છે. માર્ચ મહિના સુધી માર્કેટમાં મોટી તેજીની સંભાવના નથી. રોકાણ માટે હજુ વેઈટ એન્ડ વોચની નીતિ અપનાવવી જોઈએ. માર્કેટ સ્ટેબલ થાય પછી જ એન્ટ્રી કરવી હિતાવહ રહેશે.

▪ રેકોર્ડ સ્તરે પહોંચેલા શેર્સને ફરી નવી હાઈ બનાવતા બે વર્ષ લાગી શકે : ગતવર્ષે સપ્ટેમ્બર મહિનામાં માર્કેટે રેકોર્ડ સપાટી હાંસલ કરી હતી અને અનેક કંપનીઓએ આ સમયમાં એકવર્ષમાં બમણાથી પણ વધુ રિટર્ન આપ્યું હતું. કરેક્શનમાં 50-75 ટકા સુધી ઘટાડો આવ્યો છે અને આગળ જતા હવે ફરી નવી ટોચ બનાવતા એકથી બે વર્ષનો સમય લાગી શકે છે.

▪ FIIનું વેઈટ એન્ડ વોચ, ભારતમાં રિટર્ન મુદ્દે આશંકાઓ: ભારતીય માર્કેટમાં FIIની એન્ટ્રી મુદ્દે હજુ વેઈટ એન્ડ વોચ છે. કેમકે અમેરિકન બોન્ડ યિલ્ડમાં સારુ રિટર્ન મળે છે જ્યારે ભારતમાં સરેરાશ 10-12 ટકાના રિટર્ન સામે 3-4 ટકા ફોરેક્સ વેલ્યુએશન, અન્ય ખર્ચના કારણે 7-8 ટકા રિસ્કી રિટર્ન સામે સલામત રિટર્નને પ્રાધાન્ય આપી રહ્યાં છે.

▪ તેજી માટે FIIની એન્ટ્રી અને આગામી બે ક્વાર્ટર મહત્વના રહેશે: સુધારા માટે હવે એફઆઈઆઈની એન્ટ્રી જરૂરી છે. આ ઉપરાંત તેજીને સપોર્ટ માટે કોર્પોરેટ કંપનીઓના ક્યુ-4 અને નવા નાણાવર્ષના પહેલા ક્વાર્ટર પર નજર રહેશે. ચાલુ વર્ષમાં હવે આક્રમક તેજીની શક્યતાઓ ઘણી ઓછી છે.

અમુક શેર્સના વેલ્યુએશન ઉંચા હોવાના કારણે આગામી સમયમાં સરેરાશ 5-7 ટકાનો વધુ ઘટાડો થવાની શક્યતા રહેલી છે. માર્કેટમાં હજુ નિરુત્સાહી માહોલ જોવા મળી રહ્યો છે.

સ્મોલકેપ શેર્સની સ્થિતિ

કંપની	રેકોર્ડ	અત્યારે	ઘટાડો
ચેન્નાઈ પેટ્રો	1275	477	-62.59%
ઈરકોન	351	157	-55.27%
ઝી એન્ટ.	205	96.24	-53.05%
SJVN	159.25	89.24	-43.96%
NBCC	139.83	82	-41.36%

મિડકેપ શેર્સમાં થયેલું ધોવાણ

કંપની	રેકોર્ડ	અત્યારે	ઘટાડો
વોડાફોન	19.18	8.18	-57.35%
કોનકોર	1180	673	-42.97%
એસ્ટ્રલ	2454	1333	-45.68%
IDFC ફર્સ્ટ	95.5	60.5	-36.65%
ભારત ફોર્જ	1804	1077	-40.30%

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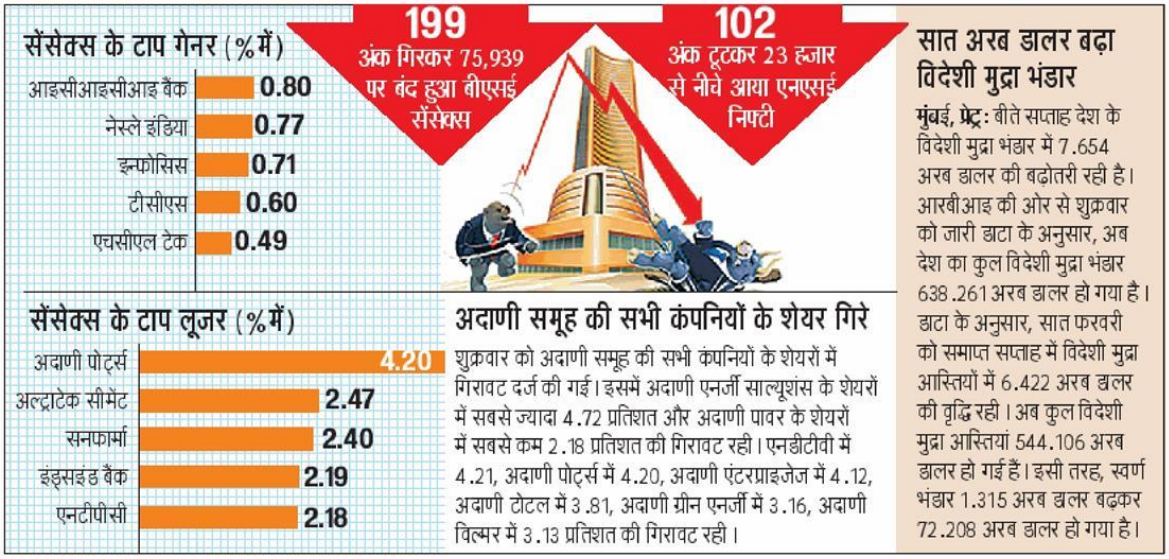
Videeshi nikasi se kagatar 8ve din toote bazaar

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पांच फरवरी से अब तक दोनों प्रमुख सूचकांक सेंसेक्स 2,644 और निफ्टी में 810 अंक लुढ़के

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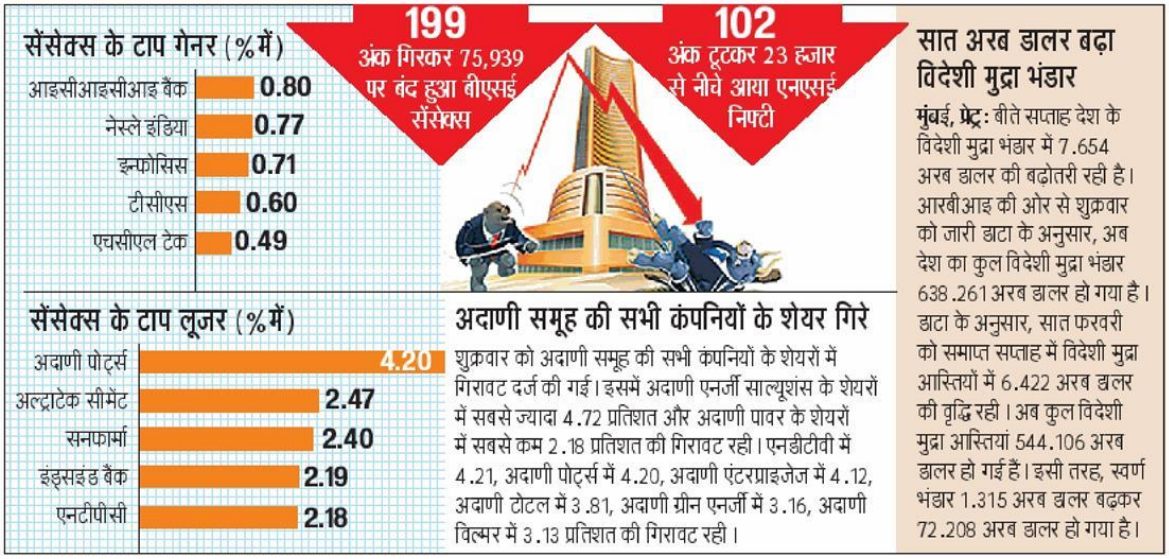
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ಮೋದಿ-ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ದ್ವಿಪಕ್ಷೀಯ ಮಾತುಕತೆ | 2030ರ ಹೊತ್ತಿಗೆ ಉಭಯ ದೇಶಗಳ ವ್ಯಾಪಾರವನ್ನು 500 ಶತಕೋಟಿ ಡಾಲರ್‌ಗೇರಿಸುವ ಗುರಿ

10 ವರ್ಷಗಳ ಭಾರತ-ಅಮೆರಿಕ ನಡುವೆ ರಕ್ಷಣಾ ವಹಿವಾಟಿಗೆ ಒಪ್ಪಂದ | ಸರಕು, ಸೇವೆ ಸೇರಿ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಪರಸ್ಪರ ಸಹಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಒತ್ತು

ನವದೆಹಲಿ: 2030ರ ವೇಳೆ ಭಾರತ ಮತ್ತು ಅಮೆರಿಕದ ನಡುವಿನ ವ್ಯಾಪಾರವನ್ನು ದುಪ್ಪಟ್ಟು ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಸಿ 500 ಬಿಲಿಯನ್ ಡಾಲರ್ (45 ಲಕ್ಷ ಕೋಟಿ ರೂ.)ಗೆ ಏರಿಸುವ 'ಮಿಷನ್-500'ಗೆ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಹಾಗೂ ಮೋದಿ ಒಪ್ಪಂದಗಳನ್ನು ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಮೋದಿ ಅವರ 2 ದಿನಗಳ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಪ್ರವಾಸದಲ್ಲಾದ ಒಟ್ಟಾರೆ ಒಪ್ಪಂದಗಳ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ವಿದೇಶಾಂಗ ಸಚಿವಾಲಯದ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿ ವಿಕ್ರಂ ಮಿಸ್ರಿ ಈ ರೀತಿಯಾಗಿ ವಿವರಣೆ ನೀಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಭಾರತ ಮತ್ತು ಅಮೆರಿಕ ನಡುವೆ 2024ರಲ್ಲಿ ಒಟ್ಟು ವ್ಯಾಪಾರ ವಹಿವಾಟು 129.2 ಬಿಲಿಯನ್ ಡಾಲರ್(12 ಲಕ್ಷಕೋಟಿ ರೂ.) ಆಗಿದೆ.

ರಕ್ಷಣಾ ಒಪ್ಪಂದ, ವಾಣಿಜ್ಯ ಮತ್ತು ತಂತ್ರಜ್ಞಾನ ಪ್ರಗತಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಪಾಲುದಾರಿಕೆ ಹೊಂದಲು ಉಭಯ ನಾಯಕರ ನಡುವೆ ಒಪ್ಪಂದಗಳು ನಡೆದಿವೆ. ಇದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ 10 ವರ್ಷಗಳ ಚೌಕಟ್ಟನ್ನು ರಚಿಸಿ ಮಾಡಲಾಗಿದೆ. ಇದು 21ನೇ ಶತಮಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ಉಭಯ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರಗಳ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಅವರು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

2025 ಮುಗಿಯುವ ವೇಳೆಗೆ ಬಹುವಲಯಗಳಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ ಉಭಯ ನಾಯಕರು ದ್ವಿಪಕ್ಷೀಯ ಮಾತುಕತೆ ನಡೆಸಲು ಉಭಯ ನಾಯಕರು ತೀರ್ಮಾನಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಇದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಹಿರಿಯ ನಾಯಕರನ್ನು ನೇಮಕ ಮಾಡಲು ಉಭಯ ದೇಶಗಳು ತೀರ್ಮಾನಿಸಿವೆ. ಸರಕು ಮತ್ತು ಸೇವಾ ವಲಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಹಭಾಗಿತ್ವವನ್ನು ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದು ಉಭಯ ದೇಶಗಳ ನಡುವಿನ ಪ್ರಮುಖ ಮಾತುಕತೆಯಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಅವರು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ.



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26/11 ದಾಳಿಯ ಸಂಚುಕೋರ, ಪಾಕ್ ಮೂಲದ ಉಗ್ರ ತಹಾವ್ವುರ್ ರಾಣನನ್ನು ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ಹಸ್ತಾಂತರಿಸಲು ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಒಪ್ಪಿಕೊಂಡಿದೆ. ತನ್ನನ್ನು ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ಹಸ್ತಾಂತರಿಸದಂತೆ ಕೋರಿ ತಹಾವ್ವುರ್ ರಾಣಾ ಸಲ್ಲಿಸಿದ್ದ ಅರ್ಜಿಯನ್ನು ಅಮೆರಿಕದ ಸುಪ್ರೀಂ ಕೋರ್ಟ್ ಜನವರಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ತಿರಸ್ಕರಿಸಿತ್ತು. ಆ ಮೂಲಕ ಪ್ರಕ್ರಿಯೆಯನ್ನು ಸುಗಮಗೊಳಿಸಿತ್ತು. ಇದೇ ವೇಳೆ, ಅಮೆರಿಕದಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಯುತ್ತಿರುವ 'ಇಸ್ಲಾಮಿಕ್ ಉಗ್ರವಾದ ಮತ್ತು ಖಲಿಸ್ತಾನಿ ಉಪಟಳವನ್ನು ಕಡೆಯುತ್ತೇವೆ ಎಂದು ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಇಸ್ಲಾಮಿಕ್ ಉಗ್ರವಾದ ಹೇಳಿಕೆಗೆ ಪಾಕ್ ವಿರೋಧ

ಮೋದಿ ಮತ್ತು ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಅವರು ಮಾತುಕತೆಯ ಸಮಯದಲ್ಲಿ 'ಇಸ್ಲಾಮಿಕ್ ಭಯೋತ್ಪಾದನೆ' ಎಂಬ ಪದವನ್ನು ಬಳಕೆ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದು, 'ಇದಕ್ಕೆ ಪಾಕಿಸ್ತಾನ ವಿರೋಧ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಪಡಿಸಿದೆ. ಅಮೆರಿಕದಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆಯು ತ್ತಿರುವ ಖಲಿಸ್ತಾನಿ ಮತ್ತು 'ಇಸ್ಲಾಮಿಕ್ ಭಯೋತ್ಪಾದ ನೆಯನ್ನು ತಡೆಗಟ್ಟುತ್ತೇವೆ ಎಂದು ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದರು.

ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ಎಫ್-35 ಯುದ್ಧ ವಿಮಾನ ನೀಡಲು ಒಪ್ಪಿಗೆ

ಬೆಂಗಳೂರಲ್ಲಿ ನಡೆದ ಏರ್‌ಶೋದಲ್ಲಿ ಪಾಲ್ಗೊಂಡಿದ್ದ ಅಮೆರಿಕದ ಶಕ್ತಿಶಾಲಿ ಎಫ್-35 ಯುದ್ಧವಿಮಾನವನ್ನು ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ನೀಡಲು ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಒಪ್ಪಿಗೆ ಸೂಚಿಸಿದೆ. ಇದರೊಂದಿಗೆ ರಕ್ಷಣಾ ಕ್ಷೇತ್ರಕ್ಕೆ ಭಾರಿ ಉತ್ತೇಜನ ಲಭಿಸಲಿದೆ. ಮಿಲಿಟರಿ ಸಹಕಾರ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಸುವುದರ ಭಾಗವಾಗಿ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಆತ್ಯಾಧುನಿಕ ಯುದ್ಧವಿಮಾನ ಗಳನ್ನು ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ಪೂರೈಸಲಿದೆ. ಜತೆಗೆ ಸಮುದ್ರದ ಮೇಲೆ ಕಣ್ಗಾವಲು ವಹಿಸಲು ಸಹಕಾರ ನೀಡುವ ಪಿ-8ಐ ವಿಮಾನವನ್ನು ಪಡೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಲು ಭಾರತ ಉತ್ಸುಕತೆ ತೋರಿದೆ. ಈಗಾಗಲೇ ಭಾರತದ ನೌಕಾಪಡೆಯ ಬಳಿ 11 ಪಿ-8 ವಿಮಾನಗಳಿದ್ದು, ಹೆಚ್ಚುವರಿ 6 ವಿಮಾನಗಳಿಗೆ ಬೇಡಿಕೆ ಇಟ್ಟಿದೆ. ಇದಲ್ಲದೇ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಟ್ಯಾಂಕ್ ಕ್ಷಿಪಣಿಯಾದ 'ಜಾವೆಲಿನ್', ಯುದ್ಧವಾಹನವಾದ 'ಸ್ಟ್ರೈಕರ್'ಗಳನ್ನು ಒಟ್ಟಾಗಿ ಉತ್ಪಾದನೆ ಮಾಡಲು ಉಭಯ ದೇಶಗಳು ಮಾತುಕತೆ ನಡೆಸಿವೆ. ಭಾರತದ ಗಡಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಚೀನಾ ತನ್ನ ಶಸ್ತ್ರಾಸ್ತ್ರಗಳ ಪ್ರಮಾಣವನ್ನು ಹೆಚ್ಚಿಸಿದ ಬಳಿಕ ಈ ಮಾತುಕತೆ ಹೆಚ್ಚಿನ ಪ್ರಾಮುಖ್ಯತೆ ಪಡೆದುಕೊಂಡಿದೆ.

ಅದಾನಿ ವಿಷಯ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಜತೆ ಚರ್ಚಿಸಿಲ್ಲ: ಮೋದಿ

ವೈಯಕ್ತಿಕ ವಿಚಾರಗಳ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಡೊನಾಲ್ಡ್ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಅವರೊಂದಿಗೆ ಚರ್ಚಿಸಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ನರೇಂದ್ರ ಮೋದಿ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಜಂಟಿ ಸುದ್ದಿಗೋಷ್ಠಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾತನಾಡಿರುವ ಮೋದಿ, 'ಪ್ರತಿಯೊಬ್ಬ ಭಾರತೀಯನೂ ನನ್ನ ಸ್ವಂತ ಕುಟುಂಬದ ಸದಸ್ಯ. ಆದರೆ, ಅಂತಹ ವೈಯಕ್ತಿಕ ವಿಚಾರಗಳಿಗೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ, ಎರಡು ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರಗಳ ನಾಯಕರು ಒಟ್ಟಿಗೆ ಸೇರುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಮತ್ತು ವೈಯಕ್ತಿಕ ವಿಚಾರಗಳ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಚರ್ಚಿಸುವುದಿಲ್ಲ' ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಆ ಮೂಲಕ ಅದಾನಿ ವಿಚಾರದ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮಾತನಾಡಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ಸ್ಪಷ್ಟಪಡಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಕಿರು ಅಣು ಸ್ಥಾವರ ಹೆಚ್ಚಳಕ್ಕೆ ವಾಗ್ದಾನ: ಕರ್ನಾಟಕಕ್ಕೂ ಲಾಭ

ಭಾರತದಲ್ಲಿ ಅಣುಸ್ಥಾವರಗಳ ಸಂಖ್ಯೆಯನ್ನು ಹೆಚ್ಚಳ ಮಾಡುವ ಕುರಿತಾಗಿ ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಮೋದಿ ಹಾಗೂ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಮಾತುಕತೆ ನಡೆಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅಣು ಸ್ಥಾವರಗಳ ಹೆಚ್ಚಳಕ್ಕೆ ಸಂಬಂಧಿಸಿದಂತೆ 2025ರ ಬಜೆಟ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾಡಿರುವ ಘೋಷಣೆಗಳನ್ನು ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಸ್ವಾಗತಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ವಿಶೇಷವಾಗಿ ಬೃಹತ್ ಮತ್ತು ಕಿರು ವಿದ್ಯುತ್ ಅಣುಸ್ಥಾವರಗಳಿಗೆ ದ್ವಿಪಕ್ಷೀಯ ಒಪ್ಪಂದ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲು ಉಭಯ ನಾಯಕರು ಒಪ್ಪಿಗೆ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಪಡಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಕರ್ನಾಟಕದಲ್ಲೂ ಕಿರು ಅಣುಸ್ಥಾವರಗಳನ್ನು ಸ್ಥಾಪಿಸಲಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ. ಈ ಒಪ್ಪಂದದಿಂದ ರಾಜ್ಯಕ್ಕೂ ಲಾಭವಾಗಲಿದೆ.

ಅಮೆರಿಕದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ನಮ್ಮ ದೇಶದ ಅಕ್ರಮ ವಲಸಿಗರ ಸ್ವೀಕಾರಕ್ಕೆ ಬದ್ಧ: ಮೋದಿ

ಅಮೆರಿಕದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಭಾರತೀಯ ಅಕ್ರಮ ವಲಸಿಗರನ್ನು ವಾಪಸ್ ಸ್ವೀಕರಿಸಲು ಬದ್ಧರಾಗಿದ್ದೇವೆ ಎಂದು ಜಂಟಿ ಹೇಳಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ 'ತಿಳಿಸಿರುವ ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಮೋದಿ, 'ಅಕ್ರಮ ವಲಸಿಗರ ಸಮಸ್ಯೆ ನೀಗಿಸಲು ಮಾನವ ಕಳ್ಳ ಸಾಗಣೆ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆ ನಿರ್ಮಾಮ ಮಾಡಬೇಕಿದೆ. ಜಾಲದ ವಿರುದ್ಧವೂ ನಾವೆಲ್ಲರೂ ಒಗ್ಗಟ್ಟಾಗಿ ಹೋರಾಡಬೇಕಾಗಿದೆ. ಭಾರತದ ಈ ಹೋರಾಟಕ್ಕೆ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಕೂಡ ಬೆಂಬಲಿಸುತ್ತದೆ ಎಂದು ನಂಬಿದ್ದೇನೆ ಎಂದು ಮೋದಿ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ.



'ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ನೀವು ಶ್ರೇಷ್ಠರು'ಎಂಬ ಒಕ್ಕಣಿಕೆ ಇರುವ ಪುಸ್ತಕ ತೋರಿಸುತ್ತಿರುವ ಟ್ರಂಪ್.

ಮಿಸ್ಟರ್ ಪಿಎಂ ನೀವು ಗ್ರೇಟ್: ಟ್ರಂಪ್

ಅಮೆರಿಕಕ್ಕೆ ಪ್ರವಾಸ ಕೈಗೊಂಡಿರುವ ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಮೋದಿ ಅವರನ್ನು ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ಡೊನಾಲ್ಡ್ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಹಾಡಿ ಹೊಗಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಮೋದಿ ಅವರನ್ನು ತಬ್ಬಿಕೊಂಡು ಬರಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿರುವ ಟ್ರಂಪ್, 'ನಿಮ್ಮನ್ನು ಭೇಟಿಯಾಗಲು ಖುಷಿಯಾಗುತ್ತಿದೆ. ನೀವೆ ನನ್ನ ದೀರ್ಘಕಾಲದ ಉತ್ತಮ ಸ್ನೇಹಿತ. ನಿಮ್ಮನ್ನು ಮಿಸ್ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತಿದ್ದೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಮುಂದುವರಿದು, 'ಅವರು (ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಮೋದಿ) ಸಗಿಂತಲೂ ಕುಬ್ಜನಿಟ್ಟಿದ್ದ ಚೆಕಾತಿ ಮಾಡಿಬಲ್ಲರು. ಅವರೊಬ್ಬ ಶ್ರೇಷ್ಠ ನಾಯಕ, ವಿಶೇಷ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಿ' ಎಂದು ಗುಣಗಾನ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಈ ಸಂದರ್ಭದಲ್ಲಿ, ಮೋದಿಗೆ ಪುಸ್ತಕವನ್ನು ಉಡುಗೊರೆಯಾಗಿ ನೀಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಈ ಪುಸ್ತಕದಲ್ಲಿ 'ಮಿಸ್ಟರ್ ಪಿಎಂ ಯು ಆರ್ ಗ್ರೇಟ್' ಎಂದು ಮೋದಿ ಕುರಿತು ಬರೆದುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಅದಾನಿ ಭ್ರಷ್ಟಾಚಾರ ಮುಚ್ಚಿಟ್ಟ ಮೋದಿ: ರಾಗಾ

ಅದಾನಿ ಭ್ರಷ್ಟಾಚಾರವನ್ನು ಮುಚ್ಚಿಡುವ ಪ್ರಯತ್ನ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿರುವ ಮೋದಿ, ದೇಶದಲ್ಲಾದರೆ ಈ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮೌನವಹಿಸುತ್ತಾರೆ. ವಿದೇಶದಲ್ಲಾದರೆ ಅದು ವೈಯಕ್ತಿಕ ವಿಷಯ ಎನ್ನುತ್ತಾರೆಂದು ವಿಪಕ್ಷ ನಾಯಕ ರಾಹುಲ್ ಗಾಂಧಿ ಕಿಡಿಕಾರಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಕಾಂಗ್ರೆಸ್ ಪಕ್ಷವೂ ಈ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಮೋದಿ ವಿರುದ್ಧ ಟೀಕಿಸಿದೆ. ಅಕ್ರಮ ವಲಸಿಗರಿಗೆ ಕೋಳ ಹಾಕಿರುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಕಾಂಗ್ರೆಸ್ ಸಂಸದ ಶಶಿ ತರೂರ್ ವಿರೋಧ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಪಡಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

ಉಕ್ರೇನ್ ಯುದ್ಧದಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾರತ ತಟಸ್ಥವಲ್ಲ, ಶಾಂತಿ ಪರ: ಮೋದಿ

ವಾಷಿಂಗ್ಟನ್: ಉಕ್ರೇನ್ ಮತ್ತು ರಷ್ಯಾ ನಡುವಣ ಯುದ್ಧವನ್ನು ಅಂತ್ಯಗೊಳಿಸಲು ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಕೈಗೊಂಡಿರುವ ನಿರ್ಧಾರಗಳನ್ನು ಶ್ಲಾಘಿಸಿರುವ ಮೋದಿ, ಭಾರತವೂ ಕೂಡ ಈ ಯುದ್ಧದ ವಿಚಾರವಾಗಿ ತಟಸ್ಥ ನೀತಿ ಅನುಸರಿಸದೆ ಶಾಂತಿಯ ಪರವಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅಲ್ಲದೆ, 'ರಷ್ಯಾ ಉಕ್ರೇನ್‌ನೊಂದಿಗೆ ನಿಕಟವಾಗಿರುವ ನಾನು ಉಭಯ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರಗಳ ನಾಯಕರನ್ನು ಭೇಟಿಯಾಗಿದ್ದೇನೆ. ಈ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಭಾರತ ತಟಸ್ಥವಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಜಗತ್ತು ಭಾವಿಸುತ್ತಿರಬಹುದು, ಆದರೆ ಭಾರತ ತಟಸ್ಥವಾಗಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ಮೋದಿ ಸ್ಪಷ್ಟಪಡಿಸಿದರು.

ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ಮೋದಿ ವಾಪಸ್

ಅಮೆರಿಕದ 2 ದಿನಗಳ ಪ್ರವಾಸ ಮುಗಿಸಿದ ಪ್ರಧಾನಿ ಮೋದಿ ಶುಕ್ರವಾರ ರಾತ್ರಿ ಭಾರತಕ್ಕೆ ಮರಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಮೋದಿಯ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಭೇಟಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಉಭಯ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರಗಳ ಸಹಕಾರ ವೃದ್ಧಿಯ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಟ್ರಂಪ್ ಜತೆ ಹಲವು ಮಹತ್ವದ ಮಾತುಕತೆ ನಡೆಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಈ ವೇಳೆ ಅಮೆರಿಕದ ಹಲವು ಪ್ರಮುಖ ನಾಯಕರನ್ನೂ ಮೋದಿ ಭೇಟಿಯಾದರು.

ಬಾಂಗ್ಲಾ ವಿಷಯ ಭಾರತವೇ ನೋಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲಿದೆ: ಟ್ರಂಪ್

ಭಾರತ ಮತ್ತು ಬಾಂಗ್ಲಾದೇಶದ ನಡುವೆ ಉಂಟಾಗಿರುವ ಬಿಕ್ಕಟ್ಟಿನ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಮಾತನಾಡಿದ ಟ್ರಂಪ್, ಬಾಂಗ್ಲಾ ವಿಷಯವನ್ನು ಭಾರತವೇ ನೋಡಿಕೊಳ್ಳಲಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಈ ಮೂಲಕ ಬಾಂಗ್ಲಾ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಮಧ್ಯಪ್ರವೇಶಿಸುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ತಿಳಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ ಎಂದು ವಿದೇಶಾಂಗ ಇಲಾಖೆಯ ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿ ವಿಕ್ರಮ್ ಮಿಸ್ರಿ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಮೋದಿ ಅಮೆರಿಕ ಭೇಟಿ ವೇಳೆ ಬಾಂಗ್ಲಾದಲ್ಲಿನ ಪರಿಸ್ಥಿತಿ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಉಭಯ ನಾಯಕರು ಕಳವಳ ವ್ಯಕ್ತಪಡಿಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

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To a question on whether the issue relating to Adani figured in the talks, PM Modi at a joint media ...

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અદાણી મુદ્દે જવાબ ટાળતા

મોદીએ કહ્યું બે રાષ્ટ્ર વચ્ચે વાતચીતમાં વ્યક્તિગત મુદ્દા નહીં

વોશિંગ્ટનઃ અમેરિકામાં પત્રકાર પરિષદ સમયે હંમેશા અણગમતા પ્રશ્નોનો સામનો કરનાર વડાપ્રધાન નરેન્દ્ર મોદીને ગઈકાલે વ્હાઈટ હાઉસમાં પત્રકાર પરિષદમાં અદાણી અંગે પ્રશ્ન પૂછતા વડાપ્રધાને એક લાંબી પણ સંબંધીત નહી તેવી પૂર્વભૂમિકા બાંધી હતી અને પછી અદાણીનું નામ લીધા વગર જ બે રાષ્ટ્રપ્રમુખોની વાતચીતમાં વ્યક્તિગત મુદ્દાઓ ચર્ચાતા નથી તેમ કહીને સીધો જવાબ ટાળ્યો હતો અને હવે તે મુદ્દે ઘરઆંગણે કોંગ્રેસ પક્ષે મોદીને ભીંસમાં લેવા પ્રયાસ કર્યા છે. ગૌતમ અદાણી જેઓ સામે અમેરિકામાં વ્યાપારી લાંચ આપવાનો આરોપ છે અને ન્યુયોર્કની અદાલતમાં તે અંગે કેસ પણ દાખલ થયો છે તેવા વડાપ્રધાનને પ્રશ્ન પૂછ્યો અને ભારત સરકારનું વલણ શું છે તે એક પત્રકારે પુછ્યુ હતું. મોદીએ તેના જવાબમાં કહ્યું કે ભારત એક લોકતંત્ર દેશ છે અને અમારી સંસ્કૃતિ વસુધૈવ કુટુંબકમની છે. અમો પુરી દુનિયાને મિત્ર માનીએ છીએ અને માનવ છે કે દરેક ભારતીય મારો પરિવાર છે પછી તેઓએ એક વાકયમાં આ પ્રશ્ન અપ્રસ્તુત હોવાનું જણાવીને ઉમેર્યું કે બે રાષ્ટ્રવડાઓ વચ્ચેની વાતચીતમાં આ પ્રકારના વ્યક્તિગત મુદ્દાઓ આવતા નથી. આમ કહી તેઓએ જવાબ પુરો કર્યો તો પ્રમુખ ટ્રમ્પે તો તેમના વકતવ્યમાં આ અંગે કોઈ ચર્ચા જ કરી ન હતી.

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Only equation that counts is Modi plus Adani...: Jairam Ramesh takes dig at PM Modi's 'MEGA' remark

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5	English	92	N/A	Top Left	55312	6K

Only equation that counts is Modi plus Adani...: Jairam Ramesh takes dig at PM Modi's 'MEGA' remark

MI News Service, New Delhi: Congress MP Jairam Ramesh on Friday took a dig at Prime Minister Narendra Modi over his "MEGA" remark after meeting US President Donald Trump, saying that the only equation that counts is 'Modani,' referring to businessman Gautam Adani.

In a post on X, Ramesh said, "This is Prime Minister Modi's first visit to the United States since President Donald Trump's inauguration for his second presidential term last month. Now, he says, in the context of India and the USA, that MAGA + MIGA = MEGA. Actually, the only equation that counts is Modi + Adani = Modani."

Earlier in the day, PM Modi drew a parallel between India's "Viksit Bharat" vision and the "Make America Great Again" (MAGA) slogan in the United States, coining the term "Make India Great Again" (MIGA).

Taking to social media platform X, PM Modi noted that India and the US have formed a "MEGA" partnership to drive prosperity for both nations.

"President Trump often talks about MAGA. In India, we are working towards a Viksit Bharat, which in the American context translates into MIGA. And together, India and the USA have a MEGA partnership for prosperity!" the Prime Minister said in a post.

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PM Modi is among the first world leaders to visit the United States following the inauguration of President Trump and has been invited to the US within barely three weeks of the new administration.

Following the bilateral meeting between Prime Minister Narendra Modi and President Donald Trump, Foreign Secretary Vikram Misri provided a detailed overview of the key initiatives launched during the visit and said that the leaders launched Mission-500 in the sector of trade and investment, aiming to more than double two-way trade to USD 500 billion by 2030.

He added that the leaders unveiled the US-India Compact for the 21st Century, aimed at accelerating military partnerships, commerce, and technological advancements. Modi also displayed his knowledge of algebraic equations, acquired during his training in political science. He first likened Indo-Canada relations to "(a+b)^2 = a^2 + b^2 + 2ab".

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Modi's visit is historic, Rahul Gandhi is suffering from 'mental illness': BJP

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मोदी की यात्रा ऐतिहासिक, राहुल गांधी 'मानसिक बीमारी' से पीड़ित : भाजपा

नयी दिल्ली. भाजपा ने प्रधानमंत्री नरेंद्र मोदी की अमेरिका यात्रा को 'ऐतिहासिक' और सफल बताया और शुक्रवार को नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी की प्रधानमंत्री पर की गयी टिप्पणी को लेकर उनकी आलोचना की. साथ ही आरोप लगाया कि वह एक 'मानसिक बीमारी' से ग्रस्त है, जिसके कारण 'अदाणी, हिंडनबर्ग और रफाल' के प्रति आसक्त है. भाजपा के राष्ट्रीय प्रवक्ता अजय आलोक ने यहां पार्टी मुख्यालय में संवाददाता सम्मेलन में कहा कि वह ऑब्सेसिव कंपल्सिव डिसऑर्डर से पीड़ित है. उन्हें इस गंभीरता से लेने की जरूरत है.



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Rahul accuses Modi of 'covering up Adani's corruption

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अदाणी मामले में अमेरिका में भी डाला गया पर्दा, लूटी गयी संपत्ति देश की : राहुल

नयी दिल्ली. लोकसभा में नेता प्रतिपक्ष राहुल गांधी ने पीएम मोदी द्वारा अमेरिका में उद्योगपति गौतम अदाणी से जुड़े मामले में की गयी टिप्पणी पर आरोप लगाया कि तथ्य पर पर्दा डाला गया. रिश्वतखोरी और देश की संपत्ति को लूटने के मामले को व्यक्तिगत बताया गया. देश में सवाल पूछे तो चुप्पी, विदेश में पूछे तो निजी मामला. गौरतलब है कि पीएम ने अमेरिका में प्रेस वार्ता के दौरान गौतम अदाणी से जुड़े सवाल पर कहा कि मेरा मानना है कि यह व्यक्तिगत मामला है. दो नेताओं के बीच बातचीत में ऐसे मामलों पर चर्चा नहीं की जाती.



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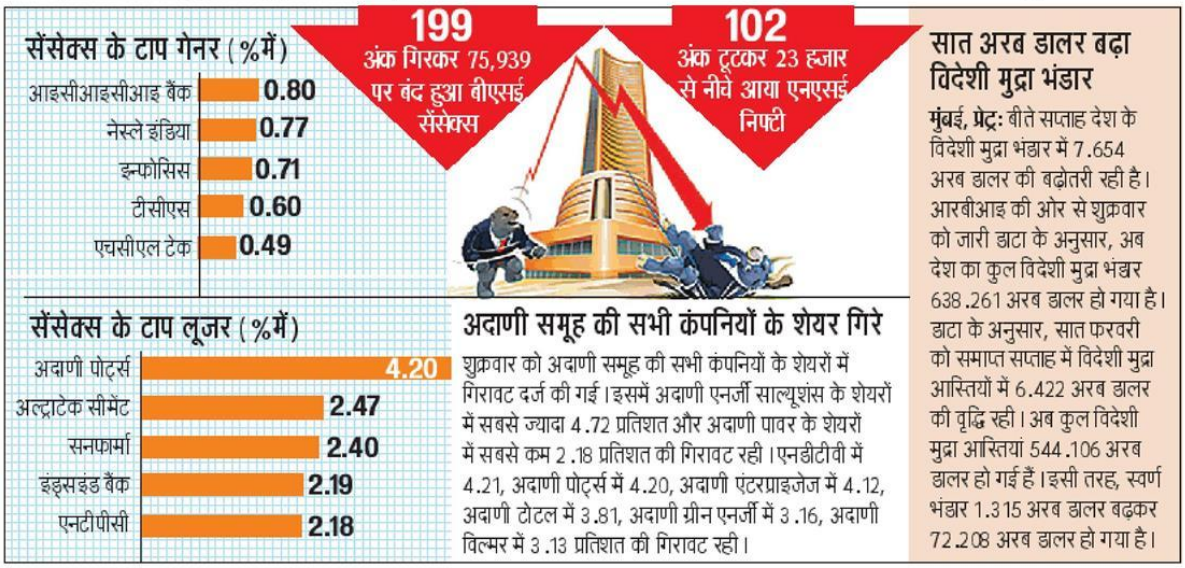
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जेएनएन, नई दिल्ली: विदेशी निवेशकों की निकासी और कारपोरेट के कमजोर तिमाही नतीजों के कारण घरेलू शेयर बाजार शुक्रवार को लगातार आठवें दिन गिरावट के साथ बंद हुए। बीएसई का मानक सूचकांक सेंसेक्स शुरुआती तेजी के बाद 199.76 अंक की गिरावट के साथ 76 हजार के नीचे जाकर 75,939.21 पर बंद हुआ। दिनभर के कारोबार के दौरान इसमें 699.33 अंक तक की गिरावट दर्ज की गई थी। इसी तरह, एनएसई का निफ्टी 102.15 अंक की गिरावट के साथ 23 हजार के स्तर से नीचे जाकर 22,929.25 पर बंद हुआ। पांच फरवरी से अब तक आठ दिनों में सेंसेक्स 2,644.6 अंक या 3.36 प्रतिशत और निफ्टी 810 अंक या 3.41 प्रतिशत गिर चुका है।



अदाणी समूह की सभी कंपनियों के शेयर गिरे

शुक्रवार को अदाणी समूह की सभी कंपनियों के शेयरों में गिरावट दर्ज की गई। इसमें अदाणी एनर्जी साल्यूशंस के शेयरों में सबसे ज्यादा 4.72 प्रतिशत और अदाणी पावर के शेयरों में सबसे कम 2.18 प्रतिशत की गिरावट रही। एनडीटीवी में 4.21, अदाणी पोर्ट्स में 4.20, अदाणी एंटरप्राइजेज में 4.12, अदाणी टोटल में 3.81, अदाणी ग्रीन एनर्जी में 3.16, अदाणी विल्मर में 3.13 प्रतिशत की गिरावट रही।

सात अरब डालर बढ़ा विदेशी मुद्रा भंडार

मुंबई, प्रेट्र: बीते सप्ताह देश के विदेशी मुद्रा भंडार में 7.654 अरब डालर की बढ़ोतरी रही है। आरबीआइ की ओर से शुक्रवार को जारी डाटा के अनुसार, अब देश का कुल विदेशी मुद्रा भंडार 638.261 अरब डालर हो गया है। डाटा के अनुसार, सात फरवरी को समाप्त सप्ताह में विदेशी मुद्रा आस्तियों में 6.422 अरब डालर की वृद्धि रही। अब कुल विदेशी मुद्रा आस्तियां 544.106 अरब डालर हो गई हैं। इसी तरह, स्वर्ण भंडार 1.315 अरब डालर बढ़कर 72.208 अरब डालर हो गया है।

जियोजित फाइनेंशियल सर्विसेज के शोध प्रमुख विनोद नायर का कहना है कि निवेशकों के दिमाग पर जोखिम से बचने की भावना हावी है। इसका कारण यह है कि साल की शुरुआत में कारपोरेट आय बाजार की उम्मीदों से काफी कम रही है। खासतौर पर मिड और स्मालकैप कंपनियों का प्रदर्शन ज्यादा अच्छा नहीं रहा है। इसके अलावा, रुपये में गिरावट के साथ टैरिफ जैसे बाहरी कारकों से निकट भविष्य में बाजार धारणा कमजोर रहने की उम्मीद है। इससे विदेशी संस्थागत निवेशकों (एफआइआइ) की निकासी और बढ़ सकती है। टैरिफ पर स्पष्टता और कारपोरेट आय में सुधार होने तक अस्थिरता उच्च स्तर पर बनी रह सकती है।

एंजल वन के वरिष्ठ विश्लेषक ओशो कृष्णन का कहना है कि यह सप्ताह भारतीय शेयर बाजारों के लिए काफी खराब रहा है। इसने पिछले दो सप्ताहों से बनी सकारात्मक गति को फीका कर दिया है। लगातार आठ दिनों से जारी बिकवाली ने निवेशकों में चिंता का माहौल पैदा कर दिया है। इस सप्ताह बीएसई में 1,920.98 अंक और निफ्टी में 630.7 अंक की गिरावट आई है। बीते आठ दिनों में निवेशकों की संपत्ति में 25.31 लाख करोड़ रुपये की कमी आई है। अब बीएसई का पूंजीकरण घटकर 400.19 लाख करोड़ रुपये रह गया है।

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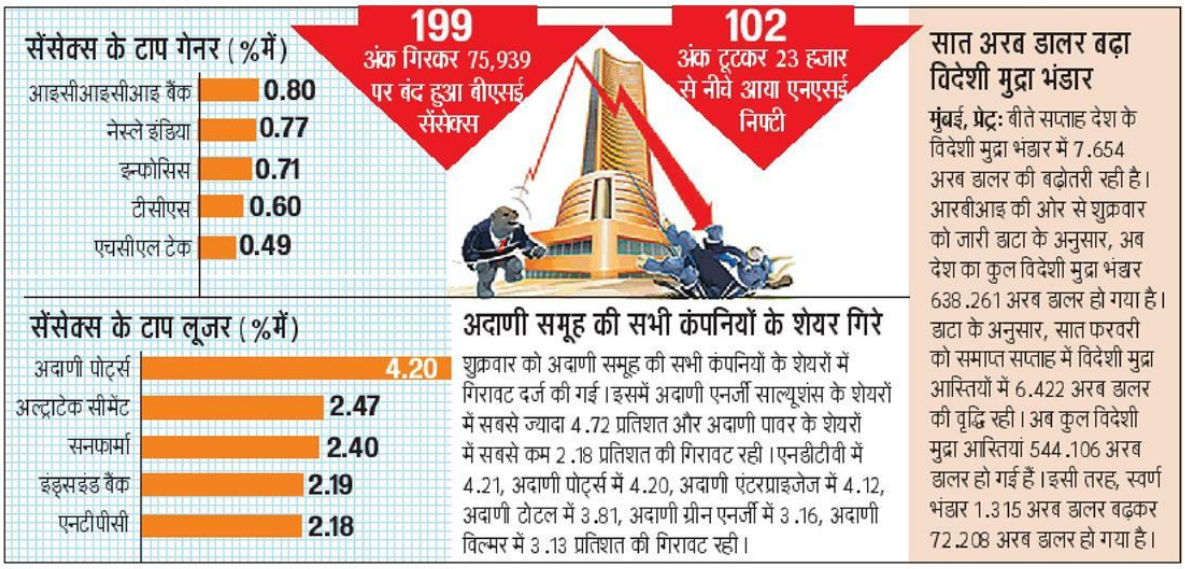
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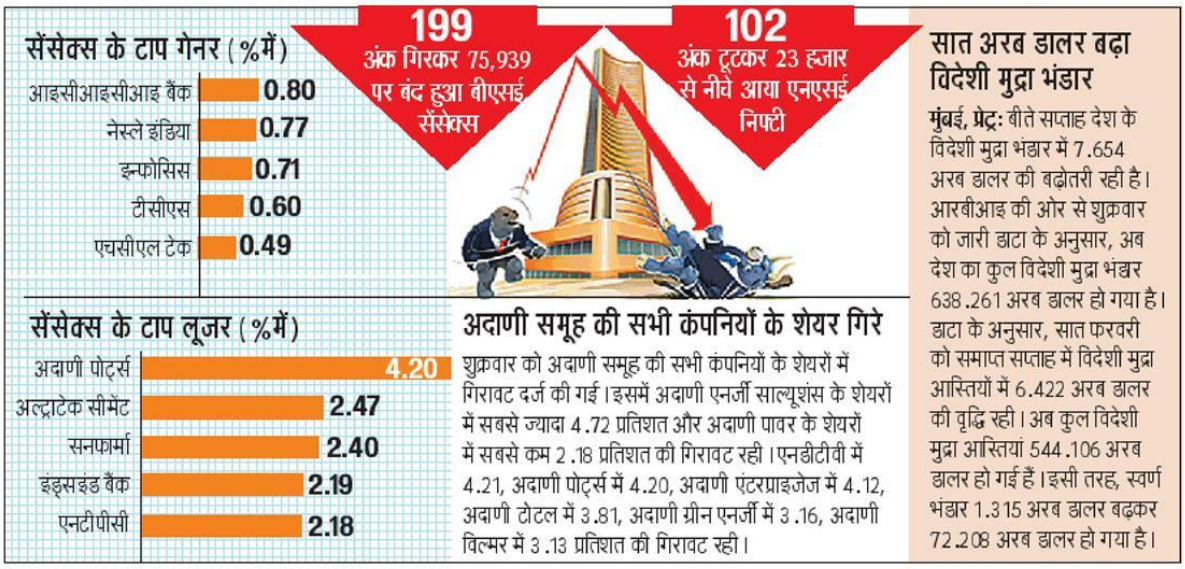
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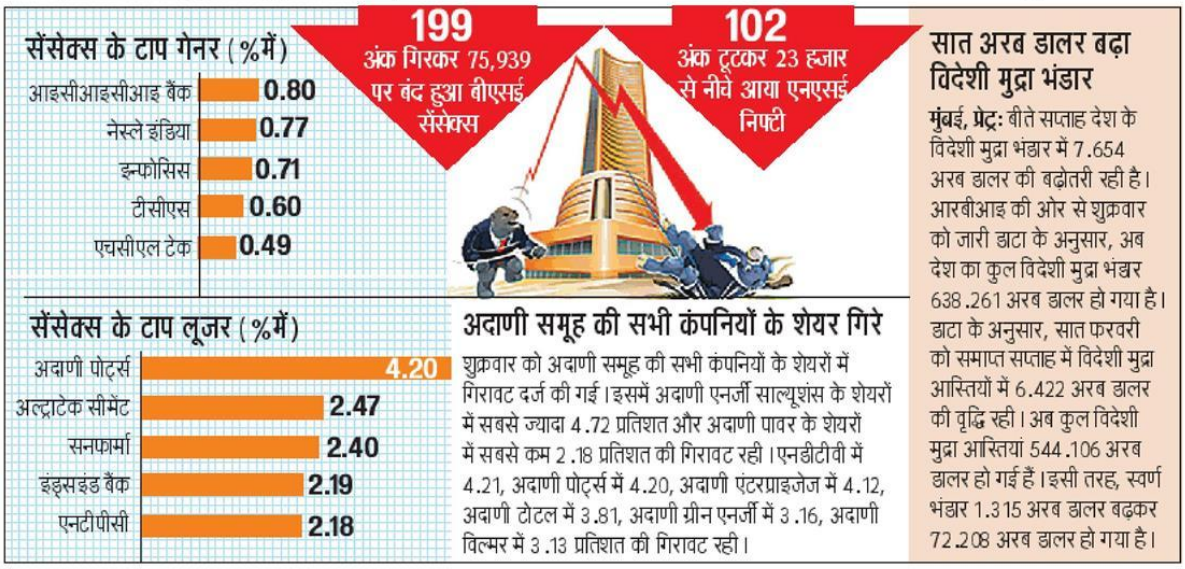
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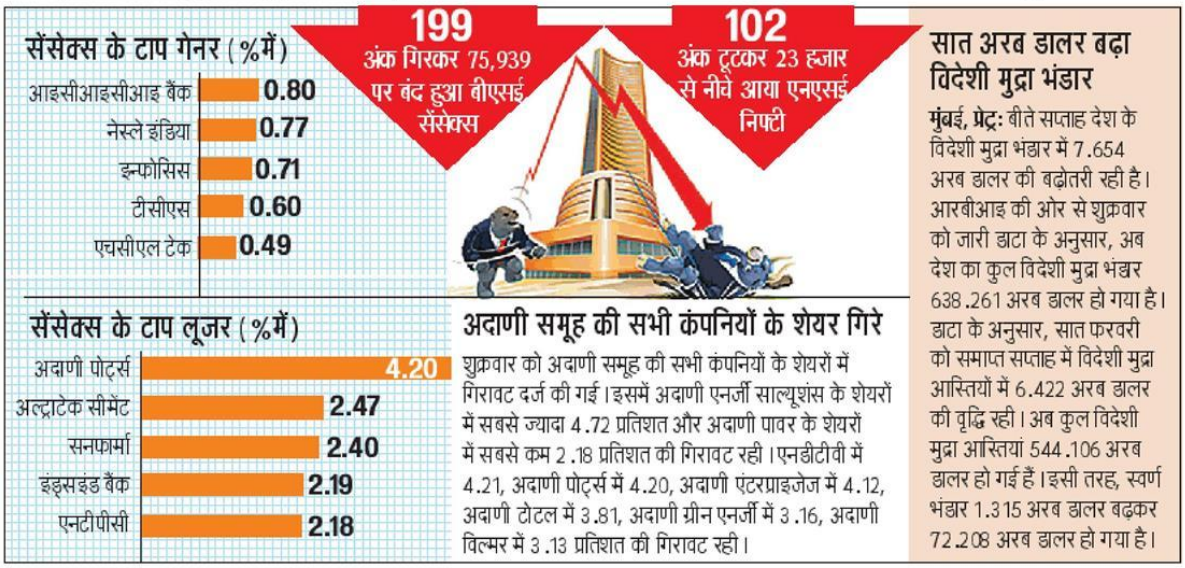
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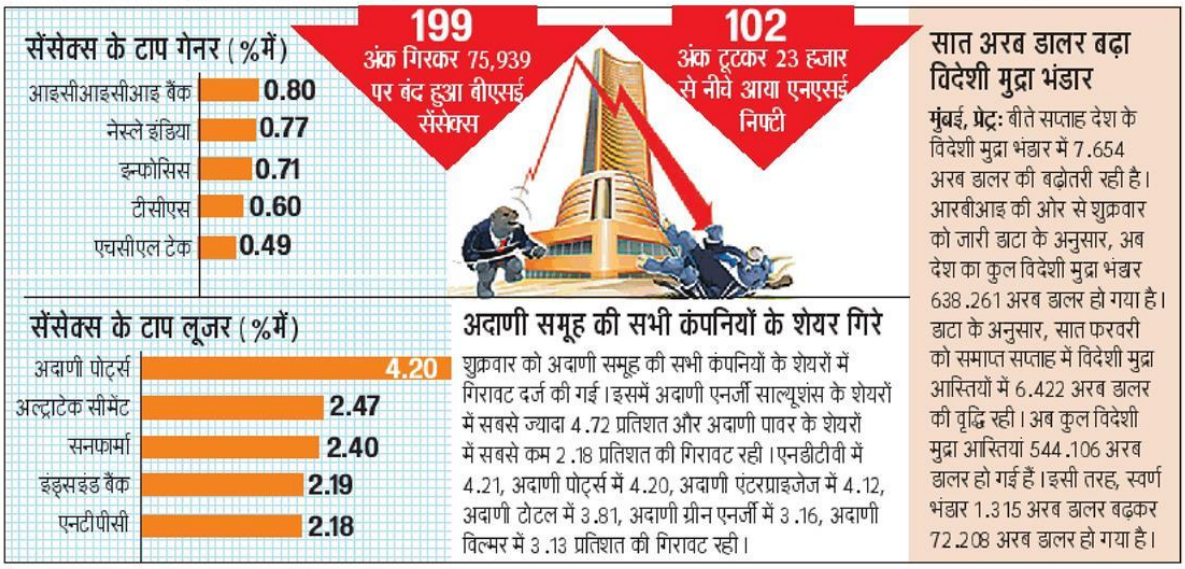
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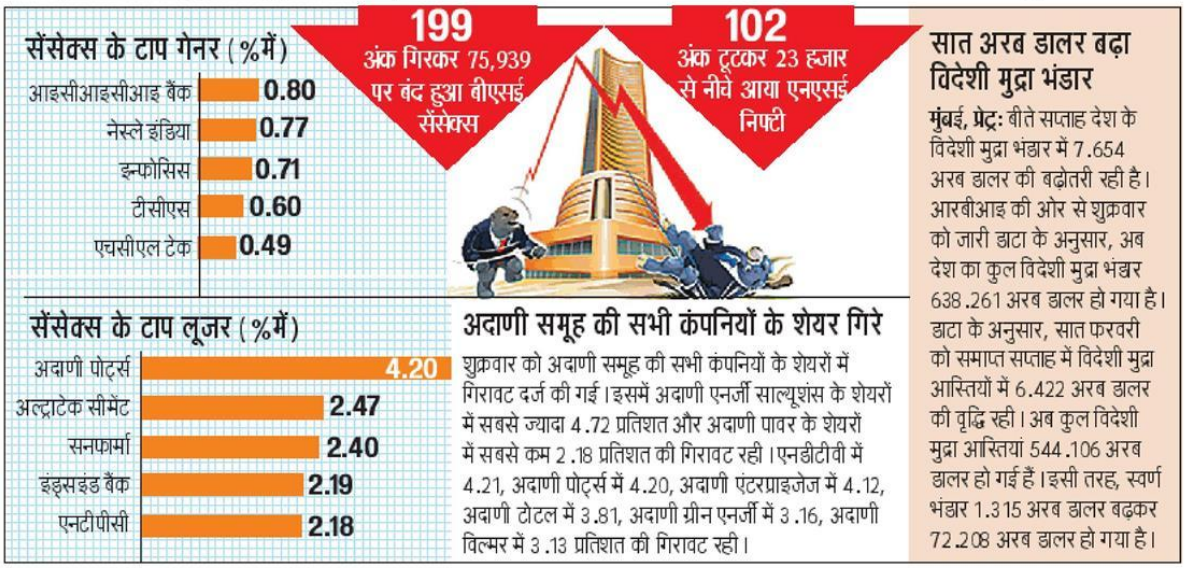
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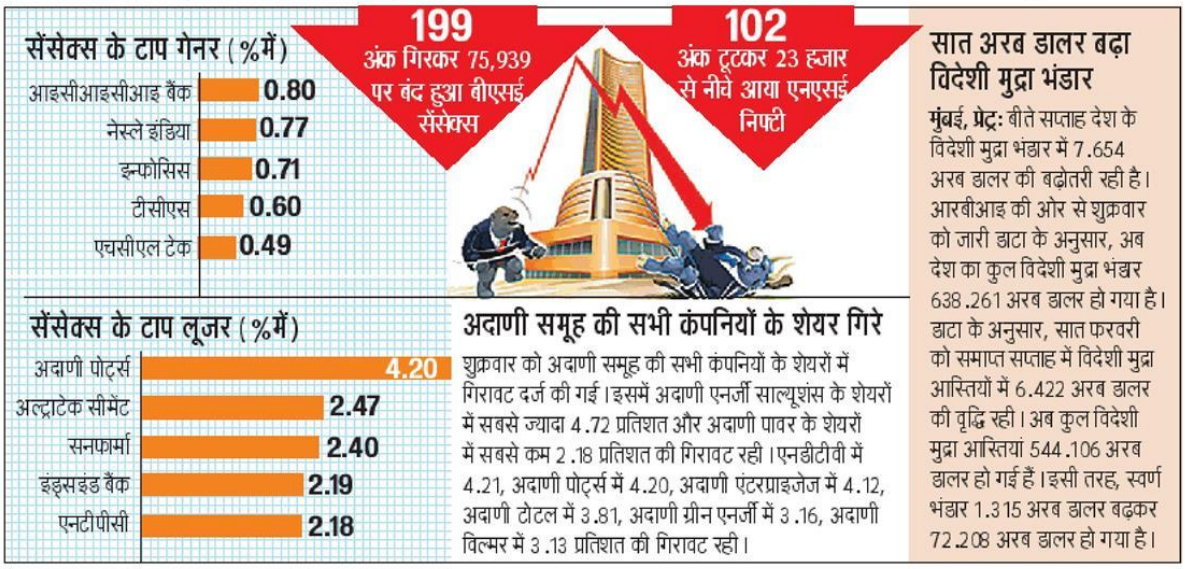
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