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Date: May 28, 2024

To,
The Manager
Listing Department,
BSE Limited,
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Tower,
Dalal Street,
Mumbai-400001
Scrip Code: 543526

The Manager
Listing Department,
The National Stock Exchange of India Ltd.,
Exchange Plaza, 5th Floor, Plot C/1,
G Block, Bandra Kurla Complex,
Mumbai-400051
Scrip Code: LICI

Dear Sir/ Madam,

Sub: Newspaper Advertisement – Audited Financial Results for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2024.

The Board of Directors in its Meeting held on May 27, 2024 inter alia, has approved the Audited (Standalone and Consolidated) Financial Results (“Financial Results”) of Life Insurance Corporation of India (“the Corporation”) for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2024.

Pursuant to Regulation 47 of the Securities Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligation & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, Financial Results for the quarter and year ended March 31, 2024 are published in the Business Standard (Hindi and English), Navshakti (Marathi) and Free Press Journal (English) in the prescribed format on May 28, 2024. A copy of the Financial Results published in the above mentioned newspapers are attached herewith.

Please take the above information on record and arrange for its dissemination. A copy of this intimation is also being made available on website of the Corporation at www.licindia.in.

Yours faithfully,

For Life Insurance Corporation of India

(Anshul Kumar Singh)
Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl: a/a

GLOBAL VS LOCAL

A battle for dominance in beauty mkt

RISHIKA AGARWAL
New Delhi, 27 May

A wave of foreign beauty brands is making a splash in the Indian market. Among the latest to join is Kylie Cosmetics, which recently debuted at Sephora India. Kylie Jenner's beauty line follows in the footsteps of previous entrants like Rihanna's Fenty Beauty and Selena Gomez's Rare Beauty.

Rising disposable incomes among the middle-class and the growing influence of celebrity-endorsed products have created an ideal environment for international beauty brands in India. However, homegrown brands still hold a distinct advantage amidst this influx.

In March, Rihanna introduced Fenty Beauty to India, and Selena Gomez's Rare Beauty launched last year. Through partnerships with e-commerce platforms like Nykaa and Sephora, these global giants are quickly establishing a presence in the Indian beauty market.

At Nykaa, which features over 250 premium brands, premium category constitutes one-third of its beauty and personal care (BPC) revenue. The platform facilitates access for global brands such as Fenty Beauty, Charlotte Tilbury, and e.l.f Cosmetics

to Indian consumers.

Similarly, Tata CLiQ Palette, which offers over 1,000 global luxury brands, sees strong demand for names like Estée Lauder, MAC, Moroccanoil, and Bvlgari. "We've observed a significant demand for global brands among aspirational customers looking to upgrade their products," said Gopal Asthana, CEO of Tata CLiQ.

Sephora India did not respond to queries by press time.

Tanya Rajani, principal analyst for beauty and personal care at market research firm Mintel India, noted that the growing consumer base with higher spending capacity is a key driver for the entry and growth of international brands in India.

Additionally, beauty retailers have created direct channels between global brands and Indian consumers, offering them a low-risk entry strategy to test the market before opening physical stores. "This has significantly reduced entry barriers for international brands seeking to establish a foothold in the Indian market," said Pallavi Arora, a research associate at Euromonitor International, a London-based market research firm.

As consumers of mass brands aspire for more, they tend to shift to 'masstige' brands — those positioned between mass and premium seg-



EYEING LARGER SHARE

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ments. These consumers might start with mini or sample-sized products before fully embracing premium offerings, Arora added.

"With the entry of global brands into the luxury segment, both international and homegrown brands like ours expect an increase in the number of products adopted per consumer, mirroring trends in developed markets," said Kaushik Mukherjee, co-founder and chief operating officer, SUGAR Cosmetics.

Within the colour cosmetics category, new entrants have the opportu-

nity to tap into specific trends and preferences, allowing them to carve out their niche, he added.

The India edge

While Indian consumers often equate international brands with premium quality, these brands must adapt their offerings to suit Indian preferences. According to Mintel, 38 per cent of users believe imported brands should cater to local needs, and 39 per cent feel that local brands best match their skin tone.

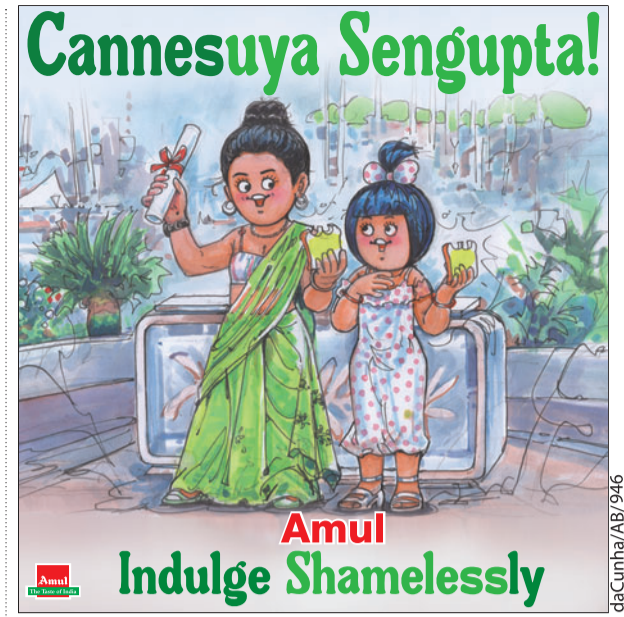
A spokesperson for the Good

Glamm Group highlighted that Indian brands are producing globally competitive products tailored to Indian skin tones and weather conditions. Competitive pricing by domestic brands also limits global brands to the smaller premium segment of the BPC market in India, which is projected to generate a revenue of \$31.51 billion in 2024, according to Statista.

Asthana said homegrown brands, known for their use of natural ingredients and clean formulations, perform well in skincare and haircare, with high demand for brands like Forest Essentials and Kama Ayurveda.

To assist Indian consumers in finding the right beauty products, Tata CLiQ Palette is integrating Beauty ID technology on its platform.

Indian celebrities like Katrina Kaif, Priyanka Chopra, Kriti Sanon, Masaba Gupta, and Deepika Padukone are also leveraging their understanding of consumer preferences through their brands Kay Beauty, Anomaly, Hyphen, Lovechild, and 82°E, respectively. India is transitioning from a price-conscious to a value-conscious economy, said Samir K Modi, founder and managing director, Colorbar Cosmetics. International brands, he added, are driving competition and awareness, pushing local brands to emerge as global players.



Hospital blaze ignites fire safety review in Delhi

Investigation yet to pinpoint cause 48 hours on

SANKET KOUL
New Delhi, 27 May

The investigation is still ongoing to ascertain what caused the fire that killed six newborns in East Delhi's Baby Care Newborn Hospital. While officials have not ruled out a short circuit as the cause of the fire, some locals also blame blasts caused by oxygen cylinders stored on the ground floor of the baby care clinic for compounding the damage.

The incident, however, has sent ripples through the administration, which has now asked all Delhi hospitals to complete fire audits and submit compliance reports by June

8 in the aftermath of this incident. "The Delhi government will issue directions to all private and state-run hospitals to complete a fire audit by June 8 and submit a compliance report," Delhi Health Minister Saurabh Bhardwaj said to news agency ANI.

The neonatal care facility situated in East Delhi's Vivek Vihar had reported a major fire incident late Saturday night, with 12 newborns, two nurses, and one on-duty doctor reported to have been inside the building at the time of the incident.

"Initially, seven children were reported to have died in the blaze, but later we realised that one of the

newborns admitted there had passed away before the incident," an official present at the hospital's site said.

The remaining five children have now been admitted to East Delhi Advance NICU Hospital in Vivek Vihar for further treatment.

Several locals, though, have attributed the increased damage to the supposed refilling, storing, and frequent loading and unloading of oxygen cylinders that used to take place in the front porch and reception area of the baby care facility.

"This was an accident waiting to happen," a local resident said. He adds that people had raised several

complaints at various forums, including to the Municipal Commission of Delhi, but no action was taken.

Officials investigating the blaze say that the baby care facility did not have any basic fire safety equipment like extinguishers and water hoses. "The facility was also operating beyond its permissible limit," he added.

Addressing the media after a meeting to discuss the incident, Bhardwaj said that the newborn care facility only had permission to operate five beds.

"Their registration to run the hospital had expired in March 2024. While the facility had applied for a renewal in February this year, due


to the lack of documentation submitted by them, they were given a deficiency memo," he added.

The police arrested the hospital's owner and the on-duty staff at the time of the fire late on Saturday.

"Both the arrested accused will be produced in Karkardooma court on Monday. The police may seek their custody for further interrogation," an official said.

Bhardwaj added that the health department would also investigate if the clinic had the necessary permissions to refill oxygen cylinders within their premises, as is being alleged by several accounts.





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CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR QUARTER AND YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2024 (IN RESPECT OF TOTAL BUSINESS)

₹ in Crore

Sr. No.	Particulars	Three months ended as at			Year Ended as at	
		31-Mar-24	31-Dec-23	31-Mar-23	31-Mar-24	31-Mar-23
		Audited	Unaudited	Audited	Audited	Audited
1	Premium Income (Gross) ¹	1,53,018.97	1,17,638.95	1,32,432.22	4,77,521.05	4,76,632.79
2	Net Profit / (Loss) for the period (before Tax, Exceptional and / or Extraordinary items)	13,664.43	9,530.92	13,190.95	41,056.60	36,080.94
3	Net Profit / (Loss) for the period before tax (after Exceptional and / or Extraordinary items) ²	13,664.43	9,530.92	13,190.95	41,056.60	36,080.94
4	Net Profit / (Loss) for the period after tax (after Exceptional and / or Extraordinary items)	13,781.59	9,468.99	13,190.79	40,915.85	35,996.65
5	Equity Share Capital (Paid-up)	6,325.00	6,325.00	6,325.00	6,325.00	6,325.00
6	Reserves (excluding Revaluation Reserve and fair value change account)	76,612.06	65,353.95	40,100.87	76,612.06	40,100.87
7	Earnings Per Share (Face value of ₹10 each) (For continuing and discontinued operations)-					
	1. Basic:	21.79	14.97	20.86	64.69	56.91
	2. Diluted:	21.79	14.97	20.86	64.69	56.91

Key number of Standalone Results of the Corporation are as under: ₹ in Crore

Sr. No.	Particulars	Three months ended as at			Year Ended as at	
		31-Mar-24	31-Dec-23	31-Mar-23	31-Mar-24	31-Mar-23
1	Premium Income (Gross) ¹	1,52,542.71	1,17,222.64	1,31,963.86	4,75,751.92	4,74,668.13
2	Profit before tax	13,638.22	9,498.73	13,421.86	40,787.21	36,456.78
3	Profit after tax	13,762.64	9,444.42	13,427.81	40,675.79	36,397.39


Notes:

- Premium income is gross of reinsurance and net of Goods & Service Tax.
- Net Profit / (Loss) before tax, for the period is Profit before tax as appearing in Profit and Loss Account (Shareholders' account).
- The above figures is an extract of the detailed format of Quarterly/ Annual Financial Results filed with the Stock Exchanges under Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligation and other Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The full format of the Quarterly/ Annual Financial Results are available on the Stock Exchange websites (www.nseindia.com and www.bseindia.com) and the Corporation's website (www.licindia.in).
- The financial results include the figures for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 and March 31, 2023 being the balancing figures between the audited figures in respect of full financial year 2023-24 and 2022-23 respectively and the published unaudited year to date figures up-to the third quarter of the aforesaid financial years.
- The New Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) are currently not applicable to insurance industry in India.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

R. DORAISWAMY
Managing Director
(DIN: 10358884)

Place:- Mumbai
Date:- 27-May-2024



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Extract of Standalone and Consolidated Financial Results for the Year ended on 31st March 2024

(Amount in millions of ₹ unless otherwise stated)

Particulars	STANDALONE					CONSOLIDATED				
	Quarter ended		Year ended			Quarter ended		Year ended		
	31.03.2024 (Audited) (Refer Note 2)	31.12.2023 (Unaudited)	31.03.2023 (Audited) (Refer Note 2)	31.03.2024 (Audited)	31.03.2023 (Audited)	31.03.2024 (Audited) (Refer Note 2)	31.12.2023 (Unaudited)	31.03.2023 (Audited) (Refer Note 2)	31.03.2024 (Audited)	31.03.2023 (Audited)
Total income from Operations	15,271.83	17,766.33	13,332.72	62,954.50	54,567.52	15,271.95	17,766.45	13,332.72	62,954.79	54,567.55
Profit / (Loss) before tax, after exceptional items	532.68	620.30	461.40	2,462.00	1,632.05	532.58	620.10	461.35	2,461.64	1,631.92
Profit / (Loss) after tax	405.58	457.85	361.16	1,839.83	1,228.13	405.48	457.65	361.11	1,839.47	1,228.00
Total comprehensive income for the period	416.62	458.84	359.87	1,853.85	1,232.10	416.52	458.64	359.82	1,853.49	1,231.97
Equity share capital	3,847.49	3,847.49	3,847.49	3,847.49	3,847.49	3,847.49	3,847.49	3,847.49	3,847.49	3,847.49
Other equity				9,850.00	7,996.15				9,849.10	7,995.61
Reserves (Excluding Revaluation Reserve)										
Earnings per share after exceptional items (EPES) (not annualised) (Face value of Rs.10/- each)										
Basic (in absolute ₹ terms)	1.05	1.19	0.94	4.78	3.63	1.05	1.19	0.94	4.78	3.63
Diluted (in absolute ₹ terms)	1.05	1.19	0.94	4.78	3.63	1.05	1.19	0.94	4.78	3.63

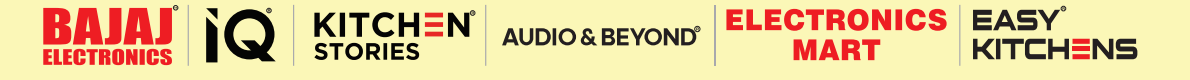
NOTES:

- The Standalone and Consolidated financial results for the quarter and year ended 31st March 2024 were reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors of the Company at their meetings held on 27th May 2024.
- The figures of the last quarter that ended 31st March 2024 and corresponding quarter that ended 31st March 2023 are the balancing figures between audited figures in respect of the full financial year and published year-to-date figures up to the third quarter of the financial year, which were subjected to limited review by the statutory auditors.
- These Standalone and Consolidated financial results have been prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement principles laid down in the Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) prescribed under Section 133 of the Companies Act, 2013 (the Act) read with the relevant rules issued thereunder, other accounting principles generally accepted in India and is in compliance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of regulation 33 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (as amended).
- The Company operates in a single reportable segment viz retail and wholesale sales of consumer durables and electronics products through its retail stores and online platforms. The Chief Operating Decision Maker ('CODM') reviews the results as a whole when making decisions about allocating resources and assessing the performance of the Company.
- EPES for quarters are not annualized.

By Order of the Board of Directors for Electronics Mart India Limited

Date : 28th May 2024
Place: Hyderabad

Sd/-
Karan Bajaj
Whole Time Director & Chief Executive Officer
DIN: 07899639





मंगलवार, 28 मई 2024

कोलकाता, चंडीगढ़, नई दिल्ली, भोपाल,
मुंबई और लखनऊ से प्रकाशित।

एक नजर

एलआईसी को 13,763 करोड़ रुपये का मुनाफा

भारतीय जीवन बीमा निगम (एलआईसी) का शुद्ध मुनाफा वित्त वर्ष 2024 की चौथी तिमाही में इससे पिछले वित्त वर्ष की समान तिमाही की तुलना में 2 फीसदी बढ़कर 13,763 करोड़ रुपये रहा। वित्त वर्ष 2023 की चौथी तिमाही में एलआईसी ने 13,428 करोड़ रुपये का मुनाफा कमाया था। वित्त वर्ष 2024 की चौथी तिमाही में एलआईसी की आय 2,40,923 करोड़ रुपये रही। एलआईसी का पहला बीमा प्रीमियम की आय भी इस दौरान बढ़कर 13,810 करोड़ रुपये रही, जो इससे पिछले वित्त वर्ष की समान तिमाही में 12,811 करोड़ रुपये थी। वित्त वर्ष 2024 की बात करें तो बीमा कंपनी का कुल मुनाफा 40,676 करोड़ रुपये रहा।

ईक्यूटी भारत में लगाएगी 5 अरब डॉलर

स्वीडन की निजी इक्विटी कंपनी ईक्यूटी इस साल भारत में 5 अरब डॉलर तक का निवेश करने की योजना बना रही है, भले ही उसकी इकाई ईक्यूटी प्राइवेट कैपिटल एशिया ने एक नया मिड-मार्केट ग्रोथ फंड बंद कर दिया है। इस फंड को निवेशकों से कुल 1.6 अरब डॉलर की रकम हासिल हुई थी। ईक्यूटी ने नए फंड के लिए कोई लक्ष्य तय नहीं किया है लेकिन अनुमान है कि मिड-मार्केट ग्रोथ फंड के लिए भारत सबसे बड़ा बाजार होगा। इस फंड ने अब तक निवेश किए हैं, जिनमें से दो निवेश भारतीय कंपनियों में किए गए। **पृष्ठ 2**

स्पाइसजेट से मारन

मांगेंगे हर्जाना

केएल एयरवेज और कलानिधि मारन ने सोमवार को कहा कि वे स्पाइसजेट और उसके प्रमुख अजय सिंह से 1,323 करोड़ रुपये से अधिक का हर्जाना मांगेंगे। साथ ही दोनों पक्षों के बीच जारी विवाद मामले में दिल्ली उच्च न्यायालय के हाल के आदेश को चुनौती दी। अदालत के खंडपीठ ने 17 मई को एकल न्यायाधीश के पीठ का आदेश रद्द कर दिया। आदेश में मध्यस्थता न्यायाधिकरण के उस निर्णय को बरकरार रखा गया था, जिसमें स्पाइसजेट और उसके प्रवर्तक अजय सिंह को ब्याज के साथ 579 करोड़ रुपये मारन को वापस करने के लिए कहा गया था। पीठ ने 31 जुलाई, 2023 को पारित एकल न्यायाधीश के आदेश को चुनौती देने वाली सिंह और स्पाइसजेट की अपील को स्वीकार कर लिया और मध्यस्थता पंचाट को चुनौती देने वाली याचिकाओं पर नए सिरे से विचार करने के लिए मामले को संबंधित अदालत में वापस भेज दिया। **पृष्ठ 2**

आज का सवाल

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श्रेया जय
नई दिल्ली, 27 मई

गर्मी के दिनों में देश के महानगरों में रात को भी ठंडक मयस्सर नहीं होती। इतना ही नहीं मॉनसून के दौरान लोगों को गर्मी की जबरदस्त चुभन झेलनी पड़ती है। देश के प्रमुख महानगरों के तापमान सूचकांक (एचआई) में 2010 के बाद से उससे एक दशक पहले के मुकाबले काफी बढ़ोतरी हुई है। शहरों में कंक्रीट के बेतहाशा निर्माण और ग्लोबल वार्मिंग के साथ-साथ हवा में बढ़ती नमी ने अत्यधिक आबादी वाले शहरी इलाकों का तापमान सूचकांक बढ़ा दिया है।

सेंटर ऑफ साइंस एंड एनवायरनमेंट की एक हालिया रिपोर्ट में कहा गया है कि साल 2023 में देश में सतह पर हवा का औसत वार्षिक तापमान दीर्घकालिक औसत (1981-2003) के मुकाबले 0.65 डिग्री सेल्सियस अधिक था। इस रिपोर्ट में छह महानगरों के तापमान सूचकांकों का अध्ययन किया गया है, जिनमें दिल्ली, मुंबई, हैदराबाद, बेंगलूर और चेन्नई शामिल हैं। तापमान सूचकांक बताता है कि तापमान के साथ आर्द्रता यानी नमी को शामिल करने पर वास्तव में कितनी गर्मी महसूस होती है। माना जाता है कि 41 डिग्री सेल्सियस का ताप सूचकांक मानव स्वास्थ्य के लिए खतरनाक है।

‘डीकोडिंग द अर्बन हीट स्ट्रेस अमंग इंडियन सिटीज’ नामक रिपोर्ट में कहा गया है कि शहर रात के दौरान उतने ठंडे नहीं हो रहे हैं, जितने 2001 से 2010 के दौरान होते थे। एक दशक



भीषण गर्मी

- प्रमुख महानगरों के तापमान सूचकांक में एक दशक पहले के मुकाबले 2010 के दशक में काफी वृद्धि दर्ज की गई है
- रात के समय ठंडक में कमी का मानव स्वास्थ्य पर दूरगामी प्रभाव पड़ता है
- रात में ठंडक न होने से लोगों को दिन की गर्मी के तनाव से उबरने के लिए काफी कम समय मिलता है
- एक अध्ययन में कहा गया है कि अत्यधिक गर्म रातों से मौत का खतरा करीब छह गुना बढ़ जाएगा

के आंकड़ों का हवाला देते हुए रिपोर्ट में कहा गया है कि दिन में भीम की सतह का जो तापमान होता था, रात में वह 6.2 से 13.2 डिग्री

कल्पेन पारेख >> पृष्ठ 3

‘बाजार में रोज अच्छे बदलाव की उम्मीद करना बेमानी’



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अदाणी जुटाएगा 4 अरब डॉलर

निवेशकों को आकर्षित करने के लिए अदाणी समूह इस हफ्ते शुरू करेगा रोडशो

देव चटर्जी
मुंबई, 27 मई

अदाणी समूह की कंपनियों के शेयर पिछले एक साल में काफी चढ़े हैं। इससे उत्साहित समूह 4 अरब डॉलर (करीब 33,254 करोड़ रुपये) तक जुटाने के लिए इस हफ्ते से रोडशो शुरू कर रहा है। बैंकिंग सूत्रों ने बताया कि निवेशकों को नवीकरणीय ऊर्जा, पेट्रोरसायन और बुनियादी ढांचा क्षेत्र में समूह की निवेश योजनाओं के बारे में जानकारी देने के लिए दुनिया के लगभग सभी बड़े शहरों में रोडशो किए जाएंगे। पश्चिम एशिया के कई सरकारी फंडों के अधिकारियों से अदाणी समूह के शीर्ष अधिकारी पहले ही मुलाकात कर चुके हैं और उन्हें नवी मुंबई हवाई अड्डे पर चल रहे काम के बारे में बताया गया है। यह हवाई अड्डा इस साल के अंत तक चालू हो जाएगा।

अदाणी समूह की बिजली ट्रांसमिशन फर्म अदाणी एनर्जी सॉल्यूशंस के निदेशक मंडल ने पात्र संस्थागत नियोजन (क्यूआईपी) या अन्य माध्यमों से 12,500 करोड़ रुपये जुटाने के प्रस्ताव को आज मंजूरी दे दी। समूह की दूसरी कंपनी अदाणी एंटरप्राइजेज के निदेशक मंडल की बैठक मंगलवार को होगी, जिसमें पूंजी जुटाने के प्रस्ताव पर विचार किया जाएगा। यह पूंजी या तो इक्विटी शेयरों के जुटाई जाएगी या क्यूआईपी, तरजीही निर्गम और निजी निरोजन समेत अन्य तरीकों से लाने का प्रस्ताव है।

इस बारे में जानकारी के लिए अदाणी समूह के प्रवक्ता से संपर्क किया

रकम जुटाने की तैयारी

■ इस पूंजी का उपयोग कारोबार बढ़ाने और पुराना कर्ज चुकाने में किया जाएगा

■ अदाणी एनर्जी सॉल्यूशंस के बोर्ड ने 12,500 करोड़ रुपये जुटाने की दी मंजूरी



गया मगर उन्होंने टिप्पणी करने से मना कर दिया।

पिछले साल जनवरी में अदाणी एंटरप्राइजेज का 20,000 करोड़ रुपये का अनुवर्ती निर्गम (एफपीओ) वापस लेने के बाद अब अदाणी समूह पूंजी बाजार में वापसी कर रहा है। समूह ने अमेरिकी शांट सैलिंग फर्म हिंडेनबर्ग रिसर्च की रिपोर्ट आने के बाद एफपीओ वापस लिया था। उस रिपोर्ट के कारण समूह की कंपनियों के शेयरों में भारी गिरावट आई थी। समूह ने रिपोर्ट में लगे सभी आरोपों से इनकार किया था और

■ अदाणी एंटरप्राइजेज के निदेशक मंडल की आज होने वाली बैठक में पूंजी जुटाने के प्रस्ताव पर होगा विचार

■ अदाणी एंटरप्राइजेज का शेयर 3,288 रुपये पर और अदाणी एनर्जी सॉल्यूशंस का शेयर 1,104 रुपये पर बंद हुआ

बाद में सेबी की जांच में भी ये आरोप गलत पाए गए।

हिंडेनबर्ग की रिपोर्ट के बाद लुढ़के शेयर कुछ समय उपरांत संभलकर ऊपर भी आए क्योंकि प्रवर्तकों ने समूह की तमाम कंपनियों में अपनी हिस्सेदारी जीक्वूजी पार्टनर्स को बेच दी और कुछ कंपनियों का कर्ज समय से पहले चुका दिया। इस कारण समूह की वित्तीय स्थिति के बारे में निवेशकों का भरोसा बढ़ा।

आज अदाणी एंटरप्राइजेज का शेयर 3,288 रुपये पर और अदाणी एनर्जी सॉल्यूशंस का शेयर 1,104 रुपये पर

निर्मला सीतारमण >> पृष्ठ 4

सरकार ने अनोखे तरीके से बचाए 25,500 करोड़ रुपये



आईटीसी का मामला

होटल कारोबार अलग करने पर राय बंटी

समी मोडक और ईशिता आयाण दत्त
मुंबई/कोलकाता, 27 मई

अपना होटल कारोबार अलग करने के नामी एफएमसीजी कंपनी आईटीसी के प्रस्ताव पर तीन भारतीय वोटिंग सलाहकार फर्मों एक राय नहीं हो पाई है। इंस्टीट्यूशनल इन्वेस्टर एडवाइजरी सर्विसेज (आईआईएस) ने प्रस्ताव के खिलाफ मतदान करने की सलाह दी है। फिलहाल इस प्रस्ताव पर मतदान चल रहा है।

आईटीसी के बोर्ड ने होटल कारोबार अलग करने की योजना को अगस्त 2023 में मंजूरी दी थी। उसके तहत सिमारेट बनाने वाली इस कंपनी के शेयरधारकों को हर 10 शेयर के बदले आईटीसी होटल्स का 1 शेयर दिया जाना है। कारोबार अलग किए जाने के बाद नई कंपनी की 60 फीसदी हिस्सेदारी आईटीसी के शेयरधारकों के पास और 40 फीसदी हिस्सेदारी आईटीसी के पास होगी।

आईआईएस को विलय के बाद आईटीसी होटल्स में 40 फीसदी हिस्सेदारी रखने के आईटीसी के फैसले पर आपत्ति है। उसने एक नोट में कहा, ‘हालांकि इससे 60 फीसदी तक शेयर बाहर आ जाएंगे मगर बतौर प्रवर्तक आईटीसी ही होटल कारोबार में पूंजी लगाती रहेगी। बोर्ड ने यह साफ नहीं किया है कि होटल कारोबार में 40 फीसदी हिस्सेदारी का वह क्या करेगा - कंपनी उसे किसी विशेष खरीदार को बेचेगी या अपने पास ही रखेगी?’ उसने कहा है कि होटल चलाने में पूंजी बहुत अधिक लगती है और आय घटती-बढ़ती रहती है। हो सकता है आगे चलकर इसे अपनी प्रवर्तक आईटीसी लिमिटेड से पूंजी की जरूरत पड़े। **(शेष पृष्ठ 2 पर)**



■ आईआईएस ने प्रस्ताव के खिलाफ मतदान करने की सलाह दी जबकि इन्गवर्न व एसईएस प्रस्ताव के पक्ष में


■ एसईएस और इन्गवर्न ने ब्रांड उपयोग शुल्क के बारे में आईटीसी से अधिक स्पष्टता की मांग की है

■ मौजूदा शेयरधारकों को आईटीसी के हर 10 शेयरों के बदले आईटीसी होटल्स का एक शेयर दिया जाएगा

जमकर बरसंगे मॉनसूनी बादल

भारत मौसम विज्ञान विभाग ने देश में सामान्य से अधिक बारिश होने का पूर्वानुमान जताया लेकिन कहा कि जम्मू-कश्मीर, लद्दाख, उत्तराखंड और हिमाचल प्रदेश के कुछ हिस्सों में सामान्य से कम बारिश होने के आसार हैं। मौसम विभाग के प्रमुख मृत्युंजय महापात्र ने कहा कि जून से सितंबर के बीच दक्षिण पश्चिम मॉनसून के दौरान पूरे देश में सामान्य से ज्यादा बारिश होने की संभावना है। उन्होंने कहा कि इन चार महीनों के दौरान दीर्घावधि औसत का 106 फीसदी बारिश होने की संभावना है। उन्होंने बताया कि दिल्ली, हरियाणा, राजस्थान, पंजाब और पश्चिमी उत्तर प्रदेश समेत उत्तर पश्चिम भारत में

सामान्य बारिश होने के आसार हैं। उनके मुताबिक इन क्षेत्रों में दीर्घावधि औसत का 92 से 108 फीसदी बारिश हो सकती है, जो सामान्य श्रेणी में आती है। उन्होंने कहा कि जम्मू-कश्मीर, लद्दाख, उत्तराखंड और हिमाचल के कुछ हिस्सों में सामान्य से कम बारिश की संभावना है। उन्होंने कहा कि वर्षा पर आधारित कृषि क्षेत्र में भी बारिश सामान्य से अधिक होने की संभावना है, जिनमें राजस्थान, गुजरात, मध्य प्रदेश, महाराष्ट्र, बिहार, झारखंड और ओडिशा के हिस्से शामिल हैं। अगर बारिश दीर्घावधि औसत का 90 फीसदी से कम होती है, तो उसे कम बारिश माना जाता है। **पृष्ठ 4**

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CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR QUARTER AND YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2024 (IN RESPECT OF TOTAL BUSINESS)

₹ in Crore

Sr. No.	Particulars	Three months ended as at			Year Ended as at	
		31-Mar-24	31-Dec-23	31-Mar-23	31-Mar-24	31-Mar-23
1	Premium Income (Gross) ¹	1,53,018.97	1,17,638.95	1,32,432.22	4,77,521.05	4,76,632.79
2	Net Profit / (Loss) for the period (before Tax, Exceptional and / or Extraordinary items)	13,664.43	9,530.92	13,190.95	41,056.60	36,080.94
3	Net Profit / (Loss) for the period before tax (after Exceptional and / or Extraordinary items) ²	13,664.43	9,530.92	13,190.95	41,056.60	36,080.94
4	Net Profit / (Loss) for the period after tax (after Exceptional and / or Extraordinary items)	13,781.59	9,468.99	13,190.79	40,915.85	35,996.65
5	Equity Share Capital (Paid-up)	6,325.00	6,325.00	6,325.00	6,325.00	6,325.00
6	Reserves (excluding Revaluation Reserve and fair value change account)	76,612.06	65,353.95	40,100.87	76,612.06	40,100.87
7	Earnings Per Share (Face value of ₹10 each) (For continuing and discontinued operations)-					
1.	Basic:	21.79	14.97	20.86	64.69	56.91
2.	Diluted:	21.79	14.97	20.86	64.69	56.91

Key number of Standalone Results of the Corporation are as under:

₹ in Crore

Sr. No.	Particulars	Three months ended as at			Year Ended as at	
		31-Mar-24	31-Dec-23	31-Mar-23	31-Mar-24	31-Mar-23
1	Premium Income (Gross) ¹	1,52,542.71	1,17,222.64	1,31,963.86	4,75,751.92	4,74,668.13
2	Profit before tax	13,638.22	9,498.73	13,421.86	40,787.21	36,456.78
3	Profit after tax	13,762.64	9,444.42	13,427.81	40,675.79	36,397.39

Notes:

- Premium income is gross of reinsurance and net of Goods & Service Tax.
- Net Profit / (Loss) before tax, for the period is Profit before tax as appearing in Profit and Loss Account (Shareholders' account).
- The above figures are an extract of the detailed format of Quarterly/ Annual Financial Results filed with the Stock Exchanges under Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligation and other Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The full format of the Quarterly/ Annual Financial Results are available on the Stock Exchange websites (www.nseindia.com and www.bseindia.com) and the Corporation's website (www.licindia.in).
- The financial results include the figures for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 and March 31, 2023 being the balancing figures between the audited figures in respect of full financial year 2023-24 and 2022-23 respectively and the published unaudited year to date figures up-to the third quarter of the aforesaid financial years.
- The New Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) are currently not applicable to insurance industry in India.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

R. DORAISWAMY
Managing Director
(DIN: 10358884)

Place:- Mumbai
Date:- 27-May-2024



Couple killed as dumper hits three pedestrians in Palghar

Palghar: A couple walking on the road was crushed to death and another pedestrian was injured when a speeding dumper knocked them down in Palghar on Monday, an official said. The incident took place in the

Vikramgad area after which the dumper driver was arrested, he said. The speeding dumper first hit a state transport bus and then an SUV before running over three pedestrians.

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Shahid Kapoor buys luxe Worli flat for ₹58cr

BHALCHANDRA CHORGADE MUMBAI

Actor Shahid Kapoor has purchased an apartment measuring 5,614 sqft and three parking spaces worth Rs58.66 crore at Oberoi 360 West in Worli, marking one of the biggest real estate deals this year. He purchased the swanky unit jointly with his wife, Mira, from Chandak Realty Pvt Ltd. Situated on the 24th floor in tower B of Oberoi 360 West, the apartment attracted a stamp duty of Rs1.75 crore and the sale deed was registered on May 24, according to the document accessed by real estate advisory firm Index-Tap.com.

As compared to the period last year, the Mumbai Metropolitan Region witnessed a spike in property registrations this April, leading to 16% rise in revenue. Developers attributed the increase to homebuyers' aspirations, unchanged ready reckoner rates and infrastructure development.

According to a report released by property consultants Knight and Frank, Mumbai city recorded property registration of 11,504 units in April, bringing more than Rs1,043 crore to the state exchequer. As per the stamps and registrations department, 45% of all registrations done this April accounted for units measuring up to 500 sqft; a 5% rise as compared to the same period last year.

Success speaks many languages

Pass percentage of Hindi as a first language paper climbs to 93.91% from last year's 90.26%

MUSAB QAZI / MUMBAI

The results of Secondary School Certificate (SSC) examination on Monday brought cheers to high schoolers across Maharashtra, which recorded its one of the best success rates in the state board exams. While the current batch fared better than their seniors in most of the subjects, it's the vernacular languages such as Hindi, Marathi and Urdu that boosted their performances.

The pass percentage of these subjects – as both the first language as well as the second and third languages – climbed up a few notches. The improvement becomes more joyful as usually more students fail in these papers. The increase in the success rate in Hindi as a first language from 90.26% to 93.91% is one of the highlights of this year's results. On the other hand, the success rate in English (first language), which most of the students manage to pass usually, increased only marginally from 98.01% to 98.12%. "The students at our school have surprisingly done well in Hindi and Marathi, while the scores in Science have dropped," said Khar's BPM high school principal Beena Menon.

Following a continuous decline over the last five years, the number of registrations for the SSC exams rose this year to 16.09 lakh. In the Mumbai division, around 3.64 lakh students, 12,000 more than last year, had signed up for the test, which was carried out between March 1

and 22. These include 1.9 lakh boys and 1.74 lakh girls. This is the second year after Covid when the exams were conducted without any pandemic-era relaxations. The schools believe that the improved results indicate that the students have managed to overcome the learning loss they faced during the pandemic.

"The last year's batch had suffered a lot as they had just begun to go back to normalcy after Covid. This year, the children have done well despite being at home during their foundational classes," said Bandra's St Stanislaus school principal Arocki-ammal Anthony Rizwana Satara from Anjuman-I-Islam's Allana English High School at Fort, suggested that increased use of digital tools is also one of the factors behind the record results.

The Maharashtra State Board of Secondary and Higher Secondary Education has managed to assess the class 10 papers earlier than the previous two years when the results were released on June 2 and June 17, respectively. It has achieved this feat despite many of the teachers being engaged in election-related work. "This is an appreciable effort on part of the board as the late results would have delayed the class 11 admissions. This leads to academic sessions getting truncated and junior colleges not getting enough time to teach," said Sudhir Ghagas, headmaster, Padmasri Anasaheb Jadhav Vidyalaya, Bhiwandi.

SSC EXAM RESULTS 2024

Subjects	SUBJECT-WISE SUCCESS RATE (IN %)		MARKS-WISE DISTRIBUTION OF STUDENTS (IN %)				
	Mumbai	2023	Marks	Maharashtra	Mumbai	2023	
Marathi	95.57	93.03	90 % and Above	5.4	4.57	3.95	3.64
Hindi	93.89	90.39	85-90	8.48	7.50	6.35	6.26
English	97.49	97.33	80-85	10.96	10.09	8.49	8.58
Urdu	96.19	93.17	75-80	11.99	11.49	10.01	10.21
Hindi (2nd/3rd Language)	95.69	94.19	70-75	12.11	12.05	11.06	11.09
Marathi (2nd/3rd Language)	96.14	94.51	65-70	11.56	11.89	11.61	11.39
English (2nd/3rd Language)	95.13	92.77	60-65	11.74	12.43	12.85	12.66
Mathematics	95.78	95.28	45-60	21.37	23.43	26.16	26.91
Science and Technology	95.88	95.31	Below 45 %	6.38	6.55	9.51	9.28
Social Sciences	97.22	96.96					

The students at our school have surprisingly done well in Hindi and Marathi, while the scores in Science have dropped
— Beena Menon, Khar's BPM High School principal



The students are able to understand even abstract concepts better, thanks to the digital equipment deployed in the classrooms
— Rizwana Satara, Anjuman-I-Islam's Allana English High School, Fort

SUCCESS RATE (IN %) OVER THE YEARS

Year	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Maha	86.4	75.5	93.3	99.95	96.4	93.07	94.86
Mumbai	85.1	74.9	93.1	99.96	96.1	92.26	93.88

Vyas murder: Hair strands, blood drops led to killers

CHARUL SHAH JOSHI / MUMBAI

A hair strand and a few blood drops of Kirti Vyas – the Bblunt salon employee who was killed by her colleagues in 2018 – led the police to the killers despite them pulling out all stops for not being caught. On Monday, the woman head of the salon (name withheld after court order) and her paramour Sidhesh Tamhankar were convicted of killing Vyas in the car and hiding her body in the vehicle's trunk before dumping it in a Mahul creek. Even after years, the body has not been found and it's assumed that it might have drifted into the sea.

The duo's relationship affected Tamhankar's work. On February 14, 2018, Vyas had issued a show cause notice to him, asking to respond by March 16, 2018; the day when the victim was last seen alive. At 9am, the duo had picked up Vyas from outside her society when she was leaving for work. The prosecution claimed that Tamhankar stayed at Bhoiwada, the woman convict lived in Santacruz, while their workplace was in Andheri. There was no reason for the two to be near Vyas's society at Bharat Nagar, Grant Road, the prosecution added.

It further said that when the victim didn't reach home in the evening, her mother called her office and was befuddled to know that she didn't come for the day. After a frantic search, the kin lodged a missing person's report at the D B Marg police station. The prosecution said that Tamhankar was involved in Vyas' search, still he didn't tell her family that he and the woman had met the victim outside her residence and picked her up on pretext of dropping her at the office.

This was one of the major incriminating circumstances against the two, the prosecution underlined. Next day, the family got the CCTV footage from the society and submitted it to the police. Out of fear, on March 17, 2018, Tamhankar called a colleague, Satyajit Thakur, and revealed to him that he and the woman had met Vyas. He told Thakur that they had gone on a drive in the morning and later they met Vyas and offered to drop her. He claimed that they dropped her between Grant Road and Mumbai Central, adding that he did not want to reveal it to the police to hide their affair. Later, when the police began to check the CCTV footage to ascertain Tamhankar's claim of drop-

The evidence was found in the car in which the duo killed the victim; they later dumped her body in Mahul creek; it was never found

FOUR CARS CRASH ON EASTERN FREEWAY



The collision between four cars disrupted the traffic movement on the Eastern Freeway on Monday morning. The crash took place near Wadala in the early hours, resulting in a massive traffic jam up to Mazgaon. There were no reports of any casualties.

16-yr-old served alcohol; 2 bar staffers booked

FPJ NEWS SERVICE / MUMBAI

The Powai police have booked two staffers of a Powai bar for allegedly serving alcohol to a 16-year-old. The duo was identified as manager Techbahadur Iyer, 47, and waiter Vikas Rana, 30, who work at the Lotus Bar and Restaurant located in front of L&T gate no 6, Sakivihar Road.

According to sources, in the wake of the Pune Porsche crash involving a 17-year-old, the city police have received orders to inspect the bars and restaurants and check whether they are serving alcohol to minors. As per the case filed on May 26, the police were conducting 'Operation All Out' – crackdown on illegal establishments and anti-social elements – on May 25.

During the action, the cops received a tip-off about the alleged criminal act at Lotus Bar. At 11.30pm, the police raided the establishment and found that the staff was serving alcohol to the teen. Accordingly, they seized the liquor bottle and issued a notice to the duo accused.

Delivery exec, guard killed in 2 accidents

MEGHA KUCHIK / MUMBAI

On Sunday, two scooter-borne men – a food delivery executive and a security guard – were killed in separate accidents. The deceased were identified as Virendra Singh, 26, from Khar Danda and Atul Kharose, 45, a Kanjurmarg resident. In both cases, the police have arrested the offending drivers; one of them was later released on bail.

According to the police, Singh, who worked as delivery executive, collided with a car while riding near Neelam Foodland on 17th Road on Sunday afternoon. He sustained multiple injuries and bystanders transported him to Bhabha Hospital in Bandra West where he was pronounced dead. Singh was riding at high speed, which led to the collision, said the police, adding that his brother has filed a case against the car driver, Prami-

The first victim collided with a car while speeding, another's scooter was rammed by a dumper from behind

la Khubchandani, 35. She was booked under Indian Penal Code (IPC) sections 304(A) (causing death by negligence) and 279 (rash driving). Subsequently, the Khar police arrested Khubchandani, she was later released on bail.

In the second mishap, Kharose, who worked as a security guard at L&T, left for work on his scooter around 5.30pm. When he reached Powai Plaza at the Jogeshwari-Vikhroli Link Road, a dumper truck rammed into his scooter from behind. He came under the rear wheel, suffering head and stomach injuries. The police took him to Rajawadi Hospital where he was pronounced dead.

Kharose's wife filed a case against the driver under the relevant IPC sections as well as the Motor Vehicles Act. Subsequently, the Powai police arrested the accused, Ramjan Shaikh, who resides in Sakinaka.

Sold child rescued

MEGHA KUCHIK / MUMBAI

Six persons have been arrested for allegedly selling a 19-month-old child to a homosexual man for Rs4.65 lakh. The arrested persons include the parents and the baby boy has been rescued. The case was registered on Sunday night and further investigation is underway.

The accused include the child's mother (Najmeen Shaikh), his father (Mohammad Shaikh), the agents (Sakinabanno Shaikh, Rabia and Saiba Ansari), besides the gay man, Inder Mehrwal.


The DN Nagar police said that Najmeen, a resident of Malvani, filed a complaint about her son being sold. As per the complaint, her neighbour offered her Rs2,000 to Rs3,000 per day for a "baby role" in the film industry. When she approached the Ansaris, they gave her Rs10,000 but didn't return the child and said he had been sold.

Senior police inspector Rajender Machchindra said the probe revealed involvement of the gay man and that the parents themselves had sold the child. On interrogation, Najmeen confessed and said she approached the cops as she was missing her son.

Mega gold-gadget haul at airport

MUMBAI: In separate 31 detections between May 23 and 26, the Airport Customs seized over 10.6 kg of gold and gadgets, including phones and laptops, valued at Rs8.68 crore. Foreign currency worth Rs17 lakh was also impounded during the same period. In some cases, gold was found hidden in the rectum, the officials said on Monday.

According to the Customs, a private contractual airport staff was arrested after gold dust worth Rs81.83 lakh was found concealed in the shoes of the person.



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CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR QUARTER AND YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2024 (IN RESPECT OF TOTAL BUSINESS)

₹ in Crore

Sr. No.	Particulars	Three months ended as at			Year Ended as at	
		31-Mar-24	31-Dec-23	31-Mar-23	31-Mar-24	31-Mar-23
1	Premium Income (Gross) ¹	1,53,018.97	1,17,638.95	1,32,432.22	4,77,521.05	4,76,632.79
2	Net Profit / (Loss) for the period (before Tax, Exceptional and / or Extraordinary items)	13,664.43	9,530.92	13,190.95	41,056.60	36,080.94
3	Net Profit / (Loss) for the period before tax (after Exceptional and / or Extraordinary items) ²	13,664.43	9,530.92	13,190.95	41,056.60	36,080.94
4	Net Profit / (Loss) for the period after tax (after Exceptional and / or Extraordinary items)	13,781.59	9,468.99	13,190.79	40,915.85	35,996.65
5	Equity Share Capital (Paid-up)	6,325.00	6,325.00	6,325.00	6,325.00	6,325.00
6	Reserves (excluding Revaluation Reserve and fair value change account)	76,612.06	65,353.95	40,100.87	76,612.06	40,100.87
7	Earnings Per Share (Face value of ₹10 each) (For continuing and discontinued operations)-					
1.	Basic:	21.79	14.97	20.86	64.69	56.91
2.	Diluted:	21.79	14.97	20.86	64.69	56.91

Key number of Standalone Results of the Corporation are as under: ₹ in Crore

Sr. No.	Particulars	Three months ended as at			Year Ended as at	
		31-Mar-24	31-Dec-23	31-Mar-23	31-Mar-24	31-Mar-23
1	Premium Income (Gross) ¹	1,52,542.71	1,17,222.64	1,31,963.86	4,75,751.92	4,74,668.13
2	Profit before tax	13,638.22	9,498.73	13,421.86	40,787.21	36,456.78
3	Profit after tax	13,762.64	9,444.42	13,427.81	40,675.79	36,397.39

Notes:

- Premium income is gross of reinsurance and net of Goods & Service Tax.
- Net Profit / (Loss) before tax, for the period is Profit before tax as appearing in Profit and Loss Account (Shareholders' account).
- The above figures is an extract of the detailed format of Quarterly/ Annual Financial Results filed with the Stock Exchanges under Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligation and other Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The full format of the Quarterly/ Annual Financial Results are available on the Stock Exchange websites (www.nseindia.com and www.bseindia.com) and the Corporation's website (www.licindia.in).
- The financial results include the figures for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 and March 31, 2023 being the balancing figures between the audited figures in respect of full financial year 2023-24 and 2022-23 respectively and the published unaudited year to date figures up-to the third quarter of the aforesaid financial years.
- The New Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) are currently not applicable to insurance industry in India.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

R. DORAISWAMY
Managing Director
(DIN: 10358884)

Place:- Mumbai
Date:- 27-May-2024



रेमल म्हणजे वाळू

या वर्षीच्या मान्सून हंगामापूर्वी बंगालच्या उपसागरातील रेमल हे पहिले चक्रीवादळ आहे. हिंदी महासागरातील चक्रीवादळांना नाव देण्याच्या पद्धतीनुसार ओमानने या चक्रीवादळाला रेमल असे नाव दिले. अरबी भाषेत रेमल या शब्दाचा अर्थ वाळू असा होतो.

भाजपची याचिका सुप्रीम कोर्टाने फेटाळली

तृणमूलविरोधी जाहिरातप्रकरण निर्णय

नवी दिल्ली : तृणमूल काँग्रेसच्या विरोधात जाहिराती प्रसिद्ध करण्यापासून कोलकाता हायकोर्टाने भारतीय जनता पक्षाला अटकाव केला होता. त्याविरोधात भाजपने सर्वोच्च न्यायालयाच्या सुट्टीकालीन खंडपीठाकडे दाखल केलेली याचिका सोमवारी खंडपीठाने फेटाळून लावली.

न्यायमूर्ती जे. के. माहेश्वरी आणि न्यायमूर्ती के. व्ही. विश्वनाथन यांच्या खंडपीठाने स्पष्ट केले की, ही जाहिरात बदनामीकारक असल्याचे प्रथमदर्शनी दिसून येते. त्यामुळे आम्ही ही याचिका फेटाळत आहोत.

कोलकाता उच्च न्यायालयाच्या एक सदस्यीय खंडपीठाने २० मे रोजी दिलेल्या आपल्या आदेशात म्हटले होते की, ही जाहिरात अपमानास्पद असून, लोकसभा निवडणुकीच्या आचारसंहितेचे उल्लंघन करते. त्यानंतर २२ मे रोजी खंडपीठाने दिलेल्या अंतरिम आदेशाविरोधातील याचिकेवर विचार करण्यास इच्छुक नसल्याचेही खंडपीठाने स्पष्ट केले होते. यानंतर भाजपने सुप्रीम कोर्टात विशेष याचिका दाखल केली होती. या

असे होते प्रकरण

मुख्यमंत्री ममता बॅनर्जी व तृणमूल काँग्रेसविरोधात काही जाहिराती प्रसिद्ध झाल्यानंतर टीएमसीने भाजपविरोधात निवडणूक आयोगात तक्रार दाखल केली होती. या तक्रारीच्या आधारे निवडणूक आयोगाने १८ मे रोजी भाजपला 'कारणे दाखवा नोटीस' बजावली होती. त्यावर २१ मेपर्यंत उत्तर मागितले होते. दरम्यान, याप्रकरण २० मे रोजी टीएमसीने कोलकाता उच्च न्यायालयात धाव घेतली. तेथे सुनावणीदरम्यान खंडपीठाने भाजपला ४ जूनपर्यंत आचारसंहितेचे उल्लंघन करणाऱ्या जाहिराती प्रकाशित करण्यापासून रोखले.

याचिकेत २० मे च्या अंतरिम आदेशाला तसेच उच्च न्यायालयाने दिलेल्या आदेशाला स्थगिती देण्याची मागणी करण्यात आली. भाजपचा दावा केला की, न्यायालयाने आमची बाजू ऐकून घेतली नाही. न्यायाधीशानी आचारसंहितेचा भंग केल्याच्या आधारे स्थगिती देऊन चुक केली, असा दावाही याचिकेत करण्यात आला होता.

प्रज्वल ३१ मे रोजी एसआयटीसमोर

बंगळूरु : अनेक महिलांचे लैंगिक शोषण केल्याचा आरोप असलेला हसनचा खासदार प्रज्वल रेवण्णा याने स्वतः विशेष तपास पथकासमोर (एसआयटी) ३१ मे रोजी हजर राहणार असल्याचे म्हटले आहे. प्रज्वल याच्यावर करण्यात आलेल्या आरोपांची चौकशी करण्यासाठी कर्नाटक सरकारने एसआयटी स्थापन केली आहे.

येत्या शुक्रवारी म्हणजे ३१ मे रोजी सकाळी १० वाजता स्वतः एसआयटीसमोर हजर राहणार असून त्यांना तपासात सहकार्य करणार आहे, न्यायव्यवस्थेवर विश्वास आहे, न्यायालयामार्फत या खोट्या आरोपांमधून आपण सहीसलामत बाहेर पडू, असे प्रज्वलने स्पष्ट केल्याचा व्हिडीओ कन्न्ड दूरचित्रवाणी वाहिनी एशियानेट सुवागां न्यूजने व्हायरल केला आहे.

व्हिडीओ व्हायरल झाल्यानंतर जेडीएस अथवा प्रज्वलच्या कुटुंबीयांकडून त्याला दुजोरा देण्यात आलेला नाही. मात्र ३१ मे रोजी मी येणार आहे. मी येऊन या सर्व प्रकरणावर पडदा टाकणार आहे, माझ्यावर विश्वास ठेवा, असे प्रज्वलने म्हटले आहे.

प. बंगालला 'रेमल'चा तडाखा

कोलकाता : बंगालच्या उपसागरात निर्माण झालेल्या रेमल चक्रीवादळाने रविवारी मध्यरात्री पश्चिम बंगाल आणि बांगलादेशच्या किनारपट्टीवरून अंतर्गत भागात प्रवेश केला. चक्रीवादळामुळे देशाच्या पूर्वेकडील राज्यांसह बांगलादेशमध्ये जोरदार पाऊस झाला आणि अद्यापही तो सुरूच आहे. पाऊस आणि सोसाट्याच्या वाऱ्यामुळे अनेक ठिकाणी पायाभूत सुविधा आणि मालमत्तेचे नुकसान झाले. प. बंगालमध्ये वादळामुळे ६ जण मरण पावले असून अनेक जण जखमी झाले आहेत. बांगलादेशमध्ये १० जणांचा बळी गेला. मात्र, वादळाची आगाऊ सूचना मिळून वेळीच केलेल्या उपाययोजनांमुळे अनेकांचा जीव वाचवण्यात यश आले. चक्रीवादळाच्या तडाखापूर्वी पश्चिम बंगाल सरकारने एक लाखहून अधिक लोकांना आणि बांगलादेशने ८ लाख लोकांना असुरक्षित भागातून सुरक्षित स्थळी हलवले होते. रेमल चक्रीवादळाच्या पार्श्वभूमीवर २१ तासांसाठी स्थगित ठेवल्यानंतर सोमवारी सकाळी कोलकाता विमानतळावरील विमानसेवा पुन्हा सुरू झाली. मात्र, परिस्थिती पूर्वपदावर येण्यासाठी आणखी काही कालावधी लागणार असल्याचे विमानतळ सूत्रांनी सांगितले.

मध्य कोलकातामधील एंटली येथील बिबि र बागान परिसरात रविवारी सायंकाळी झालेल्या अविरत पावसामुळे भिंत कोसळल्याने एका व्यक्तीचा मृत्यू झाला, असे राज्य आपत्ती व्यवस्थापन अधिकाऱ्याने सांगितले. तर सुंदरबन डेल्टाला लागून असलेल्या नामखानाजवळील मौसुनी बेटातील एका वृद्ध महिलेचाही सोमवारी सकाळी मृत्यू झाला. तिच्या झोपडीवर एक झाड कोसळले होते.

रविवारी रात्री ८.३० वाजता रेमल चक्रीवादळ प. बंगाल आणि बांगलादेशच्या किनार्यावरील सागर बेट आणि खुपेपाडा यांच्या दरम्यान जमिनीवर धडकण्यास सुरुवात झाली. ही प्रक्रिया (लॅंडफॉल) चार तास चालली. त्यावेळी प. बंगाल आणि बांगलादेशच्या किनारपट्टीवर ताशी १३० ते १५० किमी वेगाने वारे वाहत होते. कोलकाता शहरात वाऱ्याचा कमाल वेग ७४ किमी प्रतितास होता, तर शहराच्या उत्तरेकडील भागात दमदम येथे वाऱ्याचा कमाल वेग ९१ किमी प्रतितास नोंदवला गेला. दोन्ही देशांच्या किनारपट्टीवर

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रविवारी रात्री भारतासह बांगलादेशच्या किनारपट्टीवरही रेमल चक्रीवादळाचा तडाखा बसला. वादळाने बांगलादेशात १० जण ठार झाले. चक्रीवादळाचा परिणाम प्रामुख्याने बारिसाल, भोला, पटुआखली, सातखीरा आणि चट्टोग्राम या भागांवर झाला आहे. बारिसाल, भोला आणि चट्टोग्राममध्ये पाच जण ठार झाले. पटुआखलीमध्ये एक व्यक्ती आपल्या बहिणीला आणि मावशीला आश्रयस्थानी आणण्यासाठी घरी परतत असताना वादळाच्या तडाख्यात वाहून गेली. वादळात आडोशासाठी धावत असताना

बांगलादेशात १० बळी

पडून सातखीरा येथे आणखी एकाचा मृत्यू झाला. मोटा येथे टॉलर बुडाल्याने एका मुलासह दोन जण बेपत्ता झाले आहेत. ग्रामीण वीज प्राधिकरणाने 'रेमल'चे नुकसान कमी करण्यासाठी किनारपट्टी भागातील १५ दशलक्ष लोकांची वीज खंडित केली आहे. काही भागात १२ तासांहून अधिक काळ वीज खंडित झाली आहे.

मुसळधार पाऊस होत होता. रविवारी सकाळी ८.३० ते सोमवारी पहाटे ५.३० या कालावधीत कोलकात्यात १४६ मिमी पावसाची नोंद झाली. चक्रीवादळामुळे दिघा, काकद्वीप आणि जयनगर सारख्या भागात जोरदार वाऱ्यासह पाऊस झाला. दक्षिण बंगालमधील हल्लिया येथे ११० मिमी, तामलुक येथे ७० मिमी आणि निम्पिथ येथे ७० मिमी पाऊस झाला. मुसळधार पावसाने घरे, शेतजमिनी आणि पिकांचे नुकसान झाले. उत्तर आणि दक्षिण २४ परगणा आणि पूर्व मेदिनीपूर जिल्ह्यांमध्ये मोठ्या प्रमाणात नुकसान झाल्याची नोंद आहे.

कोलकाता तसेच किनारी जिल्ह्यांमध्ये गवताच्या झोपड्यांची छत्रे उडाली. झाडे उन्मळून पडल्यामुळे अनेक ठिकाणी रस्ते बंद झाले. अनेक ठिकाणी विजेचे खांब कोसळले. त्यामुळे शहराच्या बाहेरील भागांसह राज्याच्या विविध भागांमध्ये वीजपुरवठा खंडित झाला. कोलकात्याच्या



रविवारी बांगलादेशने असुरक्षित भागातून सुमारे ८ लाख लोकांना बाहेर काढले. स्थलांतरितांना १००० आश्रयस्थानांमध्ये हलविण्यासाठी स्वयंसेवक तैनात करण्यात आले आहेत. सरकारने पुढील सूचना मिळेपर्यंत प्रदेशातील सर्व शाळा बंद केल्या आहेत. बांगलादेशने चट्टोग्राममधील विमानतळ बंद केले आणि कॉक्स बाजारला जाणारी उड्डाणे रद्द केली. चितगाव बंदरामधील कामकाजही बंद केले होते.

अनेक भागात पाणी साचले होते. तर सियालदाह टर्मिनल स्थानकावरील उपनगरीय रेल्वे सेवा कमीत कमी तीन तासांसाठी अंशतः बंद राहिल्या. वादळामुळे कोलकात्यात सुमारे ६८ झाडे उन्मळून पडली, जवळील सॉल्ट लेक आणि राजारहाट भागात अतिरिक्त ७५ झाडे तोडण्यात आली.

हवामान कार्यालयाने सांगितले की, सोमवारी पहाटे ५.३० वाजल्यानंतर चक्रीवादळ कमकुवत झाले आणि त्याचा भर ओसरत गेला. कर्निंगच्या सुमारे ७० किमी ईशान्येस आणि मोंगलाच्या पश्चिम-नैऋत्येस ३० किमी. अंतरावर पोहोचताना चक्रीवादळ आणखी कमकुवत होण्याची शक्यता आहे. हवामानशास्त्र विभागाने कोलकाता, नादिया आणि मुर्शिदाबादसह दक्षिणेकडील जिल्ह्यांमध्ये आणखी पावसाचा अंदाज वर्तवला आहे. आपत्कालीन सेवा, बचाव पथके आणि एनडीआरएफकडून परिस्थिती पूर्ववत करण्याचे प्रयत्न सुरू आहेत.

येडियुरप्पा यांच्यावर आरोप करणाऱ्या महिलेचा मृत्यू

बंगळूरु : भाजपचे ज्येष्ठ नेते आणि कर्नाटकचे माजी मुख्यमंत्री बी. एस. येडियुरप्पा यांच्यावर आपल्या १७ वर्षीय मुलीचा लैंगिक शोषण केल्याचा आरोप करणाऱ्या ५४ वर्षीय महिलेचा येथे मृत्यू झाला. फुफ्फुसाचा कर्करोग झाल्यामुळे येथील खासगी रुग्णालयात ती अनेक दिवस उपचार घेत होती, असे पोलिसांनी सोमवारी सांगितले.

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येडियुरप्पा यांच्यावर पोक्सो कायदांतर्गत गुन्हा दाखल करण्यात आला होता. पोलिसांनी दिलेल्या माहितीनुसार, महिलेने आरोप केला होता की, येडियुरप्पा यांनी २ फेब्रुवारीला एका बैठकीदरम्यान तिच्या मुलीचे लैंगिक शोषण केले. आरोप फेटाळून लावत येडियुरप्पा यांनी सांगितले होते की, ते हे प्रकरण कायदेशीररीत्या लढतील. हे प्रकरण सीआयडीकडे वर्ग करण्यात आले होते.

दहशतवाद्यांच्या कुटुंबीयांना नोकरी नाही - शहा

नवी दिल्ली : कोणत्याही दहशतवाद्यांच्या कुटुंबातील कोणत्याही सदस्याला अथवा दगडफेक करणाऱ्यांच्या कोणत्याही जवळच्या नातेवाईकाला जम्मू-काश्मीरमध्ये सरकारी नोकरी मिळणार नाही, असा कडक संदेश केंद्रीय गृहमंत्री अमित शहा यांनी सोमवारी येथे दिला.

पंतप्रधान नरेंद्र मोदी सरकारने केवळ दहशतवाद्यांनाच लक्ष्य केले नाही, तर दहशतवादी यंत्रणेचा नायनाट करण्याचा प्रयत्न केला. त्यामुळे देशातील दहशतवादी घटनांमध्ये लक्षणीय घट झाली. जर एखाद्याने दहशतवादी संघटनेत प्रवेश केला तर त्याच्या कुटुंबातील कोणत्याही सदस्याला सरकारी नोकरी द्यायची नाही असा निर्णय आम्ही काश्मीरमध्ये घेतला आहे, असे गृहमंत्र्यांनी वृत्तसंस्थेला दिलेल्या मुलाखतीमध्ये म्हटले आहे.

याविरुद्ध मानव हक्क कार्यकर्ता सर्वोच्च न्यायालयात गेला तरी अखेरीस सरकारचाच विजय होईल, असेही गृहमंत्र्यांनी स्पष्ट केले.

पापुआ-न्यू-गिनीतील मृतांची संख्या २००० वर

मेलबर्न : पापुआ-न्यू-गिनीमध्ये काही दिवसांपूर्वी झालेल्या भूस्खलनातील मृतांचा आकडा वाढून तो २००० पर्यंत गेल्याची भीती तैथील सरकारने व्यक्त केली आहे.

शुक्रवारी पहाटे पापुआ-न्यू-गिनीत झालेल्या भूस्खलनामुळे एक संपूर्ण गाव गाडले गेले. गावात झालेल्या आपत्तीत नेमकी किती जीवितहानी झाली याचा अंदाज करणे कठीण झाले आहे. सुरुवातीला गावात १०० हून अधिक जण ठार झाल्याचे वृत्त आले होते. नंतर संयुक्त राष्ट्रांच्या हवालानुसार दिलेल्या वृत्तात मृतांचा



आकडा ६७० वर गेल्याचे म्हटले होते. तर सोमवारी स्थानिक सरकारने मृतांचा आकडा २००० वर गेल्याची भीती व्यक्त केली आहे.

राफामध्ये इस्त्रायली हल्ल्यात ४५ ठार

हमासच्या दोन दहशतवाद्यांचा समावेश



तेल अवीव : गाझा येथे सोमवारी इस्त्रायलच्या हल्ल्यात किमान ४५ लोक ठार झाले आणि इझनभर जखमी झाले. पॅलेस्टिनी आरोग्य मंत्रालयाने दिलेल्या माहितीनुसार मृत आणि जखमींमध्ये बहुसंख्य महिला आणि मुले आहेत. हमासने रविवारी इस्त्रायलच्या तेल अवीव शहरावर रॉकेट्सचा मारा केला होता. त्यानंतर लगेचच इस्त्रायलने हा हल्ला केला आहे.

इस्त्रायलच्या म्हणण्यानुसार, हवाई हल्ल्यात मारल्या गेलेल्या दहशतवाद्यांमध्ये जुडिया आणि सामरियामधील हमास चीफ ऑफ स्टाफ आणि हमासचा अतिरिक्त वरिष्ठ अधिकारी यांचा समावेश आहे. इस्त्रायलच्या संरक्षणदलांनी या हल्ल्याला दुजोरा दिला आणि सांगितले की, त्यांनी राफामधील हमास कंपाऊंडवर हल्ला केला. त्यामध्ये काही वेळापूर्वी हमासचे दहशतवादी कार्यरत होते. इस्त्रायलच्या विमानांनी गुप्त माहितीच्या आधारावर, अचूक युद्धसामग्री वापरून आणि आंतरराष्ट्रीय कायद्यांच्या अधीन राहून लक्ष्यांवर हल्ला केला.

Sr. No.		Particulars	Three months ended as at			Year Ended as at	
			31-Mar-24	31-Dec-23	31-Mar-23	31-Mar-24	31-Mar-23
			Audited	Unaudited	Audited	Audited	Audited
1		Premium Income (Gross) ¹	1,53,018.97	1,17,638.95	1,32,432.22	4,77,521.05	4,76,632.79
2		Net Profit / (Loss) for the period (before Tax, Exceptional and / or Extraordinary items)	13,664.43	9,530.92	13,190.95	41,056.60	36,080.94
3		Net Profit / (Loss) for the period before tax (after Exceptional and / or Extraordinary items) ²	13,664.43	9,530.92	13,190.95	41,056.60	36,080.94
4		Net Profit / (Loss) for the period after tax (after Exceptional and / or Extraordinary items)	13,781.59	9,468.99	13,190.79	40,915.85	35,996.65
5		Equity Share Capital (Paid-up)	6,325.00	6,325.00	6,325.00	6,325.00	6,325.00
6		Reserves (excluding Revaluation Reserve and fair value change account)	76,612.06	65,353.95	40,100.87	76,612.06	40,100.87
7		Earnings Per Share (Face value of ₹10 each) (For continuing and discontinued operations)-					
	1.	Basic:	21.79	14.97	20.86	64.69	56.91
	2.	Diluted:	21.79	14.97	20.86	64.69	56.91

Key number of Standalone Results of the Corporation are as under: ₹ in Crore

Sr. No.		Particulars	Three months ended as at			Year Ended as at	
			31-Mar-24	31-Dec-23	31-Mar-23	31-Mar-24	31-Mar-23
1		Premium Income (Gross) ¹	1,52,542.71	1,17,222.64	1,31,963.86	4,75,751.92	4,74,668.13
2		Profit before tax	13,638.22	9,498.73	13,421.86	40,787.21	36,456.78
3		Profit after tax	13,762.64	9,444.42	13,427.81	40,675.79	36,397.39

Notes:

- Premium income is gross of reinsurance and net of Goods & Service Tax.
- Net Profit / (Loss) before tax, for the period is Profit before tax as appearing in Profit and Loss Account (Shareholders' account).
- The above figures is an extract of the detailed format of Quarterly/ Annual Financial Results filed with the Stock Exchanges under Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligation and other Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The full format of the Quarterly/ Annual Financial Results are available on the Stock Exchange websites (www.nseindia.com and www.bseindia.com) and the Corporation's website (www.licindia.in).
- The financial results include the figures for the quarter ended March 31, 2024 and March 31, 2023 being the balancing figures between the audited figures in respect of full financial year 2023-24 and 2022-23 respectively and the published unaudited year to date figures up-to the third quarter of the aforesaid financial years.
- The New Indian Accounting Standards (Ind AS) are currently not applicable to insurance industry in India.

For and on behalf of the Board of Directors

R. DORAISWAMY
Managing Director
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Place:- Mumbai
Date:- 27-May-2024