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Corporate Relationship Department
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Subject: Newspaper clipping of the notice of Board Meeting.

SCRIP CODE - 504356

Dear Sir,

The advertisement in newspaper, published as per Regulation 47 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, for intimation of Board Meeting to be held on 30th May, 2023 is enclosed for your kind reference & records.

Please take the above intimation on records and kindly acknowledge the receipt.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

For Multipurpose Trading and Agencies Ltd.

For Multipurpose Trading & Agencies Ltd

Ashish Singh


Director

Director

Encl: Copy of the Notice in News paper

Hundreds Of Millions Of Life Years Lost To Pandemic: WHO

At G7 Summit, US To Unveil New Sanctions Targeting Russia Over Ukraine

GENEVA: (AGENCY)

Switzerland: Nearly 337 million life years were lost in the two first years of the Covid-19 pandemic as millions of people died prematurely, the World Health Organization said on Friday. The UN health agency's annual world health statistics report also showed a swelling threat from non-communicable diseases (NCDs) such as heart disease, cancer and diabetes.

The most dramatic finding, based on data up to 2022, was the estimate of how many years of life Covid had taken, WHO said. The pandemic has resulted in the loss of 336.8 million years that otherwise would have been lived. "It's like losing 22 years of life for every excess death," Samira Asma, WHO's assistant chief for data and analytics, told



2021, its excess mortality data shows around 14.9 million people actually died due to the crisis over that period. Even more striking, perhaps, is that the statistics show that during those two years alone, Covid resulted in the loss of 336.8 million years that otherwise would have been lived. "It's like losing 22 years of life for every excess death," Samira Asma, WHO's assistant chief for data and analytics, told

reporters ahead of the launch. "Significant inequities underpin the distribution of Covid-19 cases and deaths, as well as access to vaccines," the report said. The WHO warned that the pandemic had helped throw off-track many health-related indicators that had been improving for years. During the first two decades of the century, the world saw significant improvements in maternal and child health, with

long improving trends on malaria and TB in the opposite direction. And while the world still enjoys health progress overall, the share of deaths caused each year by NCDs has grown, the study showed. In 2000, around 61 percent of global deaths annually were linked to NCDs. By 2019, almost 74 percent were. "If this trend continues, NCDs are projected to account for about 86 percent of the 90 million annual deaths by mid-century," WHO said in a statement. "The report sends a stark message on the threat of non-communicable diseases, which take an immense and increasing toll," WHO chief Tedros Adhanom Ghebreyesus said. The findings, he said, show the need for "a substantial increase in investments in health and health systems to get back on track towards the Sustainable Development Goals."

NCD deaths were increasing despite a reduction in exposure to many health risks. The United States and the rest of the "Group of Seven" major economies will unveil new sanctions and export controls targeting Russia over its war against Ukraine, a U.S. official said ahead of a G7 summit in Japan. G7 leaders are gathering in Hiroshima on Friday with the invasion of Ukraine, now in its second year, high on the agenda. The U.S. has spearheaded tough sanctions on Russian companies, banks and individuals, and the coming announcement is designed to reaffirm world powers' resolve to support Ukraine and squeeze Moscow. A U.S. official speaking to reporters on Thursday said the gathering and the G7's latest efforts were aimed at disrupting Russia's ability to get materials it needs for the battlefield. Close loopholes used to evade sanctions, further reduce international reliance on Russian energy, and narrow Moscow's access to the international financial system.



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"Our commitment to continue tightening the package will include 'extensively restricting categories of goods key to the battlefield' as well as preventing some 70 entities from Russia and third countries from receiving U.S. exports by adding them to the U.S. Commerce Department's blacklist. In addition, the United States will announce some 300 new sanctions against individuals, entities, vessels and aircraft targeting "financial facilitators", Russia's future energy-extracting capabilities, and others across Europe, the Middle East and Asia helping to support the war. U.S. sanctions authorities would also expand to more sectors of the Russian economy.

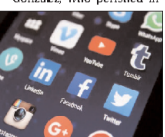
Twitter, Google Win Big At US Supreme Court In Internet Liability Cases

WASHINGTON: (AGENCY)

Social media platforms Twitter and Google registered a big win in the Supreme Court on Thursday as the court side-stepped claims that internet companies can be held accountable for the content posted on their growth. The Hill reported. The judges debated two cases in which the families of terrorist attack victims claimed that Google and Twitter should be held accountable for aiding and abetting ISIS, which resulted in the death of their loved ones.

After the legal accusations, Google claimed that it was shielded from all of it by Section 230 of the Communications Decency Act passed in 1996 to stop internet service providers from being held accountable for third-party information uploaded on their websites. However, the court decided on Thursday that neither company had an underlying obligation to require the protections, avoiding becoming involved in the contentious Section 230 argument according to The Hill.

In the Twitter case, conservative Justice Clarence Thomas wrote for a unanimous jury that the plaintiffs' claims carried the short of plausibly alleging that defendants aided and abetted the Reina attack. The incident dates back to the time when an ISIS-linked attacker opened a bar at the Reina nightclub in the Ortaok neighbourhood of Istanbul, Turkey, on January



1, 2017, killing at least 38 people, along with Nawras Abbasaf. Hundreds of people had been enjoying New Year's Day there when the incident took place. The family of Abbasaf filed a lawsuit against Twitter and other tech companies, claiming they did not do enough to combat the terrorist organisation. According to The Hill, similar facts were given in the Google case. The family of US citizen, Nehem Gonzalez, who perished in

Pakistan Investors Brace For Thunderbolt As Imran Khan Tests Army

PAKISTAN: (AGENCY)

Pakistan investors are bracing for a sudden jolt as former premier Imran Khan's showdown with the powerful military, and the government reaches a tipping point. Warnings of a massive drop in the rupee are flaring up, with analysts forecasting another 20% decline is possible. Heightened tensions after Khan's arrest last week may push an international Monetary Fund \$6.7 billion bailout further out of reach, with bond managers staring at the specter of a sovereign default. Khan, who was later released by the top court, is challenging the military's influence in politics and pushing the government to hold early elections. Risks are rapidly increasing for investors as the upheaval is a potent reminder of the nation's history with three coups since 1958, while an apparent assassination attempt on the 70-year-old politician in November underscored that violence may intensify.

"To be invested in Pakistan means you should be prepared for bigger risks," said Edwin Gutierrez, head of emerging-market sovereign debt at abrdn plc, a long-time investor in the nation. "Black swans are a bigger probability." Moody's Investors Service said this month the nation may default after June if it fails to secure IMF funding. In Pakistan, the company downgraded Pakistan's sovereign credit rating to an



nervous, with the extra yield they demand to hold Pakistan's dollar bonds over US Treasuries climbing above 35 percentage points to a record this month. Pakistan's dollar bonds are trading at distressed levels, with notes due in 2031 quoted at about 34 cents on the dollar. The rupee slid to a record-low 299 per dollar at close last week and ended at 285.6 on Thursday. The rupee has lost about 20% this year among the worst performers in the world. Khan said he fears another arrest after police surrounded his home in Punjab province on Wednesday, stoking concerns of a repeat of the violent clashes

last week. Authorities now say they intend to search his home for supporters who were suspected of attacking military facilities around Islamabad. Police gates block a main road leading to the residence of Pakistan's former premier Imran Khan in Lahore,

to 300 by the middle of the year, according to Farooq Pasha, an economist in Karachi. The rupee trajectory remains subject to considerable uncertainty as market sentiment is fragile. Pasha said "Politics will remain the key risk in the near-term until the election."

Pakistan's dollar stockpile, which stood at \$4.3 billion in mid-May, is not enough to cover even one month of imports despite heavy restrictions according to Bloomberg Economics. Import cover fell to the historically low level of 0.5 months in January, said Ankur Shukla, an analyst at Citigroup. It has risen slightly after the nation secured loans from China. For Johannes Loefstrand, portfolio manager of the frontier markets fund at T. Rowe Price in London, stock picking in Pakistan is more crucial than ever. The company is investing in systems Ltd, an information technology company which benefits from the rupee weakness as its revenue is mainly in foreign currency. Pakistan's military has long dominated the political landscape, ruling directly for 32 of the 76 years since independence from British rule and backing many of its civilian regimes. The South Asian nation last had a coup in 1999 when General Pervez Musharraf came to power. Though the army vowed last year to stay out of politics, Khan's arrest is casting doubt on that promise.

Briefs News

More Than Half Of World's Large Lakes Are Drying Up: Study

LONDON: (AGENCY)

More than half of the world's large lakes and reservoirs have shrunk since the early 1990s, chiefly because of climate change, intensifying concerns about water for agriculture, hydropower and human consumption, a study published on Thursday found. A team of international researchers which stood at 22 countries, including the United States' largest reservoir, Pangangya, a surface hydrologist at the University of Virginia who led the study in the journal Science, said 56% of the decline in natural lakes was driven by climate warming and human consumption, with warming "the larger share of that." Climate scientists generally think that the world's arid areas will become drier under climate change, and wet areas will get wetter, but the study found significant water loss even in humid regions. "This should not be overlooked," Yao said. Scientists assessed about 2,000 large lakes using satellite measurements combined with climate and hydrological models. They found that unsustainable human use, changes in rainfall and run-off, sedimentation, and rising temperatures have driven lake levels down globally, with 53% of lakes showing a decline from 1992 to 2020. Nearly 2 billion people, who live in a drying lake basin, are directly affected and many regions have faced shortages in recent years. Scientists and campaigners have long said it is necessary to prevent global warming beyond 1.5 degrees Celsius (2.7 degrees Fahrenheit) to avoid the most catastrophic consequences of climate change.

Australian Police Confirm Tasering 95-Year-Old Woman

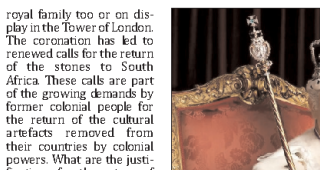
SYDNEY: (AGENCY)

Australian police confirmed Friday that one of its officers tasered a 95-year-old woman in her nursing home, leaving her in a "critical condition" in hospital with a head injury. Officers were deployed to the residence on Wednesday after being alerted that the woman was "armed with a knife". New South Wales state police said in a statement, "Police attempted to speak to the woman," they said in a statement. "During this interaction, a senior constable discharged his taser, causing the woman to fall and strike her head." It added "The officer's duty status is under review." It was the first confirmation by police that they used a taser on the resident.

Why African Diamonds On King Charles' Crown Are Unlikely To Be Returned

WASHINGTON: (AGENCY)

Opera singer Pretty Yende and foreign minister Nikki Pander were not the only South African presence at the coronation of King Charles III. Also there were the stones cut for the return of the cultural artefacts removed from their countries by colonial powers. What are the justifications for the return of the Cullinan diamonds? What are the complications? And what is the likelihood of return? Prior to the coronation, there were calls for the return of the diamonds to South Africa. The Economic Freedom Fighters, the country's third largest political party, led in calling for them to come home. And so has African Transnationalist Movement's member of parliament, Vuyolwethu Zanguba. In similar fashion, Motlasi Kamanga, a former minister for the activist promoted an online



petition for the diamonds to be returned. It quickly attracted 8,000 signatures. These demands fall under a much wider global conversation about reparations for items forcefully appropriated as spoils of war and cultural domination. Various items have been returned to their countries of origin by European universities. The Cullinan diamond for Edward VII as a token of the loyalty of the people of the Transvaal to the king. At face value, this is odd because Boer had served as a Boer general in the South African War, which

had culminated in Boer war. The diamond was drawn out struggle which had left South Africa devastated. About 14,000 Boer troops had lost their lives, and some 28,000 Boer men, women and children died in concentration camps, incarcerated by the British to stop them from helping the Boer guerrilla forces. Yet Botha refers to the "loyalty and attachment" of the Transvaal "people" (by which he almost certainly meant only white people).

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Notice of Board Meeting
 Notice is hereby given pursuant to provision of the Regulation 47 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015 that the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Multipurpose Trading and Agencies Limited will be held on Tuesday, the 20th Day of May, 2023 at 11:30 a.m., at the Corporate Office of the Company, B-1, Kalindi Colony, New Delhi-110065, inter-alia, to consider and approve, the Audited Financial Results of the Company for the Quarter ended year and year ended on March 31, 2023 and reports thereon. Re-appointment of Secretarial Auditor for 2022-23 and other matters. For the purpose of the above information in this regards is being also made available on the website of the Company i.e. <http://www.multipurposetrading.in> and stock exchange www.bseindia.com

Date: 19/05/2023
 Place: Delhi
 Director
 DIN: 00586423

G2 Northern Railway TENDER NOTICE

Custom Bid for Services - Escorting activities of train no. 12215 Delhi Sarai Rohilla Bandra Terminus Garb Rath Express for 3 years. Custom Bid for Services - Escorting activities of train no. 12016 Bandra Terminus Delhi Sarai Rohilla Garb Rath Express for 3 years. Custom Bid for Services - Escorting activities of train no. 12022 Anand Vihar Terminal Muzaffarpur Garb Rath Express for 3 years. Custom Bid for Services - Escorting activities of train no. 12211 Muzaffarpur Anand Vihar Terminal Garb Rath Express for 3 years. Custom Bid for Services - Escorting activities of train no. 12248 Anand Vihar Terminal Gaya Garb Rath Express for 3 years. Custom Bid for Services - Escorting activities of train no. 12245 Anand Vihar Terminal Shajapur Garb Rath Express for 3 years. Custom Bid for Services - Escorting activities of train no. 12048 Anand Vihar Terminal Jaynagar Garb Rath Express for 3 years. Custom Bid for Services - Escorting activities of train no. 12335 Jaynagar Anand Vihar Terminal Garb Rath Express for 3 years.

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Period of validity of bid	36 Months
Last date and time of submission of bid	08.06.2023 / 14:00:00
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