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## CLASSIFIEDS

## FOR SALE PROPERTY

## AGRICULTURE

**8 ACRES** for sale on Main Antaram Road, Mominikani Village, near Vikarabad very large road-side, Lush Green Pollution free area, Suitable for Gardens/ Farm Houses/ Holiday Homes etc. Call: 9391731113/ 9396133657. (HYMM/2122/C01724)

## COMMERCIAL

**COMMERCIAL COMPLEX** For Sale/Lease, Including 2Acs Movie Theaters, 2Ac Function Halls, And 2 Floors Retail Space, 115,000sq.ft. Including Celler Parking, Located On NH 16, Chialakurpet, Guntur, Ph:+9109901838 (Usa) (HYMM/2122/C01707)

**TDR FOR SALE** 10800 Sft Tdr Is On Sale Interested Parties Can Contact On Mobile: 8179325365/ 8179325387 (HYMM/2122/C01712)

✓ **SRINAGAR COLONY** Main Road: Commercial Office/ Clinic Space available for Sale. Prime Location, Handover August 21, 1200sqft to 6000sqft, Branded LIT, Designer Lobbies, Ample car parking and other facilities. Call: 986700021/ 7993418561/ 9848091122. (HYMM/2122/C01729)

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## FLATS

## DOUBLE BEDROOM

**NEAR APPA Junction:** Burdiguda 2BHK 2B 3BHK Deluxe Flats For Sale E/NW Face Position in 12months @Gated Community. Ph:9669989119/ 8121844748. (HYCL/2122/C00444)

**PEACEFUL SEMI** Gated 2& 3BHK Flats, in Ameerpet near Chandanagar. Price Starts @ 54 Lakhs onwards. Just 5 mins drive from Chandanagar. Bus Stop. Ph:9944898068, 8978958973. (HYMM/2122/C01522)

**2 & 3BHK Ready To Move** in Flats available in Accurate Villa Chimes At Nursing Near Financial Dist. Cont: 7569037771 (HYMM/2122/C01713)

**AT KOMPALLY.** Ready to Move-in Premium 2& 3BHK Flats. Sizes from 1075sqft-1500sqft, No GST. Near Asian Cine Planet. RERA Approved. Ph:7997848777, 9705001777. (HYMM/2122/C01521)

**NAGARAM, NEAR** Indian Oil Station "S.V.Shantinketan" Flats Ready to move 2 & 3BHK Rs.34Lakhs onwards. Mod. 21 Bldg. Ph:984892582. (HYMM/2122/C01506)

**BHANUR BDL, ORR** Exe no 2&3 Shankarpally Road, Mega sale offer. Fully gated community. Apartments 2&3BHK, 6 Towers 10Floors Rs.3500 sft. Ph:9848832207. Rental income granted. (HYMM/2122/C01763)

## THREE &amp; MORE

**3 BHK** Luxury Flats @ 3775/- Sft in gated community with club house & amenities at Mallampati. Near Bachupally 3 BHK starts from 54.69 lakhs onwards. Mod. Builders 7677120120. (B/2122/C00166)

**3 BHK** Luxury Flats @ 3775/- Sft in gated community with club house & amenities at Gajularamam, Kukatpally 2 BHK Starts from 30.31 Lakhs onwards. Mod. Builders 7677120120. (B/2122/C00186)

**BANJARA HILLS** Rd:1, New Flat 4HK, 3130sqft, West Facing, Modern Amenities, ultra modern luxury interiors, fully Italian furnished, Pooja Room & Servant Quarters @4.5 Cr Ph:9000303000 (HYMM/2122/C01704)

**BEGUMPET: CHIKOTI** Gardens. Very prime location, close to metro railway station, 3BHK 2340 sqft. New apartment, price Rs.10,000/- per sft negotiable. Contact No: 9885457788. (HYMM/2122/C01675)

**GACHIBOWLI NEAR** Narsingi, exclusive luxury project, Muppa Insignya by Muppa Akshaja Projects. 2Cellars+ Ground+ 8Floors. 112Apartments 2&3BHK for sale. Sizes 1210 to 1810sqft. Apartments for possession for interiors available 1st 2021 only few flats left. Please contact: 9849539003. (HYMM/2122/C01499)

**3BHK: GACHIBOWLI** SMR Vinay Symphony Gated Community, E/F 1945Sft Semi Furnished, 8Years old, 2car parking, @7500 including all. Near, Pullala Gopchand academy, Close To Microsoft, Srinivas. Ph:9908211782 (HYMM/2122/C01751)

**3BHK 1736SFT.** Flat for Sale, Sri Sai Rajendra Pride, 5th Floor, Bank of Baroda Colony, Gandhinagar 9908446161 Call After 11am (HYMM/2122/C01584)

**LB NAGAR,** Sagar Road, new premium flat for sale. 2000 sq ft, 3BHK, 2 carpark & roof top garden. Ph:7077000077. (HYMM/2122/C01652)

**3BHK FLAT** 5th Flr Padma Jyothi Vihar Jyothi Nagar, Malkajigiri with 2 Car Park West Face Fully Furnished 95Lacs Ph:9505927142 (HYMM/2122/C01339)

✓ **2BHK/ 3BHK** flats Rs. 5000/- @Manikonda beside Film Nagar. 100% Vastu. Ready to occupy (Rachakonda P.S.) (negotiable) Ph:+919963530514 (HYMM/2122/C01768)

**3 BHK** 1380 Sqft premium apt, hill view apt, moulai main road, 4th flr, 2 car, 2 parking, contact: 9898214306 (HYMM/2122/C01742)

**3BHK, ORAND** Luxurious Apartments, 3200 Sq. Ft. E/F. for sale, Excellent View @Nandagiri Hills, Jubilee Hills, ph:-9985149454/ 7989196466 (HYMM/2122/C01736)

✓ **MLA COLONY-ROAD** no.12 Banjara Hills perfect-Vaastu 3yr Old Fully-Furnished 3000-sqft. Fantastic-view 1-flat per-floor fully air-conditioned-with-TV-Fridge-WiFi-Washing-Machine complete-furniture. 3.75cr 9963699000 (W/2122/AT000161)

**3 BHK** Flat at Padma Rao Nagar Secunderabad 1752sqft excellent location 24hrs water & security Price Rs.105Lacs. (HYMM/2122/C01728)

**SUCHITRA GAYATRI** Nagar 12years old renovated flats in Park View 2Apartment, F.no-404 East 3BHK 1212sqft, F.no-503 West 2023sqft, F.no-502 North 2BHK 1150sqft. For sale. Bank loans available. 3900 per/sft negotiable. Brokers excuse. Contact: 9885630222. (HYMM/2122/C01749)

**FLAT FOR Sale** 3bhk Luxury Flats @Ac Guards, Hyderabad The Structure Is Storiored, Area 1350sf&1515sf Price @6.500/- Per Sft Booking Advance 25% M/S Meridian Homes Room No:314 315, Taramandi Complex Opp A.G.Office Saifabad, Hyd. Email: meridianhomeshyd2012@gmail.com. Ph:8790901728/ 9849529292 (HYMM/2122/C01687)

## INDEPENDENT HOUSE

## DOUBLE BEDROOM

**PROPOSED HOUSE** for sale in HMDA Approved Layout in 240 sqyards with 1100 sq feet Plots 22, 22, 22 (Seventy Two Lakhs) @Chitkok, 2kms from Insapur X Road, Bombay Highway. Contact: 7995492051, 8688811638. (HYMM/2122/C01575)

## THREE &amp; MORE

**LUXURY VILLAS** in Gated Community @ 4600/- Sft with club house and other amenities starting from Rs.1.09 Crore onwards @ Rampally near New Infosys Campus on Varangal Highway. Modi Builders 7677120120. (B/2122/C00187)

✓ **ANUPURAM COLONY** near AS Rao Nagar colony new independent Designer Duplex and Triplex Row Houses ready to occupy. NO GST. 2500 to 2800Sft, East Facing, 4 Bedroom, 162sqyds registration. Full interiors and landscaping done. contact: 963023456/ 9630232222/ 9154857261 (HYMM/2122/C01554)

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**CHERLAPALLY 3** BHK Duplex Villas-2040 sft on 161 sqyds. First phase completed and sold out! Gated community with clubhouse & swimmingpool. Visit now! Call 9602200711. (S/2122/C00421)

**HIMAYATHNAGAR INDEPENDENT** House for sale, 230 Sq.Yds. Road facing ahead of Vijaya Diognotic lane. Call 9995912377. (B/2122/C00185)

**245 YARDS** Semi, 21 independent House, Himayathnagar, Street Number 14, For sale @Rs.1.5 Per Yard (Slight Negotiable) Contact: Abhijeet Ph:3866420000 (HYMM/2122/C01753)

✓ **KOMPALLY, READY** To Move in 3 Bedroom Luxury Duplex Villa with home theater and servant room available in 25 Acre premium occupied Luxury Villa Community, 20000 sft Clubhouse, swimming pool, Manjeria water, Guest Room etc. available. Expected 4.25Cr. Ph:9701117979. (HYMM/2122/C01601)

**MALAKPET: SIRIPURAM** Colony, Near Venkateswara Temple, 288sq.yd, G+2 7000sq.ft. builtup area. North East corner, building for sale. Ph:9849750630/ 9666329393 (HYMM/2122/C01739)

✓ **MOKILA READY** To Move in Ultra Luxury East Villa, 421sq.yds, 4600sq.ft, 4Bedroom with servant room VRF Daikin AC in all rooms, Italian Marble Flooring available in a premium gated community 15000 sq ft Clubhouse, Swimming pool, etc., amenities available. Near to Inf.Schools, Kokapet and ORR, Bank Loan Available. Ph:9177937070. (HYMM/2122/C01600)

**MAY FAIR** Villas, Tellapur North Facing 424sq.yds., 4350sft. Builtup area. 5-Bedrooms, 2-Halls and Servant Room and Provision For Lift. Very Good Gated Community With a Huge Club House. Contact: 9246270456/ 9177700981. (HYCL/2122/C00443)

**EAST FACING** Independent duplex house at Venkatapuram, Alwal. 6bed rooms, 270sq.yds, 4100sq.ft. Construction semi finished. 100% vastu. call: 8142650007, 9959427770 (HYMM/2122/C01551)

## LAND

**3.08ACRE MANGO** farm, fenced, bore 300ft (gandamala (V) turkapaly M) @Rs.33Lacs. 30ft. road. ORR Reservoir. 50Km ECIL. 20Km Yadagirigutta. Ph:9581491919 (HYMM/2122/C01561)

**1/4 ACRE** for 15Lakhs in Developed Farmland (Plantation, Drip, Amenities & Maintenance) Near Jadcherla (1.30hrs from Hyderabad) @7337010444 (HYMM/2122/C01511)

**GOLDEN OFFER** Kalwakurthy Highway 14-Acres, 4 Acres and 1.5Acres Red Soil Land for sale. Lakhs. Sale or Purchase contact: 7268919999. (HYMM/2122/C01634)

**4.5ACERS AGRICULTURE** Land For Sale at Vantimaamdi Village on Kanimagar Highway Contact: 9849245342. (HYMM/2122/C01738)

**AGRI LAND** 4 acres for sale in cheryal village keesara and 1000 meters to ORR Clear Title ph:9000988494. (HYMM/2122/C01664)

**4 ACRES** Thota (34km from Shamshabad Airport) with White Sandile, Seethafal, Redsandale, Malabar well developed Farm 1 bore+3 Rooms, very near to RRR. Per Acre 1 crore @Keshameti (Vilambadi) Rangreddy (Dist). Ph:9949424759 9989749355. (HYMM/2122/C01684)

## PLOTS

**PLOTS** in gated community with excellent amenities & club house by Modi Builders @ Aushapur near Chaitanya Rs.11.00L/- Sq.yd. HMDA Approved. Call: 7677120120. (B/2122/C00165)

**370 (COMMERCIAL)** 435 (corner) sq.yds Plots- Airport- Pharma City 200ft Road, near Amazon Data Center, 1574 sq.yds Development Near Miyapur. Ph:8801000880. (HYCL/2122/C00446)

**FOR SALE** 900sqyds HMDA approved 167sqyds -2nos and 283sqyds -2nos east, west facing- 3side road, corner plots -at Agip, Chaitanya, Jubilee Hills, Shadnagar Farooqnagar Mandal NoBrokers. Ph:9912514937. (HYMM/2122/C01725)

**MAKE HOMES** away from home 1210 sq yds Plots for sale, Gated Community, near Chevella, pollution free healthy environment. Enjoy Nature Oxygen/ Energy, Immunity also rentout. Call: 8309597434/ 8790163190. (HYMM/2122/C01725)

**GAJULARAMAM, MALLAREDDY** Nagar Phase-2, West Face, 230 sq.yds, 60' Road. LRS Paid. Genuine buyers Call: 9246503332. (HYCL/2122/C00448)

**INVESTMENT** for your Future, Open Plots @Hyd Pharmacy, Sagarhighway. DTPC Approval Layout, Resort and Club house. Available to 200feet pharmacy Road, 2.5km from Sagarhighway. Free Launch Offer Rs:4599/- Per sqyd. ph:9110304636 (HYMM/2122/C01694)

**HMDA APPROVED** big size plots area 890, 650, 550, 400, two-side road facing 100feet and 300feet suitable for Hostel, Hospital, Schools, Apartments @24000/- per sqyard and Residential Plots 240, 180, 105, mixed Plots available @ 22000/- per sqyard at Chitkok, 2kms from Insapur X-Road, Bombay Highway. Ph:7995492051, 8688811638. (HYMM/2122/C01574)

**JUBILEEHILLS** COMMERCIAL showrooms, gold shops, hospitals, any commercial 1400 sq.yds. Madhuranagar commercial, residential 525, 270 sq.yds. Hitech City 1200 sq.yds. Ph:9392403870, 6301436089. (A/2122/C00010)

✓ **BESIDE IT 1321 sq.yds Kandli Village, Sagarhighway Dist. 90.mtrs Bombay H.W. RRR. 15kms from ORR, Nr. NH-161 @25k neg. Ph:9866127123. Brokers Excuse. (HYCL/2122/C00448)**

**150YDS SOUTH** face North, East down with compoundwall @ prashanthihills near. lanchohills, 100% Layout. Development Work. p.y.d:1.20,000/- ph:9849055557 (HYMM/2122/C01756)

**MAHENDRAHILLS DHANALAKSHMI** society, east face with compoundwall, all loans available cleartitle p.y.d:69,000/- ph:849055557 (HYMM/2122/C01755)

**CELEBRITY CLUB** Open plot for sale. 1198 Sq Yds, at Shamserpet for Sale, Genuine buyers please Contact: 9959283384. (S/2122/C00423)

**PLOT FOR sale** at Ganiduguda Shamshabad highway venture 275 Sq.yards plot East facing 40 feet road on outright basis. contact: 9666173447 (W/2122/AT000238)

**OPEN PLOTS** Meenakshi County @Shankarpally 101 Acres- Approved Layout, 300 Feet Mainroad Facing, 100% Layout. Development Work Completed. Premium Landscaping. Drive to Financial District in Just 25Mins. Bank Loan Facility Available. Contact: 8143206034/ 8143225378. (HYMM/2122/C01721)

**AMAZING PROPERTY** at astounding price. Plots area starting from 150 Sq.Yds up to 460 Sq.Yds available. 500 Meters from Asian Mukund Theater. Medchal. Buyers may Contact: 7288887804. (S/2122/C00374)

**SAMOOCHA PROJECTS.** @Pharma city SEZ, Sagarhighway Facing Samocha Golden Gate Township @Yacharam. 70Acres Gated Community Township. Commercial Complex, Multiplex, Mall, Cinema, independent houses, open plots. Adjacent to 200ft. Pharmacy Gate. ph:9110341418 (HYMM/2122/C01695)

**OPEN PLOTS** Near: Yacharam Main Road Samocha Golden Gate Phase-2, DTPC Venture Near Pharmacy. Low Price Ph:9391123929. (HYMM/2122/C01475)

**OPEN PLOTS** Near: Yacharam Main Road Samocha Golden Gate Phase-2, DTPC Venture Near Pharmacy. Low Price Ph:7981735242. (HYMM/2122/C01476)

## FURNITURE

**WE PURCHASE** all old furniture, sofa, bed, dining, all electronic, AC, fridge, cooler, fan, steel scrap, aluminium, copper, geyser, office, hospital furniture, chairs, tables, gym items, doors, windows, wood, plywood, computer etc. Ph:897585483. (B/2122/C00019)

**REAL ESTATE** LAND REQUIRED

**REQUIRE 2-4** acre Industrial land in TSIC: Toopran, Kucharam, Sultapur for outright purchasePh: 9848297297 (W/2122/AT000223)

**5 TO 15-25.50Acres** Land required for outstate or development near these towns Kottur, Kodthal Maheshwaram, Kandukur, Jadcherla, Patancheru, Chevella, Kanchipalli, Shadnagar. Email: imgreddy3717@gmail.com. Ph:9399373717, 9063189999. Please call me only sellers. (HYMM/2122/C0026)

**LAND REQUIRED**

**GENUINE SELLERS'** Direct Registration offered. HUDA final Approved Plots 400 to 1000 yds at Madhapur, Kondapur, Nallagandla, Tellapur, Gachibowli surrounding areas. Contact: 9849059539. (S/2122/C00357)

**RENTALS**

**COMMERCIAL**

**PLUG AND** play 11,000 sft. Banjara hills independent building Class G 3 good interiors long lease contact: 9000092222 (HYMM/2122/C01717)

**PRIME COMMERCIAL** Space in Mohan Market, Bidar for long-term lease. G+3 floors, 1 Basement, 22,000 sq.ft. Interested MNCs, offices, retail outlets please contact: 9636115677/ 9177942000 (W/2122/AT002230)

**COMMERCIAL BUILDING** For Rent/Lease -3200sft. each floor, 4floors, total 12800sft. parking space available in Old Bowenpally Secunderabad for schools, colleges, institutions or office. Contact: 950075346, 9959954668 (HYMM/2122/C01542)

**CHANDANAGAR, NEWLY** Constructed G+3 building, 4000 sft for rent. Prime Commercial property with lift & 24 hrs water. Contact: 9391039664, 9000568609. (A/2122/C00139)

**SPACE** For Hospital: 27,500 Sft G+4, Basement, car parking, Pent house, Fire NOC, near Autofin Honda Showroom, Domalguda, Hyderabad. Ph:9959201118. (A/2122/C00014)

**VACANT LAND** 7 Acres in Medchal for Lease for Commercial Purpose warehouse Storage parking. Super Markets 8500x17470, radhika146@gmail.com (W/2122/AT000232)

✓ **S.D.ROAD, SECUNDERABAD,** Looking for MNC/ Corporate Office space for Lease 4300 Sft on second floor in Amruti Fast, bare shell ready for immediate occupancy. Contact: 9581133935, 9246109995. (A/2122/C00135)

**FLATS**

**DOUBLE BEDROOM**

✓ **2BK, FLAT,** Methodist Colony, Begumpet, Eshwar Teja Residency. Contact: 9441490523. (HYMM/2122/C01591)

✓ **2 BHK** Flat, Methodist Colony, Begumpet, Eshwar Teja Residency. Contact: 9441490523. (HYMM/2122/C01730)

**2 BHK** Flat, Semi Furnished on Second Floor, opp. Vartha Office, Lower Tank bund road. Rent Rs.13,000/- & maintenance 1200/- Ph:9866501381. (B/2122/C00180)

**2 BHK** semi-furnished 1000 sft with lift & car parking. Anandnagar colony khairatabad Hyd Ph:8369961596 (HYMM/2122/C01735)

**KHAIRATABAD NEAR** Ganesh Khanapam 2B/R Flat, Gharonda Godavari Apts. 3rd Floor, Car Parking For Rent Ph:886650999 (8am- 5pm) (HYMM/2122/C01762)

**KONDAPUR SRIRAMNAGAR** Colony 2BHK Flat-201, East Facing, M.Kitchen, Car Parking @ Sri Balaji Heights, Road-38, Opposite Temple Tree Apts. Ph:9849329507, 8008914949. (HYMM/2122/C01640)

## THREE &amp; MORE

**FLAT NO.1,** Banjara Hills, Road No.12, just inside Kaman, approx 300 meters from Main Road, 2300Sft., 2BHK, 2 Bathrooms with Two Toilets, 24 hours running water, Flat No.2 located at Main Road Banjara Hills, Road No.12 beside SBI Bank, 100Sft., 1BHK with 12 square running water. Ph:9849329507, 9618236507. (HYMM/2122/C01510)

**BANJARAHILLS, ROAD** no.12, near Sitara Hotel, 2000 Sft 3 BHK Fully furnished N/E. 100%, peaceful area, 2 car parking. Ph:7893514387. (A/2122/C00013)

**3BHK 1740SFT** Flat G 005 Block 5 with Amenities My Home Vihanga Gachibowli Available from July Rent Expected 36000 Contact: 7075541374/ 7330773001. (HYMM/2122/C01731)

✓ **TOILET 3BHK** 2106sft 2 Carparking Slots, G.flr., Aparna Area Gated Community: All Facilities, Filmmaker Extn. Road 79, JubileeHills, Rent Rs.45,500/-p.m. Neg. Maintenance, Elec., etc., charges extra. Contact: 9440692470. (HYMM/2122/C01504)

**NANDAGIRI HILLS, 3BHK Luxurious** Flat, 4100 Sq.Ft, Excellent Location with Ample Car Parking. Available for Immediate Rent/ Lease. Contact: 8143206612 (W/2122/AT000235)

**LOOKING FOR** a commercial space minimum 10,000sft for School/ College purpose at Asif Nagar. Parking. Fire NOCs are must. Call between 10:00Am-6:00Pm. Ph:8096678723. (HYMM/2122/C01754)

**COLLEGE REQUIRES** independent building for lease in SR Nagar Ameerpet Pangatpura or any other area lease 5 to 10 years 12000 to 18000sft with all permissions. middle men excuse direct parties contact. 8143206612 (W/2122/AT000229)

**LEASE**

**COMMERCIAL**

**FOR LEASE:** Around 7650Sft With All New Imported Interior, Furniture, Other Equipments With Centralized AC is Ready To Operate a Supermarket & Book World With Stationary at Begumpet. Hyderabad. Ph:949003399 E-Mail: nirestar1234@gmail.com (HYMM/2122/C01619)

✓ **BANJARAHILLS, ROAD No.2,** Ashoka Capital, 1st Floor, 3300sft, 2nd Floor, 3300sft, 3rd Floor 3300sft, 4 car parkings, fully plug and play. Contact Mr.M.V.Rao @ 995905577. (HYMM/2122/C01508)

**WAREHOUSE SPACE** available at Medchal & kalakal main road 25,000 to 30,000 sq.ft. Contact Ph:- 9939834321 (HYMM/2122/C01688)

**SITUATION VACANT**

**ACCOUNTS & FINANCE**

**WANTED ACCOUNTS** Officers-5 Nos. Having thorough knowledge in Tally, GST rules, maintaining cost registers and GST related issue should have minimum 5years experience in infra company Ph:040-27017660, 27000499, Email: kvrinfa@gmail.com (HYMM/2122/C01722)

**HYDERABAD BASED** Business Group with varied interests requires experienced persons in Accounts, Taxation, Tally, etc. Age No bar and salary negotiable.



## IN BRIEF

**KTR to inaugurate 2BHKs next week**

**Hyderabad:** Minister K. T. Rama Rao will inaugurate double bedroom houses for poor at six locations in the GHMC area from June 26 to July 4. He will declare open 330 dwelling units at Ambedkarnagar, which is on the banks of the Hussainsagar, 130 units at Potti Srinamulu Nagar in Secunderabad, 155 units at G.Y. Reddy Compound in Musheerabad, 10 units at Golla Komariah Colony in Secunderabad and some more in two other locations.

**1 held for selling remdesivir illegally**

**Hyderabad:** Madishetty Prasad, 37, owner of Sree Jagadeshwar Medical Stores in amachandrapuram, was apprehended by the Central Zone Task Force police for illegally procuring and selling remdesivir injections at higher prices. Officials seized five injection vials from his possession. "He hatched a plan and began selling each vial at ₹15,000 without having valid documents. On Thursday night, as he was heading to deliver five vials to a customer for ₹12,000 each, when the team apprehended him," said the police.

**Male nurse commits suicide**

**Hyderabad:** A 23-year-old man working as nurse at a private hospital in Madhapur allegedly died by suicide at his flat in Panjagutta on Friday morning. Police said the victim, Karthik, had been living alone in a rented place at Dwarkapuri Colony in Panjagutta. They received a complaint from his father D. Shanker, who stated that Karthik's friend, also named Shanker, informed of the incident. By the time Karthik's father reached Hyderabad from Warangal the body had been shifted to Osmania General Hospital.

**220tn fake seeds seized in Nalgonda**

**Hyderabad:** In one of the biggest busts, Nalgonda police seized around 220 tonnes of spurious seeds, worth ₹6 crore, and arrested 13 persons. The prime accused was E. Srinivas, a chartered accountant, who set up Nairuthi Seeds Pvt Ltd in Gundla Pochampally. According to West Zone IG Stephen Ravindra, the Nalgonda police seized 20 tonnes of spurious cotton seeds worth ₹4 crore, and 200 tonnes of fake seeds of maize, paddy and other crops worth ₹2 crore.

**Chati is champion of Clean-a-thon**

**Hyderabad:** The IIT Hyderabad iTIC Incubator announced the winners of its Clean-a-Thon Hackathon. The hackathon focused on finding solutions for water, air, noise pollution, elimination of single-use plastic, water body cleaning, waste disposal, upcycling, circular economy, plastic recycling, plastic alternatives, and other related areas. Gautami Chati came out the winner followed by Khushbu Baid and Yalla Omkar Venkata.

# CBSE assessment bid gets mixed response

**Students worry grading plan will hit overall result****HARLEEN MINOCHA | DC**  
HYDERABAD, JUNE 18

The CBSE assessment formula for Class XII results received mixed reaction from students. Most of them expressed concerns over the grading plan affecting their overall final result.

Laveena, an outgoing Class XII student in a private school said if the exams had taken place this year, the result would have been different for most students, and that their performance especially in Grade 11 exams could be the reason behind varying results of most deserving students.

Similar thoughts were echoed by students who said if they did not put in effort for the internal Class 11 exams, a 30 per cent weightage could affect the total marks.

"I don't think it will affect me personally because my higher education course doesn't require a certain number to be able to pursue a career. But for most students who are going to submit their marksheets under a cut-off criteria, it could result in a difficult situation," Manan, another student, said.

K. Srilatha, principal at the Global Indian Uppal campus, also

said the finalised evaluation system would be useful to students only if the universities and colleges changed their admission process for this academic year in accordance with the evaluation pattern followed in Grade XII.

"As the pandemic is global, universities and colleges should strategise a comprehensive policy that no student is met with injustice in admission. The policy should be in such a way that it balances between rural and urban students. Also, the government and private universities and colleges must enhance seats for this academic year due to

pandemic to meet the increased pass percentage," she added.

The CBSE on Thursday announced the formula for assessment, after an approval from the SC for Class 12 results.

The results will be based on the student's past academic performance of Class 10, 11 and pre boards, and will be constituted in a ratio of 30:30:40 (X, XI, and pre-boards) formula. This means about 40 per cent of the weightage will be given to Class 12 pre-boards, and in the rest of the 60 per cent, 30 percent will be based on class 11 final exams and 10th exams, respectively.

## CHILD RIGHTS PANEL ISSUES ADVISORY ON ONLINE CLASSES

**DC CORRESPONDENT**  
HYDERABAD, JUNE 18

The Telangana State Commission for Protection of Child Rights (TSCPCR) has issued an advisory to the education department on the conduct of online classes.

It requested the education department to make the best use of television as an alternative means to ensure reach up to the village level, considering their socio-economic barriers, and hoped for community participation in villages.

The commission advised the education department to establish a communication mechanism up to the village level to ensure smooth flow of information so as to address the gaps, while coordinating with the departments of panchayat raj and municipal administration at all levels. It suggested that the education department designate nodal point persons to monitor the system at mandal, district and state levels to ensure accountability and effective monitoring.

"The department should focus on ensuring regular health checkups and proper treatment facilities to protect the children from Covid19," the panel said. Hence, the department should coordinate with the health department.



## Salarjung Museum reopens tomorrow

**DC CORRESPONDENT**  
HYDERABAD, JUNE 18

The Salarjung Museum will be reopened from Sunday. A decision on re-opening of the monuments under the Archaeological Survey of India, Hyderabad circle, depends on the state government's decision on lockdown relaxations.

Superintending archaeologist Smitha S. Kumar said

the ASI headquarters had cleared reopening of monuments from June 16 in consultation with local authorities.

In Hyderabad, Golconda and Charminar come under the ASI. These monuments will be opened after Saturday in case the state government lifts the ban on public gatherings. No decision has been taken on this so far.

## Covid no.s fluctuate in districts

**KANIZA GARARI | DC**  
HYDERABAD, JUNE 18

Continued recording of Covid-19 cases, though in single digits, across districts meant the spread of the virus is continuing. The numbers are not touching zero past the second wave.

Adilabad, Nirmal, Kamareddy, Komaram Bheem-Asifabad and Narayanpet continue to report such cases. If the figure is low one day, the next day could see a slight increase. Epidemiologists say the virus is taking advantage of errant human behaviour. As Delta variants are highly transmissible, this scenario would continue for more

DAILY COVID BULLETIN DATA		Update: Cases   Deaths	
		Fresh Cases	1,417
		Deaths	12
		Tests Done	1,24,430
		Active Cases	19,029
		Total Cases	6,10,834
		Total Deaths	3,546
Highest New Cases		Lowest New Cases	
GHMC (Hyderabad)	149	Nirmal	2
Ranga Reddy	104	Adilabad and Komarambheem, Asifabad	6
Khammam	93	Kamareddy	7
Nalgonda	88	Narayanpet	8
Suryapet	85	Nizamabad	10

time. Due to agriculture activity in rural areas, small gatherings are usual for work. This helps in easy transmission of the virus.

Experts say different strategies must be in place to deal with the virus scene in districts that have single digit cases. Equipping and reskilling of ASHA

and Anganwadi workers are required as they are the point of contact at the grass-roots level to give a clear picture to the authorities about the existing situation.

With more than one lakh tests being carried out by the state every day, the surveillance is expected to improve. There is hope that the testing will continue after the unlocking too.

Testing, tracking and tracing will help the state to prepare better for the third wave and that will give an indication as to which all districts require additional resources from the government to effectively handle the situation.

## IMA angry over attacks on docs, holds protests

**DC CORRESPONDENT**  
HYDERABAD, JUNE 18

Senior doctors of Indian Medical Association and other medical professionals protested against the violence against doctors during Covid-19 pandemic on Friday.

They said that the doctors were blamed for no fault of theirs. The protesting doctors wore black badges, black shirts and black masks to protest the violence against them.

They protested for a few minutes in hospitals, out-patient departments and at the IMA building in Koti and gave a representation to DGP Mahendar Reddy.

Dr Lav Kumar Reddy, president, IMA, TS chapter, said, "Attacks on doctors must be a non-bailable offence. Covid-19 is a new disease which is evolving and



Doctors hold protest at the Gandhi Hospital in Hyderabad on Friday.

— P. SURENDRA

blaming doctors does not help. Doctors died in both the first and second waves and some of them succumbed while treating patients."

In a meeting with various dignitaries from the non-medical sector, it was noted that there were attacks also by educated people on doctors. There were also planned attacks as was noted in a recent case in Hyderabad where a doctor was blamed for the

critical status of the patient. It was pointed out that this kind of behaviour was unacceptable and there must be strict rules which would deter people from taking these steps.

Members of the medical and non-medical fraternity urged the government to take action to protect doctors and to ensure that emergency wards have a security mechanism in place for their protection.

## Chennai lions catch delta variant

**BALU PULIPAKA | DC**  
HYDERABAD, JUNE 18

In the first such case, at least four lions at the Arignar Anna Zoological Park (zoo) at Vandalur, near Chennai, were found carrying the high infectious delta variant, that dominated the second wave of the pandemic in India and elsewhere, causing concern among zoo officials.

Of the 11 lions in the zoo, nine had tested positive for Covid-19 earlier this month. Of these, two died of the disease and the rest are undergoing treatment.

Zoo director Debasis Jana told *Deccan Chronicle* on Friday that the 11 infected lions were housed in two sectors of the zoo; some in the safari park and the others in the display enclosure. "The two areas are at least a kilometre apart," Jana said. He said the samples from the lions were sent to the National Institute of High-Security Animal Diseases (NIHSAD), Bhopal, in the last week of May in two batches. NIH-



A technician collects a nasal swab from a male Asiatic lion in a 'squeeze cage' at the Vandalur Zoo in Chennai.

— ARIGNAR ANNA ZOOLOGICAL PARK

SAD conducts research on exotic and emerging pathogens of animals in the country.

"We were not lucky, two of our lions have died from Covid-19. The other zoos in India, the Nehru Zoological Park, and the ones at Jaipur in Rajasthan and Etawah in Madhya Pradesh are lucky. They did not have any fatalities among their lions that caught Covid-19," Jana said.

Jana added: "This delta variant that Bhopal has found perhaps explains to

● **ANALYSES OF** genome sequencing of four of the samples taken from the lions showed that all of them belonged to the pangolin lineage B.1.617.2 and are delta variants as per WHO nomenclature.

— Director, National Institute of High-Security Animal Diseases, Bhopal

some extent what the animals were fighting against. The other zoos may have

had other Coronavirus variants, and their lions recovered from the brink. Here, two have died. Very sad."

He said the zoo's veterinarians have been working hard to treat and care for the lions. "Some of them have lost members of their families in these past few weeks but they did not go home. Instead, they stayed put at the zoo to look after the lions. Based on the experiences of the other zoos, our vets have been giving their best," he said. "It is clear that it was an asymptomatic person that was the cause of the infection. And there is a long chain. Captive animals have to be practically spoon-fed. From the time the meat leaves the supplier and it goes to the animals, it passes through various hands. It is not a foolproof system but the entire staff at the Vandalur zoo has been vaccinated against Covid19. Every day, basic temperature and symptom checks are conducted," Jana said.

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## SHORT TAKES

## 17 CHILDREN DIE OF COVID-19 IN MEGHALAYA

Shillong, June 18: Over 5,000 children in the age group of 0-14 years have tested positive for Covid-19 in Meghalaya, 17 of which succumbed to the infection, state health minister A.L. Hek said on Friday.

He also stated that none of the newborns delivered by Covid-positive mothers were found to have got infected.

“So far, 5,101 children in the age group of 0-14 years were diagnosed with the disease. 17 children died of the infection since last year,” the minister said.

Noting that the third wave of the pandemic, which is likely to strike later this year, may pose a greater threat to the children, as suggested by experts, Hek said the state government is making necessary preparations in anticipation.

“As part of the preparations, the government has decided to build prefabricated paediatric hospitals in Shillong, at Tura town in West Garo Hills and Jowai in West Jaintia Hills,” he said.

Meghalaya has inoculated 5.44 lakh people so far, with over 75,000 of them having received both the doses. The state has registered 762 deaths due to the disease.

Meanwhile, Meghalaya on Friday recorded nine fresh Covid-19 fatalities and 650 new cases pushing the death toll to 771 and the tally to 44,382, a senior health department official said.

The state now has 4,819 active Covid-19 cases, while 38,792 people have recovered from the disease, including 431 on Friday, official said.

Meghalaya has so far tested over 6.38 lakh samples for Covid-19, he said.

## OWNER OF ‘BABA KA DHABA’ ATTEMPTS SUICIDE

New Delhi, June 18: The owner of south Delhi’s ‘Baba ka Dhaba’, Kanta Prasad, allegedly attempted suicide and has been admitted to the Safdarjung Hospital, police said on Friday.

Prasad, 81, attempted suicide on Thursday. The reason behind his extreme step is not yet known, they said.

“On Thursday at 11.15 pm, information was received from the Safdarjung Hospital that Prasad was admitted there. Police reached the hospital and collected MLC (medico-legal case) which mentions the intake of alcohol and sleeping pills as the cause of unconsciousness,” Deputy Commissioner of Police (south) Atul Kumar Thakur said.

The statement of Prasad’s son Karan was recorded. He said his father consumed alcohol with sleeping pills, the police said, adding that further inquiry is underway.

Prasad shot into the limelight last year when a video of him tearfully talking about the lack of customers at his eatery and his financial woes went viral, triggering an outpouring of support in cash and kind from all over the country.

The video was shot and uploaded by YouTuber Gaurav Wasan.

Later, the octogenarian filed a complaint against Wasan for alleged misappropriation of funds raised through donations.

Prasad went on to open a restaurant. However, he faced losses and had to shut it.

Recently, Prasad returned to his ‘dhaba’ and apologised to Wasan. The YouTuber visited Prasad and accepted his apology.

## Light of hope



A devotee lights earthen lamps during the annual festival of Kheer Bhawani Temple, amid partial relaxation in the ongoing lockdown, at Tulmula in Ganderbal district of Jammu and Kashmir on Friday. The annual mela was held after two years as last year it was a low-key affair with only the ritual pooja taking place at the abode of the deity due to the outbreak of Covid-19. This year, celebrations were held at the mela amidst chanting of religious hymns and sound of temple bells even as most of the devotees followed Covid protocols.

## Cong. MLA in Assam quits party, to join BJP

Says Rahul Gandhi is unable to shoulder the responsibility

MANOJ ANAND | DC GUWAHATI, JUNE 18

In what may be called a major setback for the Congress party in Assam, four-time Congress MLA from Mariani in upper Assam on Friday resigned and declared that he would join BJP on Monday.

Kurmi who was the only legislator in the party from the tea-tribe community accused that the Congress had stopped listening to younger leaders and predicted the party’s downfall if Rahul Gandhi continued to call the shots.

Kurmi also submitted his resignation to the Speaker of the state Assembly. Soon after, the Congress announced his expulsion.

The resignation came close on the heels of resignation and switch over of former union minister Jitin Prasada, one of its top faces in Uttar Pradesh, to the BJP.

Kurmi called it a difficult decision, given that he was born into a Congress family and his mother was a state minister.

The Congress has 29 MLAs in the state Assembly and will now be 28. “I was born into a Congress family, we grew up in Congress culture, I used to put up posters, I served tea in meetings. My mother was a minister...I have been a soldier of Congress. That is why it is a difficult decision,” said Kurmi.

“Rahul Gandhi is unable to shoulder leadership. If he’s at the helm, the party won’t move forward,” Kurmi told reporters soon after submitting his resignation to the speaker.

“My mother was a three-time MLA and also a minister. She died in 2004. I was denied the party ticket to contest the bypolls. The party gave me a ticket in 2006. I have been elected to the Assam Assembly from the

cauvery irrigation project. No financial clearance (from the finance department) has been sought, no board meeting took place. It was done in a hurry,” Vishwanath alleged at a press conference.

He alleged that the intention was to take “kickbacks” from contractors. Is this a contractor-oriented government?” he questioned.

The BJP MLC, who had switched his loyalty from JD(S) to BJP two years ago, alleged that the “entire state” including ministers, had been talking about Vijayendra’s interference in the administration.

“Which minister is con-

tent today? His (Vijayendra’s) interference is in all the departments,” Vishwanath charged.

Vishwanath’s attack came in the midst of a three-day visit of the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) national general secretary and Karnataka in charge Arun Singh to the state to hold discussions with MLAs in the backdrop of some legislators seeking Yediyurappa’s replacement.

Singh is taking part in a meeting of the party’s core committee on Friday before winding up his visit.

Vishwanath also recalled that the rural development and panchayat raj minister

K.S. Eshwarappa had earlier this year approached Governor Vajubhai Vala against the alleged interference by the Chief Minister in the affairs of his department.

The MLC said Yediyurappa had been to “jail in the past due to his family”.

“Is it not true that Yediyurappa had been to jail because of his children? We are afraid that this time again he will land in jail,” Vishwanath said.

After meeting Singh on Thursday, Vishwanath had demanded that the 78-year old Yediyurappa be replaced, considering his

age and alleged interference by his son.

Reacting to the allegations made by Vishwanath on the “scam” in the irrigation department, JD(S) leader and former chief minister H.D. Kumaraswamy told reporters in Kolar that “this is a government which believes in loot”.

“This is not restricted only to the Irrigation department. It’s a government which believes in loot. I have stopped speaking about it because in 2008 also I had raised the matter with evidence but the case could not reach the logical end”, Kumaraswamy said.

— PTI

## MAHA CONG. MLA WRITES TO GANDHI

SONU SHRIVASTAVA | DC MUMBAI, JUNE 18

Mumbai Congress’ infighting is coming out in the open. In a recent development, Congress’s 27-year-old MLA Zeeshan Siddique has written a letter to party president Sonia Gandhi and Rahul Gandhi against Mumbai Congress president Bhai Jagtap.

Siddique has made several serious allegations against Jagtap in his letter addressed to the party high command. In his letter, the Congress legislator said that the Mumbai Congress chief had ‘rewarded’ four Congress leaders with plum organisational posts even though they had worked with his rivals during the 2019 Assembly elections.

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## IIT study finds traces of Covid in Sabarmati river

Ahmedabad, June 18: A recent study by researchers at the Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Gandhinagar has established the presence of Coronavirus in water samples from the Sabarmati river and two lakes in Ahmedabad city of Gujarat.

While the study, funded by the UNICEF, did not reveal if the genes of Coronavirus found in the water samples were dead or alive, Professor Manish Kumar, who led the research, has emphasised the need for further probe on the subject to avert any future tragedy.

Following the revelation, the Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation (AMC) has decided to send samples from these water bodies to the Gujarat Biotechnology Research Centre (GBRC).

“The GBRC is the authorised agency of the AMC for water analysis. We have been sending samples to them since the last one year and they submit their report to the state government. We have no idea about the IIT’s research. However, we will now send samples of these water bodies to the GBRC for a similar analysis,” said Harpal Singh Zala, the AMC’s city engineer for water resources.

The study was conducted between September and December 2020 and water samples were collected from Sabarmati river, Chandola and Kankaria lakes of the city. “Our aim was to detect the

presence of N, S and ORF lab genes of SARS-CoV-2, also called as Coronavirus, through RNA isolation. We found N-gene copies in the waters of the Sabarmati river, Chandola and Kankaria lakes. The ORF lab-gene was not found in Chandola, while S-gene copies were present in all the three water bodies,” said Kumar, who teaches in the IIT’s Earth Sciences department.

“Although genes of Coronavirus were detected, our methodology does not tell us if they were alive or dead. However, we can’t just presume that they all were dead. Although virus transmission through water is not proven yet, institutions need to come together and conduct further research on this. Monitoring is needed,” the professor said.

He claimed that if Coronavirus genes reached the surface water through urine or excreta of Covid-19 patients, then the genes would have been dead. However, the genes might have been alive if they came from the mouth of a Covid-19 patient, such as through gargled water, he said.

“We do not know if genes found by us were alive or not. Further research is needed to understand the implications of our findings. Governments should also focus on better solid waste management,” said Kumar, adding that the report has been submitted to the UNICEF. — PTI

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BLAME | GAME Vishwanath accuses BSY's son of interfering in functioning of govt

## BJP MLC alleges ₹21,473 cr ‘scam’ in K’taka

Bengaluru, June 18: Disgruntled BJP legislator A.H. Vishwanath, who has been demanding that Karnataka Chief Minister B.S. Yediyurappa be replaced, on Friday alleged the irrigation department has readied a ₹21,473 crore tender in a hurry and without financial approval, and termed it a “scam”.

He accused Yediyurappa’s son and BJP state unit vice-president B.Y. Vijayendra of interfering in the functioning of the government.

“The tender of over ₹20,000 crore is ready in the irrigation department, which pertains to Bhadra Upper canal project and

Caueyry irrigation project. No financial clearance (from the finance department) has been sought, no board meeting took place. It was done in a hurry,” Vishwanath alleged at a press conference.

He alleged that the intention was to take “kickbacks” from contractors. Is this a contractor-oriented government?” he questioned.

The BJP MLC, who had switched his loyalty from JD(S) to BJP two years ago, alleged that the “entire state” including ministers, had been talking about Vijayendra’s interference in the administration.

“Which minister is con-

tent today? His (Vijayendra’s) interference is in all the departments,” Vishwanath charged.

Vishwanath’s attack came in the midst of a three-day visit of the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) national general secretary and Karnataka in charge Arun Singh to the state to hold discussions with MLAs in the backdrop of some legislators seeking Yediyurappa’s replacement.

Singh is taking part in a meeting of the party’s core committee on Friday before winding up his visit.

Vishwanath also recalled that the rural development and panchayat raj minister

K.S. Eshwarappa had earlier this year approached Governor Vajubhai Vala against the alleged interference by the Chief Minister in the affairs of his department.

The MLC said Yediyurappa had been to “jail in the past due to his family”.

“Is it not true that Yediyurappa had been to jail because of his children? We are afraid that this time again he will land in jail,” Vishwanath said.

After meeting Singh on Thursday, Vishwanath had demanded that the 78-year old Yediyurappa be replaced, considering his

age and alleged interference by his son.

Reacting to the allegations made by Vishwanath on the “scam” in the irrigation department, JD(S) leader and former chief minister H.D. Kumaraswamy told reporters in Kolar that “this is a government which believes in loot”.

“This is not restricted only to the Irrigation department. It’s a government which believes in loot. I have stopped speaking about it because in 2008 also I had raised the matter with evidence but the case could not reach the logical end”, Kumaraswamy said.

— PTI



## SHORT TAKES

VERBAL TRUCE  
BETWEEN FRANCE,  
TURKEY: PARIS

Paris: A “verbal ceasefire” is in place between France and Turkey after months of rancorous exchanges that strained the relations of the NATO allies, the French foreign minister said on Friday.

Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan and his French counterpart Emmanuel Macron met on the sidelines of the NATO summit this week, following the rows on international crises such as Libya, Syria and Nagorno-Karabakh that led to bitter personal diatribes from the Turkish leader. Foreign Minister Jean-Yves Le Drian told BFM television that he welcomed the change in tone but said it had to be matched by more concrete steps from Ankara. “There is a kind of verbal ceasefire. That’s good but it’s not enough,” he said.

UK ‘ASHAMED’  
AT POOR RAPE  
CONVICTION RATES

London: Britain’s government has apologised to rape victims for declining conviction levels, with senior Cabinet ministers saying they’re “deeply ashamed” by the downward trend in bringing sexual offenders to justice.

The government’s Rape Review, published Thursday, said the situation was “totally unacceptable” and that authorities are determined to change it. Figures from the Crown Prosecution Service showed that 1,439 suspects were convicted of rape or lesser sexual offenses in England and Wales in 2020 — the lowest level since records began — despite reports of rape to police almost doubling since 2015. Of an estimated 128,000 reported cases of rape or attempted rape each year, just 1.6 per cent result in a charge. The review said it found no one specific cause for the overall drop in prosecutions.

Delta variant becoming  
globally dominant: WHO

Geneva, June 18: The Delta variant of Covid-19, first identified in India, is becoming the globally dominant variant of the disease, the World Health Organisation’s chief scientist said on Friday.

Soumya Swaminathan also voiced disappointment in the failure of CureVac’s vaccine candidate in a trial to meet the WHO’s efficacy standard, in particular as highly transmissible variants boost the need for new, effective shots.

Britain has reported a steep rise in infections with the Delta variant, while Germany’s top public health official predicted it would rapidly become the dominant

variant there despite rising vaccination rates.

The Kremlin blamed a surge in Covid-19 cases on reluctance to have vaccinations and “nihilism” after record new infections in Moscow, mostly with the new Delta variant, fanned fears of a third wave.

“The Delta variant is well on its way to becoming the dominant variant globally because of its increased transmissibility,” Swaminathan told a news conference.

Coronavirus variants were cited by CureVac when the German company this week reported its vaccine proved only 47 per cent effective at preventing disease, shy of the WHO’s 50 per cent

benchmark.

The company said it documented at least 13 variants circulating within its study population.

Given that similar mRNA vaccines from Pfizer and BioNTech and Moderna posted efficacy rates topping 90 per cent, Swaminathan said the world had been expecting more from CureVac’s candidate.

“Just because it’s another mRNA vaccine, we cannot presume all mRNA vaccines are the same, because each one has a slightly different technology,” Swaminathan said, adding the surprise failure underscored the value of robust clinical trials to test new products. — Reuters

UK Conservatives lose  
safe seat in major upset

London, June 18: Britain’s ruling Conservative party suffered a major upset in a by-election result announced on Friday, losing a safe seat it had held for nearly 50 years.

Prime Minister Boris Johnson’s party lost in the contest to elect an MP for Chesham and Amersham — prosperous commuter towns in Buckinghamshire, northwest of London.

The centrist Liberal Democrat candidate, Sarah Green, won more than 56 per cent in a constituency that had been held by the Tories since it was set up in its current form in 1974.

The Times newspaper said the defeat raised questions over the Conservative strategy of

focusing efforts on seizing seats from the main opposition Labour party, rather than on defending traditional Tory seats, known as the “Blue Wall” due to the party’s logo colour.

Johnson’s party in May won a by-election in the traditional Labour-voting Hartlepool, adding another parliamentary seat in northeast England to those they secured in the last general election in December 2019, when Brexit was the main issue.

The pro-European Lib Dems campaigned actively in Chesham and Amersham, tapping into local opposition to controversial projects in the area, with leader Ed Davey visiting 16 times, The Times said.

The BBC said voters this time round focused on local issues: the controversial construction of a high-speed rail link through the constituency and plans to build more houses in rural areas.

Davey tweeted that the result “sent a shockwave through British politics” and proved the “blue wall can be smashed by @libdems”.

The contest was triggered by the death in April of former government minister Cheryl Gillan, who had held the seat for 29 years.

Peter Fleet, a former motor industry executive who was bidding to replace her, called the result “very disappointing”.

— AFP



The pro-democracy paper increased its print run to 500,000 copies on Friday, a day after police arrested five top editors and executives and froze \$2.3 million in assets linked to the media company. — AP

‘Apple Daily’ increases  
print run after arrests

## Editors held on suspicion of foreign collusion

Hong Kong, June 18: Hong Kong pro-democracy newspaper *Apple Daily* on Friday increased its print run to 5,00,000 copies as residents showed support for the beleaguered press freedom a day after police arrested five top editors and executives and froze \$2.3 million worth of assets on national security charges.

The raid on the paper’s offices followed by the arrests on Thursday marked the first time the sweeping national security law, which Beijing imposed on Hong Kong last year, was used against the media, one of the symbols of civil liberties in the semi-autonomous city that don’t exist elsewhere in China.

Police said the editors were arrested on suspicion of foreign collusion to endanger national security, based on over 30 articles that authorities said had called for international sanctions against China and Hong Kong.

With anti-government protests silenced, most of the city’s prominent pro-democracy activists in jail and many others fleeing abroad, people snapped up copies at newsstands and in convenience stores.

“There are lots of injustices in Hong Kong already. I think there are a lot of things we cannot do anymore,” said resident Lisa Cheung. “Buying a copy is all what we can do. When the law cannot pro-

tect Hong Kong people anymore, we are only left to do what we can.”

The front page of Friday’s edition splashed images of the five editors and executives led away in handcuffs. Police also confiscated 44 hard drives worth of news material. A quote from Cheung Kim-hung, the arrested CEO of *Apple Daily*’s publisher Next Digital, said, “Hang in there, everyone.”

Another resident, William Chan, said he bought a copy of the paper as a show of support.

“It was such a groundless arrest and suppressed freedom of the press,” he said.

State Department spok-

esman Ned Price said that the US strongly condemned the arrests and called for the immediate release of the five arrested. He also called for Hong Kong authorities to stop targeting independent and free media.

“We are deeply concerned by Hong Kong authorities’ selective use of the national security law to arbitrarily target independent media organizations,” Price said, adding that the suspected foreign collusion charges appear to be politically motivated.

“As we all know, exchanging views with foreigners in journalism should never be a crime,” he said. — AP

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INDICATORS		%
Sensex	52,344.45	0.04
Nifty 50	15,683.40	-0.05
\$S&P 500*	4,185.22	-0.87
Dollar (₹)	73.87	0.28
Pound Sterling (₹)	103.18	0.31
Euro (₹)	88.36	0.19
Gold (10gm)* (₹)	46,460.188	0.40
Brent crude (\$/bbl)*	73.51	0.59
IN 10-Yr bond yield	6.006	0.00
US 10-Yr T-bill yield*	1.460	-0.051

\* As of 8:30 PM IST

Forex reserves  
rise \$3.07 bn to  
record \$608.08 bn

The country’s foreign exchange reserves surged by \$3.074 billion to reach a record high of \$608.081 billion in the week ended June 11, the latest RBI data shows. The reserves had increased by \$6.842 billion to \$605.008 billion in the previous week ended June 4. Foreign currency assets rose by \$2.567 billion to \$563.457 billion in the latest week. The gold reserves rose by \$496 million to \$38.101 billion.

■ 100 commodity players get notice  
EOW summons  
brokers again

SANGEETHA G  
with agency inputs  
CHENNAI, JUNE 18

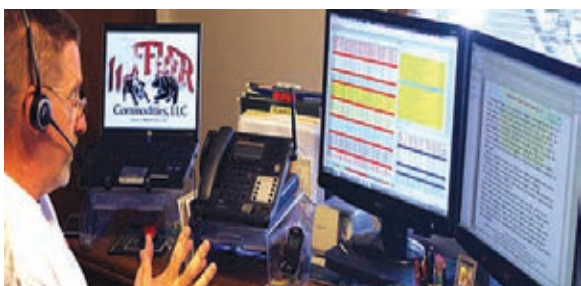
The Economic Offences Wing (EOW) of the Mumbai Police has served summons to directors of nearly 100 commodity brokerage firms who are alleged to have been involved in the 2013 payment default case of the National Spot Exchange Limited (NSEL).

These brokerage firms, which are accused of having indulged in financial irregularities and suspected forgery with their trading clients, have an estimated outstanding receivables of over Rs 4,200 crore in the case.

The brokerages include Motilal Oswal Commodities Brokers, Anand Rathi Commodities, Systematix Commodities, Way2Wealth Commodities, India Infoline Commodities and Progressive Comtrade.

Five brokerage firms with the maximum amount of receivables include Anand Rathi Commodities, India Infoline Commodities, Geojit Comtrade, Systematix Commodities and Motilal Oswal Commodities Brokers.

Others with significant receivable amounts include Philip Commodities India, Emkay Comtrade, JM Financial Comtrade, Ventura Commodities, Arihant Futures and Commodities, SPFL Commodities, RFL Commodity Brokers,



Nirmal Bank Commodities, India Nivesh Commodities and Suresh Rathi Commodities.

They have been asked to personally depose before the EOW with information on trade modification details of all their clients, broker and client ledger accounts, client settlement account details, banking details, brokerage earned, client PAN and KYC, visits to warehouses and a host of other functional details.

According to a director of one of the brokerage firms, there is nothing new in this case. “EOW teams keep changing, and whenever a new team takes charge, they come and ask us the same questions and ask for the same documents. We have submitted the same replies and proofs at least three times in the past,” he told *Financial Chronicle*.

The brokerage firms have been denying any wrongdoing on their part from the beginning and claimed that the development will not affect their functioning.

In 2019, markets regulator Sebi had passed orders

against some of these brokers in the NSEL case, declaring they were “not fit and proper” to continue as a commodity broker following a report of EOW and NSEL complaint.

EOW’s forensic report in 2015 accused many brokers of misguiding their trading clients, routing their money through benami accounts and indulging in various other wrongdoings, including under the pretext of loans against securities in violation of securities laws.

The brokers challenged Sebi orders before the Securities Appellate Tribunal (SAT). The NSEL had also approached the SAT. Calling itself an affected party, the NSEL alleged that the regulator had failed to consider all the allegations and material in its complaint against brokers.

However, the tribunal refused to admit NSEL’s plea, prompting the bourse to seek the intervention of the Supreme Court, pursuant to which the SAT was asked to allow the NSEL to present its case.

Co-founder quits Grofers  
as Zomato circles it again

SANGEETHA G  
CHENNAI, JUNE 18

While talks with Zomato on funding and acquisition are still on, Grofers co-founder Saurabh Kumar has quit the company.

“I have been reflecting on my life and personal ambitions for some time. And my decision to step away is the outcome of that. I want to wander again,” Saurabh Kumar said in an e-mail sent to the employees of Grofers.

Co-founder and CEO of Grofers Albinder Dhindsa, in a blog post, confirmed that Kumar will no longer be involved in day-to-day responsibilities at Grofers. However, he will continue to be a board member and a shareholder at the company. “This is the end of an era for Grofers,” he said.

“Over the last six months, SK had been yearning to invest in his

own personal evolution - to grow beyond a growth driver to become a designer, enabler and coach. And diving deeper has convinced him that this is another area he can have a huge impact on, if he can build on it from scratch,” he added.

According to reports, food delivery app Zomato is once again in acquisition talks with Grofers. Talks had failed last year. This time Zomato may lead a \$100 million funding round in Grofers first. After BigBasket getting acquired by Tata Digital, another leading player in the online grocery business, Grofers, has become a hot property.

Kumar and Dhindsa had started Grofers in 2014. Along with BigBasket, Grofers developed the e-grocery business in India and helped the segment touch a turnover of \$3 billion. The segment is now expected to grow at a com-



Saurabh Kumar

pound annual growth rate of 59 per cent to \$18 billion by 2024 with the likes of Amazon, Flipkart, Tatas and Reliance getting into the segment. Around 130 million households are already using e-grocery platforms or are willing to try, and this has created an addressable market of a whopping \$293 billion. The pandemic saw the gross merchandise value of e-grocers growing multi-fold.

The phenomenon of co-founder leaving a startup is not new. In 2018, Pankaj

Chaddah, co-founder of Zomato, left the company. In 2019, Urban Ladder co-founder Rajiv Srivatsa stepped down from active leadership. Smriti Parida and Deepak Dhar of NestAway and Delhivery’s Mohit Tandon and Bhavesh Mangani also left their startups.

“There are several opportunities in the digital space and a co-founder leaving the start-up in search of new opportunity is not a new thing. But then, there will be a dominant co-founder who would most probably be the face of the company. Investors too recommend that there should be a first among equals. Sometimes, the vision of the company also changes as it evolves over the time and new investors come in. Naturally, some of the co-founders would want to explore new things,” said Arun Natarajan, founder of Venture Intelligence.

## Hyundai to begin third production shift

MICHAEL GONSALVES  
PUNE, JUNE 18

Hyundai, India’s second biggest car maker, says the demand for cars in India is steadily rising, by about 75 per cent in June itself, as it plans to start three shift production at its factory in Chennai from the present two shifts to reduce waiting period of more than four months for its models.

The Korean automaker introduced the new Hyundai Alcazar SUV, with introductory prices for the 2.0-litre petrol version starting at Rs 16.30 lakh, and the 1.5-litre diesel version at Rs 16.53 lakh pan-India showroom.



Hyundai, also India’s biggest SUV maker, is betting big on its Alcazar SUV, confirmed bookings of which crossed 4,000 in less than a month with down payment of Rs 25,000. The Hyundai Alcazar competes

with the three-row SUVs like the MG Hector Plus, Tata Safari and the Mahindra XUV500. This segment is set to become even more competitive with the arrival of the new Mahindra XUV700, which that replaces the current XUV500, later this year.

“We have already seen demand for cars rising by 75 per cent in June itself,” Tarun Garg, director, sales at Hyundai Motor India told *Financial Chronicle*. He said this demand would continue in July and August as people preferred personal mobility to be safe from Covid pandemic. Garg said 45 per cent of the company’s total sales now come from SUVs.



# Germany eye comeback against Portugal



## SHORT TAKES

## Hyderabad FC rope in D'Silva

**Hyderabad:** Indian Super League side Hyderabad FC have signed young striker Aaren D'Silva on a three-year deal ahead of the new season, the club announced on Friday. The deal will see him stay at the club till the end of 2023-24 season. Hailing from a sporting family, Aaren has been involved in professional football since a young age. He spent over four years learning his trade at the SESA Football Academy. "I am really excited to be a part of Hyderabad FC. I want to be a part of the squad, and work hard to make a name for myself at HFC," Aaren said. — PTI

## England enforce follow-on on Day 3

**Bristol:** The Indian women's cricket team was 83 for one at tea after being forced to follow-on by England women on the third day of the one-off Test on Friday. Debutant Shafali Verma (55 batting) once again looked in great touch. Earlier, resuming at the overnight score of 187 for 5, India were all out for 231 in their first innings, 165 runs short of England's first innings score of 396. — PTI

**Brief scores:** England women 396/9 decl. vs India women 231 & 83/1 in 24.3 overs (Shafali Verma batting 55).

## World Masters Games next May

**Hyderabad:** The postponed World Masters Games will be held from May 13 to 29 next year in Kansai, Japan, informs M. Prabhakara Rao, vice president of Masters Games Federation and General Secretary of TMGA. The Games could not be held in May this year due to the Covid-19 pandemic situation. "The 4th National Masters Games to be held in Hyderabad too have been postponed. If things get back to normal we can expect the event to take place soon this year. Eligible athletes are requested to train at home and keep fit," Mr Rao said.



India's Mohammed Shami (second from right) and Wriddhiman Saha (right) walk with members of the team support staff along the boundary after rain delayed start of the first day of the WTC final at the Ageas Bowl in Southampton on Friday. — AP

## RAIN RUINS PLAY

## WTC final starts with washed out first day

**Southampton, June 18:** The eagerly-awaited opening day of the World Test Championship final between India and New Zealand was rained out here on Friday, which is set to bring the reserve day into the equation.

As per ICC playing conditions guidelines for the WTC final, if required the reserve sixth day can now come into effect with six hours of play lost on Day 1 itself.

There was forecast of rain and thundershowers and the heavens opened up last evening with

● **With puddles forming throughout the outfield, even the best drainage system couldn't have possibly forced some action on the opening day of the World Test Championship final in Southampton.**

relentless downpour continuing till afternoon.

With puddles forming throughout the outfield, even the best drainage system couldn't have possibly forced some action on the opening day.

Umpires Michael Gough and Richard Illingworth, after multiple inspections, called off the game

at 7:30 pm IST (3 pm local time).

While there has been talk about Southampton being the preferred venue, it has been learnt that BCCI was taken into confidence by both the ICC and England and Wales Cricket Board before they finalised the venue which also has a

five-star facility within the premises, helping create a tight bio-secure bubble.

The English weather is known to be fickle and in any case, there was no guarantee that the match being played at any other venue would have not led to a wash-out on the first day. In the last five years, England has hosted 32 men's Test matches and only as many as four have ended in draws which is an indication that even if rain plays spoilsport, the final will go the distance. — PTI

## OSAKA PULLS OUT FROM WIMBLEDON

**Los Angeles, June 18:** Japanese star Naomi Osaka has withdrawn from Wimbledon, her agent confirmed Thursday, weeks after the world number two pulled out of the French Open citing her struggle with depression and anxiety.

"Naomi won't be playing Wimbledon this year," Osaka's agent Stuart Duguid said. "She is taking some personal time with friends and family."

"She will be ready for the Olympics and is excited to play in front of her home fans."

On Wednesday, Wimbledon organisers said the 23-year-old four-time Grand Slam champion was expected to take part in the championships, which start on June 28.

"At this point in time she's entered into the championships and we haven't received confirmation that she won't compete," All England Club chief executive Sally Bolton said.

Osaka has been in the spotlight since withdrawing from the French Open. She was fined \$15,000 and threatened with disqualification from Roland Garros after she refused to honour mandatory media commitments. — AFP



Naomi Osaka

## MEN'S | HOCKEY

## Ten to make Oly debut in Tokyo

**Bengaluru, June 18:** India on Friday named 10 Olympic debutants in its 16-member men's hockey squad, which also features seasoned performers like P.R. Sreejesh and Manpreet Singh, for the Tokyo Games to be held from July 23 to August 8.

Amit Rohidas, Hardik Singh, Vivek Sagar Prasad, Nilakanta Sharma, Sumit, Shamsher Singh, Dilpreet Singh, Gurjant Singh and Lalit Kumar Upadhyay are the 10 players who will make their Olympic debut in Tokyo.

Besides, the 16-member team also includes six seasoned campaigners like former skipper and goalkeeper Sreejesh, midfielder Manpreet, defenders Harmanpreet Singh, Rupinder Pal Singh and Surender Kumar and forward Mandeep Singh.

These players were a part

## INDIA SQUAD

**Goalkeeper:** P. R. Sreejesh. **Defenders:** Harmanpreet Singh, Rupinder Pal Singh, Surender Kumar, Amit Rohidas, Birendra Lakra. **Midfielders:** Hardik Singh, Manpreet Singh, Vivek Sagar Prasad, Nilakanta Sharma, Sumit. **Forwards:** Shamsher Singh, Dilpreet Singh, Gurjant Singh, Lalit Kumar Upadhyay, Mandeep Singh.

of the previous Olympic squad in Rio de Janeiro.

Veteran defender Birendra Lakra has also been named in the side and is set to make his Olympic debut in Tokyo. The team has only one goalkeeper in Sreejesh, which means promising Krishan Bahadur Pathak missed out on an Olympic berth despite being an integral part of the team in the lead up to the Games. — PTI

## ROMANIA BANNED FROM OLYMPIC WEIGHTLIFTING

**Lausanne, June 18:** Romania has been banned from competing in weightlifting at the Tokyo Olympics over past doping cases, the International Weightlifting Federation ruled in a decision.

The Romanian Weightlifting Federation was issued a one-year ban from competition over five doping cases. Those included disqualifications for all four of Romania's weightlifters from the 2012 Olympics after various banned substances were found in later retesting of their samples.

One of those athletes, Gabriel Sincraian, also lost a medal from the 2016 Olympics in Rio de Janeiro for another failed drug test.

Romania becomes the fourth country barred from the Tokyo weightlifting competition after Egypt, Malaysia and Thailand, which were also excluded over doping-related issues. — AP

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