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A vegetable vendor running a roadside kiosk in Ahmedabad, India. "It's hot from above, it's hot from the pavement," one vendor said.

## In India, Surging Heat Takes Increasing Toll on Women's Health

By ANUPREETA DAS

AHMEDABAD, India — Every summer morning, Kantaben Kishen Parmar, a 45-year-old vegetable seller in the Indian city of Ahmedabad, settles onto a patch of ground the size of a large rug, sandwiched between the warming asphalt and a simmering sky, to sell peppers and tomatoes. She doesn't get back home until 10 p.m.

Over the decades, summers have gotten longer and hotter — average temperatures can hover around 105 degrees Fahrenheit, or

40 Celsius, between March and June — but Ms. Parmar's hours have remained the same. The toll on her health is growing.

Three years ago, she collapsed during an especially scorching April day and was rushed to a hospital, where she was treated for severe dehydration. Ms. Parmar, who is diabetic, has suffered from urinary tract infections, dizzy spells and heavy bleeding during her period, conditions that medical experts often attribute to heat stress.

"It's hot from above, it's hot from the pavement," said Ms. Par-

### Working Outdoor Jobs as Summers Become Longer and Hotter

mar as she deftly tossed green peppers onto a weighing scale with her right hand, which bears the tattoo of a heart pierced by an arrow encasing the letters "KK." The other "K" stands for Kishen, her husband and partner in the business.

"Where are we poor folks going

to go?" Ms. Parmar said. "We have no option but to sit here."

More than a billion Indians face heat waves every year. Hundreds of millions of them work in the informal sector, toiling outdoors or doing piecework in a stifling factory, and are especially at risk as intense bouts of scorching weather become more frequent and higher temperatures stick around for longer.

The Indian government has started campaigns to raise public awareness, urging people to alter their work hours to escape the

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## Pressure on ICE to Deport Leaves Children Without Their Parents

By MIRIAM JORDAN

FULTON, N.Y. — On a recent evening in Fulton, N.Y., an industrial town that straddles the Oswego River, Maribel Lopez's three children huddled around a cellphone glowing on the kitchen table. She smiled at them from thousands of miles away, wiping away tears.

"Chito, Chito, you cutie," Ms. Lopez called softly to her youngest, Jorge, 2, who was propped on the lap of his brother, Milton, 23.

The toddler didn't respond to his nickname, and gave the screen displaying his mother's image only a fleeting glance.

"Say 'holo, mami,'" pleaded his sister, Anabelle, 21.

Ms. Lopez has been separated from her children since early September, when federal agents raided the nutrition-bar factory where she worked in Central New York.

Ms. Lopez was detained and deported to Guatemala, leaving behind her 2-year-old son.

It shouldn't have happened.

Ms. Lopez was supposed to be protected from deportation because she had a pending asylum case on appeal, after fleeing years of abuse in her home country.

With immigration agents under intense pressure to deport thousands of people each day, Ms. Lopez was pushed through the system swiftly and was deported within four days of the factory raid.

As a result, Jorge is now cared for by two siblings who are barely adults themselves.

The government returned Ms. Lopez to the United States late on Thursday because of the mistake. But she is still apart from him, held in a detention center while



Jorge Lopez, 2, and his brother, Milton, last month. Their mother is back in the U.S. but detained.

her asylum appeal works its way through the courts.

The case is one of a growing number of family separations that, to some, recall the policies of the first Trump administration, when children were pried from their parents' arms soon after they crossed the southern border into the United States.

These cases, though, target immigrants who are already living in the United States.

Immigration officials say parents being deported are given the option of bringing their U.S.-born children with them as they are removed from the country.

But Ms. Lopez said she was offered no such choice.

Rather, her deportation was an error, email communications between her lawyers and Immigration and Customs Enforcement indicate, and the speed at which it took place appears to have sepa-

rated her from her son.

Tricia McLaughlin, a spokeswoman for the Department of Homeland Security, said that ICE, which carries out deportations, "does not separate families."

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Today, partly sunny, windy, chilly, high 45. Tonight, clear, breezy, low 39. Tomorrow, morning sun, cloudy in the afternoon, not as windy, high 48. Weather map is on Page D8.

## Trump Firm Seeks a Deal Over Saudi State Property

### President and Prince Set to Meet in U.S. — Diplomacy and Profit May Intertwine

By VIVIAN NEREIM and REBECCA R. RUIZ

RIYADH, Saudi Arabia — The Trump Organization is in talks that could bring a Trump-branded property to one of Saudi Arabia's largest government-owned real estate developments, according to the chief executive of the Saudi company leading the development, Mr. Inzerillo said.

The negotiations are the latest example of President Trump blending governance and family business, particularly in Persian Gulf countries. Since returning to office, the president's family and businesses have announced new ventures abroad involving billions of dollars, made hundreds of millions from cryptocurrency, and sold tickets to a private dinner hosted by Mr. Trump.

Mr. Trump is set to host Crown Prince Mohammed bin Salman, Saudi Arabia's de facto ruler, in Washington this week. The prince is overseeing a \$63 billion project that is set to transform the historic Saudi town of Diriyah into a luxury destination with hotels, retail shops and office space. The Trump business has a history of lending its name to mixed-use projects touting "iconic luxury."

"Nothing announced yet, but soon to be," Jerry Inzerillo, chief executive of the Diriyah development and a longtime friend of President Trump, said in an interview. "Deal-making and diplomacy are increasingly intertwined for Mr. Trump and his family members. Some have engaged in business talks around the world in tandem with his statecraft, mingling profit-making ventures with political relationships."

Diriyah is one of several ongoing Saudi developments that are

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## Inmates Describe a Brutal Jail That Used Them as Enforcers

This article is by Brian Howey, Mukta Joshi and Nate Rosenfield.

BRANDON, Miss. — For years, guards in a jail outside Jackson, Miss., terrorized those in their care, according to dozens of people who say they endured, witnessed or participated in violent assaults.

Guards dragged inmates into blind corners, where cameras couldn't capture acts of violence. They beat people behind closed doors. And they encouraged favored inmates to join in on the brutality.

Former inmates and guards said the violence at the Rankin County jail created a culture of fear and was widely accepted by officials as a way of keeping order, an investigation by The New York

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## In Skin Care for Preschoolers, Some See Futures of Anxiety

By CALLIE HOLTERMANN

Brittany Ouyang does not do much to perfect her 3-year-old daughter's skin, because it happens to be flawless already. Her routine, if you can call it that, includes water, sunscreen and the occasional moisturizer.

So Ms. Ouyang was baffled when her sister sent her an Instagram post last week about a new skin care line that was advertised for children ages 3 and up. She visited the website for the brand, which is called Rini and was co-founded by the actress Shay Mitchell, and saw pictures of poreless children who looked to be 10 years and younger beaming from behind jellylike face masks enriched with vitamin B12.

"That is ludicrous," Ms. Ouyang, 36, who works in tech and lives near San Francisco, texted her sister. She joined a chorus of people criticizing the company with a post on TikTok:



Rini sells jellylike face masks enriched with vitamin B12.

"What kind of capitalist hellscape are we living in?"

Nearly two years after a flurry of press about tweens swarming the aisles of beauty stores like Sephora, skin care lines for pre-teens and even younger children have become a robust product category — and a battlefield for parents and critics.

Households with children ages

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