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STATE TIMES

IAEA interested in mobile irradiators developed by India: DAE official

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
MUMBAI: The International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) has shown interest in mobile irradiators developed by India which can be used to prolong the shelf-life of food products, a top official said on Tuesday.
An India-made mobile irradiator was demonstrated at the IAEA office in Vienna last month, said Department of Atomic Energy secretary A K Mohanty at an event here.
"The IAEA is interested. If India or BRIT (Board for Radiation and Isotope Technology, a wing under the DAE) can make more (mobile irradiators), the IAEA can install them in other countries. The Director General of IAEA has written that he will be visiting (India) and if we can give him a few samples, the IAEA will put these in other countries which they need more," he said.
Irradiators are useful for prolonging the shelf-life of food products and minimising crop loss, Mohanty said, adding that the technology would be especially useful in countries like Ghana where ginger is a cash crop (and needs preservation).
At the event at the BRIT complex in Navi Mumbai, Mohanty, who is also the chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission, launched an Industrial Radiography Device with applications in chemical industry, energy sector, defence, nuclear and aerospace industry.

GST revenue growth rate slows in Sep, collections at Rs 1.73 lakh cr

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
NEW DELHI: Goods and services tax (GST) revenue growth rate declined to 6.5 per cent in September at Rs 1.73 lakh crore as the rise in collections from domestic transactions as well as imports slowed. However, with the festival season ahead, collections are expected to be better in the coming months, tax experts said.
According to government data released on Tuesday, GST revenues in September last year was Rs 1.63 lakh crore, while the In August 2024, the mop-up was Rs 1.75 lakh crore.
Gross domestic revenue grew 5.9 per cent to about Rs 1.27 lakh crore. Revenue from import of goods was up 8 per cent to Rs 45,390 crore.
Refunds worth Rs 20,458



crore were issued during the month, an increase of 31 per cent over the year-ago period.
After adjusting refunds, the net GST revenue in September stood at Rs 1.53 lakh crore, 3.9 per cent higher than the year-ago period.
GST collections during the April-September period of the current fiscal year grew 9.5 per cent to over Rs 10.87 lakh crore.
PwC India Partner Pratik

for the coming months will be eagerly watched as they are also a proxy for the economic growth and can be correlated with the GDP numbers.
However, the significant increase in the GST refunds, especially IGST Export refunds, depicts the efforts of tax authorities in expediting refunds and the policymakers in simplifying the refund process. "The tepid single-digit growth in GST revenues in many of the large states should, hopefully, be corrected in the coming months," Mani added.
EY Tax Partner Saurabh Agarwal said the significant increase in GST refunds for exports suggests a substantial rise in exports from India.
Additionally, the overall increase in GST refunds demonstrates the government's commitment to timely release funds to support working capital of exporters and industries facing inverted duty structure.

Don't want installation of Lakshmi Bai statue to become flashpoint: HC

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
NEW DELHI: Stating that Maharani Lakshmi Bai is not a religious figure, the Delhi High Court on Tuesday questioned the opposition to the installation of her statue by the MCD at the Shahi Idgah Park at Sadar Bazar here and said it does not want the issue to become a "flashpoint unnecessarily".
A bench headed by Chief Justice Mammohan stated this while hearing an appeal by the Shahi Idgah Managing Committee against a single judge's order refusing to restrain the installation of the statue of the freedom fighter.
"Why is passion so high? We are not able to understand the opposition... you must volunteer rather than the court passing an order. She is not religious (figure)," the court remarked. The bench, also comprising Justice Tushar Rao Gedela, deferred the hearing till October 4 and asked the

senior counsel appearing for the appellant to speak to his client. "We want you to speak to your client. We don't want a flashpoint unnecessarily in the city. We don't want to force something down your throat. Why should it become a flashpoint?" the court told the senior lawyer.
While agreeing that Lakshmi Bai was a national figure, the counsel for the appellant submitted that the park is used for a certain religious programme when prayers are offered there.
The court also deleted certain objectionable averments in the plea after the appellant sought their removal and tendered an unconditional apology.
On September 25, the court had said Lakshmi Bai was a national hero and history should not be divided on communal politics, as it pulled up the Shahi Idgah Managing Committee for making "scandalous pleadings" in its plea.
The court had taken excep-

tion to certain paragraphs against the single judge in the appeal, calling them "divisive".
Earlier, the single judge had rejected a petition by the committee which sought directions to the civic authorities not to encroach upon the Shahi Idgah, claiming it to be a Waqf property.
The committee referred to a gazette notification published in 1970 which said that the Shahi Idgah Park is an ancient property built during the Mughal period, which is being used for offering namaz.
It was submitted that such a vast property could accommodate as many as 50,000 namazis at one time. The single judge had said that the petitioner committee has no legal or fundamental right to oppose the maintenance and upkeep of the parks or open ground, surrounding the Shahi Idgah, by the DDA and thereby oppose the installation of the statue by the MCD.

Body of banker who jumped off Atal Setu recovered from Navi Mumbai shores

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
MUMBAI: The body of a 40-year-old banker who jumped off the trans-harbour Atal Setu was found washed up on the seashore in Navi Mumbai on Tuesday, police said.
Sushant Chakravarti, a deputy manager with a nationalised bank, parked his SUV on the bridge at Sewri and jumped into the sea on Monday morning, an official said. Chakravarti's wife said he worked at the bank's Fort branch in south Mumbai and claimed he had work pressure.
A search and rescue operation was launched, and the Sewri police traced the family based on the vehicle's numberplate, senior inspector Rohit

Khot of Sewri police station said.
On Tuesday, the police were informed that a body had washed up on the shore at JNPT in Navi Mumbai, and it was identified, he said.
Chakravarti is survived by his wife and seven-year-old daughter; the official said. A case of accidental death was registered, he said.
The 'Atal Bihari Vajpayee Sewri-Nhava Sheva Atal Setu', also known as the Mumbai Trans-Harbour Link (MTHL), that connects south Mumbai with the satellite city of Navi Mumbai, was inaugurated in January this year. The six-lane bridge is 21.8 km long with a 16.5 km sea link.

SC displeased over 'disconnect' between prosecution, govt counsel; seeks Telangana DGP's presence

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
NEW DELHI: Expressing displeasure over the "disconnect" between the prosecution and the government counsel in a criminal matter, the Supreme Court on Tuesday asked the DGP of Telangana to appear before it.
A bench of Justices Hrishikesh Roy and S V N Bhatti was miffed after the counsel for Telangana was not able to tell the court about the relevant dates when the charge

sheets were filed in criminal matters despite a specific query.
The counsel had simply submitted that the charge sheets have been filed.
"We are indeed surprised by the response of the Government counsel as the respective dates of filing of the chargesheets should either be readily accessible or the instructing officer should have indicated the relevant dates of the chargesheets together when the information was given that chargesheets

were filed. The disconnect between the prosecution and the Government counsel is clearly discernible," the bench recorded in its order.
The bench, while listing the matter for hearing on October 4, directed, "The DGP, State of Telangana should be available to participate in the proceeding either physically or through virtual mode, on the next date."
It, however, asked the state's counsel to file complete details of the matter.

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
PRAYAGRAJ: The Allahabad High Court on Tuesday accepted the supplementary affidavit filed by a plaintiff and granted time to the Muslim side to file its reply in the Gyanvapi mosque and Kashi Vishwanath temple case at Varanasi.
The court fixed October 22 as the next date for hearing.
In pursuance of earlier order passed on September 24, the counsel for revision petitioner Rakhi Singh filed supplementary affidavit bringing on record the application moved by one of the plaintiffs Laxmi Devi earlier for the scientific investigation and survey of the protected area.
Laxmi Devi's supplementary affidavit was taken on record and the court granted time to the Muslim side to file its reply.
The order was passed by



Justice Rohit Ranjan Agarwal while hearing a civil revision petition filed by Rakhi Singh, one of the plaintiffs in the Sringer Gauri Worshipping suit, before the Varanasi court.
The revision petition challenges the Varanasi district judge's order dated October 21, 2023 refusing to direct the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI) to undertake a

survey of the wazukhana area, except for the shivling, inside the Gyanvapi mosque.
In her revision petition, Rakhi Singh has pleaded that the survey of the wazukhana area is necessary in the interest of justice. It will benefit the plaintiffs and defendants alike and help the court arrive at a just decision in the suit.

It has also been contended that the Varanasi district judge, in his October 21 order, failed to exercise the jurisdiction vested in it by law to direct for the survey of the wazukhana area.
The counsel for the revision petitioners argued that the ASI survey of the wazukhana area is necessary so that the religious character of the entire prop-

erty could be determined.
It was also argued that it is possible to survey the wazukhana area, except for the shivling, using non-invasive methods as directed by the Supreme Court. The ASI has already conducted a scientific survey of the Gyanvapi complex and has also submitted its report to the Varanasi district judge.
The ASI had conducted a survey in accordance with the July 21, 2023 order of the Varanasi district judge to determine if the mosque was constructed over a pre-existing structure of a Hindu temple.

President Murmu greets citizens on Gandhi Jayanti eve

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
NEW DELHI: President Droupadi Murmu on Tuesday greeted citizens on the eve of Gandhi Jayanti and asked all to resolve to imbibe the values of truth, non-violence, love and purity to continuously advance the development of the country.
"On behalf of all citizens, I pay my humble tribute to the Father of the Nation, Mahatma Gandhi on his 155th birth anniversary," she said in a message issued by the Rashtrapati Bhavan.
His ideas influenced many great personalities of the world, who adopted Gandhiji's ideals into their methods, Murmu said.
"On this auspicious occasion, let us resolve to imbibe the values of truth, non-violence, love and purity and, with the idea of the India of Gandhiji's dreams, strive to continuously advance the development of the country and society," the president said.
The life of Bapu, an ardent follower of truth and non-violence, is a unique message for the entire humanity, she said.
He inspired us to follow the path of peace and cooperation, Murmu said, adding that Gandhiji took up the missions to eradicate untouchability, illiteracy, lack of sanitation and other social evils, and championed the cause of women empowerment relentlessly.
Gandhiji epitomised eternal moral principles and preached for ethics-based conduct, she said.
"His struggle was centred around strengthening the weakest and the most vulnerable," the president added.

Kohli gifts his bat to retiring Shakib al Hasan

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
KANPUR: Indian batting superstar Virat Kohli gifted one of his signed bats to the soon-to-be retired Bangladesh all-rounder Shakib Al Hasan after the home side completed a 2-0 Test series sweep over the visitors here on Tuesday.
Shakib, who played his last overseas Test here, has already made it clear that he wouldn't play the home series against South Africa unless the current caretaker government in Bangladesh can assure his smooth passage out of the country.
After the second Test ended here with India win-

ning by seven wickets, Kohli was seen walking towards the Bangladesh team and handing over his bat to Bangladesh's greatest ever cricketer.
The duo was seen exchanging pleasantries and sharing a laugh as Shakib did a bit of shadow driving with the willow.
Shakib is a popular cricketer in India, having played 71 IPL matches, mainly for Kolkata Knight Riders and also a few for the Sunrisers Hyderabad.
Currently, Shakib is facing a murder charge back home levelled against him during the civil unrest that led to former PM Sheikh Hasina's ouster.

Shakib was a member of parliament from Hasina's party the Awami League.
The current regime in Bangladesh is not too keen on giving a farewell to Shakib with the current Bangladesh Cricket Board president Farukh Ahmed, saying that his organisation was not a security agency. In such a scenario, Kanpur could well end up being Shakib's 71st and last Test match. He is supposed to retire completely from international cricket after the Champions Trophy next year.
Shakib currently resides in the USA.

BCCI makes sophisticated player monitoring system available to state units

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
NEW DELHI: The BCCI has decided to extend the use of its sophisticated Athlete Monitoring System (AMS) to state associations, helping players find their peak performance. In a communication to state units, BCCI secretary Jay Shah informed that a team from the newly-launched Centre of Excellence (CoE) in Bengaluru will be reaching out to them shortly on the efficient use of AMS.
"I'm pleased to apprise you that the BCCI shall offer Athlete Monitoring System (AMS) for all State Associations - with costs being borne by BCCI," Shah wrote in his communication to the state associations.
"The state associations can now avail the following benefits in a bid to standardize player monitoring to ensure better management and enable peak performance for the players," Shah, who will take charge as ICC chairman in December, added. Until now, the NCA's athlete monitoring system covered the BCCI contracted players, cricketers picked for zonal camps and targeted bunch of players like pace sensation Mayank Yadav.
The AMS provides information on athlete risk and readiness, performances alerts to coaches and administrators,

analysis on injury and fitness, workload monitoring and real time alerts on it, rehab for players among others and all of that information can be shared via a mobile application.
"It is a welcome step taken by the BCCI. Not all associations can afford such a sophisticated system, so making it free of cost is also commendable," said MPCA president Abhilash Khandekar.
"The BCCI already invests a lot on the infrastructure in the states and this move will help not only educate the players more on monitoring but also the state units."
The Centre of Excellence head VVS Laxman had given an insight into the AMS programme.
"We are going to even request the state association to follow that process (AMS). So, at least 50 players of each state association, 25 men and 25 women also should be there on the AMS, because we have done a lot of work to make the AMS quite proactive," Laxman had said in a select media interaction on Sunday.
The former India batter said the aim was to create a long-term player profile.
"The whole idea is, if a player comes to NCA or is part of any ZCA camp, 5 years from now, 10 years from now, his file should be there," he said.

IOA chief Usha's claim of EC members not felicitating Olympic medallists "blatant lie": Treasurer

■ STATE TIMES NEWS
NEW DELHI: Indian Olympic Association Treasurer Sahdev Yadav on Tuesday hit back at president PT Usha for claiming that IOA Executive Committee members were not agreeing on a proposal to felicitate Paris Olympics medal-winners, saying her assertion is a "blatant lie".
Usha on Monday said that it was "deeply concerning" that the EC members failed to honour Olympic medallists and accused the Finance Committee of blocking funds intended to support Indian athletes' preparation for the Paris Games.
In a rebuttal to Usha's claims, Sahdev said, "... there has been no discussion with EC members nor any official proposal in

writing for organizing a felicitation ceremony for the medallists of Paris Olympics 2024."
Sahdev, who is also the president of the Indian Weightlifting Federation, accused Usha of "spreading lies" and "cooking up" things instead of taking responsibilities as per the IOA constitution.
"...we fail to understand why IOA President is spreading lies across the whole country, to put down the EC members, which does not have any proof nor hold any genuine ground," he said.
"... her repeated efforts and proposals is nothing but blatant lies which has been cooked by the President every now and then and shedding crocodile tears in front of the

media."
India secured six medals in the Paris Olympics, including two historic bronze finishes by young shooter Manu Bhaker, but Usha on Monday said the "EC does not want to celebrate their success" and it makes her "very sad."
"These athletes have made the nation proud, and it is the responsibility of the IOA to celebrate their achievements with the respect they deserve."
"It is deeply concerning that, even after returning home in mid-August, the EC has failed to discuss or take any steps towards organizing a formal felicitation ceremony," she had said in a statement.
She had also revealed that a proposal for a preparatory grant of Rs two lakh for

each Olympic-bound athlete and Rs one lakh for each coach had been blocked by the Finance Committee, notably by Sahdev.
Reacting to this, Sadev said, "This is for the information of everyone that any proposal recommended and approved by the EC members and finance committee has been paid without any delay by Mr Sahdev Yadav, Treasurer of IOA."
The internal feud within the IOA has been on since the appointment of Raghuram Iyer as its CEO on January 5. Iyer has Usha's backing while the EC members are unanimously in demanding his removal.
The bone of contention has been his salary of Rs 20 lakh per month, along with

perks.
On September 26, an EC meeting was called to resolve the issue on the insistence of the International Olympic Committee (IOC) but the deadlock remained.
On Saturday, the 12 EC members sent a letter to senior International Olympic Committee (IOC) official Jerome Poivey, accusing Usha of running the organisation in an "autocratic" manner after she rejected their demand to remove Iyer as IOA CEO during the contentious meeting.
Usha had called the accusations "malicious and false," asserting that they were aimed at undermining her leadership and the efforts to improve Indian sports.