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05 Govt nominates Shantmanu as Nodal Officer for coordinating with National Task Force

10 J&K shines with seven medals as Harris, Ayaan, Arslan, Saksham join medal winners

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LG calls for eliminating every single terror element to completely restore peace, make J&K terror-free

STATE TIMES NEWS
SRINAGAR: Lieutenant Governor, Manoj Sinha on Wednesday observed that terrorism was the biggest enemy of the youth of Jammu Kashmir for more than three decades and it destroyed their dreams and aspirations. He said now our youth and young professionals are fulfilling their dreams and achieving their aspirations. Speaking at the valedictory function of Islamic University of Science and Technology's Foundation Day, the Lieutenant Governor said that our neighbouring country and some of their terrorist elements sitting here are trying to disrupt this progress. He said, we must be alert against such ecosystem and work together to foil their efforts. "Jammu Kashmir has created its new destiny, a new identity and woven new



LG Manoj Sinha addressing valedictory session of IUST's Foundation Day celebrations at Srinagar on Wednesday.

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- ▶ J&K has created its new destiny, a new identity and woven new dreams. This must be protected at all costs and those trying to shatter dreams of our youth must be strictly dealt with
- ▶ Exhorts film-makers to come up with films, which narrate ordeal of terror victims, expose ringleaders of terror ecosystem and showcase the transformation after August 2019
- ▶ People must expose enemies of peace by providing information about them to Police and Security Agencies, so that entire terror ecosystem hiding behind the cover in society is neutralised and befitting reply is given to evil intentions of the neighbouring country
- ▶ After last 5-6 years of tireless, dedicated work and many sacrifices of the J&K Police,

dreams. This must be protected at all costs and those trying to shatter the dreams of our youth must be strictly dealt with," the Lieutenant Governor said. Shantmanu, Additional Chief Secretary, Higher Education Department; Prof. Shakil A. Romshoo, Vice Chancellor, IUST; Prof. Nilofer Khan, Vice Chancellor, University of Kashmir; Prof. M. Ashraf Ganie, Director SKIMS; Prof. A. H. Moon,

Red Fort blast: Modi meets survivors, says those behind conspiracy to be brought to justice



PM Narendra Modi enquiring well being of victims of Delhi blast at LNJP Hospital in New Delhi on Wednesday.

STATE TIMES NEWS
NEW DELHI: Prime Minister Narendra Modi visited the LNJP Hospital on

Wednesday and met the survivors of the Red Fort blast, saying the perpetrators will be brought to justice.

The prime minister was in the hospital for nearly 25 minutes. "Went to LNJP Hospital and met those injured during the blast in Delhi. Praying for everyone's quick recovery. Those behind the conspiracy will be brought to justice!" Modi said in a post on X. Upon landing from Bhutan, the prime minister went straight to the hospital to meet those injured after the blast, officials said. There was a heavy security deployment in and around the hospital where the injured are undergoing

Absconder held 26 years after rash driving case

STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: A man, who had been absconding for 26 years in a case of rash driving allegedly resulting in the death of a person, was arrested by the Jammu police following his deportation from the United Kingdom to India, officials said on Wednesday. The accused, identified as Naveen Kousha, a resident of Ropar in Punjab, was wanted in connection with a case registered under Sections 304-A (causing death due to rash driving), 279 (rash driving) and 337 of the Rambar Panel Code (causing injuries) at

Red car suspected to be linked to terror accused seized in Faridabad

STATE TIMES NEWS
CHANDIGARH: A red Ford Eco Sport car suspected to be linked to the Delhi Red Fort blast case has been traced and seized in Faridabad district's Khandawali, police said. When asked if the EcoSport car has been traced, a Faridabad police spokesperson confirmed over the phone, saying, "Yes, it has been found in Khandawali village". Earlier, the Delhi Police sounded an alert across all police stations, posts, and border checkpoints in the national capital to trace

J&K Police raids around 500 locations linked to banned organisations including JeI

STATE TIMES NEWS
SRINAGAR: Police on Wednesday intensified its crackdown on the terror ecosystem in Kashmir, carrying out raids at around 500 locations linked to terrorist associates, and persons affiliated with banned organisations, including Jamaat-e-Islami (JeI), in the valley, officials said. The raids were based on credible intelligence inputs indicating attempts by JeI-linked elements to revive their activities under different fronts, police officials said. They said the raids were



carried out at several locations across the 10 districts of the Kashmir valley -- Srinagar, Ganderbal, Budgam, Baramulla, Bandipora, Anantnag, Kulgam, Pulwama, and Shopian. The searches were carried out at the residences and premises of JeI members

Jammu Police calls for public alert on suspicious movements, installs CCTV cameras

STATE TIMES NEWS
JAMMU: Police on Wednesday reached out to various localities and sensitive areas in Jammu city, urging people-particularly traders-to remain alert about any suspicious movement and to install CCTV cameras as part of the security setup in the capital city. The move comes in the wake of a high-intensity explosion that ripped through a slow-moving car at a traffic signal near the Red Fort metro station in Delhi on Monday evening, killing at least 12 people and gutting several vehicles. "We have asked the people, particularly shopkeepers and business establishments,

Govt terms car explosion near Red Fort as 'terrorist incident'

STATE TIMES NEWS
NEW DELHI: The government on Wednesday termed the car explosion outside Red Fort as a "terrorist incident" and directed investigating agencies to deal with the case with "utmost urgency and professionalism" to bring the perpetrators and their sponsors to justice without delay. A Union Cabinet meeting, chaired by Prime Minister Narendra Modi upon his return from Bhutan, reaffirmed India's unwavering commitment to a policy of zero tolerance towards terrorism in all its forms and manifestations. Observing a two-minute silence in honour of the inno-



cent lives lost in the terrorist incident, the Cabinet adopted a resolution expressing profound grief over the loss of lives in the terrorist incident and said the situation continues to be "closely monitored" at the highest levels of the government. The prime also chaired a meeting of the Cabinet Committee on Security. The meeting comes two days after an explosives-laden car detonated

Inter-state, trans-national module of terrorists busted; explosive material, arms recovered

STATE TIMES NEWS
SRINAGAR: The arrest of two overground workers (OGWs) carrying posters of terror outfits Jaish-e-Mohammad (JeM) and Ansar Ghazwatul Hind (AGuH) led to the busting of an interstate and trans-national module of terrorists, resulting in a major haul of arms and 2900 kilograms of explosive material, officials said on Wednesday. The Srinagar police appre-

hended the OGWs on November 2, and a swift investigation by the local police led to the unravelling of the plot in less than three days. Inspector Mir Masrat Aalam, the Station House Officer (SHO) of Nowgam police station, discovered during questioning that the suspects were part of a larger network and their handler - Moulvi Irfan Ahmad - hailed from Shopian district

but was operating under the garb of a prayer leader in a local mosque in Nowgam area, officials in the know of the investigation said. The officials further said that the team from the Nowgam police station picked up the imam who revealed the involvement of several young doctors in the module, currently working outside Jammu and Kashmir.

J&K Police detains Haryana preacher in 'white collar' terror module case

STATE TIMES NEWS
SRINAGAR: A preacher from Haryana who allegedly helped store explosives in his rented home near Faridabad's Al Falah university was detained and brought to Srinagar early Wednesday, Jammu and Kashmir police officials said. Maulvi Ishtiyaq belongs to Mewat and would conduct religious sermons in the Al Falah campus, the

White-collar terrorism; collapse of mandatory police verification

ANOTHER SPECIAL REPORT
JAMMU: The arrests of eight persons-most of them from the Kashmir Valley, mostly doctors, in connection with the Red Fort blast have exposed an alarming truth of internal security mechanism, especially the collapse of the police verification system. The process meant to filter out individuals with dubious backgrounds or extremist leanings seems to have been reduced to a mere formality, and the consequences are now before the nation in the most horrific manner possible. The Red Fort blast, which left nine dead and several injured in Delhi, is a chilling reminder that when complacency meets radical intent, the result is catastrophe. The very purpose of police verification, meant to ensure that those entering

government service, academia, or any other important institution are free of criminal or extremist backgrounds, has been eroded over time. The police verification mechanism has failed to evolve with the times, ignoring digital trails, financial histories, or online radical activity. The question now haunting both the people and security agencies alike is: how did these doctors, now accused of involvement in terrorism, manage to pass every verification check? The Red Fort blast has shaken the collective conscience because it represents not just an act of terror but a betrayal of professional ethics and human values. The visuals of mangled vehicles and dismembered bodies in the heart of the national capital were horrifying enough. What an irony that those behind the carnage were doctors, the supposed saviours of life, adds a grotesque irony. It is the height of radicalism, where those sworn by the Hippocratic Oath to heal

and protect ended up taking lives in cold blood. This marks a dangerous trend. The gun-wielding terrorist in the forest is no longer the only threat; now, the educated and employed, those who should have been society's backbone, are becoming the instruments of terror. Radicalization has entered classrooms, laboratories, and hospitals. It is spreading silently with fanatic motives. This incident also exposes a dark and dangerous turn in radicalization, when the educated and privileged become executors of terror networks. The ongoing investigation by the National Investigation Agency (NIA) has now become a national test of accountability. It must go beyond identifying the immediate perpetrators to uncovering the entire chain of recruitment, indoctrination, and facilitation. The NIA's lens must also turn toward the infamous Al-Falah University in Faridabad, already under scrutiny after 2,900 kilograms

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