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I, Shivali Gupta W/o Sh.Pawan Gupta R/o H.No.52, Sector-4, Upper Roop Nagar, Jammu approached the JDA for getting permission to transfer lease hold rights with reference to Plot No. 34B, Sector 07 measuring 3200 Sft., situated at Roop Nagar Housing Colony, Jammu. If any body having any objection with reference to transfer of lease hold rights of said plot he/she may approached JDA office within 7 days.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My father Late Sh. Jagdish Parshad Kotwal S/O Late Sh.Mathura Dass Kotwal R/o 60 Karan Nagar Extension. Jammu is the original Lease Deed holder of Plot No. 131, Sector No. 4, Roop Nagar Housing Colony, Jammu issued by the Jammu Development Authority Jammu.

Now I Kuldev Singh Kotwal legal heir / Decree holder of my deceased father Late Sh. Jagdish Parshad Kotwal S/O Late Sh.Mathura Dass Kotwal R/o 60 Karan Nagar Extension, Jammu have applied for transfer of leasehold rights of above said plot in my favour. Objection, if any, may be conveyed to the Jammu Development Authority Jammu within a period of 15 days from the date of publication of this notice. However, no objection will be entertained after the expiry of the above said period.

Name: Kuldev Singh Kotwal
S/O Late Sh. Jagdish Parshad Kotwal
R/O 60 Karan Nagar Extension, Jammu

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I, Mohd Mushtaq S/o Sh. Khursheed Ahmed R/o T.C.P, Sitni Bye Pass Kandoli Nagrota, Jammu have lost RC of Vehicle bearing No: JK02BV-0342. Now I applying for the duplicate of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to RTO Jammu with in 7 days.

NOTICE

I,Vivek Verma S/o Gs no.167406P MTD Sh Ramesh Chander R/o JMC 501. Old Gurha Bakshi Nagar Jammu, Post office-bakshi Nagar, District - Jammu, State -Jammu and Kashmir Pin Code-180001-Declare that I have changed my Name from Subash chander (wrongly recorded in service record of my father) to Vivek Verma and my date of birth is also wrongly written as 11-03-1983 instead of 11-10-1983 in the service record vide Certificate no-IN- JK87682039530384W Before Munsiff Judicial Magistrate 1st class Jammu date 26 mar 2024

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I,Vikrant Verma S/o Gs no.167406P MTD Sh Ramesh Chander R/o JMC 501. Old Gurha Bakshi Nagar Jammu, Post office-bakshi Nagar, District - Jammu, State -Jammu and Kashmir Pin Code-180001-Declare that I have changed my Name from Naresh chander (wrongly recorded in service record of my father) to Vikrant Verma and my date of birth as per genuine documents is 26-03-1985 vide Certificate no-IN- JK87683132634831W Before Munsiff Judicial Magistrate 1st class Jammu date 26 mar 2024

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STATE TIMES

St. Peter's Catholic Church celebrates Easter

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
JAMMU: St. Peter's Catholic Church in Prem Nagar, Jammu, celebrated a joyful Easter vigil mass on Sunday, at midnight. Led by Rev. Fr. Kuriakose, the Parish Priest, and Rev. Fr. Suhail Joseph, the Asst. Parish Priest, along with the faithful, the celebration marked the Resurrection of Christ, symbolizing His victory over death. The atmosphere was filled with anticipation and devotion as Christians had spent 40 days of Lent preparing for this momentous occasion. Having accompanied the Lord in His passion and death over the past three days, they gathered as one family at St. Peter's Catholic Church to rejoice in His resurrection, which is considered the climax of the history of redemption. The Easter vigil liturgy comprised four parts: Liturgy of the Light, Liturgy of the Word,



Rev. Fr. Kuriakose, the Parish Priest addressing community members.

Liturgy of Blessing of Water, and Liturgy of the Eucharist, with enthusiastic participation from all present. The service commenced with the blessing of a new fire, followed by the lighting of the Paschal Candle, and a procession where all the faithful carried candles in their hands. During his sermon, Rev. Fr. Kuriakose emphasized the significance of the readings of the day, highlighting the message that Jesus died and rose again to give His Spirit to comfort His followers in all circumstances. He encouraged the faithful to fully experience their sadness, acknowledging their need

for God's comfort, and to share the good news of Christ's resurrection with others.

KDP Wing of DPAP appeals Kashmiri Displaced people to file, fill M. Forms

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
JAMMU: In a joint statement issued by the Kashmiri Displaced People (KDP) Wing of Democratic Progressive Azad Party (DPAP) through it's President Sanjay Dhar, Chairman Piaray Lal Pandits, Roop Krishen Koul Vice President, General Secretary Raj Kumar Tieu, Gawhar Wani Spokesperson and Naveen Gosani Youth President have appealed the Kashmiri Displaced People to file and fill their M.Forms or Form 12/C, to get voting rights, as specified by the Notification issued by the Chief Electoral Officer J&K recently. The Leaders have appealed the Kashmiri Displaced People to fill their M.Forms for getting votes which is the only right of identity as Kashmiri inhabitants and the only voting right is linked to our right of real residence of Kashmir Valley.and hope that by voting, our Displaced community can now get rid of the

genocidal sufferings of last thirty four years. The Leaders have also appealed the Contesting candidates of Parliamentary Constituencies to visit at Jammu before elections for seeking votes, as during the past no candidate has visited Displaced people outside valley to seek votes,and this election for the Candidates, the vote of Kashmiri Displaced People will decide the success to a winning candidate. The Leaders have appealed the Kashmiri Displaced People voters to contact their respective Parliamentary Constituencies candidate to visit Jammu for seeking votes which this year will fetch a good result regarding Kashmiri Displaced People votes. The Leaders have appealed the Kashmiri Displaced People voters not to fell preys to some vested agencies while filling their M.Forms ,as being our community a intellectual one

does not require any help to fill such a petty form and how a particular political party become sympathiser of the community only during elections and whole of the community knows the achievement of that particular political party for mitigation of the sufferings of Displaced People since last ten years The Leaders have once again appealed the Community to come and fill M.Form and to vote for a good candidate from whome expectations of resettlement and rehabilitation are felt in a time bound future. The Leaders have demanded that Election Authorities and Model Officers connected to the Migrant Cells may not support any such procedures being exercised by any Political party indulging intervention for filling M.Forms/Form 12/C involved under garb of so called help with foul motives to disturb the sanctity of free and fair elections.

Recognition of his contribution to country's progress: PM on Bharat Ratna to Advani

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
NEW DELHI: Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Sunday said the conferment of the Bharat Ratna on BJP stalwart L K Advani is a recognition of his enduring contributions to the nation's progress. President Murmu conferred the Bharat Ratna, the country's highest civilian honour, on former deputy prime minister Advani at his residence here earlier on Sunday. Modi sat next to Advani as the President honoured the veteran leader. Besides Modi, Vice President Jagdeep Dhankhar, Defence Minister Rajnath Singh,

Home Minister Amit Shah and Advani's family members attended the ceremony. In a post on X, Modi shared pictures from the ceremony and said, "It was very special to witness the conferring of the Bharat Ratna upon Shri L K Advani Ji. This honour is a recognition of his enduring contributions to our nation's progress." "His dedication to public service and his pivotal role in shaping modern India have left an indelible mark on our history. I am proud to have got the opportunity to work with him very closely over the last several decades," the prime minister said. PTI.

Gas price for Reliance trimmed to \$9.87; rate for gas that feeds CNG, PNG supplies still at \$6.5

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
NEW DELHI: The government on Sunday cut the price of natural gas produced from difficult areas like deep sea KG-D6 block of Reliance Industries, marginally to USD 9.87 per million British thermal unit in line with softening of benchmark international gas prices, an official notification said. However, the price of gas that is used for making CNG for fuelling automobiles or piping to household kitchens for cooking purposes will remain unchanged due to a price cap that is set at 30 per cent less

than market rates such as that paid to Reliance. For the six-month period starting April 1, the price of gas from deepsea and high-pressure, high-temperature (HPTP) areas has been cut to USD 9.87 per mmBtu from USD 9.96, oil ministry's Petroleum Planning and Analysis Cell (PPAC) said in a notification. This is the third straight bi-annual reduction in rates for difficult fields. Price was for six months beginning October 1, 2023 slashed 18 per cent to USD 9.96 per mmBtu from USD 12.12 for the April to September 2023 period. Prior

to that, the rate was a record USD 12.46 for October 2022 to March 2023. The government bi-annually fixes prices of the locally-produced natural gas – which is converted into CNG for use in automobiles, piped to household kitchens for cooking and used to generate electricity and make fertilisers. Two different formulas govern rates paid for gas produced from legacy or old fields of national oil companies like Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC) and Oil India Ltd (OIL), and for newer fields lying in difficult-to-tap areas,

such as deepsea. Rates are fixed on April 1 and October 1 each year. In April last year, the formula governing legacy fields was changed and indexed to 10 per cent of the prevailing Brent crude oil price. The rate was, however, capped at USD 6.5 per mmBtu. Rates for legacy fields are now decided on a monthly basis. For April, the price came to USD 8.38 per mmBtu but because of the cap, the producers would get only USD 6.5 per mmBtu, the PPAC said. The price for difficult area gas

continues to be governed by the old formula that takes a one-year average of international LNG prices and rates at some global gas hubs with a lag of one quarter. International prices had fallen in 2023 and so it will translate into lower prices for difficult fields starting October. India is aiming to become a gas-based economy with the share of natural gas in its primary energy mix targeted to rise to 15 per cent by 2030 from the existing level of around 6.3 per cent. PTI ANZ .

Khattar takes jibe at Hooda over remarks on poll contest

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
CHANDIGARH: Former Haryana chief minister Manohar Lal Khattar on Sunday took a jibe at Congress leader Bhupinder Singh Hooda over his remarks that last time both he and his son Deepender lost the Lok Sabha polls as both had entered the poll arena. Khattar said Hooda's worry is that if he enters the contest this time too then his son will lose as he will not get the required support from him. He expressed confidence of the BJP winning all the 10 Lok Sabha seats from the state this time too like in 2019. When asked why he does not want to fight the Lok Sabha polls, Hooda had told reporters here on Friday that his son Deepender will be contesting and the party is deciding on his candidature from Rohtak. When the Congress leader was asked that in 2019 both he and Deepender had contested,

Hooda had said in a lighter vein, "Pichhli baar lade they jabi toh haar gaye dono (last time both of us contested that is why we both lost)." Had he not fought last time, they would not have lost the Rohtak seat, Hooda had said. In the 2019 Lok Sabha polls, Hooda had lost from Sonapat while Deepender had failed to retain his Rohtak seat. Speaking to reporters after addressing the party workers in Karnal's Gharaunda on Sunday, Khattar took a jibe at the Congress' Haryana unit, saying their leaders are still gauging who will fight and who will not. Notably, several BJP leaders, including Khattar and Chief Minister Nayab Singh Saini, have claimed that big Congress leaders were running away from the contest. Khattar then made a mention of Hooda's remarks and said that a statement had come from the Congress leader that

last time both he and his son contested and that is why both lost and this time only one will contest. From this, it is clear that father and son help each other as there is no party support to bank on. We oppose 'parivarvaad', but if they both contest and if the party is working actively behind and also when people's support is there then where is the problem in winning, Khattar said. But, he said, Hooda is worried that if he doesn't support his son then he will lose. Khattar, meanwhile, in response to a question, slammed the opposition INDIA bloc's rally at Delhi's Ramliila Ground on Sunday. He attacked the opposition grouping as its leaders gathered at the Ramliila Ground in a show of unity to galvanise people's support amid investigation agencies' action against several constituents of the INDIA bloc. About the gathering

of the opposition leaders, Khattar said they feel they will get some sympathy and can send a message to the public, but they don't know that people know everything for what they are supporting each other. Referring to Delhi Chief Minister Arvind Kejriwal's arrest in a money laundering case related to the excise policy 'scam', Khattar while targeting the opposition bloc, said, "If they support a person deeply immersed in corruption who has gone to jail for wrongdoing then whatever is left of those who are supporting him they will lose that too". When asked that Karnal MP Sanjay Bhatia's name is doing the rounds for replacing Nayab Singh Saini as Haryana BJP president after the latter became the chief minister, Khattar said this decision is to be taken by the party high command. When asked that some rivals are calling Khattar as "Super

CM", he said such things are baseless and added he shares old relations with Saini. Referring to the change in leadership with Saini replacing him, Khattar said that as dedicated soldiers of the party, we are ready to take up any work. We are here to serve the society, he added. Polling for ten Lok Sabha seats in Haryana will take place on May 25 in the sixth of the seven-phase general elections. The BJP recently replaced Khattar, 69, with OBC leader Saini, 54, as Haryana's chief minister in a swift switch in the state. Saini will be contesting the Karnal assembly seat in the by-polls, days after his predecessor Khattar after resigning from the seat had said from now on the CM will take care of the segment. Khattar is contesting the Lok Sabha polls from Karnal seat. PTI.

Work on to convert sugarcane belts into energy belts: Modi in Meerut

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
MEERUT: Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Sunday said that his government is making efforts to make the sugarcane belts across the country into "energy belts," a reference to the use of ethanol as fuel. Addressing a poll rally here in the sugarcane belt of Uttar Pradesh, Modi said, "Friends, we don't want to limit the sugarcane crop to sugar and jaggery. We want to make every sugarcane belt of the country into an energy belt." The PM said that the amount of ethanol produced from sugarcane has gone up in the last 10 years. "Work is on to manufacture ethanol from sugarcane to be used as fuel for vehicles. Because of this, in the last ten years, around Rs 70,000 crore have been

paid to sugarcane farmers," he said. Modi also hit out at the opposition governments for neglecting the sugarcane farmers and shortchanging former prime minister Chaudhary Charan Singh, a prominent farmer leader. "The INDI Alliance that hates farmers did not give due respect to Chaudhary Charan Singh. When discussions were being held after Chaudhary Charan Singh was awarded Bharat Ratna, the entire country saw what the INDI Alliance did. "When our younger brother Jayant Chaudhary was speaking in the parliament, efforts were made to stop his voice. Efforts were made to insult him," Modi said. Rashtriya Lok Dal president Jayant Chaudhary, who recently joined the National

Democratic Alliance, was also present on the dais where Modi spoke. Jayant is the grandson of Chaudhary Charan Singh. "The Congress and Samajwadi Party should apologise by visiting each farmer at his house for this," Modi said. "Not a single person from here can ever forgive Congress and its aides like Samajwadi Party," he added. Modi said that his government is working along the ideology of Charan Singh, who dedicated his life for the uplifting of farmers. "You must have not forgotten how sugarcane farmers were harassed. Sugar mills were closed and sold at throwaway prices. Modi stopped this fraud," he said. PTI.

Fighting big battle against corrupt, won't be intimidated by attacks: PM hits out at INDIA bloc at Meerut rally

■ **STATE TIMES NEWS**
MEERUT: Alleging that the opposition INDIA bloc wanted to protect the corrupt, Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Sunday asserted that he will not stop his fight against corruption despite their attacks on him and those who looted the country will face action irrespective of their status. "When Modi is fighting the battle against corruption with full strength, these people have formed the INDI alliance. They think they will intimidate Modi, but for me, my Bharat is my family and I am taking steps to protect it from the corrupt," the prime minister said here in his first rally in Uttar Pradesh after the announcement of the Lok Sabha election schedule. Modi's counter-offensive came as the stalwarts of the INDIA bloc parties held a 'Loktantra Bachao' (Save Democracy) rally at the Ramliila Maidan in New Delhi in support of AAP chief Arvind Kejriwal and JMM leader Hemant Soren, arrested on graft charges, and accused the prime minister of running a "dictatorship". The prime minister said some people are rattled because he is taking action against

corruption. "Modi's mantra is 'bhrashtachar hatao' (remove corruption). They say 'bhrashtachari bachao' (save the corrupt). "I am fighting a big battle to save my country from the corrupt. That is why they are behind bars today and not even getting bail from the Supreme Court," Modi said. The prime minister said his government took steps in the last 10 years to ensure that the money meant for the poor is not usurped by the corrupt. "This election is a fight between two camps. On one side you have the NDA committed to eradicating corruption, on the other side is the INDI Alliance focused on protecting corrupt leaders. You have to decide whether corruption should be removed or not," he said at the rally in Meerut. "Corrupt people should listen... no matter how many attacks you make on Modi, this is Modi, he is not going to stop. No matter how big the corrupt person is, action will definitely be taken. The one who has looted the country will have to give it back. This is Modi's guarantee," he said. The INDIA bloc has alleged that the Modi government is misusing agencies to

target its leaders to cripple the opposition before the Lok Sabha polls. Raising the Katchatheevu island issue, Modi accused the Congress and the opposition alliance of trying to harm the country's unity and sovereignty. "Today, yet another anti-India conduct of Congress has been exposed. The island of Katchatheevu, which lies between India and Sri Lanka and is extremely important from the perspective of national security, was given away by Congress after independence. "India is still paying for the misdeeds of the Congress government," he said. The 2024 Lok Sabha election is not just for making a government but to make a 'Viksit Bharat', Modi said, adding his government was preparing the roadmap for the next five years. Modi lauded Meerut as the land of "revolution and revolutionaries" that gave leaders like Chaudhary Charan Singh to the nation. Former prime minister Charan Singh's grandson and Rashtriya Lok Dal president Jayant Chaudhary, who recently joined the BJP-led National Democratic Alliance,

shared the dais with the prime minister at the rally. "This land of Meerut is the land of revolution and revolutionaries. It is blessed by Baba Angad Dham. This land has given great sons like Chaudhary Charan Singh to the country. Our government has the privilege of awarding him Bharat Ratna. I respectfully pay tributes to Chaudhary Sahab," the prime minister said. Modi recalled that he started his election campaign in 2014 and 2019 from Meerut. "Now the first rally of the 2024 elections is being held in Meerut itself," he said. Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath, Haryana CM Naib Singh Saini and veteran actor Arun Govil of TV serial 'Ramayan' fame, who is the BJP candidate in Meerut, were present on dais along with leaders of NDA constituents Apna Dal (S), Nirbal Shoshit Indian Hamara Aam Dal (Nishad) and Suheldev Bharatiya Samaj Party (SBSP) as well as BJP and RLD candidates from Baghpat, Kairana, Muzaffarnagar and Bijnor. Modi greeted everyone with "Ram-Ram" at the start of his speech. Referring to the removal of Article 370

that gave special status to Jammu and Kashmir and the construction of the Ram Temple in Ayodhya, Modi said that many tasks that were considered impossible have been done by his government in the last 10 years. "People used to consider it impossible for a grand temple of Ram Lalla to be constructed in Ayodhya. But today, Ram temple has been made and lakhs of people are also going there." "You all saw that Kanha and Radha, like always, played Holi in Braj, this time Ram Lalla also played Holi in Avadh," Modi said. "It was also considered impossible to implement one rank one pension. But, we implemented it. A stringent law against triple talaq was also considered impossible but today a law has been made against it." "Reservation for women in Lok Sabha and legislative assemblies was considered impossible. But, Nari Shakti Vandan Yojna has become a reality today." "Removal of Article 370 was once considered impossible. But Article 370 has been removed and development is also being done. This is why people today are blessing BJP with 370

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