

Sen. Ron Johnson says US must let Israel 'destroy' Hamas, keep Palestinian children 'bottled up' in Gaza



The International Press : Senator Ron Johnson blasted President Joe Biden's plan to accept Palestinian refugees amidst the ongoing Israel-Hamas war. Why would you add to that clear and present danger by bringing in Palestinians, who, let's face it, they view us as infidels. They not only hate Jews, they hate us," Johnson remarked. Earlier this week, 34 senators in a letter to White House demanded that the government stop making plans to accept refugees from Gaza unless they addressed their concerns and directed their attention on achieving the release of American hostages held by Hamas. "We must ensure Gazans with terrorist ties or sympathies are denied admission into the United States – no easy feat, given the fact that the Gazans were the ones who voted Hamas into power in 2006," the Senators wrote. Israel's war against Hamas has killed nearly 35,000 Palestinians, including women and children, as per the health ministry. The Wisconsin Senator was among the 34 Senate Republicans who raised their voice against the Biden administration's potential strategy to allow Palestinians residing in the US bring their family members over as refugees. They called

the plan a "national security risk." Speaking with Fox News host Kayleigh McEnany on Friday, he stressed Palestinian children should not be granted asylum in the United States, adding that they are "indoctrinated to hate" and must be "bottled up" in Gaza. Reflecting on the pro-Palestine protests that have rocked US college campuses, Johnson said: "Kayleigh, there's a reason that the Arab nations have not accepted Palestinian refugees for decades. Had they done that, we wouldn't have this problem today." "But they don't do it because, it's awful the way young children in Palestine are indoctrinated to hate not only Jews, but all infidels," he continued. The Senator further called them "dangerous people" and said this is the reason why "they try and keep them bottled up in Gaza and the West Bank, and, so, this continues to spill over into these horrific incidences." Emphasising the need to keep Palestinians "bottled up", he said: "We need to let Israel destroy Hamas and then try and live in peace with Palestinians who are willing to do so." Earlier, Johnson had said that "military-age men" from the rival nations were already being allowed in the country via the southern border of the United States.



Powerful voices of amazing women leaders resonated at the United Nations Headquarters

The International Press : May 3, 2024, marked a momentous occasion as the powerful voices of women representatives resonated within the hallowed halls of the United Nations Headquarters. Elected women representatives (EWRs) from India's Panchayati Raj Institutions took centre-stage at the CPD57 Side Event titled "Localizing the SDGs: Women in Local Governance in India Lead the Way", captivating the audience with their inspiring stories and transformative initiatives. Three iconic women Panchayat leaders – Smt. Supriya Das Datta, Smt. Kunuku Hema Kumari and Smt. Neeru Yadav – inspired with their ground-breaking work empowering women and girls through initiatives ranging from combating child marriage, promoting education, financial inclusion, livelihood opportunities, environmental sustainability, and sports. Their stories exemplified the tenacity and impact of women's leadership in realizing the SDGs. The Permanent Mission of India to the United Nations and the Ministry of Panchayati Raj jointly organized the Side Event in collaboration with the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) on 3rd May, 2024 at the UN Headquarters Secretariat Building in New York. The Side Event was organized as a part of the fifty-seventh session of the United Nations Commission on Population and Development (CPD57). Ambassador Ruchira Kamboj set the tone for the event, highlighting India's unique Panchayati Raj system as a beacon of decentralized power and direct democracy. Ambassador Ruchira Kamboj set the context by highlighting India's unique system of decentralized rural local self-government through Panchayati Raj as a sterling example of direct democracy that facilitates active people's participation. With more than 1.4 million Elected Women Representatives (EWRs), India's journey with Panchayati Raj system is a narrative of empowerment, inclusion and progress particularly highlighting the strides made in women's leadership. Ambassador Kamboj emphasized the meticulous alignment of local planning processes with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), with a special

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focus on addressing women's issues. Shri Vivek Bharadwaj, Secretary, Ministry of Panchayati Raj, while shedding light on the robust democratic system in India and rich and old tradition of rural local self-government making India as 'mother of democracy', emphasized India's commitment to empowering women in local governance, with over 46% of elected representatives being women; and how Gram Panchayats are localizing the SDGs through thematic annual plans backed by resources and technological interventions like geo-tagging, Audit Online for transparency and initiatives like Panchayat Development Index to assess the overall holistic development, performance and progress of Panchayats. Empowering women at the grassroots level is pivotal for the advancement, vibrancy, and deepening of democracy and accelerating progress on the SDGs, added Shri Bharadwaj. He highlighted the innovative approaches taken by Panchayati Raj Institutions in leveraging technology for development and policy interventions to ensure economic empowerment, citing examples like "Drone Didi" and "Lakhpadi Didi" initiatives of the Central Government. The event featured impactful interactive presentations by three iconic women Elected Representatives namely Smt. Supriya Das Datta from Tripura, Smt. Kunuku Hema Kumari from Andhra Pradesh, and Smt. Neeru Yadav from Rajasthan, who shared their experiences and innovations in local governance and advancing the Localization of SDGs in many thematic areas. From combating child marriages to promoting health, education, livelihood opportunities, and environmental sustainability, these women exemplified the transformative power of grassroots leadership. They articulated the challenges and struggles they faced and overcome in their journey of leadership. Smt. Supriya Das Datta highlighted initiatives aimed at empowering women and girls, including the construction of separate restrooms in government offices and the exponential growth of Self-Help Groups (SHGs) from 600 to almost 6,000 under her leadership. She underscored the importance of initiatives aimed at amplifying women's voices and ensuring that their issues are not only heard but also acted upon, highlighting the impactful initiative – "Your Story Must Be Told". Smt. Kunuku Hema Kumari emphasized the importance of creating an enabling environment for women through access to health, education, and financial resources, driving towards financial independence and higher education.

Smt. Neeru Yadav showcased initiatives promoting environmental sustainability, including the Swachh Bharat Abhiyan and efforts to curb plastic usage, demonstrating the critical role of women in building a cleaner and greener future. She mentioned her efforts and successes in inculcating sporting spirit among the girls and nurturing leadership in them. The event witnessed keynote speakers including Deputy Permanent Representative of Norway to the United Nations Ambassador Mr. Andreas Lovold, and representatives from UNFPA, including Mr. Pio Smith, UNFPA Asia Pacific Regional Director, Ms. Diene Keita, Deputy Executive Director (Programme), UNFPA and Ms. Andrea M. Wojnar, UNFPA India Representative, who commended India's efforts in advancing gender equality and localizing the SDGs. The Deputy Permanent Representative of Norway to the United Nations Ambassador Mr. Andreas Lovold highlighted the importance of women's leadership in local governance as a catalyst for development, particularly in economic development. He emphasized Norway's experience with women's leadership in local governing bodies and the positive impact and results it has yielded. Also, he praised India's women-led development as an inspiration to the global community. UNFPA Regional Director Mr. Pio Smith commended India's robust progress in reducing inequalities through transformative women's leadership at all levels. Noting this is both a moral imperative and strategic necessity, he emphasized UNFPA's role in promoting gender-sensitive policies and capacity building of women leaders. Ms. Andrea M. Wojnar, UNFPA India Representative highlighted that India's success is crucial for the world's success in achieving the SDGs, stating that if India succeeds, then the world succeeds in achieving the SDGs. She also commended the brochure on the Panchayat Development Index brought out by the Ministry of Panchayati Raj, Shri Alok Prem Nagar, Joint secretary, Ministry of Panchayati Raj underlined that the fervor, zeal, and commitment of elected women representatives of Panchayats serve as a beacon, inspiring and influencing others to speed up action on the SDGs. The CPD57 Side Event underlined the invaluable contributions of women in local governance towards achieving the SDGs. It sparked a global demand for exporting India's Panchayati Raj model as an effective system of local governance, inviting interested foreign delegations to witness the brilliance and innovation of India's Panchayati Raj system and Panchayati Raj Institutions firsthand. The CPD57 Side Event created global demand to learn from and institutionalize the successful Panchayati Raj model of local governance led by women. As Ambassador Kamboj stated, this system has revolutionized development with women at the forefront across health, education, sanitation and livelihoods in India.

Men arrested in Hardeep Nijjar's killing may be members of Lawrence Bishnoi gang, claims Canadian media



The International Press : The Canadian police on Friday arrested three Indian men linked to the killing of pro-Khalistani leader Hardeep Singh Nijjar, who was gunned down last year in June. Canadian news site CBC News said in its report that the three men are likely linked to the crime syndicate of gangster Lawrence Bishnoi, who is currently imprisoned in India. Hardeep Singh Nijjar, who was designated a terrorist by the NIA in 2020, was shot dead by armed men as he came out of a Gurdwara in Surrey, British Columbia on June 18, 2023. The attack was described as "highly coordinated" and involved six men and two vehicles. In its report, the CBC claimed that the "arrested men could be part of an alleged hit squad tasked by the government of India." However, this charge has been repeatedly denied by the Indian government. The arrested men - Karan Brar, Kamalpreet Singh and Karanpreet Singh - reportedly arrived in Canada on a temporary visa in 2021. The media report further claimed that the arrested men are said to be alleged associates of gangster Lawrence Bishnoi. Notably, the National Investigation Agency (NIA) in India previously established links between Lawrence Bishnoi's gang and pro-Khalistani groups that operate on foreign soil. Bishnoi is also accused of plotting the killing of popular singer Sidhu Moose Wala in May 2022. This further points to the possibility that the killing of Hardeep Singh Nijjar can be the result of inter-gang rivalry between Khalistani outfits and the Lawrence Bishnoi gang. The three arrested in the case face one

count of first degree murder and a count of conspiracy to commit murder. The media report said that Canadian police are investigating the links between the alleged shooters and three additional killings in Canada. The CBC reported that all three arrested in the case are in their 20s, and are Indian citizens who have been residing in Edmonton. The three were identified by Canadian authorities months ago and were being closely monitored. Canadian media reports suggest that investigative agencies are exploring the involvement of the Indian government in Nijjar's killing. In September 2023, External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar had said that the Indian government had told Canada that it was not Government of India policy to engage in such acts like the killing of Hardeep Nijjar.

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The International Press : Taiwan's defence ministry said Friday it had detected 26 Chinese aircraft and five naval vessels around the self-ruled island in the previous 24 hours. The sorties come weeks before the May 20 inauguration of new Taiwan president Lai Ching-te, who China regards as a dangerous separatist. A statement from the defence ministry said 17 of the aircraft "crossed the median line and entered Taiwan's northern and central ADIZ (air defence identification zone).

What is a blue-corner notice CBI is likely to issue against Prajwal Revanna?



The International Press : In the sex scandal involving Hassan MP Prajwal Revanna, the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) may issue a blue corner notice, Karnataka chief minister Siddaramaiah said on Saturday attributing the information to the SIT team. The Special Investigation Team has sent a request to the CBI seeking a blue corner notice against Prajwal Revanna. Once it is issued, the SIT hopes to get information about Prajwal's whereabouts, news agency PTI reported. Prajwal left India before the government ordered an SIT probe and went to Germany after his constituency went to the polls on April 26. It was reported that from Germany, he went to Dubai. The ministry of external affairs said no political clearance was sought for Prajwal's Germany visit and he went there using his diplomatic passport requiring no visa. Siddaramaiah wrote to Prime Minister Narendra Modi seeking cancellation of Prajwal's diplomatic visa. CBI is the nodal body for Interpol matters in India. There are seven types of notices used by Interpol: Red, yellow, blue, black, green, orange and purple. A blue corner notice is used to share information globally about wanted individuals or crimes. Red notices are issued for fugitives wanted either for prosecution or to serve a sentence. A yellow notice is a global police alert for a missing person. The Karnataka government so far issued two lookout notices against Prajwal Revanna accused of a major sex scandal which in the past week snowballed into a major political controversy. Several videos surfaced in which women have been assaulted, raped and filmed by Prajwal. A former housewife of the family filed an FIR against Prajwal and his father HD Revanna for sexually assaulting her. While the Karnataka government charged Prajwal with rape, his father has been accused of kidnapping after a 20-year-old man complained to the police that his mother – who was there in one of the many videos – was kidnapped by HD Revanna's aide.

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Editorial

GoC-in-C, Western Command Lt Gen MK Katiyar releases its Special Postal Cover

The Army Dental Centre of Research & Referral (ADC R&R) celebrated 25 years of establishment on 01 May 2024. General Officer Commanding in Chief, Western Command Lieutenant General MK Katiyar visited the Dental Centre on the occasion and released a Special Postal Cover. Director General Dental Services Lt. Gen Vineet Sharma, and former Commandants of the Centre were also present during the ceremony. Brigadier SS Chopra, Commandant ADC R&R apprised all the achievements and initiatives of ADC R&R to becoming a leading institution in dental education, research, and patient care. The ADC R&R is the largest dental establishment of Armed Forces providing post graduate training in five specialties of dentistry, namely Oral and maxillofacial surgery, Prosthodontics and crown & bridge, Periodontics and oral implantology, Conservative dentistry and endodontics, Orthodontics and dentofacial orthopaedics. The dentists of the facility have achieved great feats in dentistry by performing various specialist procedures like Cranioplasty; a surgical procedure that involves repairing or replacing a bone flap in the skull, often performed to correct defects in the skull caused by trauma, previous surgeries, or congenital abnormalities, TMJ arthroscopy; a minimally invasive procedure used to diagnose and treat issues with the temporomandibular joint (TMJ), which connects jaw to skull, and other complex surgeries. It has also pioneered use of Nitrous Oxide-Oxygen

minimal sedation for anxiety and analgesia during minor oral surgical & rehabilitative treatment in all age groups in Armed Forces. This is the only centre in the Armed Forces using intraoral scanners for fabrication of Computer Aided Designing (CAD), Computer Aided Manufacturing (CAM) Prosthesis. Patient Specific implants for rehabilitation of maxillofacial defects are routinely used here. This institution's library is RFID enabled with a large digital access of journals and books. 'The Major General RN Dogra memorial oration' that is delivered by the stalwarts of dentistry every year to commemorate the raising day of this prestigious institute was delivered by Major General GK Thapliyal, (Retd), Vice Chancellor, Swami Vivekanand Subharti University, Meerut, on "India that is Bharat". GOC-in-C, Western Command interacted with all ranks and lauded the yeoman service provided by the dental centre. He urged all ranks to continue delivering the state-of-the-art elite care to the soldiers, their families and veterans and exhorted everyone to continue working with the same professional zeal. He commended the staff of ADC R&R for constant improvements in the patient care facilities.



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development, execution of suggestions from previous interaction meets, and future plans aligned with the targets set by the Government of India. A group of people sitting at a table automatically generated a person speaking into a microphone in front of a group of people automatically generated the meet highlighted notable financial achievements, with IREDA's Tier-1 Capital reaching Rs. 8,265.20 crores as of March 31, 2024. This substantial capital base enables larger exposure in project financing, with the company capable of financing up to Rs. 2,480 crores to a single borrower and Rs. 4,133 crores to a group of borrowers. IREDA's net worth has witnessed significant growth from Rs. 2,995 crores in FY 2020-21 to Rs. 8,559

crores in FY 2023-24, demonstrating its financial strength and stability. Borrowers congratulated IREDA for its streamlined loan sanction process and faceless transactions, underscoring the agency's commitment to facilitating Ease of Doing Business. Stakeholders also commended IREDA for achieving "Navratna" status recently and for being the first NBFC to publish audited financial results in a period of just 19 days. Addressing the stakeholders, Chairperson & Managing Director of IREDA, Shri Pradip Kumar Das underscored the importance of facilitating Ease of Doing Business and optimizing IT Infrastructure. The CMD reaffirmed IREDA's commitment to sustainable corporate governance, transparency, and accountability. He emphasized the company's

dedication to tailoring financial products to sector requirements and its readiness to introduce new products based on partners' feedback. Aligning with the vision outlined at COP26 by the Govt. of India, IREDA aims to play a pivotal role in achieving the ambitious target of 500 GW of installed electricity capacity from non-fossil sources by 2030, he said. The meet had an interactive session where stakeholders got to engage directly with the CMD and team. Director (Finance), Dr. Bijay Kumar Mohanty and other senior officials of IREDA also attended the interaction. One of the most memorable parts of the event was the Hasya Kavi Sammelan, where renowned poet and satirist Shri Surender Sharma, along with Shri Ved Prakash Ved, Smt. Manisha Shukla, and Shri Govind Rathi, delivered moments of joy and laughter to the audience.

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Kolkata, with seven ships to be constructed by Lead Shipyard M/s GSL and four ships by Follow Shipyard M/s GRSE. The NGOPVs will be utilised for performing missions such as Anti-Piracy, Coastal Defence & Surveillance, Search & Rescue and Protection of Offshore Assets. These ships will enable Indian Navy to maintain its combat capability to protect the economic and geopolitical interests of the nation in the Indian Ocean Region. This is yet another significant milestone in Indian Navy's pursuit towards indigenous shipbuilding and is in consonance with 'Aatmanirbhar Bharat' and 'Make in India' initiatives of the nation.

On ECI's invitation, 75 International visitors from EMBs of 23 countries arrive to watch the world's largest elections unfold



The International Press : As a beacon of electoral integrity and transparency, the Election Commission of India exemplifies its commitment to conduct general elections of the highest standards, offering a golden bridge for global Election Management Bodies (EMBs) to witness democratic excellence first-

hand. The Election Commission of India continues fostering international cooperation by organising the Election Visitors' Programme (IEVP) during the ongoing Lok Sabha Elections 2024. The event will be a first in terms of the scale and magnitude of participation. 75 delegates representing

various EMBs and organisations from 23 countries namely - Bhutan, Mongolia, Australia, Madagascar, Fiji, Kyrgyz Republic, Russia, Moldova, Tunisia, Seychelles, Cambodia, Nepal, Philippines, Sri Lanka, Zimbabwe, Bangladesh, Kazakhstan, Georgia, Chile, Uzbekistan,

Maldives, Papua New Guinea and Namibia will take part in the event. Members from the International Foundation for Electoral Systems (IFES), and media teams from Bhutan and Israel will also participate. Beginning on the 4th of May, the program seeks to familiarise foreign Election Management Bodies (EMBs) with the nuances of India's electoral system as well as the best practices used by the largest democracy in the world. Chief Election Commissioner Shri Rajiv Kumar, Election Commissioner Shri Gyanesh Kumar and Dr. Sukhbir Singh Sandhu will address the delegates on the 5th of May 2024. Thereafter, the delegates will embark on visits to six states—Maharashtra, Goa, Gujarat, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh, and Uttar Pradesh—in small groups to observe polls and related preparedness in various constituencies. The programme will end on the 9th of May, 2024.

No Bailouts for Campus': Will Joe Biden block anti-Israel protesters from getting student loan forgiveness?

The International Press : As anti-Israel protesters across US campuses promise to continue despite the crackdown, Senator Tom Cotton (R-Ark.) has introduced a legislation to prohibit anyone convicted of a state or federal crime related to a school protest from receiving any federal student loan relief. One of the bill's co-sponsors, Sen. Marsha Blackburn (R-Tenn.), stated in a statement that those who sympathise with Hamas and indulges in criminal behavior on college campuses "should be ineligible for student loan bailouts." She stressed that there is a need to hold these criminals accountable and make sure

taxpayers money isn't used to settle their debt. The legislation is being led in the House of Representatives by Representative Brandon Williams (R-NY), who said it is "absurd" that the violent protesters on campuses want respect, amnesty, and food. "Our bicameral bill ensures that not one student protestor convicted of criminal offenses is bailed out by student loan forgiveness. Not one dime of taxpayer money will fund these criminals," he said in a statement. In a statement, Arkansas Republican said: "Americans who never went to college or responsibly paid off

their debts shouldn't have to pay off other people's student loans." "They especially shouldn't have to pay off the loans of Hamas sympathisers shutting down and defacing campuses," he continued. Earlier in a post on X, Cotton shared a video of a girl who was taken into custody from the campus. "The little Gazas on college campuses are cesspools of anti-Semitism and have no place in America. Their presence is solely due to the inaction of left wing administrators and politicians," he wrote, along with a clip of his interview with Fox News.

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island. Her deputy, Vice President Lai, won the island's January presidential election despite warnings from Beijing that he would cause "war and decline" for Taiwan. The latest sorties come a day after Manila summoned a senior Chinese envoy to protest against a water cannon incident that damaged two Philippine vessels during a patrol in the South China Sea. A coast guard vessel and another government boat were damaged in the April 30 incident near the disputed Scarborough Shoal, according to the Philippines' foreign ministry. Manila and Beijing have a long history of territorial disputes in the South China Sea, and the neighbours have been involved in several maritime incidents in recent months as they assert their rival claims in the strategic waterway. The row comes as the United States and the Philippines conduct joint military exercises, including near the potential flashpoints of the South China Sea and the Taiwan Strait. The joint drills involve a simulation of retaking enemy-occupied islands in areas facing Taiwan.

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Aamir Khan says he was completely naked while shooting for PK's radio scene

Aamir Khan recently recalled how he struggled to give the perfect shot during the opening scene in PK. The film also starred Anushka Sharma. Aamir Khan is always candid when it comes to speaking about his professional experiences.



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commitment to remove the ENT/LMT requirement in line with the UK-Australia Free Trade Agreement was reiterated, alongside discussions focusing on facilitating the mobility of healthcare workers between the two nations, promoting tele-medicines. Overall, the JCM reaffirmed the commitment of both India and Australia to foster a robust and mutually beneficial economic relationship, paving the way for enhanced cooperation and prosperity for both nations. Discussions were also held at the chief negotiators level between Additional Secretary Shri Rajesh Aggarwal from DoC and Assistant Secretary Shri Ravi Kewalram from DFAT under India-Australia CECA negotiations to review the progress made after nine rounds and the way forward for its completion with a view to reaching at a balanced outcome, building on the achievements of Ind-Aus ECTA, keeping in mind the sensitivities on both the sides. It also explored areas of effective co-operation in various sectors, going beyond the traditional approach to FTAs for a deeper integration of the economies.

An Indian delegation led by Commerce Secretary Shri Sunil Barthwal had a very constructive and productive discussions on various trade and prospective investment related issues with the Australian delegation led by Deputy Secretary Shri George Mina from the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT) in Canberra as well as the businesses in Sydney and Melbourne for deepening the existing economic relations between the two democracies, taking advantage of the trade complementarities and expertise and unexplored potential both economies have.

Meeting also touched upon the WTO issues wherein both the sides appreciated the Commerce Secretary made it ample clear on the importance of support of Australia for early resolution of the long pending issue of permanent solution to public stock holding (PSH). Australia sought support of India for the plurilateral arrangement for domestic support for services. Both the sides agreed to discuss these matters interessionally, if required. Meetings with the businesses and business associations including Australia India Business Council and Chambers of Commerce in Sydney and Melbourne as well as CII explored areas of mutual interest. It was evident that given the existing potential, businesses are eager to work together including capacity building and vocational training, hiring of skilled professional and caretakes such as healthcare workers, nurses etc, through skill gap mapping exercise, need for mutual recognition of standards, collaboration on critical minerals, digital connectivity including cross border payment system, finance, education, Agri, dairy & food processing, transport and storage, sports, pharmaceuticals, silicon wafers, space, medical equipments and so on and so forth.

In the first Joint Committee Meeting (JCM) under India-Australia Economic Co-operation and Trade Agreement (Ind-Aus ECTA), both the sides while acknowledging the smooth implementation of the ECTA, briefly elaborated on ECTA implementation issues including MRAs on organic products, market access issues related to products like okra, pomegranate, grapes, cottage cheese, macadamia nuts, lentils and avocado, TRQ administration, pharmaceutical pricing control in Australia particularly on Generics, progress made by the working group on Whisky and Wine aiming to address regulatory challenges and promote trade of these products, outcomes of the ECTA sub-committee meetings and need for their regular meetings for timely resolution, areas of mutual interest including coastal tourism, critical mineral and collaboration for establishing Disease-Free Zones for shrimps and prawns in India. JCM also adopted the Rules of Procedure for the Joint Committee and established an institutional mechanism, first of its kind for FTAs, for regular exchange of preferential import data on monthly basis. It also briefly deliberated on integrated approach for the forthcoming CEO forum event for promoting investments, in particular on Start-ups.

Overall, these meetings revealed the extreme eagerness of the businesses and governments of both the sides to work hard and bring new synergy to take the strategic partnership to a new level, bringing in significant benefit to businesses and citizens.

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Tata Memorial Centre Publishes first-of-its-kind Study on the Economic Loss due to Premature Death from Oral Cancer in India

The International Press : According to the World Health Organization (WHO), cancer is the second leading cause of death globally, with approximately 70% occurring in Low- and Middle-Income Countries (LMIC). India's cancer scenario is burdened with oral cavity cancer being the most common among men. In fact, India accounts for almost a third of the global incidence and mortality related to oral cancer. While significant advances have been made in diagnosing and managing oral cancers, the increasing treatment costs have created a financial strain on healthcare providers and patients alike. The direct and indirect expenditures not only affect individuals but also their families and supporters, pushing the economically disadvantaged further into a debt-cycle and poverty. Moreover, these cancers are becoming increasingly common among the younger age groups, in contrast to the western world, which can put a significant strain on the productivity of the economy. Tata Memorial Centre's efforts can now provide in-depth information on the productivity loss resulting from premature mortality of oral cancer that can assist policy makers in planning disbursements more effectively. In a country where the affordability gap is wide, these results are important to deliver a disease-driven, objective strategy for oral cancer care. To tackle these issues, Dr. Pankaj Chaturvedi, Director, ACTREC, and his team set out to conduct research that determine the economic loss due to premature mortality related to oral cancer in India based on a long follow up. This is the first such study in India and among a handful globally, whose estimates were calculated utilizing real time patient data that was collected prospectively for up to 3 years. This enormous data collection has resulted in determining the total lost productivity due to premature mortality related to oral cancer, i.e., per patient loss to society due to non-participation directly attributable to oral cancer.

Dr Arjun Singh, Assistant Professor at Tata Memorial Hospital and the lead author of the study said that the 671 years were lost to early (29.8%) and advanced cancers (70.2%). Considering the retirement age in India being 62 years, 91% of the deaths or incurable recurrence of caners were in the premature age groups, with a median age of 41.5 years. Both early (70%) and advanced (86%) stage cancers, were from a middle-class socioeconomic status, with 53% requiring some form of insurance schemes or financial support in order to complete treatment. The productivity lost due to premature mortality was calculated using a method known as human capital approach. In most economic studies, assumptions are considered for market wages and other indicators during calculations. This is one of the few studies where individual patient data (including market and non-market contribution, socioeconomic status, education level, etc.) was gathered prospectively and over a long time period. Their results were in line with the national labor force participation (48%) and unemployment rates (7%) as reported by the National Sample Survey Office (NSSO), India. Productivity lost due to premature mortality among females and males was 57,22,803 INR and 71,83,917 INR, respectively per death. The loss of productivity to society was 31,29,092 INR/per early-stage and 71,72,566 INR/per advanced-stage cancer. Based on the death rates in the population, these results show that the total cost of lost productivity due to premature oral cancer mortality in India in 2022 was \$5.6 billion, representing 0.18% of the combined gross domestic product. These results underestimate the impact of variability in treatments and its access that exists across the country. While population data has been derived from an internationally validated registry, the GLOBOCAN, the true burden might be much more as the population coverage in low- and middle-income countries is estimated to represent less than ten percent of the actual population. Due to the younger age of initiation of tobacco and areca nut usage in India, oral cancers tends to develop in younger individuals as well. This leads to devastating consequences for individuals, families, society and the economy. Tailored prevention policies that target this young age group are needed to be implemented.

Screening and early detection strategies among high-risk groups need to be prioritized. Such programs have been difficult to implement in many countries due to a lack of infrastructure and resources, including the availability of treatment for those identified with any suspicious lesions. These differences in access to treatment result in productivity losses. Dr Sudeep Gupta, Director, Tata Memorial Centre said "As per the latest GLOBOCAN statistics, the proportion of deaths from oral cancer were 55% of the oral cancers diagnosed, making it a real public health crisis. The gross lack of awareness, fear, and misconceptions surrounding oral cancer lead to a large number of cases being diagnosed at a late-stage, contributing to the high mortality rates. Even those who receive timely treatment in these advanced stages often face complex surgeries and reduced quality of life, impacting their ability to contribute to society." With oral cancer being the most common cancer among males in the country, accounting for one-third of the global burden, the impact on individuals, families, and the economy is staggering. Dr R. A. Badve, senior author and Ex-Director, Tata Memorial Centre, added that "Very few studies have focused on productivity losses of cancer in low resource settings and in particular in India to understand the broader economic impact. In order to inform policy-makers decisions around resource allocation we undertook at study and extrapolation to estimate the overall economic costs of oral cancer in India due to premature mortality."

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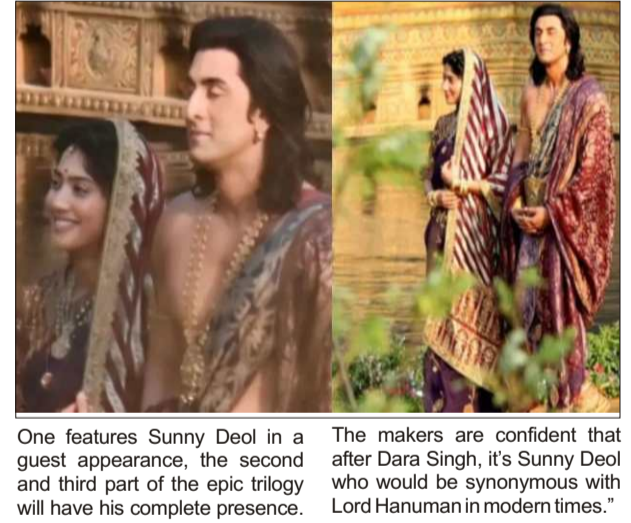
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The International Press : The first pictures of Ranbir Kapoor and Sai Pallavi as Lord Ram and Sita have been leaked. The actors, dressed as Hindu Gods, were seen during a shooting sequence for Nitesh Tiwari's upcoming directorial, Ramayana. Ranbir Kapoor and Sai Pallavi had been shooting for the epic for a while now and this is the first time the looks have been revealed. Ranbir Kapoor's look as Lord Ram LEAKED online and fans aren't all that impressed. Naturally once the pictures went viral, there were many on social media who shared their two cents on the actors' portrayal of Hindu gods. Reacting to the leaked pictures of the movie, an X user said, "Got a feeling that this film is gonna make Adipurush look like Shawshank Redemption in comparison."

Another user felt disheartened with the filmmaker Nitesh Tiwari's choice of Sita saying, "Sai Pallavi is the worst choice for the role of Ma Sita." Many commented on Ranbir's acting 'range' on how the renowned star, however, one user jumped in to say that the casting is 'divine'. Ranbir Kapoor's look as Lord Ram LEAKED online and fans aren't all that impressed. "They matched the level of perfection of AI posters. The chemistry between Ranbir & Sai Pallavi is extremely good. Ranbir is truly into the role of ShreeRam Devine's presence & Sai looks gorgeous leaks creating enough buzz. This casting for the epic Ramayana truly pleasure for the eyes," one user said. "Greatest Bollywood film in the making. #Ramayana," another user said. Resounding a similar emotion,

a user said, "One picture leaked, and the whole Twitter burnt like Lanka Dahan." "I'm 100% sure this movie will create a Tsunami at the box office," another added. Ranbir Kapoor's look as Lord Ram LEAKED online and fans aren't all that impressed. One user shared that South Indian star, Ram Charan, might have been a better fit for the role. "Maybe it's just me, but Ram Charan probably would have been a better choice for Ramayana in this modern storytelling. His Shri Ram looks and actions in RRR were already impressive and praised by everybody," a user said. According to a PinkVilla report, the actors had to undergo several look tests, tech rehearsals, and pre-visualizations for nearly two months. The VFX-heavy movie will likely be released on a Diwali weekend next year.

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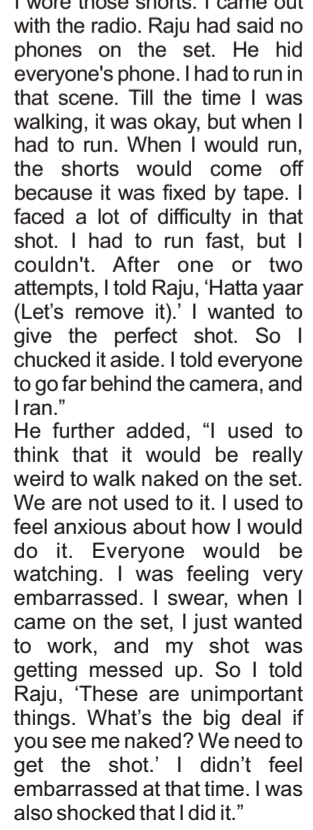
deliver the character in any way possible. The movie shows Tapsee as a housewife who married into a higher-middle-class family. All was going well until one day her husband took his frustration out on her. Tapsee was left speechless when she realized that she had nothing to do with her husband not getting promoted. The slap ignites a fire within her character, and she is not someone who will back down or let go of this incident. Synopsis: Thappad is the story of Amrita, whose seemingly perfect life is shattered when her husband slaps her once at a party. But is one slap enough to question what a relationship stands for?

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Lastly, adding another successful hit to her list of movies, Taapsee took part in a movie that addressed Islamophobia in India. In the movie, the actress plays a Hindu lawyer who defends her client, who is not just a Muslim but also her father-in-law. Rish Kapoor, as her father-in-law, gave an outstanding performance and pointed out a serious topic throughout the movie. Synopsis: One family member tries to help her family, who are trapped in a dark controversy.

Aamir Khan says he was completely naked while shooting for PK's radio scene

I wore those shorts. I came out with the radio. Raju had said no phones on the set. He hid everyone's phone. I had to run in that scene. Till the time I was walking, it was okay, but when I had to run. When I would run, the shorts would come off because it was fixed by tape. I faced a lot of difficulty in that shot. I had to run fast, but I couldn't. After one or two attempts, I told Raju, "Hatta yaar (Let's remove it)." I wanted to give the perfect shot. So I chucked it aside. I told everyone to go far behind the camera, and I ran." He further added, "I used to think that it would be really weird to walk naked on the set. We are not used to it. I used to feel anxious about how I would do it. Everyone would be watching. I was feeling very embarrassed. I swear, when I came on the set, I just wanted to work, and my shot was getting messed up. So I told Raju, "These are unimportant things. What's the big deal if you see me naked? We need to get the shot." I didn't feel embarrassed at that time. I was also shocked that I did it."



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Kohli slams strike-rate talk and pundits 'from the box'

The International Press : India's Virat Kohli on Sunday hit back at critics taking aim at his hitting prowess in T20 cricket after he slammed a match-winning unbeaten 70 off 44 balls in the Indian Premier League. The in-form Kohli set up Royal Challengers Bengaluru's chase of 201 before his younger partner Will Jacks blew away Gujarat Titans with his 41-ball 100 in Ahmedabad. Kohli, who has now passed 500 runs in this edition, and England batsman Jaks put on an unbeaten stand of 166 to see Bengaluru home by nine wickets with four overs to spare. But despite Kohli's flowing form ahead of the T20 World Cup in June, pundits have raised concerns over his strike-rate as compared to a new breed of T20 batters, who deal in sixes. "All the people who talk about strike rates and me not playing spin well are the ones talking about this stuff," Kohli said in response to looking at



his season stats. "For me, it's about winning the games for the team and there's a reason why you've done it for 15 years. You've done this day in and day out, you've won games for your teams, I'm not quite sure that if you haven't been in that situation yourself, to sit and talk about the game from the box." Called "King Kohli" for his prolific run-scoring, the star batter has a strike rate of 147.49 in 10

IPL innings. In contrast, Australia's up and coming batter in Jake Fraser-McGurk has made 247 runs at a strike-rate of 237.50 for Delhi Capitals. Kohli's 51 in the previous match came in 43 balls, a contrast to teammate Rajat Patidar's 20-ball 50 and former India quick RP Singh said the veteran batter was "slow". "For me, people can talk about their assumptions day in

and day out, but those who have done it day in and day out, they know what's happening and it's a kind of muscle memory for me now," said the 35-year-old Kohli. Kohli struck the first century -- his eighth in the IPL -- of this edition earlier this month in 67 balls but the knock ended in a losing cause after Rajasthan Royals Jos Buttler hit 100 in 58

balls. "I don't want to be over-aggressive, want to keep the bowler guessing. They want me to go hard and get me out," Kohli said after the knock on April 6. "It's just experience and maturity. I play the conditions and have the game ready." Bengaluru, who remain bottom of the 10-team table with just three wins in 10 matches, and Kohli still await their first IPL title.

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"Cruzeiro's credibility was restored, attracting important partners and sponsors, with contracts that set record figures for the club." Ronaldo, who won the World Cup with Brazil in 1994 and 2002, will continue to serve as a member of Cruzeiro's board of directors upon approval of the deal by Brazil's Administrative Council for Economic Defense, the club added. Ronaldo made his professional debut with Cruzeiro as a 16-year-old in 1993 before going on to become one of the best strikers in world football. "A mix of feelings hit me today, but above all, the feeling of fulfillment," he told a news conference. "It's impossible not to remember when I took on the great challenge of buying Cruzeiro. "We've faced many challenges, the majority of which we've overcome. We've stumbled along the way, but today I can say that I'm handing Cruzeiro over with a sense of having done my duty, given that the club's situation was very precarious." Ronaldo now looks set to sell his 51% stake in Spanish second-tier side Real Valladolid. "Valladolid is next," he told reporters

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The International Press : Pakistan have named new head coaches for their men's white-ball and red-ball teams. Gary Kirsten, the head coach of the Indian team that won the ICC Men's Cricket World Cup in 2011, will assume the role of white-ball head coach of Pakistan heading into the upcoming T20 World Cup, the PCB announced in their press conference on Sunday. Former Australian fast bowler Jason Gillespie has been roped in as the head coach for Tests. Azhar Mahmood, who recently acted as the head coach during the T20I series against New Zealand, will continue to be a part of the setup as an all-format assistant coach. All three appointments have been made for a two-year period, the PCB confirmed in their press release. Gary Kirsten, currently fulfilling duties as the batting coach and mentor for the Gujarat Titans in the Indian Premier League (IPL), is set to join the Pakistan team following the completion of the tournament. His first big test will be the ICC Men's T20 World Cup 2024 in the USA and West Indies after which he is expected to be in charge of the team heading into ICC Champions Trophy 2025 in Pakistan, T20 Asia Cup 2025 and the ICC Men's T20 World Cup 2026 in India and Sri Lanka. Speaking on his appointment, Gary Kirsten said: "It's a tremendous honour to be entrusted with the responsibility of coaching the Pakistan men's national team in white-ball cricket and to rejoin the international cricket arena after some time. I eagerly anticipate this opportunity and aim to contribute positively to the Pakistan men's national team in limited-overs cricket. "One of the beautiful aspects of cricket is its universality. Across cultures, there's a shared understanding when we discuss the game. My goal is to unite the Pakistan men's white-ball team, harnessing their considerable talents towards a common objective, and achieving success together on the field."

Liverpool expect Salah to stay despite Saudi interest: Reports



The International Press : Liverpool expect Mohamed Salah to at least see out of the final year of his contract at Anfield, according to reports on Monday. Sky Sports and The Athletic reported Salah, 31, has given no indication that he wishes to leave and Liverpool are not planning to sell. The Egyptian was involved in a public spat with Liverpool manager Jurgen Klopp on the touchline as he prepared to come on as a substitute in Saturday's 2-2 draw at West Ham. Speaking after the match, Salah said: "There's going to

be a fire today if I speak." Liverpool rejected advances from the Saudi Pro League at the beginning of the season, including a reported £150 million (\$188 million) bid from Al Ittihad. However, Klopp will leave the club at the end of the season, sparking speculation over what the future holds for some of his senior players. Backed by the Saudi sovereign wealth fund, the Gulf Kingdom is expected to be a major player in the summer transfer market to lure more star names to a league that already

boasts the likes of Cristiano Ronaldo, Neymar and Sadio Mane. Salah has scored 24 goals this season, but his form has tailed off since he was injured at the Africa Cup of Nations in January. As Salah's goals have dried up, Liverpool's season has unravelled. The Reds have fallen out of the running for the Premier League title and been eliminated from the Europa League and FA Cup. Salah has just over 12 months to run on a three-year deal signed in 2022 worth a reported £18 million a year.

Real wary of Bayern in 'European Clasico'



The International Press : Real Madrid have their sights set on a Liga and Champions League double, but to lift the latter they must find a way past Bayern Munich, their "bestia negra" -- "black beast". Carlo Ancelotti's side travel to Bavaria for the semi-final first leg clash on Tuesday, in a fixture dubbed the 'European Clasico', the most repeated in the competition's history. Despite Madrid's forbidding nickname for Bayern, they have shaded the Bundesliga side across their 26 encounters, with 12 wins to Bayern's 11. In the last decade Madrid clearly have the edge on the German giants. The record 14-time winners knocked out Bayern in each of their three most recent tangles, in the semi-finals in 2014 and 2018, and the quarter-

finals in 2017. Real went on to win the Champions League every time. Ancelotti was on the receiving end in 2017, when Cristiano Ronaldo's hat-trick knocked his Bayern side out in extra-time at the Santiago Bernabeu. It was another example of Madrid somehow finding a way to win in Europe from tricky situations. Bayern, six-time Champions League winners, have only lifted the trophy once since their 2013 triumph over Borussia Dortmund at Wembley. By contrast, Los Blancos have won it five times in that period. Barcelona coach Xavi Hernandez said last week Madrid's success breeds more success, after they showed steel to overcome champions Manchester City on penalties in the quarter-finals. "When you have won so much, you play with more



calm, less desperation, more confidence," said the Barcelona coach. Aside from the long-standing rivalry between the two European giants, the Munich clash pits two England superstars -- Jude Bellingham and Harry Kane -- against each other, less than two months out from Euro 2024 kicking off in the same venue. In the pre-match press conference, Bayern coach Thomas Tuchel said Bellingham was "a key player in a very offensive position" for the Spanish giants, having stepped into Karim Benzema's shoes as Madrid's top scorer, delivering on the big occasions this season. "Jude is extraordinary. He was fantastic here in the Bundesliga... Everyone who plays for Madrid plays with the pressure of the shirt. He plays with the pressure to

play with this club and all the expectations," Tuchel said yesterday. Bellingham stands in the way of his compatriot Harry Kane from claiming a first career trophy. Kane, who has been the only light to consistently shine in a faltering Bayern side this season, hopes for Bellingham to have a night off on Tuesday. "Of course, he's had an amazing season himself. But from my point of view, I hope he's quiet in the next two games," Kane told reporters after scoring a brace in Saturday's 2-1 home win over Eintracht Frankfurt. Bellingham was injured and did not play on the final day last season as Dortmund lost out to Bayern in the German title race and the England international would love to get one over his former rivals in the 'European Clasico'.