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India Election: Dance videos of Modi, rival turn up Al heat



The International Press : An Al video shows an ecstatic Narendra Modi sporting a trendy jacket and trousers, grooving on a stage to a Bollywood song as the crowd cheers. The Indian prime minister reshared the video on X, saying "such creativity in peak poll season is truly a delight. Another video, with the same stage setting, shows Modi's rival Mamata Banerjee dancing in a saree-like outfit, but the background score is parts of her speech criticizing those who guit her party to join Modi's. State police have launched an investigation saying the video can "affect law and order".

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The different reactions to videos created using artificial intelligence (AI) tools underscore how the use and abuse of the technology is increasing and creating worries for regulators and security officials as the world's most populous nation

India's Election Commission last week warned political parties against AI use to spread misinformation and shared seven provisions of information technology and other laws that attract jail terms of up to three years for offences including forgery, promoting rumours and

Easy to make Al videos, which contain near-perfect shadow and hand movements, can at times mislead even digitally-literate people. But risks are higher in a country where many of the 1.4 billion people are tech challenged and where manipulated content can easily stir sectarian tensions especially at election time According to a World Economic Forum survey published in January, the risk to India from misinformation is seen higher than the risk from infectious diseases or illicit economic activity in the next

"India is already at a great risk of misinformation - with Al in picture, it can spread at the speed of 100X," said New Delhi-based consultant Sagar Vishnoi, who is advising some political parties on Al use in India's election. "Elderly people, often not a tech savvy group, increasingly fall for fake narratives aided by Al videos This could have serious

The 2024 national election - being held over six weeks and ending on June 1 – is the first in which Al is being deployed. Initial examples were innocent, restricted to some politicians using the technology to create videos and audio to personalize their campaigns

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accepted her. She further asserted during her very first public address amid the ongoing Lok Sabha election campaign that Rahul "won't disappoint them". Recalling the 'ageold' roots of the Gandhi family with the people of the constituency, the AICC chief expressed gratitude to the residents of the city. "I am very happy that I got the opportunity to come among you after so long...You all gave me the opportunity to serve you as an MP, this is the biggest treasure of my life. For the last 100 years, the roots of our family are connected to the soil of this land. This relation is as pure as Ganga Maa. It started with the farmer's agitation of Awadh and Raebareli," Sonia Gandhi said addressing the public meeting. There was

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Ji's heart' She then said that she had imparted the same teachings to both her children, Rahul as well as Priyanka, that she had learnt from the people of the constituency while serving as the MP and also from former Prime Minister Indira Gandhi. "In Indira Ji's heart,

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fight for people's rights against injustice, don't be sacred, because the roots of struggle is very strong," Sonia said. "My aanchal (end of a saari, also refers to protective shelter) was always filled with your love and affection. Your love never made me feel alone Everything I have is yours...I am handing over my son to you. You have to accept him and keep him, just like you accepted me. Rahul will not disappoint you," the Congress leader said. Congress leader Rahul Gandhi is set to contest the general elections from Raebareli, which is the erstwhile constituency of her mother. Sonia, since the year 2004, held the constituency for four consecutive terms before she decided to take over as the Rajya Sabha MP earlier this year. The grand old party lost its other bastion Amethi to BJP in the year 2019. BJP has nominated incumbent MP and **Union Minister** Smriti Irani to contest the seat in the current elections, whereas the Congress has fielded its long-time loyalist Kishori Lal Sharma. Polling on both the seats will be held Selection and Formulation, Project Management Framework and Processes, Project Risk Management, PPP in Infrastructure Projects, Smart and Resilient Cities, Innovation in Awarding Public Projects and Managing Rural and Urban Housing Projects. Additionally, the program incorporates on May 20, which is the fifth phase of the ongoing elections.

Country witnessing major infrastructure developments across various sectors" DG NCGG



The International Press: The two weeks program on Capacity Building Programme on "Project and Risk Management for Public Works for the officers from Republic of Tanzania" was successfully completed today at the National Centre for Good Governance (NCGG), New Delhi. The program was organized from Governance (NCGG), New Delhi. The program was organized from 6th May, 2024 to 17th May, 2024 in partnership with the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA), Government of India. A total of 39 officers representing various organizations and ministries in Tanzania such as National Roads Agency, Ministry of Energy, Planning Commission, Tanzania Building Agency, Tanzania Building Agency, Tanzania Railway Corporation, Housing Investments, Rapid Transit Agency, E-government Authority, Energy and Water Regulatory Authority, President's Office Public Service Management and Good Government, Livestock and Fisheries among others attended Government, Livestock and Fisheries among others attended Shri V. Srinivas, Director General National Centre for Good Governance (NCGG) and Secretary, Department of Administration Reform and Public Administration Reform and Public Grievances (DARPG) in his valedictory address complemented the participating officers for making three insightful presentations on "Highlights of Key Takeaways on Project & Risk Management in Public Projects in Tanzania" "Project Planning, Execution and Delivery:

Experiences from Dodoma City Outer Ring Road" and "Stakeholders Involvement & Consensus Building in Public Projects: Case Study of DART Project in Tanzania" as part of the learning outcomes from the programme.

programme.
Secretary, DARPG elaborated on the major infrastructure developments being undertaken in the country in scope, scale and size in various sectors such as railways, ships and ports. He discussed how the officers can learn from the best practices as well as risk assessments being undertaken in the country and undertake similar large successful projects in their

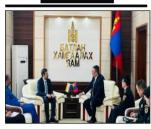
successful projects in their country.

Speaking on the occasion Mr. George Nsavike Ndatta, Head of the Delegation expressed gratitude to the Indian Government for extending such a warm hospitality and providing this immensely useful opportunity to facilitate knowledge exchange. He expressed immense desire to adopt key elements for the development of country, especially with experiences gained about the world renowned projects being developed by India. He expressed that the objective was to empower by gaining requisite skills in area of project and risk management and fill the existing gaps and secondly to articulate short term and long term cooperation and learn from India's successful implementation of several key projects and of several key projects and policies over the last decade. Dr. B.S Bisht, Associate Professor and Course Coordinator gave a comprehensive overview of the programme and highlighted the core objectives of the two-week core objectives of the two-week raining program, which was customized to equip officers with essential skills in Project and Risk Management for Public Works, while showcasing several projects and works in several important sectors relevant to the important sectors relevant to the participants. He elaborated how the programme is designed for officers who are at decision making level and is aimed at making level and is alimed at equipping them with the cutting-edge knowledge, skills and tools to deliver and design effective public works projects, which will lead to achievement of good governance and ultimately sustainable development apart from providing a rich crossfrom providing a rich cross-country experience so that there is no need to reinvent the wheel. He discussed how the programme covered a diverse range of topics such as Project Selection and Formulation,

immersive field visits, with officers slated to visit key project sites such as Dakpathar sites such as Dakpatnar Hydropower and Irrigation Dam, NHAI in Uttarakhand, Dwarka Expressway in New Delhi, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, World Trade Centre NBCC in New Delhi, and the Delhi Metro Rail Corporation, culminating with a Corporation, culminating with a visit to the iconic Taj Mahal. The National Centre for Good The National Centre for Good Governance, an autonomous institution under the Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances, Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions, Government of India, is committed to action research, studies, and capacity building at both the national and international levels. NCGG's efforts align with the Indian philosophy of 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam' i.e. "The world is one Family" and emphasizes strengthening bilateral ties and fostering cooperation with other countries. The capacity building program focused on providing a rich cross country experience and a platform for policy dialogue, while sharing best practices focusing on project and risk management in various sectors. This resulted in the officers gaining valuable insights into the manner in which projects officers gaining valuable insights into the manner in which projects are planned and executed and institutions are being transformed and people are getting closer to the government The NCGG has in partnership with MEA, NCGG successfully of 17 countries viz. Bangladesh. Maldives, Kenya, Tanzania, Tunisia, Seychelles, Gambia, Sri Lanka, Afghanistan, Laos, Vietnam, Nepal Bhutan, Myanmar, Ethiopia, Eretria and Cambodia with requests being received from several countries for collaboration in the area of

capacity building for civil servants. The entire capacity-building program was supervised by Dr. B.S. Bisht, Associate Professor and Course Coordinator, Dr. Sanjeev Sharma, Associate Course Coordinator, Shri Brijesh Bisht, Training Assistant with the able support of dedicated training team of the NCGG.

12th India-Mongolia Joint Working Group meeting to bolster bilateral defence ties held in Ulaanbaatar



The 12th Joint Working Group (JWG) meeting between the Defence Ministries of India and Mongolia took place in Ulaanbaatar on May 16-17, 2024. The meeting was co-chaired by Joint Secretary, MoD, India Shri Amitabh Prasad and State Secretary of MoD, Mongolia Brigadier General Gankhuyag Davagdorj. India's Ambassador to Mongolia Shri Atul Malhari Gotsurve also attended the meeting. During the JWG, both sides expressed satisfaction at the ongoing defence cooperation between the two countries. They reviewed the progress on various bilateral defence cooperation initiatives and identified means to further enhance cooperation in these areas, articulating steps in this direction. Both sides also exchanged views on the current geopolitical situation. The Joint Secretary highlighted the potential of the capacity & capability of the Indian defence industry, and looked forward to a fruitful partnership with the Armed Forces of Mongolia. The Mongolian side exuded confidence in the capacity & capability of the Indian industry. Both sides also acknowledged the growing ties between the two countries. The Joint Secretary & the Indian Ambassador also called on Deputy Defence Minister of Mongolia Mr B Bayarmagnai, and discussed bilateral cooperation issues. The delegation visited a training establishment in Ulaanbaatar and reviewed the ongoing engagements. India enjoys age-old historical, cultural and civilisational ties with Mongolia. Both countries regard each other as 'Spiritual Neighbours'. In the modern times, values

Ministry of Law and Justice to organise two day Conference titled 'India's Progressive Path in the Administration of Criminal Justice System', in association with the Government of Assam in Guwahati from tomorrow

The International Press: Technical Session - 2 on 19th May 2024 will discuss the salient aspects of Bharatiya Sakshya Adhiniyam, 2023 (BSA)i.e. on evidence, a cornerstone in adjudicating guilt. Discussions will focus on the widened scope of "documents" and "evidence," facilitated by the introduction of comprehensive definitions. This session shall be chaired by Hon'ble Mr. Justice Devashis Baruah, Judge, Gauhati High Court. Other panelists are Shri Ranjit Kumar Dev Choudhury,

Deputy Solicitor General, Gauhati High Court, Dr. Nitesh Mozika, **Deputy Solicitor** General, Meghalaya High Court, Shri Roushan Lal, District & Sessions Judge, Karbi Anglong, Assam and Ms. Monika Sharma, **Special Director** (Enforcement), Directorate of Enforcement, **Technical Session 3** on 19th May 2024 will delve into the ramifications of the procedural changes introduced by the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita, 2023 (BNSS) on investigation of crime

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Poster for 55th International Film Festival of India unveiled The 77th Cannes Film

Festival, the grandest celebration of cinema, kicked off two days ago with a ten-day extravaganza where content and glamour converge. Secretary, Ministry of Information and **Broadcasting Shri Sanjay**



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India-Kenya Bilateral meeting held for collaboration in Personnel Administration and Governance

Shri V. Srinivas. Secretary, Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG). Government of India, met Prof. Nour Mohammad, Director General, Kenya School of Governance through video conferencing on 14th May 2024. The meeting was attended by senior officials of DARPG, the National Centre for Good Governance, the High Commission of India to Kenya from Indian side and the directors of KSG from Kenyan side. In the meeting, both the sides discussed to enhance India-Kenya bilateral collaboration through National Centre for **Good Governance** (NCGG) and Kenya School of Governance (KSG) Government and in personnel their civil servants to administration and lead transformation governance with for achieving the emphasis on Kenyan Vision 2030. capacity building programs. The bilateral meeting discussed the

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chaired by Hon'ble Mr. Justice Arun Dev

Choudhury, Judge, Gauhati High Court, Shri Khomdram

Samarjit Singh,

Deputy Solicitor

General, Manipur

High Court, Shri E. Chandrasekaran, Advocate, Madras

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Kenya in NCGG. The Indian side presented the strides made by Government of India in implementing the policy "Maximum

Governance-Minimum Government" by implementation of the CPGRAMS reforms, benchmarking of e-

Services using National e-Services Delivery Assessment, the recognition of meritocracy through the Prime Minister's

Awards for the Department of Excellence in Public Administration. A detail presentation on activities and announces special achievement of Initiatives "NIDHI" & NCGG was also made. The Kenyan development of indigenous telecom side presented the role of KSG in capacity building program of the Kenyan civil servants. KSG is assisting the Kenyan

Centre for Development of Telematics celebrates World Telecom Day today

The International Press: To commemorate the World Telecommunication and Information Society Day, C-DOT, the premier Telecom R&D Centre of Telecommunications (DoT), Government of India celebrates and "STAR Program" for the solutions & technologies. These initiatives aim to promote a culture of synergetic innovation for indigenous development by collaboration with academia, startup and industries to co-create indigenous telecom products/solutions to meet telecom needs of India in

strategic, rural and sectors

of national importance. Women in India are making advances in multiple areas across ICT and STEM (Science, technology, Engineering, Mathematics) and contributing to software development, engineering and technology. To further encourage the entrepreneurship and innovation C-DOT launches "NIDHI". The applications, under "NIDHI" are open to DPIIT (Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade) recognized startups led by women The top 10 selected startups will be provided necessary support including funding and assistance. This will include an initial grant of 10 lakh INR each, access

to well-furnished office space for a period of 6 months, access to tools & Lab facilities, mentorship from C-DOT technical leaders and an opportunity for future collaboration under C-DOT Collaborative Research Program. For more information visit https://www.cdot.in/cdotwe b/web/home.php Through STAR" Program C-DOT offers scholarship to PhD student one each from the top 20 NIRF (National Institute Ranking Framework) ranking engineering institute. The program offers a scholarship amount of INR 6 Lakh per annum to the selected scholar for a period of up to four years. The selected students will be extended mentorship

from research leaders of C-DOT and access to lab facilities. Twelve PhD Students, from Anna University, Amrita Vishwa Vidyapeetham, Thapar University, NIT Surathkal, IIT Gandhinagar, IIT Hyderabad, IIT Kharagpur, IIT Kanpur, IIT Indore, IIT Bombay, IIT Guwahati, IIT Delhi. were issued scholarship approval letters today. Dr. Rajkumar Upadhyay, CEO C-DOT, during the launch of two new initiatives on "World Telecom Day", 17th May, 2024

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converge. Secretary, Ministry of Information and Broadcasting Shri Sanjay Jaju hosted first ever Bharat Parva, an evening to celebrate the rich culture, cuisine and handicrafts of India along with Indian cinema at the French Riviera at ongoing Cannes Film Festival. The event organised by

NFDC in association with FICCI under the aegis of the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, Government of India, was a resounding success, with Cannes delegates fully immersed in the evening's exceptional performances and the delightful array of fusion cuisine. Posters for the 55th edition of IFFI and the save the date

poster of the inaugural edition of World Audio Visual Entertainment Summit (WAVES) the Global Entertainment and Media Summit, planned on the sidelines of the 55th IFFI at Goa, were unveiled by Shri Jaju at the event along with filmmakers Ashok Amritraj,

Richie Mehta, singer Shaan, actor Rajpal Yadav, film veteran Bobby Bedi, among

Chef Varun Totlani was flown in especially to curate the menu for Bharat Parv that radiated the warmth intrinsic to Indian hospitality.

The night saw singer Sunanda Sharma performing on some foot tapping Punjabi numbers along with budding singers Pragati, Arjun and Shaan's son Maahi. The act culminated with the singers singing Maa Tuihe Salaam with a rousing applause from the attendees.

The presence of esteemed guests at Bharat Parv certainly added to the allure and significance of the event Actress Shobhita Dhulipala, known for her compelling performances, Assamese actress Amie Barauah. renowned for her work in Assamese cinema, film critic Anupama Chopra, were among the luminaries who graced the occasion. Their participation highlighted the rich tapestry of Indian cinema and its burgeoning influence on the global stage. It was a night to remember,

filled with the celebration of film, culture, and artistic collaboration with India's soft power at display on the global

Share India Securities Ltd. Reports Highest ever Revenue and Profit since Inception Reports Revenue growth of 36.3% YoY & PAT growth of 28.8% YoY



Mumbai, May 10, 2024 : The International Press : Share India Securities Limited **News Continue** (BSE: 540725, NSE: SHAREINDIA), is a echnology driven financia services provider that offers a **Ministry of Law and Justice** wide range of customized solutions in the capital to organise two day market, has announced its **Conference titled** Financial Results for the Quarter and year ended 31st 'India's Progressive Path March 2024 in the Administration of For the quarter ended 31 Criminal Justice System',

March 2024, the revenue was reported at Rs. 465 Cr, recording a growth of 36.6% YoY. EBITDA grew 11.4% YoY, from Rs. 157 Cr (Q4FY23) to Rs. 175 Cr (Q4FY24). PAT recorded a growth of 8.3% YoY, to Rs. 116 Cr.

For the year ended 31 March 2024, the revenue was reported at Rs. 1483 Cr, a growth of 36.3%. EBITDA was reported at Rs. 663 Cr, a growth of 31.5%. PAT came in at Rs. 426 Cr, a growth of 28.8% YoY.

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Commenting on the performance, Mr. Sachin Gupta – CEO & Whole-time Director of Share India Securities Limited said. "I am delighted to announce exceptional performance of our company in the (FY24), marking a significant milestone in our journey of growth and innovation. In FY24, we have achieved our highest-ever Revenue and Profit After Tax (PAT) since our inception. Our revenues surged by an impressive 36% year-on-year, reaching Rs. 1,483 Crores, while our PAT soared by 29% to Rs. 426 Crores. These remarkable achievements underscore our unwavering commitment to excellence and the resilience of our business model amidst evolving market dynamics Our commitment to expanding our client base has yielded significant results, with our Broking

clients showing a robust

reaching a total of 35,380 clients in FY24 In recognition of our strong performance and commitment to shareholder value, the Board has declared a dividend of Rs. 1 per share, bringing the total dividend for the fiscal year to Rs. 9 per share. Additionally, the Board has also approved a stock split in the ratio of

growth of 27% year-on-year,

Looking ahead, we remain committed to pursuing excellence, fostering innovation, and delivering sustainable value for all our stakeholders. With a solid foundation and a clear strategic direction, we are well-positioned to capitalize on future opportunities and drive long-termgrowth and

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solutions and enable customers to earn superior return. It has over the years accumulated expert research capabilities using proprietary tools and capabilities which were earlier being used by ultra HNI/HNI's only. SISL has now set afoot to take these solutions in India's growing retail market and enable individual investors to "utradealgos"

SISL currently has an Avg daily turnover of Rs. 11,000cr including cash market, Eqderivative, currency and commodity segment. SISL is recognized as a fintech broker among its institutional/ u-HNI clientele. It acquired uTrade Solutions and Algowire Technologies in FY21 to strengthen its tech powers. Both these entities are run by alumni of IIT/IIM/ISB and alumni of other prestigious institutions. The combined engineering strength of these companies is more than 120 engineers. Also, SISL has recently announced MoU to acquire another tech company - Silverleaf which is led by IIT-B alum and specializes in

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ONDC facilitates 7.22 mn transactions in April 2024, onboards over 5 lakh sellers initiative"

The International Press : Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT) organised the 'ONDC Startup Mahotsav', a first of its kind event, on 17th May 2024 at Vanijya Bhawan, New Delhi. The event symbolized the celebration and collaboration of two of DPIIT's flagship initiatives - the Startup India initiative and Open Network for Digital Commerce

Secretary, DPIIT, Shri Rajesh Kumar Singh, underlined the Government's unwavering commitment to nurturing and encouraging ecosystem for startup growth and innovation. He said, "The ONDC Startup Mahotsay is an inflexion point for startups in India to leverage the opportunities unlocked by ONDC. The network has rapidly grown and matured over the past one and a half years, and today's session reflects both the DPIIT's and industry's commitment to democratising digital commerce in India. The event witnessed participation of around 5,000 startups in hybrid mode Over 125 ecosystem stakeholders including startups, unicorns and high growth businesses such as EaseMyTrip OfBusiness, Winzo, Livspace, GlobalBees Pristyn Care, Cars24, Physics Wallah, PolicyBazaar, and Zerodha, signed Letter of Intent (LoI) during the event. These LoIs signify the potential of ONDC and the eagerness of leading startups of the country to collaborate with the platform Joint Secretary, DPIIT, Shri Sanjiv, emphasised on the vision of the Government for the continuous collaboration between the startups and the ONDC. He said, "Startups can play a pivotal role in ONDC ecosystem by driving nnovation, fostering competition and enhancing consumer choice. More than 125 startups have committed to onboard to ONDC network in today's event reflects the

excitement and momentum of the national

MD & CEO, ONDC, Shri. T. Koshy said, "The ONDC Startup Mahotsav marks a pivotal moment in India's digital transformation journey. By fostering collaboration and innovation within our ecosystem, we are empowering startups to redefine the rules of the game in ecommerce"

The 'ONDC Startup Mahotsav' is a unique collaboration between the ONDC and the Startup India initiative. More than 5 lakh sellers have been onboarded on the platform, of which more than 70% are small or medium sized sellers. In April 2024. ONDC facilitated around 7.22 million transactions. To realise this, the 'ONDC Startup Mahotsav' was organized With an effective association between the startups and the ONDC, a holistic growth of both the initiatives, the economy at large and opportunities to grow at scale

are being unlocked. Insightful panel discussions on subjects as 'Building a collaborative future of Indiar E-Commerce', 'ONDC - Startup Success Story' and 'Driving Startup Growth through ONDC' dwelled on the areas of mutual collaboration and the immense potential for startups and emerging businesses to expand and scale-up harnessing the network of ONDC. Distinguished speak including Member, Competition Commission of India, Shri Anil Agrawal; Joint Secretary, DPIIT, Shri E. Srinivas; Secretary General, Quality Council of India, Shri. Chakravarthy T Kannan; Advisory Council Member, ONDC, Smt Anjali Bansal; DMD, SIDBI, Shri Sudatta Mandal; Co-founder, EaseMyTrip, Shri Rikant Pittie; and Co-founder, Winzo, Shri Paavan Nanda shared their views and thoughts on these engaging discussions. A 'Masterclass on Enabling Startups on ONDC' was also organised to handhold and mentor startups for on-boarding and

effective utilisation of ONDC. The Government launched the Startup India initiative on 16th January 2016 with the intent of supporting entrepreneurs and building a robust startup ecosystem in the country. From around 300 startups in 2016, today India is amongst the leading startup hubs with more than 1.3 lakh DPIIT recognised startups. These are operating in more than 55 sectors. bringing innovation across domains. The startups have created more than 13 lakh

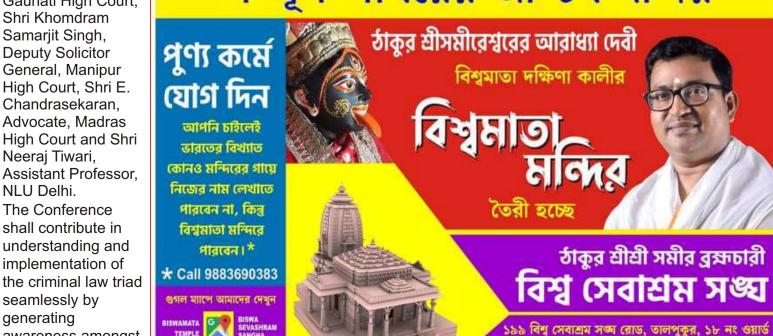
Another marquee initiative of the Government, the ONDC was launched in 2021 as a first-of-its-kind protocol, with a mission to democratize digital commerce Today, ONDC is fully operational across India, with the digital infrastructure completed and rolled out to businesses and the public at large. ONDC lowers entry-barriers to digital commerce, and provides level playing field for all ecommerce players, especially the small-scale businesses and those who have been digitally excluded. Startups are innovators with agile working cultures providing good quality products and services at competitive prices. Startups are a crucial pillar for achieving the goal of self-reliance in the country. Creating and discovering markets is a challenge for startups that can be addressed through the ONDC platform, highlighting the significance of this collaboration Over the years, a conducive environment has been created for entrepreneurs in the country. The Government itself has introduced many innovative reforms and initiatives. ONDC is one such innovative initiative of the Government to democratize e-commerce, can now play an instrumental role in further

strengthening the startup ecosystem of

the country. This grand Mahotsay is the

beginning and the first step towards realizing this fruitful collaboration.

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Just News & Cinema

BEML secures Rs 250 crore order from Northern Coal Fields **Limited for 28 BH100 Rear Dump Trucks**

BEML Limited has secured an order from Northern Coal Fields Limited (NCL) for the supply of 28 units of BH100 Rear Dump Trucks. The total value of the order is Rs 250 crore. The BH100 Rear Dump Truck is engineered to transport payloads of up to 100 tonnes, specifically



'Manthan': Restored version of **Shyam Benegal's film to premiere at Cannes**

The restored version of Shyam Benegal's acclaimed 1976 film, "Manthan", will be featured at the 77th Cannes Film Festival in May. The film, which has been recently restored by the Film Heritage Foundation, will be



India- Bangladesh Bilateral meeting held to discuss the road-map for implementation of capacity building programs for civil servants of Bangladesh



The International **Press**: A bilateral meeting between Secretary, Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances. Government of India Shri V.Srinivas was held with Rectors (Secretaries) of four **Capacity Building** Institutions and Senior Officials of Ministry of Public Administration of Bangladesh Mr. Sukesh Kumar Sarker, Director General (Secretary), National Academy for Planning and Bangladesh on 16th May 2024 in online mode.

Development(NAPD), The meeting was attended by Md. Ashraf Uddin, Rector (Secretary), Bangladesh Public Administration **Training Centre** (BPATC), Dr. Md. Omar Faruque, Rector (Secretary), Bangladesh Civil Service Administration Academy (BCSAA), Dr. Md. Shahidullah, Rector (Secretary), National Academy for Development Administration (NADA), Bangladesh and Additional Secretary Ministry of **Public Administration** Dr. M. Ziaul Haque. Shri. N.B.S. Rajput, Joint Secretary, DARPG, other senior officials of the Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances, DARPG, National Centre of **Good Governance** (NCGG) and the High Commission of India to Bangladesh participated in the meeting from Indian side.

Discussions covered (a) conducting Capacity Building **Programs for Faculty**

of Capacity Building Institutions of Ministry of Public Administration (b) Senior Executive Development Program (c) Alumni Meet of Bangladesh Civil Servants at NCGG (d) Participation of Bangladesh Civil Servants in the 27th National e-Governance Conference. Following discussions, it was agreed that NCGG will curate one-week capacity building program in NCGG for senior civil servants of Bangladesh, 2 two-weeks capacity building programs for faculty members of BPATC, BCS Administration Academy, NAPD and NADA of Bangladesh in the month of July and September 2024. NCGG will organize an alumni meet covering select alumni from 71 capacity building programs conducted for the senior civil servants of Bangladesh to enable shared learning experiences. It was also been decided that the DARPG will invite awarded Bangladesh civil servants as speakers to the 27th National e-Governance Conference. The National Centre of Good Governance (NCGG) has successfully conducted 71 Capacity Building Programs for 2660 Bangladesh Civil Service Officers from 2014 to 2024. The two sides have agreed to renew the



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Manoj Bajpayee recalls RACIST encounters, being called a pornstar: Here's what happened are so liberal and evolved that

The International Press prowess. Indian star Manoi Bajpayee is not a slave to an introduction. The actor, who has delivered several hit shows and series, has now spoken up about struggling in the initial days of his career. While Manoj has become famous worldwide, there were times when he was racially profiled as well. Manoj Bajpayee recalls RACIST

encounters, being called a pornstar: Here's what happened The actor's role as a prince in Zubeida was acclaimed globally but Manoj recalls how many critics had opined that he doesn't

"Some critics wrote 'He's good but he doesn't fit the role, he's good but he doesn't look like a prince.' I thought these people

they do not realise they are such big racists," Manoj commented. Manoj Bajpayee recalls RACIST encounters, being called a pornstar: Here's what happened "They were too racist. Then I showed it to a few of my friends. I said, 'How should I take it?' They

said 'Spit it off, this is biased and in its core it is a racist thing.' But today when I was doing interviews for Bhaiyya Ji, four out of five journalists were talking about my performance in Zubeida," he added. He further remarked, "I

personally don't answer the criticism at all. Yes, sometimes I do quote fake news report and ask 'when did I say this.' But if vou will talk about my bad performance and my looks, I will not retort back. I will let it go,

through my work. I have many cuttings (newspaper reviews) where people have been very brutal, lethal and racist.

Manoj Bajpayee recalls RACIST encounters, being called a pornstar: Here's what happened Manoi continued. "I did a film called Fareh, it wasn't well made sometimes. Somebody wrote, 'Now Bhikhu Matre of Satya has become a porn star.' That hurt me, it really offended me. No reviewer has the right to go that dirty. You can talk about my film, how it is made. How does that make me a porn star? There is nothing I did in that film to suggest that. Now my filmography is there your answers there.



Dino Morea opens up on alleged rivalry between John Abraham and him: "Everyone said Bipasha.."

The International Press Bollywood actors John Abraham and Dino Morea were the it boys back in the 2000s. The B-Town hunks rose to fame with several hit films, such as Raaz and Jism. The duo also worked with Bipasha Basu in several films. Naturally, there were rumours regarding the rift between the actors once Bipasha moved on with John Abraham after dating Dino for a few months.

Dino Morea opens up on alleged rivalry between John Abraham and Him: Everyone said

When asked about their supposed rivalry, Dino clarified that there was absolutely no rivalry between them. "Never [any rivalry]. We used to model together, have fun together, and talk. People assumed there was rivalry when I broke up with Bipasha and he started dating Bipasha. People assumed that he started dating my girlfriend, so there was a rivalry. Media fuelled it and it was fun to read for people. But there has never been any

Dino added, "We have always been on our own paths. In fact, just yesterday, I was messaging him, 'Are we going for a bike ride or are we having coffee?' I have no rivalry with him and I don't think

he has any rivalry with me. I am very happy to see where he is today. At that time people always said 'models cannot act' and we proved otherwise. The film became a hit and we were part of it. When people ask me about John. I keep saying, 'He has done really well.' take my hat off to the guy. He has

conducted himself fantastic. Dino Morea opens up on alleged rivalry between John Abraham and Him: Everyone said Bipasha.. Further, the actor added that he only felt bad after John was offered

'Dhoom'. However, he added, "It well in the film.

[the film] was cast really well. He did a fantastic job. But he did really "We both impacted each other really well. We supported each

other in the modeling industry. We

were on the verge of breakup, we were nearly, more or less, over by the time we were shooting for 'Raaz'." He added that shooting for 'Gunaah' "was the toughest time" for both actors because they were breaking up. "It was really tough. It was damn tough. We just moved in separate directions. But now we are fantastic friends.

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In the same interview, Dino spoke about Bipasha Basu dating John Abraham after breaking up with him. "I am clarifying and clearing after many years. We broke up and it was after one year or 10 months of us going separate ways. I had started dating someone else. Bipasha was single. John and she started dating - so why any animosity? People thought he stole my girlfriend. That is not true at all We used to talk – three of us. It was that simple but people made it something else."

Meanwhile, on the work front Dino Morea was last seen in the Malayalam film 'Bandra. Meanwhile. Bipasha has taken a much-deserved break from acting after she welcomed her daughter, Devi. John Abraham however, was lauded in Pathaan The blockbuster also starred Shah Rukh Khan and Deepika Padukone in pivotal roles.

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'Manthan': Restored version of **Shyam Benegal's film to premiere at Cannes**



The International Press: The restored version of Shyam Benegal's acclaimed 1976 film, "Manthan", will be featured at the 77th Cannes Film Festival in May. The film, which has been recently restored by the Film Heritage Foundation, will be showcased at Cannes (May 14-25) as part of its Classics

"Manthan", centered on the groundbreaking milk cooperative movement led by Dr Verghese Kurien—the architect of India's White Revolution—was produced by five lakh dairy farmers of the Gujarat Cooperative Milk Marketing Federation (GCMMF), which also markets

The film featuring Naseeruddin Shah and the late actress Smita Patil is the sole Indian film selected for the Cannes Classic section at this year's festival. "Manthan" is part of the Cannes

the film.

lineup with Payal Kapadia's "All We Imagine As Light" (selected for the Competition section), Maisam Ali's "In Retreat' (showing in the sidebar ACID Cannes programme), and Chidanand S Naik's "Sunflowers Were The First Ones To Know" (chosen for the competitive La Cinef category). Additionally, British filmmaker Sandhya Suri's "Santosh", starring Indian actor Shahana Goswami, will also be showcased at Cannes

The Cannes film premiere will be attended by Naseeruddin Shah, the family of the late Smita Patil, the film's producers, and Shivendra Singh Dungarpur from the Film

Heritage Foundation. Co-written by Benegal and renowned playwright Vijay Tendulkar, "Manthan" is set in Gujarat and is believed to be India's first crowdfunded film. The movie was entirely financed by 500,000 farmers who each donated Rs 2

In 1977, "Manthan" received two National Film Awards: Best Feature Film in Hindi and Best Screenplay for Tendulkar. It was also India's official submission to the 1976 Academy Awards in the Best Foreign Language Film

Sports News

Babar Azam becomes most successful T20I captain

Pakistan skipper Babar Azam went to the top of an illustrious list on Sunday when his side claimed a seven-wicket triumph over Ireland in Babar's side successfully chased



Hungry Madrid parade league title with eye on European glory

If anything defines Real Madrid it is a relentless hunger for silverware and that remained clear even as they celebrated their 36th La Liga title triumph on Sunday. Los Blancos players partied with fans at their traditional location outside



Mbappe bids farewell to PSG fans with defeat in final home game



The International Press: Kylian Mbappe scored on his final home appearance as a Paris Saint-Germain player on Sunday but the French champions suffered a surprise 3-1 defeat against Toulouse on the night they picked up the Ligue 1 championship trophy. Mbappe confirmed in a video posted on social media on Friday that he would be leaving PSG when his contract expires at the end of the season, ending a seven-year association with

the club. Real Madrid is expected to be the next destination for a player whose departure from Paris had been an open secret since February, when he privately informed the club of his intention to move

Mbappe wore the captain's armband and opened the

Toulouse to take his tally for the season to 44 goals goals in all competitions. However, Thijs Dallinga quickly equalised for the visitors against a PSG side which showed 10 changes to the team knocked out of the Champions League by Borussia Dortmund in the semi-finals in midweek, with Mbappe the only player to

keep his place. Yann Gboho put Toulouse ahead with a brilliant strike in the second half, and Frank Magri wrapped up the win in stoppage time as PSG suffered just their second Lique 1 loss this season. and their first in 27 games Mbappe has now scored 256

since September. times for PSG, a club-record tally, since signing from Monaco in 2017 in a deal worth 180 million euros

His tally of 191 goals in France's top flight -including 16 with Monaco at the beginning of his career -puts him in seventh place in the all-time list. Coach Luis Enrique described the 25year-old as "a club legend" when he spoke to media on the eve of the game. PSG had indicated that celebrations after Sunday's match would be dedicated to their title triumph, rather than any specific tribute to Mbappe himself There were even some jeers

from the crowd for the striker when the teams were read out before the game. although a huge display was unfurled before kick-off at one end of the stadium depicting Mbappe in a trademark pose with his arms folded.

"I heard applause, the

clean sweep of domestic honours, as they face Lyon in the French Cup final in Lyon on May 25. As well as Ligue 1, they have also already won the Champions Trophy, France's equivalent of a Super Cup. Monaco into Champions League Luis Enrique's team will

season by completing a

complete their league campaign with a visit to Nice on Wednesday before going to Metz in their final game next Sunday. Elsewhere, Mbappe's first club Monaco clinched second place and automatic qualification for next

season's Champions League with a 2-0 win away at Montpellier.

Lille moved up into third place above Brest on goal difference as Jonathan David netted twice in their 2-1 win at Nantes. The top three in Ligue 1 qualify directly for next season's expanded, 36-team Champions League with the team finishing fourth entering the competition in the preliminary rounds. Nice are fifth and trail both Lille and Brest by four points but still have a chance of a top-four place before hosting PSG in midweek.

deserved tribute, he is a club

legend despite his youth.

described the banner as

The Qatar-owned club had

record-extending 12th French title, and 10th in 12

said Luis Enrique who

already wrapped up a

years, before hosting a

Toulouse side who were

themselves safe from any

lingering threat of relegation.

PSG's Champions League

Mbappe will leave the club

without ever having got his

disappointment means

football's greatest prize.

With Mbappe, PSG were

runners-up in 2020 and have

on two further occasions, but

since reached the last four

the France captain will now

hope to finally get his hands on the trophy at his next

PSG can still finish the

hands on European

"beautiful".

Lens drew 1-1 at Rennes to hold onto sixth, while Orel Mangala's goal gave Lyon a 1-0 win at Clermont as they kept their European hopes

Pierre-Emerick Aubameyang scored twice as Marseille beat Lorient 3-1 to also remain in the European

At the bottom, Clermont's defeat means they are relegated, while Lorient are almost certainly down too as they trail Metz by three points with one game left and have an inferior goal difference.

Metz, who lost 2-1 at Strasbourg, are therefore set to go into a play-off against a team from Ligue 2 with a top-flight place for next

Babar Azam becomes most successful T20I captain



The International Press: 41 Pakistan skipper Babar Azam went to the top of an illustrious list on Sunday when his side claimed a seven-wicket triumph over Ireland in the second T20I in Dublin. Babar's side successfully chased down Ireland's decent total of 193-7 with more than three overs remaining courtesy of a 140-run partnership between Mohammad Rizwan (75*) and Fakhar Zaman (78) and it proved the record-breaking 45th T20I victory for Pakistan's influential captain. It took Babar past Uganda's Brian Masaba for the most wins by male T20I captains and in front of former skippers in the ilk of England's Eoin Morgan, India's MS Dhoni and Australia's Aaron Finch. Most wins as captain -Men's T20I 45 Babar Azam Pakistan 44 Brian Masaba Uganda 42 Eoin Morgan England 42 Asghar Afghan

MS Dhoni India Rohit Sharma India 40 Aaron Finch Australia 39 Ahmed Faiz Malaysia 38 Gerhard Erasmus Namibia 37 Kane Williamson New Zealand While Babar failed to trouble the scorers against Ireland as he edged a Graham Hume delivery to keeper Lorcan Tucker in the second over. Rizwan and Fakhar combined to steady the ship and guide Pakistan to a series-levelling victory. Fakhar displayed his power-hitting prowess as

he smashed six sixes and a steadier Rizwan played the support role with aplomb as the pair put on 140 in quick time to take the game away from Ireland. While Fakhar was dismissed in the 15th over to provide the hosts with a glimmer of hope, Azam Khan joined the party to hit an unbeaten 30 from just 10 deliveries to guide Pakistan home.

Hungry Madrid parade league title with eye on European glory



If anything defines Real Madrid it is a relentless

hunger for silverware and

that remained clear even as they celebrated their 36th La Liga title triumph on Sunday. Los Blancos players partied with fans at their traditional location outside the city's Cibeles palace but the upcoming Champions League final remained in focus. The record 14-time European champions face Borussia Dortmund at Wembley on June 1 and various players said they hoped they could return to celebrate again after the

final. "Thank you for being here to celebrate this day... I hope we see each other again in June," said veteran midfielder Luka Modric, a five-time Champions League winner with Real.

Madrid sealed their triumph last weekend with four games to spare, taking the title back from rivals Barcelona, but delayed the celebration to concentrate on beating Bayern Munich in midweek to reach the Champions League final. Dominant Madrid have lost

just one match this season in La Liga, against rivals Atletico Madrid last September, and at present have scored more goals and conceded fewer than any other side in the division.

They won both Clasicos against Barcelona and twice defeated their closest challengers for much of the season, Catalan upstarts Girona. Coach Carlo Ancelotti was a central ligure in the celebrations, once again toting a cigar and wearing sunglasses as he did at Madrid's last parade in 2022.

The day began early with

RFEF president Pedro Rocha delivering the league trophy to Madrid's Valdebebas training ground at 0730 GMT, with captain Nacho Fernandez lifting it, for the first but certainly not the last occasion on the day. "Today is the day to enjoy it, when it's something so deserved, something so big as winning the league, it's the day to go to Cibeles," said Nacho. There were other stops on the way for Madrid's jubilant players, first heading to the Madrid regional government's headquarters, presenting the trophy to president Isabel Diaz Ayuso.

a lot of adversity, with a lot of injuries," said Madrid chief Florentino Perez. referring to Thibaut Courtois, Eder Militao and David Alaba's long-term absences in particular. "This squad rebelled against the situation, this club badge achieves everything that seems impossible -- the attitude (you need) in the face of

"This team has overcome

players that now form part of the history of the club -they have won it all and are still hungry." Of course, Perez was keen to highlight the team's next target. "We will leave our soul out there to come back with the 15th," he

added.

"I want to thank all of the

Arsenal grind out Man Utd



The International Press: League title dreams alive by ending an Old Trafford hoodoo to grind out a 1-0 win at Manchester United on Sunday to move back top of the table. Leandro Trossard scored the only goal on 20 minutes as Arsenal won for just the second time in 17 games away at United to go a point clear at the summit Manchester City still have the destiny of the title in their own hands as the defending champions have two matches left to Arsenal's one. However, the Gunners kept the pressure on Pep Guardiola's men ahead of

their tricky trip to Tottenham on Tuesday. Defeat further dented United's chances of competing in Europe next season. Erik ten Hag's men showed more spirit than in a dismal 4-0 defeat to Crystal Palace on Monday, but have now won just one of their last eight Premier League games. United remain eighth in the table, three points adrift of both Newcastle, who they face on Wednesday, and

Arsenal have been in scintillating form in 2024 to remain in the race for their first league title in 20 years. Mikel Arteta's men have won 15 and drawn one of their 17 league games since the turn

But Arsenal were far from their flowing best as the expected onslaught of an injury-ravaged United never materialised under unusually stifling heat in England's north-west. The manner of defeat at Palace had increased the scrutiny on United boss Ten

He made three changes to the team swept aside at Selhurst Park as Scott McTominay, Sofyan Amrabat and Amad Diallo came in.

The Dutchman's options were again hamstrung by a lengthy list of absentees with captain Bruno Fernandes among those sidelined and a bench littered with youngsters. But his decision to retain Casemiro as a makeshift centre-back after his woeful showing against Palace will become another stick to beat the beleaguered coach with. The Brazil captain was dropped from their squad for the Copa America in midweek due to his terrible form. After United had managed to

keep the free-scoring visitors at bay for the opening 20 minutes, Casemiro was culpable for the opening goal The 32-year-old was laboured in pushing up from a United goal-kick to play Kai Havertz onside and Trossard then stole in on the blind side of

Casemiro to tap in the United's new co-owner Jim Ratcliffe was in attendance at Old Trafford rather than at Wembley to see the club's women pick up their first ever

major trophy in the FA Cup

The work that lies ahead of Ratcliffe has been laid bare in recent weeks, but the home side did manage to keep the majority of the 74,000 crowd onside by taking the game to Arsenal after the break Arsenal, though, were rarely seriously troubled as they held out for a sixth clean sheet in

Alejandro Garnacho was United's one live wire but smashed into the side-netting with his best chance to equalise.

their last seven away league

Gabriel Martinelli and Declan Rice were denied by brilliant Andre Onana saves to prevent Arsenal the second goal they craved to avoid a tense finale. The visitors desperation to see the game out was evident as Martinelli took the ball to the corner with 10 minutes of the 90 still to play.

But Arsenal did just enough to ask the question City, who host West Ham on the final day of the season after their visit to north London in

Brilliant Leverkusen win to go top of the Premier League stretch unbeaten run to 50

Afghanistan



The International Press: Bayer Leverkusen stretched their season-long unbeaten run to 50 games with a 5-0 win at 10-man Bochum on Sunday. Bochum defeated a 10-man Leverkusen in May 2023, the last side to beat Xabi Alonso's side in any competition, but the tables turned on Sunday with Leverkusen's goals coming from five different scorers Alonso's league champions

are just one game away from the first unbeaten Bundesliga season and three games from a remarkable treble

Leverkusen midfielder Robert Andrich told DAZN he had his sights set on a "unique" triple. "We couldn't have imagined how much the Bundesliga title meant to the club and the

"Next week we'll hold the trophy high in our own stadium, which will be emotional and beautiful. After that we're off to Dublin and Berlin and we want to grab both titles and go on holiday with the triple in our backpacks." Within three days in late May,

Leverkusen face Atalanta in

Dublin before taking on second-division Kaiserslautern

the Europa League final in

in the German Cup final Bochum lost a man early when Felix Passlack saw red for a last-man foul on Nathan

With attacking midfield maestro Florian Wirtz missing through injury, Alonso started strikers Victor Boniface and Patrik Schick and both had a goal by half-time. Schick blasted in an Arthur cross with a superb first-touch finish after 41 minutes. Boniface converted a penalty five minutes later after Tella was fouled in the box. Amine Adli, brought on for Schick with 20 minutes remaining, headed in a corner to make it 3-0. Josip Stanisic, who scored in stoppage time to keep Leverkusen's unbeaten run alive against Roma in the Europa League on Thursday, added a fourth with three minutes remaining before setting up Alex Grimaldo's goal in the final moments.

Thomas Tuchel's heavily up made short work of 0 to leapfrog Stuttgart into

No Kane, no problem for Bayern changed Bayern Munich line-Wolfsburg at home, winning 2second spot. Tuchel made eight changes to

Champions League with a 2-1 loss at Real Madrid on Wednesday, with England captain Harry Kane, out with back issues, missing his first league match of the season. If the England captain returns next week, Kane -- currently on 36 league goals this season -- will have just one match remaining to try and reach Robert Lewandowski's all-time record of 41. Bayern captain Manuel Neuer was proud with his side for bouncing back after the disappointing and controversial loss to Real. "We were in control for over 90 minutes and got into the game well, that was crucial,' Neuer told DAZN. "Real was difficult to deal with, today we had to ignore it - we did a good job of that." The win sends Bayern two points clear of Stuttgart in second with one game remaining. Croatian midfielder Lovro Zvonarek, aged just 19, celebrated his first start by scoring after four minutes. Leon Goretzka was set up by Thomas Mueller just 10 minutes later. Four minutes after Goretzka's goal, Spain winger Bryan

the side eliminated from the

Zaragoza, also making his first league start for Bayern had a goal was ruled out for

Bayern, who will finish the season without a trophy for the first time since 2012, gradually took the sting out of the match and handed out further debuts in the final stages.

Israel goalkeeper Daniel Peretz came on late in the second half, replacing Bayern captain Manuel Neuer who was playing his 500th Bundesliga game. Teenagers Matteo Perez Vinlof and Jonathan Asp-Jensen also came on.

"Daniel has given the team so much and shown good performances, he simply deserves to get minutes," said

The loss means Wolfsburg are yet to win in the Bavarian capital after 27 games. Earlier on Sunday, Hoffenheim boosted their chances of qualifying for Europe with a 6-0 demolition of already relegated Darmstadt.

Both Ihlas Bebou and Maximilian Beier scored doubles with Pavel Kaderabek and former Liverpool centreback Ozan Kabak adding goals against the last-placed team

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