6 terrorists
gunned down by Pakistani forces in an intel-based operation in Balochistan

GLOBAL WEATHER

LR: Light Rain • HR: Heavy Rain • LS: Light Snow • TDS: Thundershower • LC: Light Cloud • SNY: Sunny

Beijing	24	12	SNY	Los Angeles	23	17	SNY
Colombo	31	27	SNY	Melbourne	17	11	LC
Dhaka	35	29	SNY	Moscow	23	12	SNY
Dubai	34	29	SNY	New York	28	18	SNY
Houston	28	24	TDS	Singapore	32	28	TDS
Istanbul	27	19	SNY	Toronto	24	14	SNY
London	18	12	SNY	Washington	31	17	SNY

Not your country, stop interfering, Lebanon's president warns Iran

Pushback comes as Tehran insists on Israel-Lebanon truce as condition for Iran-US deal

BEIRUT

LEBANON'S leaders issued pointed calls for Iran to stop interfering in their country's affairs on Friday, as Israel and the Tehran-backed Hezbollah traded attacks after a new ceasefire agreement collapsed before it even began.

Lebanese state media reported fresh Israeli strikes on around 40 locations in southern Lebanon on Friday, with some causing casualties, while Hezbollah claimed new attacks on Israeli troops who have invaded the south, including with drones and rockets.

Lebanon was drawn into the wider West Asia conflict when Hezbollah attacked Israel on March 2 to avenge the February 28 killing of Iran's leader Ayatollah Ali Khamenei.

Iran, in its peace negotiations with Washington, has repeatedly insisted that the fighting in Lebanon and the war in the Gulf are inextricably linked. Lebanese Prime Minister Nawaf Salam addressed Iran's leaders in frank terms during a press conference on Friday, telling them: "Have mercy on our south, stop treating it and its people as merely a bargaining chip to improve the terms of your negotiations."

The site of an Israeli strike in the southern Lebanese coastal city of Tyre | AFP

"We are the people of a sovereign nation that refuses to serve as a mailbox for the messages of others or as an open battlefield for their wars," he added. "The south is not anyone's reserve front."

Lebanese President Joseph Aoun, echoing Salam's "bargaining chip" remark, offered a similar message for Iran.

"It's not your country, it's our country," he said. "It's not your job to interfere into our country."

Lebanese and Israeli envoys in Washington agreed to a truce this week that according to a statement is conditional on a "complete cessation" of Hezbollah fire, without mentioning a halt to Israeli attacks.

Hezbollah flatly rejected the deal on Thursday, demanding instead a comprehensive ceasefire and full Israeli withdrawal from south Lebanon.

Lebanese parliament speaker and Hezbollah ally Nabih Berri said Friday that the group would withdraw from the area south of Lebanon's Litani River if these conditions were met. *AFP*

WAR WATCH

UN doubles appeal for Lebanon aid to $640 millon

The UN on Friday more than doubled its aid appeal for Lebanon as the country reels from Israel's war against Iran-backed Hezbollah, saying nearly $640 million was needed over six months. "Communities across Lebanon have faced an appalling situation due to the escalation of hostilities," Imran Riza, the UN's resident humanitarian coordinator for Lebanon, told reporters in Geneva, speaking from Beirut. He said Israeli attacks have killed more than 3,500 people and injured over 10,000 others since Hezbollah drew Lebanon into the war

AI-designed jab that targets wide range of viruses tested on humans

LONDON

A vaccine targeting a broad range of viruses that was designed entirely using artificial intelligence had a "modest" effect on immune systems in a small, early trial, according to a new study.

The trial marks the first time a vaccine whose active ingredient was entirely designed by AI has been tested in humans, researchers at the University of Cambridge in the UK said in a statement on Friday.

The experimental jab is intended to be a "universal vaccine" which protects people against a range of viruses that have previously sparked deadly outbreaks including SARS, MERS and Covid-19. The researchers expressed hopes that

this type of vaccine could help fend off future pandemics.

"We've converted vaccine development from being reactive to being future proof," Cambridge researcher and study co-author Jonathan Heeney said in a statement. Currently, vaccines for viruses such as the flu and Covid have to be regularly updated to target the latest strains. But the new vaccine aims to produce an immune response that will protect against many pathogens—including some circulating among wild animals that might jump over into humans in the future.

"It means we can escape the constant cycle of chasing the virus variants circulating in humans and updating the vaccines to try to catch up, like a dog chasing its tail," Heeney explained. To design the vaccine's active component, called the antigen, the researchers used a machine learning algorithm trained on genetic data for Sarbeco coronaviruses recorded across the world.

"This is about making vaccines that protect us, not just from today's viruses, but protect us from what can cause the next outbreak or disease," Heeney told BBC. "This is a fundamental shift in how we prepare for pandemics." *AFP*

Government of India
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ISRO Propulsion Complex (IPRC)
Mahendragiri P.O., Tirunelveli District, Tamil Nadu– 627 133, India

E-TENDER NOTICE Dated : 04-06-2026

On Behalf of the President of India, item-rate tenders are invited through **e-tendering** for the following works:

Sl. No.	Name of Works	Estimated Cost ₹ (in Lakhs)	Period of completion	EMD(₹)
1	NIT No:IPRC/CMG/TD/e-15/MA/ELE-04/2026-27			
	Annual Maintenance works of Electrical Installations at Group B, C & CRYO facilities (inside facilities), IPRC, Mahendragiri. (Electrical Work)	55.97	12 (Twelve Months)	1,12,000
2	NIT no:IPRC/CMG/TD/e-17/MW/ELE-01/2026-27			
	Improvement of Special and Static Earthing Systems at various test facilities in IPRC Mahendragiri. (Electrical works)	53.39	09 (Nine Months)	1,06,800
3	NIT no:IPRC/CMG/TD/e-19/MW/AC-01/2026-27			
	Air Conditioning works for Building for Bonded stores, Calibration lab, Instrumentation and Data analysis lab for NGLV Project at IPRC, Mahendragiri.	67.96	10 (Ten Months)	1,36,000

Dates for Online Request : From 06-06-2026 [1000 hours] To: 15-06-2026 [2330 hours] [for s.no: 1 only]; To: 19-06-2026 [2330 hours] [for s.no: 2 & 3 only]

Due Time & Date of Submission : 18-06-2026 [1000 hours] [for s.no: 1 only]; 25-06-2026 [1400 hours] [for s.no: 2 & 3 only]

For further details visit: www.isro.gov.in/tenders (or) www.tenderwizard.com/ISRO.

Note : All future correspondence (Corrigenda) for the above work(s) shall be published only on the websites mentioned above.

GROUP HEAD, CMG, IPRC.

An explosion of sea drone is seen in Constanta port, Romania on Friday | AP

Ukrainian sea drone 'knocked off course' explodes in Romania

BUCHAREST

A Ukrainian sea drone exploded Friday in Romania's Black Sea port of Constanta without causing injury, officials said, and the Ukrainian navy blamed Russian jamming for knocking the device off course.

The sea drone was "of the type used in the war in Ukraine" and not part of the Romanian military's inventory, Bucharest's defence ministry said in a statement, adding the device "self-destructed around 10:30 am (0730 GMT) without causing any casualties".

Ukraine confirmed the device was one of its naval drones, saying it had been knocked off course by Russian electronic interference. "While carrying out missions in the Black Sea operational area, one of the Ukrainian Navy's unmanned surface vessels came under the influence of the enemy's electronic warfare systems, lost control, and ended up near the coast of Romania," Ukraine's navy said.

Ukrainian foreign ministry spokesman Georgii Tykhyi said Kyiv "informed the Romanian side in a timely manner of a naval drone that it had lost control because of Russian jamming". The official said effective coordination had ensured the taking of "necessary measures to prevent harm to civilians".

"These are Ukrainian unmanned maritime vehicles," the Russian embassy in Bucharest said earlier on Telegram.

"Attempts to link these drones, directly or indirectly, to Russia and to attribute responsibility for the incident to Russia are completely unfounded," the embassy added. Romanian officials said that Ukraine informed them about losing control of four drones in total.

"In addition to the drone that self-destructed in the Port of Constanta, a second one self-detonated, under the supervision of the Coast Guard, off the coast of the Port of Constanta, and two other drones exploded approximately 145 km east of Constanta," President Nicusor Dan wrote on X. *AFP*

EXPRESS READ

Andrew sublet royal cottages, audit reveals

London: The former Prince Andrew made money by subletting three cottages on the estate where he lived rent-free for two decades, a report on the royal family's properties released Friday by the UK public spending watchdog said. It also disclosed that his daughters, Princess Beatrice and Princess Eugenie, live in rent-controlled palace properties paid for by their uncle, King Charles III. The amount of income was not included in the report. The audit was carried out at the request of lawmakers

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SHORT TERM E-PROCUREMENT TENDER NOTICE

Short Term E-Procurement Tender are invited for purchase of Three Phase LT XLPE AB Cable of 3Cx50+35 Sq. MM under TN-2160 (UBN JVV2627GLOB00148). Details regarding Quantity, Tender cost, Earnest Money, Schedule date of tender opening for aforesaid tenders are available on our website at **energy.rajasthan.gov.in/jdvvnl** and also at **http://sppp.rajasthan.gov.in.**

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Tender Notice

Ref: Tender No. **MSEDCL/IPO/2026-27/T-02**

The Tender No. **MSEDCL/IPO/2026-27/T-02** is published on tender website for **"Request for Proposal (RFP) for Engagement of Legal Advisor (LA) for Proposed Initial Public Offering (IPO)".**

Further the last date of bid submission is 15/06/2026 up to 5:00 PM.

The detailed information is available on Company's e-tender portal **https://etender.mahadiscom.in/eatApp/ .**

Please logon for viewing the corrigendum and submit the bid under e tendering system of MSEDCL on above website.

HO PR No.129/26 Dt.05.06.2026 **Executive Director (Finance & Account), MSEDCL, Bandra (E)Mumbai.**

Encore Asset Reconstruction Company Private Limited
5th Floor, Plot No. 137, Sector- 44 I Gurgaon- 122002 Ph: 0124 - 4527200

Rule 8(1) POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas, The Authorised Officer **IDFC First Bank** under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (SARFAESI Act, 2002) and in the exercise of powers conferred upon him under Section 13(12) of SARFAESI Act, 2002 read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, had issued a demand Notice dated **30.03.2024 which was also published in the newspapers viz. The New India Express & Dinamani on 21.04.2024** calling upon **1. Mr. Irudhayarajprabhu A, 2. M. Antony Cruz (Deceased), 3. Mr. Cruzmuthu Prince A, 4. Uthiria Mary D** and to repay the amount mentioned in the notice for the amount of Rs. **1,54,23,839.94/- (Rupees One Crore Fifty Four Lakh Twenty Three Thousand Eight Hundred Thirty Nine and Ninety Four Paise Only)** as on **28.03.2024** along with interest at contractual rates till actual repayment/realization, within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

And whereas, the Encore Asset Reconstruction Company Private Limited (Encore ARC) has acquired all rights, titles and interests of **IDFC First Bank** in the financial assets of Borrower, originated by **IDFC First Bank** under section 5 of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002, (SARFAESI Act, 2002) vide Assignment Agreement Dated 24.09.2025.

The **1. Mr. Irudhayarajprabhu A, 2. M. Antony Cruz (Deceased), 3. Mr. Cruzmuthu Prince A, 4. Uthiria Mary D &** having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given by the undersigned being the authorised officer of Encore ARC, to the borrowers and the public in general that the **K Nagendran** has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on me under sub-section (4) of section 13 of SARFAESI Act, 2002 read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on 03.06.2026.

The **1. Mr. Irudhayarajprabhu A, 2. M. Antony Cruz (Deceased), 3. Mr. Cruzmuthu Prince A, 4. Uthiria Mary D &** in particulars, and the public, in general, is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of Encore ARC for an amount of Rs. **1,84,28,903.84/- (Rupees One Crore Eighty Four Lakh Twenty Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Three and Eighty Four Paise Only)** as on **31.05.2026** with interest at contractual rates from **01.06.2026** till actual repayment/realization after adjustment of repayment/realization, if any.

The borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

Secured Immovable Property

All that piece and parcel of property situated in Coimbatore Registration District, Gandhipuram Sub Registration District, Coimbatore Taluk, Sanganoor Village, S.F.No.171 Part, T.S.No. 11/507, Plot No.104 Northern Side to an extent of 2464 Sq. Ft. or 5 Cents 286 Sq. Ft. Situated Within The Following, Boundaries And Measurements:- East: 40 Feet North South Road, West: Plot No. 103, North: Property Belonging To Asokan, South: 40 feet East West Road, In This Middle East-West on the North Side: 38 Ft. East-West on the South Side: 50 Ft. North-South on the East Side: 62 Ft. North-South on the West Side: 50 Ft. Admeasuring 2464 Sq. Ft. Or 5 Cents and 286 Sq. Ft. Extent of Vacant Land With R.C.C Building Doors, Windows, Water Connection, Electricity Connection and Both Deposits. With Using the Rights to Layout Roads Common Usage And Common Pathways Etc.,

Owned By Antony Cruz (Deceased) (now represented by the legal heirs)

Date: 03.06.2026 Place: Coimbatore (Authorised Officer) Encore Asset Reconstruction Company Private Limited

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ROBERT H SCHULLER

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E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE OF SEIZED VEHICLES

Regional Office – I, Coimbatore

No:166, TVS Road, RS Puram, Coimbatore - 641002 Contact No: 9489043387, Email : legalrocbr@canarabank.com

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and to the Borrower/s and Guarantor/s in particular that the under mentioned vehicles/movables hypothecated **to CANARA BANK, Concerned Branch,** will be sold by online Auction.

The Movables are being sold on **"AS IS, WHERE IS, WHATEVER THERE IS AND WITHOUT RECOURSE & NO COMPLAINT BASIS"** as such sale is without any kind of warranties and indemnities.

It is proposed to sell the under mentioned seized movable assets in public auction for the debts payable to Canara Bank:

Date of submission of bid :- on or before 25.06.2026 10:30 a.m,

Date & time of Auction :- 25.06.2026 between 11.30 AM to 12.30 PM. E Auction provider :- M/s. PSB Alliance Baanknet

Bid Submission :- Recovery Section, Regional Office-1, Opp.Anandha Sweets, 166 TV Samy Road, RS Puram West, Coimbatore - 641 002.

EMD amount of 10% of the Reserve Price is to be deposited in E-Wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (BAANKNET) portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through RTGS/NEFT in the account details as mentioned in the said challan.

Description of Asset & Reserve Price and EMD :-

SL NO	BORROWERS NAME AND ADDRESS & A/C NO.	BRANCH	MAKE/MODEL	VEH REGN NO	RESERVE PRICE / EMD
1.	**Mr. Manikandan Sekar,** S/o. Sekar, 1/14, Venkatramana Nagar, Podanur, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu - 641 023. **Loan No : 170006141730**	Kuniyamuthur - II (16124) Mob : 94422 03555	PIAGGIO APE CITY + DIESEL 2022	TN 99 X 4726	Rs.1,10,000/- Rs.11,000/- (being 10% of Reserve Price)
2.	**Mr. Sanjeevan Ramasamy,** S/o.Ramasamy, 19, Lakshmipuram 6, Andal Street 2, Peelamedu, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu-641 004. **Loan No : 170006564412**	Ram Nagar - (16134) Mob : 94422 03565	PIAGGIO APE CITY CNG 2022	TN 37 DP 7686	Rs.89,000/- Rs.8,900/- (being 10% of Reserve Price)
3.	**Ms.Pavithra. G,** W/o. Krishnakumar, 6, 1/7, CMC Colony, Kamarajapuram, RS Puram, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu - 641 002. **Loan No : 170007126068**	Ganapathy -II - (16140) Mob : 94422 03571	PIAGGIO APE AUTO DX	TN 66 AM 0715	Rs.1,79,000/- Rs.17,900/- (being 10% of Reserve Price)
4.	**Mrs. Sridevi N,** W/o. Shreedinesh.K.C, No.179A, 3rd Street Siva Sakthi Nagar, Sivanandhapuram, Saravanampatti, Coimbatore - 641035 **Loan No : 170007118265**	GANAPATHY-II-(16140) Mob : 94422 03571	PIAGGIO APE CITY + DX	TN 38 DD 3881	Rs.1,06,000/- Rs.10,600/- (being 10% of Reserve Price)
5.	**Ms.Sasikala. R,** C.Ramalingam, 37, Lalbahadur Sastrie Street, Kovil Medu, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu - 641 025. **Loan No : 170005363909**	Ganapathy - II - (16140) Mob : 94422 03571	PIAGGIO APE CITY CNG	TN 38 DB 7150	Rs.1,19,000/- Rs.11,900/- (being 10% of Reserve Price)
6.	**Mr. Prabhu Gandhiraj,** C/o. Gandhiraj, H.No.987, Rajainayudu Layout, Gandhipuram, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu - 641 012. **Loan No : 170006175778**	Ganapathy - II - (16140) Mob : 94422 03571	PIAGGIO APE AUTO DX	TN 66 AL 1732	Rs.1,48,000/- Rs.14,800/- (being 10% of Reserve Price)
7.	**Mr. Yogaraj T,** S/o.Thampuraj, 3, Pattalamman Kovil Street Peelamedu, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu-641004 **Loan No : 170005363980**	Ganapathy - II - (16140) Mob : 94422 03571	PIAGGIO APE CITY + DIESEL 2022	TN 37 DM 8995	Rs.81,000/- Rs.8,100/- (being 10% of Reserve Price)
8.	**Ms. Syamala D,** C/o.Saravanakumar D HNO 20/7, Vlothi 7, Kembatty Colony Street No 4, Coimbatore South, Coimbatore South, Tamil Nadu 641001 **Loan No : 170009686820**	Ramnagar - (16134) Mob : 94422 03565	PIAGGIO APE AUTO DX CLS OBD2A 2023	TN 66 AP 7229	Rs.1,25,000/- Rs.12,500/- (being 10% of Reserve Price)
9.	**M/s.Sathya Toys, Mrs.Rani Kannan,** W/o.Kannan, **Both at :** 5A, Vinayagar Kovil Street. Kaliyapuram, Thirumalayampalayam, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu - 641105 **Loan No : 170004244960**	Madukkarai - (1232) Mob : 94890 43434	PIAGGIO APE XTRA LDX+ PU 2022	TN 99 W 1571	Rs.1,50,000/- Rs.15,000/- (being 10% of Reserve Price)

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's https://baanknet.com/. or contact Recovery & Legal Section, Coimbatore I Regional Office, Canara Bank (94890 43387) during office hours on any working day.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF E- AUCTION SALE

1. Auction/bidding shall only be through "online electronic mode" through the website **https://baanknet.com/; 2.** Date & time of auction : **25.06.2026 between 11.30 AM to 12.30 PM; 3.** Last date for deposit of EMD amount & submission of bids : **On or before – 25.06.2026 before 10.30 A.M; 4.** Date of Inspection of vehicles with prior appointment : **10.00 AM to 5.00 PM on 23.06.2026; 5.** The intending bidders should submit a copy of the bid form along with the following documents/details **on or before 25.06.2026 by 10.30 AM.** – Self Attested Photocopies of PAN Card, ID Proof and Address proof. However, successful bidder would have to produce these documents in original to the Bank for verification, at the time of making payment of balance purchase (Sale Consideration amount) amount; **6.** For participating in e-auction, the intending bidders have to deposit EMD amount by way of RTGS/NEFT to the credit of account of the branch mentioned in the table above. Bidders Name, Contact No. Address, E Mail Id & Bidder's A/c details for online refund of EMD shall be submitted along with E Auction form; **7.** Only intending bidders who have submitted EMD amount will be permitted for inspection of respective vehicle; **8.** Auction would commence at Reserve Price, as mentioned above. The bidder who submits the highest bid (above the Reserve Price) on closer of 'Online' auction shall be declared as successful bidder; **9.** The Successful bidder will have to make the full payment within **07** days. If the successful bidder fails to pay the balance sale price as within **07 days** of confirmation of sale, the deposit (including EMD) made by him shall be forfeited; **10.** The EMD deposited by unsuccessful bidder shall be refunded to them & it shall not carry any interest; **11.** Registration formalities as well as all expenditure at RTO office to be borne by the purchaser only; **12.** The authorized officer of the bank reserves the right to postpone/ cancel e-auction as well as vary the terms and condition of the e-auction without assigning any reason thereof; **13.** Intending bidder are kindly requested to inspect the vehicles/movables to know its exact condition & nature and also make independent inquiries & due diligence to satisfy themselves regarding condition of vehicle/machinery before submission of bid. Bank afterwards will not entertain any objection about condition of vehicles. **14.** The intending bidders should register their names at portal https://baanknet.com/ and get their User ID and password free of cost.

This may also be treated as notice to the borrower/s and guarantor/s of the above said loan about the holding of E-Auction Sale on the above mentioned date, if their outstanding dues are not repaid in full.

Place : Coimbatore
Date : 05.06.2026

AUTHORIZED OFFICER
CANARA BANK