

BJP rigged Bengal elections: Mamata

Would not abandon TMC workers in ‘these difficult times’.

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KOLKATA: Trinamool Congress supremo Mamata Banerjee on Tuesday alleged that the BJP “rigged” counting in 177 of the 294 seats, which went for polls to win the recently concluded West Bengal elections. Banerjee asserted that she would not abandon TMC workers in “these difficult times”, referring to large-scale arrests of leaders on charges of corruption, intimidation and extortion, and the alleged torture of party workers after the TMC’s defeat in the recent assembly polls. Addressing TMC supporters at a day-long dharna in central Kolkata to protest against alleged post-poll attacks on party workers and leaders following the BJP’s victory in recent assembly elections, Banerjee said anti-BJP parties would soon formulate a country-wide opposition programme. “Very soon, all anti-BJP parties will meet in Delhi. Wait for a few days and we will soon announce our country-wide course of action,” the TMC chief said, referring to the scheduled INDIA bloc meeting next



TMC supremo Mamata Banerjee holds a sit-in protest against the alleged attacks on party leaders and workers, in Kolkata.

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The party supremo, however, asserted that the dharna, to protest Saturday’s attack on her nephew and TMC MP Abhishek Banerjee, alleged post-poll violence and hawked eviction, will continue till the evening as scheduled.

Banerjee alleged that the recent assault of Abhishek at Sonarpur was carried out in a planned manner.

HIGHLIGHT

● Modi leaves Bengal to chaos, lawlessness rises.

“The BJP had smuggled in its workers from before, fed them and even tutored them how to act and talk. Had a TMC worker not supplied Abhishek with a helmet, the injury from the stone hurled at him could have turned fatal,”

week. Banerjee reached the dharna site at Esplanade’s Y-channel after the TMC’s appeal to hold the protest at the adjacent Rani Rashmoni Road was turned down by the Kolkata Police. In a post on X, Banerjee called the sit-in protest a programme “against post-poll violence, eviction of hawkers without rehabilitation, irregularities/ fraud in the NEET examination, and the vindictive actions of the BJP government”.

she alleged.

She further accused that the private hospitals where Abhishek was taken to were brought under “immense pressure” of the Suvendu Adhikari establishment to not allow admission to the injured leader.

“Modi has left Bengal in the hands of anti-socials and bulldozer-happy politicians, pushing the state into darkness,” she said.

Annual complaints

MUMBAI: The Advertising Standards Council of India (ASCI) has released its Annual Complaints Report2025-2026. Off-shore betting, despite regulatory interventions, was the most violative sector, accounting for 6,933 cases. It was followed by realty (643 cases), personal care (576 cases), food and beverages (331 cases) and products violating the Drugs and Magic Remedies Act (274 cases).

ASCI reviewed 11,581 cases in FY 2025-26, a 21% increase over the previous year. These cases pertained to 9,841 advertisements, a 37% rise over the previous year; 98% of the ads scrutinised required some modification. Notably, 93% of these cases came from ASCI’s proactive monitoring. Digital platforms continue to dominate the violations landscape, accounting for 97.3% of all ads scrutinised, with 82% of these being sponsored content on social media platforms. Meta platforms accounted for 79.84% of digital violations. The report underscores how the speed and reach of digital ecosystems are being used to amplify misleading and harmful advertising.

Tigress Zeenat gives birth to four cubs

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BHUBANESWAR: Tigress Zeenat, translocated from Maharashtra in 2024, has given birth to four cubs in Odisha’s Similipal Tiger Reserve, Forest Minister Ganesh Ram Singhkhuntia said on Tuesday.

The tigress delivered the cubs around 20 days ago, and both the mother and cubs are healthy, he said. “The cubs are under GPS-based monitoring and are safe. This is very encouraging news for the reserve,” he added.

An image captured by a trap camera showed Zeenat carrying one of her cubs in her mouth.

Zeenat, along with another tigress - Jamuna, was brought to Similipal from Maharashtra’s Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve in November 2024 as part of efforts to strengthen the reserve’s tiger gene pool. She was three years old then.

The tigress had earlier drawn national attention after embarking on a nearly 300-km journey across Odisha, Jharkhand and West Bengal shortly

after her relocation. She left Similipal on December 7, 2024, and moved through several forested corridors before being captured in West Bengal following a 21-day tracking operation.

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests PK Jha told PTI that the cubs have high genetic diversity.

FASTFACTS

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● Tigress drew attention for 300-km interstate journey.

sity, as they were born of a mating between a Tadoba tigress and a Similipal tiger, and will help secure the future of the reserve’s big cat population. “This is a conservation initiative of Odisha, involving interstate translocation of tigers, and the successful execution has become a story of resilience, science and teamwork,” he said. Jha said the tiger translocation project, envisaged to increase the genetic diversity of Similipal tigers, has achieved its primary objective by producing successful offspring.

NEWSLINE

NEW DELHI

‘Punjab Cong: no change’



Congress general secretary in-charge for Punjab Bhupesh Baghel rejected speculation on Tuesday that the party is mulling a change of leadership in the state and asserted that next year’s Assembly polls would be contested by leaders collectively.

Baghel made the assertion after a meeting with the party’s top brass at Congress president Mallikarjun Kharge’s 10, Rajaji Marg residence here. Besides Kharge, former party chief Rahul Gandhi and Congress general secretary K C Venugopal were also present at the meeting.

“A meeting on Punjab was held a few days ago and one was held today as well as the Assembly polls are near. Serious deliberations have been held on the way forward,” Baghel told reporters.

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New railway era begins with Rayagada Div functioning

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Railway administration and operations across South Odisha strengthened.

BHUBANESWAR: The newly created Rayagada Railway Division of East Coast Railway commenced functioning from today, 1st June 2026, marking a significant milestone in strengthening railway administration and operations across South Odisha and adjoining regions.

With the operationalisation of the division, all designated administrative, operating and technical functions have been formally taken over by the new divisional set up. Train Control offices, control boards and associated operational monitoring systems have become functional, enabling independent control and



regulation of train operations within the jurisdiction of the division. The transfer of operational, technical and administrative responsibilities from the parent divisions has been completed smoothly, ensuring seamless continuity of train services.

The division is headed by Shri Amitabh Singhal, an Indian Railway Service of Electrical Engineers (IRSEE) officer of the 1995 batch and a graduate in Electrical & Electronics Engineering from NIT Tiruchirappalli. During his distin-

guished railway career, he has been associated with several landmark rolling stock initiatives, including the Vande Bharat Express (Train-18) project. He has also been honoured with various awards and recognitions for his professional excellence and contributions to Indian Railways. He will lead the new division with the support of officers and railway staff in strengthening operations, infrastructure development and service delivery across the region. The establishment of Rayagada Division brings railway administration closer to field units and operational centres, facilitating quicker decision making, enhanced monitoring of train operations, improved asset management and more effective coordination with State Government agencies, industries and other stakeholders.

National Panchayat Awards 2025 on June 3

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NEW DELHI: Union Minister Rajiv Ranjan Singh will confer the National Panchayat Awards 2025 on 42 outstanding panchayats from across the country at a ceremony here on Wednesday, according to an official statement.

The awards will be presented by Singh, Panchayati Raj Minister, along with Minister of State for Panchayati Raj S P Singh Baghel, the statement said. Of the 42 awardees, 34 Gram

Panchayats will be honoured under the Deen Dayal Upadhyay Panchayat Satat Vikas Puraskar category, while eight panchayats will receive the Nanaji Deshmukh Sarvottam Panchayat Satat Vikas Puraskar, it said.

Senior officials of the Ministry of Panchayati Raj and elected representatives of Panchayati Raj Institutions from various states and Union Territories will also attend the National Panchayat Awards 2025 programme, it said.

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- The applicant(s) must have physical/mental self-sufficiency.
- The applicant must not be suffering from any contagious/communicable/infectious disease.
- If selected, the applicant shall not occupy any alternate place of residence (rented, owned, leased, as licensee etc.) in & around Rourkela. In case the applicants have alternate residence at present (i.e. before the occupation of the rooms at SAKSHYAM, they shall submit the required declaration as per existing rules.)

2. Documents to be submitted:

- Application Form duly signed by applicant.
- Undertaking to be signed (provided with application form set).
- Self-attested copies of service certificate / Superannuation Order.
- Self-attested copies of Valid Medical Cards. Aadhar Card & Mediclaim Policy of self and spouse along with the application form.
- Two nos of passport size photo of the applicant.
- Affidavit (containing Point No.11, 12 & 14 of Rules and Regulations)
- Declaration for point 'V' above to be given along with application.

Application form, Guidelines, Rules & Regulations shall be available at office of GM I/c (CSR), IPD Building, Sector-20, Rourkela-769005/RSP Portal/Sampark Portal/ SAIL website.

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The applications should reach to the office of GM I/c (CSR), IPD Building, Sector-20, Rourkela-769005 on or before dated: **15-07-2026 (Tuesday).**

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MEGA E-AUCTION INFORMATION
E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE OF THE MORTGAGED PROPERTIES UNDER SARFAESI ACT 2002

Properties Sale Notice by E-Auction Dated : 09.07.2026, from 11.00 am to 05.00 pm
THE PROPERTIES MENTIONED BELOW ARE TO BE SOLD UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE SARFAESI ACT 2002 ON 'AS IS WHERE IS BASIS'

Sr. No.	Branch & Borrower/ Guarantor & Address	Description of the Mortgaged Property	Reserve Price (in Lakhs)	A) Demand Notice Date
			Earliest Money Deposit (in Lakhs) Bid Increment Amt. (in Lakhs)	B) Possession Date C) Amount Due (in Lakhs)
01	Raipur Branch- Borrower- Mrs. Chitra Verma W/o Mr. Chandrashekhar Verma, Mrs. Priyanka Verma D/o Krishna Kumar Verma	Residential House situated at old Kh. No. 64/4, Mouza- Mathpura, Ph. No. 105 RNM Raipur -1 Chandrashekhar Ward no. 52, Tehsil & District - Raipur (C.G.) admeasuring area-2550 Sq.Ft. standing in name of Mrs. Chitra Verma W/o Mr. Chandrashekhar Verma and Mrs. Priyanka Verma D/o Mr. Krishan Kumar Verma, Boundaries: North: Road, South: Open Land, East: Property of Neelkanth Sonkar, West: Other's House. (Symbolic Possession)	₹ 63.38	A) 04.06.2025
			₹ 6.33	B) 06.09.2025
			₹ 0.25	C) ₹ 19.08 + Intt. & Other Charges
02	Raipur Branch- Borrower- Mr. Chandrashekhar Verma S/o Mr. Tula Ram Verma	Residential House situated at Old Kh. No. 64/4, New Kh. No. 644/17, Mouza-Mathpura, Ph. No. 105 RNM Raipur -1 Chandrashekhar Ward no. 52, Tehsil & District - Raipur (C.G.) admeasuring area-1300 Sq.Ft. standing in name of Mr. Chandrashekhar Verma S/o Tularam Verma, Boundaries: North: Land of Mandan, South: Purchase Land of Krishna Kumar, East: Road, West: Remaining land of seller. (Symbolic Possession)	₹ 38.73	A) 01.05.2025
			₹ 3.87	B) 05.08.2025
			₹ 0.25	C) ₹ 10.86 + Intt. & Other Charges
03	Raipur Branch- Borrower- M/s Shree Physical Lab, Prop. Mr. Chandrashekhar Verma S/o Mr. Tula Ram Verma	(A) Kh. No. 742/3, Ph. No. 06 Village- Jamrao, R.N.M., Bhilai-3, Tehsil - Patan, District: Durg (C.G.) admeasuring 5450 Sq.Ft. standing in the name of M/s Shree Physical Lab. Boundaries: North: Land of Sunil Khandelwal, South: Land of Gend Lal Sahu, East: Land of Gend Lal Sahu, West: Road and Land of Sunil Kumar (B) Kh. No. 742/2(part), Ph. No.06 Village- Jamrao, R.N.M.- Bhilai-3, Tehsil - Patan, District: Durg (C.G.) admeasuring 600 Sq.Ft. standing in the name of M/s Shree Physical Lab. Boundaries: North: Land of Chandra Shekhar, South: Land of Gend Lal Sahu, East: Land of Gend Lal Sahu, West: Road and Land of Sunil Khandelwal (Symbolic Possession). Note : *Both Property No. A & B will be sold together.	₹ 33.71	A) 01.05.2025
			₹ 3.37	B) 05.08.2025
			₹ 0.25	C) ₹ 20.99 + Intt. & Other Charges
04	Devendra Nagar, Raipur Branch- Borrower- Mr. Sanjay Kumar Ochani S/o Mr. Duni Chand Ochani and Co-Borrower, Mr. Gopi Chand Ochani S/o Mr. Duni Chand Ochani.	Residential House situated at Part of Kh. No. 724/8, P. H. No. 109/41, (New Kh. No. 724/28, PH No. 00041), Shivaji Nagar, Dwarka Vihar, Mouza- Daldai Seoni, Khushabhai Thakre Ward No. 26, Tehsil & District- Raipur (C.G.), Total Plot Area- 1000 sqft. in the name of Shri. Sanjay Kumar Ochani S/o Shri. Duni Chand Ochani and Shri. Gopi Chand Ochani S/o Shri. Duni Chand Ochani, Boundaries: North: Land of Gagandeep Singh, South: Land of Sandeep Rath, East: Road, West: Land of Sandeep Rath. (Symbolic Possession).	₹ 27.64	A) 06.10.2025
			₹ 2.76	B) 11.02.2026
			₹ 0.25	C) ₹ 23.70 + Intt. & Other Charges
05	Durg Branch- Borrower - Mr. Jaichand Tigga, Co-Applicant - Mrs. Plasiya Tigga	Residential Flat situated at Part of Kh. No. 80/6, 80/5, 80/7, 80/8, PH No. 19/23, Flat No. A-101, First Floor M/S Land Mark Associates, Anand Vihar, Phase-2, Mouja-Polityakala, Tehsil & Dist- Durg, C.G in the name of Smt. Plasiya Tigga w/o Shri Jaichand Tigga, Admeasuring area- 878.00 Sqft. Boundries: North : Flat No.-A/102, South: Open to Sky, East: Open to Sky, West: Corridor. (Symbolic Possession).	₹ 16.43	A) 29.11.2025
			₹ 1.64	B) 02.02.2026
			₹ 0.25	C) ₹ 10.08 + Intt. & Other Charges
06	ARB (Raipur) Branch- Borrower - B l a c k m i n e Corporation Mining And Allied (OPC) Private Limited	(A) Freehold Industrial Land Situated at Kh. No. 399, Vill. - Konar, PH. No. 00013, RNM- Tandva, Tah. - Tilda, Dist.- Raipur, CG. Admeasuring- 42302.17 Sqft. In the name of Mr. Vinay Shrivastava Boundaries:- North - Road, South - Border of Konari Village, East - Land of Rajkumar agrawal, West- Land of Industry Dept. (Symbolic Possession)	₹ 63.20	A) 12.03.2025
			₹ 6.32	B) 09.01.2026
			₹ 0.25	C) ₹ 163.14 + Intt. & Other Charges
		(B) Freehold Industrial Land Situated at Kh. No. 95/5, 95/6, Vill. - Khamhariya, PH. No. 00013, RNM- Tandva, Tah. - Tilda, Dist.- Raipur, CG. Admeasuring- 42302.17 Sqft. In the name of Mr. Vinay Shrivastava Boundaries (95/5):- North-Land of Chandrashekhar, South- Sellers land, East- Sellers Land, West- Border of Vill. Konari, Boundaries (95/6):- North - Sellers land, South-Sellers land, East-Sellers Land, West-Rajharshi (Symbolic Possession)	₹ 28.30	B) 28.30
			₹ 2.83	
			₹ 0.25	

Vehicle Sale Notice by E-Auction (E-Auction Date - 09.07.2026)
The vehicle seized by our branch are proposed to be sold by tender on the basis of "As is Where is".

Sr.	Name of Branch & Borrower Name	Details of Vehicle	Reserve Price
			Earliest Money Deposit Bid Increment Amount
1.	Balanga Branch- Borrower- Mr. Indra Thakur	1. VEHICLE NO: CG17KZ0866, MAKE AND MODEL: Hyundai Motors India Ltd(2023), 2. CHASSIS NO: MALFB81BLPM545201, 3. Engine no: G4LAPM762738	₹ 4,44,000
			₹ 44,400
			₹ 25,000
2.	Balanga Branch- Mr. Shubham Singh Co-Applicant: Mrs. Aastha Singh	1. VEHICLE NO: CG17KY1970, MAKE AND MODEL: PCA Automobile India Ltd C3 2P Shine. (2023), 2. CHASSIS NO: MZZCCHMERPV011371, 3. Engine no: 10VQA0002481	₹ 2,99,000
			₹ 29,900
			₹ 25,000

Date & Time of E-Auction Date: 09.07.2026, from 11.00 am to 05.00 pm with unlimited extension of 10 minutes during each inspection date & time of the property - from 03.06.2026 to 08.07.2026 Time-11.00 am to 3.00 pm (Official working day).
Note:-Any bidder/Interested Party can bid for Plant & Machinery Independently, but for bids regarding Land & Building, bidder has to compulsorily bid for Plant & Machinery and in no circumstances Land & Building can be bided Independently

30DAYS SALE NOTICE TO THE BORROWERS/GUARANTORS/MORTGAGORS
The above mentioned Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors are hereby noticed to pay the sum as mentioned in Section 13(2) Notice along with interest & charges before the date of Auction failing which the property will be auctioned and balance due, in any, will be recovered with interest and cost from you.

For More Details Contact: Raipur Branch: Bheem Rao Ballepuru- 9611444988, Devendra Nagar, Raipur Branch: Nirmala Dhapola-9669301069, Durg Branch: Nabanita Dutta- 8987455200, ARB (Raipur) Branch: Suraj Kumar - 7717741309, Balanga Branch: Vivek Kumar Pat- 8103476499, Emd Related/auction Portal Related Information- Zonal Office, Mr. Rama Rao, Mob.: 99084 84996.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF E-AUCTION: 1. The Auction Sale bidding will be online through the website <https://baanknet.com>. 2. Bidder may visit <https://baanknet.com>, for Guidelines. 3. The Bid Amount should be higher than the Reserve Price. 4. The highest successful bidders shall deposit 25% of bid/ purchase money adjusting the earnest money already paid immediately on the same day or next working day, after acceptance of the bid, failing which the EMD shall be forfeited. 5. The balance 75% of purchase price shall be payable on or before 15 days of confirmation of the sale by the Authorized officer or such period as agreed upon in writing solely at the discretion of the Authorized officer. In case of failure to deposit the balance amount within the prescribed period, the amount deposited shall be forfeited and the Authorized officer/bank will be at liberty to cancel the auction and conduct fresh auction. 6. The EMD of the unsuccessful bidder will be returned on the closure of the e-auction sale proceedings. The EMD shall not carry any interest. 7. The Property is sold in "AS IS WHERE IS BASIS" and "AS IS WHAT IT IS BASIS" and "WITHOUT ANY RECOURSE BASIS". The intending bidders should make their own enquiries regarding any sort of liabilities. 8. The undersigned has the absolute rights and discretion to accept or reject any bid or adjourn/postpone/cancel the sale/modify any terms and conditions of the sale without any prior notice and assigning any reason. 9. The purchaser shall bear all subsequent charges. 10. The amount due is exclusive of interest and other charges. 11. Further any corrigendum will not be publish in newspaper. Interested advised to refer above website regularly. 12. The Employee/s of Bank of India are barred from participation of e-auction. 13. Interested Bidders need to create their user id and password by own and it will take minimum time of 2 days therefore it is requested to the bidder to kindly create his/her user id before the last date. 14. In case of sole bidder, the bid amount quoted in his bid from must be improved by at least one bid incremental value, lest the sale shall be cancelled/ deferred.

Date : 03.06.2026, Place : Raipur Chief Manager and Authorized Officer, Bank Of India

Rice pest management

MUMBAI: Rice in India is a daily staple central to the agri economy. Yet across rice-growing regions, farmers face a persistent and costly threat. Pests like Brown Planthopper (BPH) and stem borer cause crop stress, yield loss, and reduced grain quality. Most farmers manage these pests reactively, spraying only after infestation is visible. This approach has real limitations. Delayed detection means damage is often already underway before action is taken. Labor shortages at peak periods, combined with dependence on rain-free windows, add further operational uncertainty at critical moments in the crop cycle.

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2/ निविदा की सामान्य शर्तें, विस्तृत निविदा विज्ञप्ति (परिशिष्ट - 2.10 एवं निविदा दस्तावेज परिशिष्ट-2.13) यथा संशोधित व अन्य जानकारी वेबसाइट <http://eproc.cgstate.gov.in> में अथवा कार्यालयीन अवधि में कार्यालय में उपस्थित होकर दिनांक 01.06.2026 से देखी जा सकती है।

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