



Six Georgians tried in France over theft of rare Russian books



GLOBAL WEATHER

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

Beijing	21	1	SNY	Los Angeles	20	12	SNY
Colombo	28	24	SNY	Melbourne	26	15	LC
Dhaka	31	19	SNY	Moscow	4	2	SNY
Dubai	26	21	SNY	New York	7	2	SNY
Houston	31	19	TDS	Singapore	28	25	TDS
Istanbul	33	21	SNY	Toronto	1	-5	SNY
London	13	9	SNY	Washington	3	-2	SNY

Israel expands Lebanon offensive, orders residents out of Tyre region

Tehran warns of renewed attacks if strikes continue; 8 killed in Tyre raid

TYRE

LEBANON'S health ministry said an Israeli airstrike on Tyre killed at least eight people on Tuesday, with the Israeli military warning the entire city to evacuate shortly after the strike. Lebanon's state-run National News Agency (NNA) reported raids on more than a dozen other locations across the country's south, as Israel pressed on with its war against the militant group Hezbollah.

It is acting despite a warning the day before from Iran that it would resume attacking Israel if it continued striking its neighbour. Tehran insists that Lebanon must be part of any deal to end the wider West Asia war, which Hezbollah dragged Lebanon into on March 2 by attacking Israel in support of its backer Iran.

An AFP correspondent saw residents of Tyre, including from the Christian quarter, fleeing and heavy traffic heading north after the Israeli warning. Another correspondent in the coastal city of Sidon, further north, saw displaced people arriving from Tyre, some with belongings hastily strapped to the roof of their cars.

Israel has repeatedly struck the city of Tyre since the latest war erupted with Hezbollah, following the militants' rocket fire at Israel on March



Smoke and debris rise following an Israeli airstrike in Tyre | AP

2 to avenge the killing of Iran's supreme leader.

But until Tuesday, Tyre's Christian quarter in the Old City — a small, picturesque area where displaced people had also sought refuge — had been spared Israeli evacuation warnings targeting the rest of the city in the ongoing war. "Urgent warning to the residents of the city of Tyre, including the Christian quarter, and the camps and surrounding neighbourhoods," the Israeli army warning on X read, referring to several Palestinian refugee camps in the area. "For your safety, we ask you to immediately evacuate your homes... and move north

of the Zahrani River."

The Zahrani river is around 30 kilometres north of Tyre. The Israeli army last month declared all areas south of the river "combat zones".

The NNA reported an Israeli strike on Tyre's outskirts before the evacuation notice was issued, and further strikes on the city later in the day after the warning. The health ministry said the pre-warning strike killed at least eight people and wounded 32 others, with rescuers still searching rubble for survivors. Hezbollah, the only Lebanese group that refused to surrender its arsenal after a civil war ended in 1990, has also kept up its attacks on Israeli troops who have invaded south Lebanon.

Drone rescue after Hormuz crash; Trump says crew safe

DUBAI

A drone boat rescued the crew of a US Army attack helicopter that crashed early on Tuesday near the Strait of Hormuz, the strategic waterway that Iran has effectively closed during its war with the US and Israel, a US military official said.

It was the first known drone rescue at sea by the US military, said Capt Tim Hawkins, a spokesman for US Central Command. He said the unmanned boat located the two aviators and brought them to shore after they spent about two hours in the water. Military officials have not said what caused the Apache helicopter to go down. A military news release said the crash is under investigation.

US President Donald Trump acknowledged the crash while speaking to journalists in New York on Monday night.

"The pilots are fine. Yeah," Trump said. "Nobody injured." The crash happened about 3.30 am local time on Tuesday off the coast of Oman while the helicopter was on a patrol, US Central Command said. The drone used to perform the rescue was a 24-foot vessel called a Corsair, Hawkins said. It's manufactured by Saronic Technologies. The drone was assigned to the Navy's Task Force 59, established in 2021 as the Navy's first uncrewed and artificial intelligence unit that focuses on maritime security in the West Asia, including the Strait of Hormuz and the Suez Canal. AP

Cheers as court axes Don's \$1L H-1B fee, labels it a 'tax'

WASHINGTON

US lawmakers, state attorneys general and Indian diaspora organisations welcomed a federal court order striking down Donald Trump's USD 100,000 fee on new H-1B visa applications, saying the move would ease staffing shortages in healthcare and education and restore fairness to the immigration system. The reaction came after US District Judge Leo Sorokin struck down the fee, ruling that the policy imposed a "tax" on H-1B petitions without the requisite delegation by Congress.

Sorokin sided with California and 19 other states, concluding that the executive branch exceeded its authority and violated the Administrative Procedure Act. The administration had announced the much-higher fee as a way of preventing foreign workers from taking American jobs.

Republican Senator Lisa

TRUMP SLAMS RULING

Donald Trump criticised the court order, saying judges were "giving us a very hard time" and hurting the country. Speaking in New York after watching the NBA Finals, Trump called the judges "really crazy". The White House signalled it would challenge the ruling in an appeals court, with spokesperson Taylor Rogers saying the H-1B programme had been abused for decades and expressing confidence that the order would be reversed.

Murkowski said school districts in rural Alaska relied on the H-1B programme to bring quality teachers to their communities, while Republican Congressman Mike Lawler said he was pushing legislation to exempt healthcare workers from the fee.

Democratic lawmakers Don

Beyer and Sanford Bishop Jr welcomed the ruling, saying the charge would have worsened staffing shortages and discouraged skilled workers from coming to the United States.

California Attorney General Rob Bonta, who led the multi-state coalition that filed the lawsuit, said "this tax" was an attack on America's ability to attract and retain high-skilled talent. Massachusetts Attorney General Andrea Joy Campbell said the decision would help address labour shortages in education, healthcare and medical research.

Indian diaspora groups also welcomed the order. The Foundation for India and Indian Diaspora Studies said the ruling preserved the US's competitive advantage in innovation and research, while Indiaspora said stakeholders would "heave a sigh of relief", though it cautioned that procedural hurdles could still emerge.

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ASIA MATTERS

SUGIONO VOWS SUPPORT FOR MYANMAR PEACE

Foreign Minister Sugiono reaffirmed support for an inclusive and sustainable peace process during talks with Myanmar leader Min Aung Hlaing in Naypyidaw on Tuesday. He conveyed a message from President Prabowo Subianto and said dialogue was key to ending the conflict peacefully. He also stressed implementation of ASEAN's Five-Point Consensus and pledged to work with all stakeholders. Sugiono later held talks with Foreign Minister U Tin Maung Swe, exploring cooperation in economic, educational and people-to-people sectors. The visit followed similar missions by regional counterparts recently.

Xi caps rare North Korea trip with display of unity

SEOUL

CHINESE President Xi Jinping returned home on Tuesday following a rare trip to North Korea that included a bilateral meeting and public appearances with leader Kim Jong Un underscoring a joint push to reestablish the alliance between their countries.

Xi Jinping flew to the capital Pyongyang on Monday in his first visit there in seven years. During their summit later in the day, Xi expressed China's willingness to expand cooperation in a wide range of areas including trade, agriculture, construction and technology, while Kim said the two countries will maintain their friendship as "the most important top-priority strategic work," according to Chinese and North Korean state media reports.

Xi Jinping and Kim Jong Un on Tuesday visited a North Korea-China friendship tower honoring Chinese soldiers who fought alongside North Korea during the 1950-53 Korean War.



They stressed the importance of carrying forward the countries' traditional friendship and spirit of resistance against the United States, Chinese state media reported.

The leaders, who last met in Beijing in September, also toured a ruling Workers' Party training school and planted a fir tree symbolising bilateral ties. Xi later attended a luncheon and farewell ceremony before returning to Beijing, Chinese state media said.

Experts say Xi sought to restore China's sway over North Korea as Kim sought benefits in return. State media highlighted deeper ties and Kim's backing of Beijing's Taiwan stance. AP



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SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES "APPENDIX- IV-A [See proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6)]
E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.
Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of Bank of Baroda, Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis for recovery of below mentioned account(s). The details of Borrower(s)/Guarantor(s)/Secured Asset(s)/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below –

Sr. No	Name & Address Of Borrower(s)/Guarantor(s)/Mortgagor(s)	Short Description Of The Immovable Property With Known Encumbrances If Any Baanknet Property Id	A.Branch Name B. Account Number C.Total Dues	Date Of E-Auction Time Of E-Auction Start Time To End Time	A. Reserve Price B. EMD Amount C. Bid Increase Amount D. Status of Possession	Property Inspection Date & Time
1	(1) Mr. Hishammohammed Aneefa Jubaira S/o Mohammed Aneefa Eliyas (Borrower) Is An Nri Residing At Ra 3831-C-Street, Po Box 48636, Dubai-Uae. Also at: Hussain Pharmacy Building Behind Sharjah Co Operative Abu Shagara Shadi Po Box 307501 Dubai- Uae. Permanent Address : Is At Shabnam Cottage Chemmarathumukku Nagaroor Thiruvananthapuram Kerala 695601. (2) Mrs Khadeeja B S W/o Hishammohammed Aneefa Jubaira (Guarantor) Residing At: Shabnam Cottage Chemmarathumukku Nagaroor Thiruvananthapuram Kerala-695601.	Flat No F-104, 2 BHK On The First Floor F-Tower In Building Known As Zuari Garden City Situated At Hulikere Village, Belagola Hobli, Srirangapatna Taluk, Mandya Dist. Karnataka- 571606. Measuring 113.81 Sq Mt Of Super Built Up Area And Uds-42.36 Sqmt. And With One Car Parking And Bounded By East: Flat No F-103 West: Open Space North: Open Space South: Flat No F-105. Baanknet Property Id: Barbvjsabshishammohammed	A.Sarakki B.74150600003489 And 74150600003486 C. Rs. 99,10,433.72 As On 04.06.2026 With Further Interest Theron At The Contractual Rate Plus Costs Charges And Expenses Till Date Of Payment	29.06.2026 2.00 PM To 6.00 PM	A. Rs.46,43,730.00 B. Rs.4,64,373.00 C. Rs.25,000.00 D. Physical Possession	After 10.06.2026 (With Prior Permission From Authorised Officer)
2	(1) Mr. Rajeev Anandan Pillai S/o Mr. Anandan Pillai (Borrower) Is And Nri Currently Residing At Flat No. 105,322-2, Al-Hudaba Area, United Arab Emirates Dubai- P.O.Box 564. Permanent Address Residing At : Muthirathara Nandanam K S Puram P O Karunagapally Kollam Kerala 690544. (2) Mr. Rajesh S/o Mr. Anandan Pillai (Guarantor), Residing At : Muthurathara, Neelikulam, Kulasekharapuram Po, Kollam, Kerala- 690544.	Flet No F-603, 2 BHK On The 6th Floor F-Tower In Building Known As Zuari Garden City Situated At Hulikere Village, Belagola Hobli, Srirangapatna Taluk, Mandya Dist. Karnataka- 571606. The Super Built Up Area Of The Flat Having Is 1225.00 Sqft. Carpet Area Is 83.40 Sq Mtr And Uds Is 42.36 Sq Mtr And One Car Parking Space And Bounded By East: Flat No. F-602 West: Flat No. F-604 North: Open Space South: Flat No. F-606. Baanknet Property Id: Barbvjsabarajeew	A.Sarakki B.74150600003141 And 74150600003138 C. Rs. 96,86,112.11 As On 04.06.2026 With Further Interest Theron At The Contractual Rate Plus Costs Charges And Expenses Till Date Of Payment	29.06.2026 2.00 PM To 6.00 PM	A. Rs.46,43,730.00 B. Rs.4,64,373.00 C. Rs.25,000.00 D. Physical Possession	After 10.06.2026
3	(1) Mr. Rashad S/o Mr. Hassnul Banna (Borrower), Is An Nri Residing At Flat No. 306, Khalid Building, AL-Karama, United Arab Emirates Dubai - P.O.Box 19667. Permanent Address Residing At : Mammini Kkanakath Rahma Manzil Poyliserry B P Angadi Talakkad Malapuram Kerala 676102. (2) Mr.Hassnul Banna S/o Ibrahim (Guarantor) Residing At: TheMamminikanakath Rahma Manzil, B P Angadi Taluk, Malappura, Kerala- 676102.	Flat No G-503, 2 BHK On The 5th Floor G-Tower In Building Known As Zuari Garden City Situated At Hulikere Village, Belagola Hobli, Srirangapatna Taluk, Mandya Dist. Karnataka- 571606. The Super Built Up Area Of The Flat Having Is 1225.00 Sft. Carpet Area Is 83.40 Sq Mtr And Uds Is 42.36 Sq Mtr And One Car Parking Space And Bounded By East : Flat No. G-502, West : Flat No. G-504, North : Open Space, South: Flat No. G-506. Baanknet Property Id: Barbvjsabarashad	A. Sarakki B.74150600003217 And 74150600003216 C. Rs. 96,86,112.11 As On 04.06.2026 With Further Interest Theron At The Contractual Rate Plus Costs Charges And Expenses Till Date Of Payment	29.06.2026 2.00 PM To 6.00 PM	A. Rs.46,43,730.00 B. Rs.4,64,373.00 C. Rs.25,000.00 D. Physical Possession	After 10.06.2026
4	(1) Mrs. Eliswa Sebastine W/o Mr. Byju Thomas (Borrower), Is An Nri Residing At Building Flat No 204 318-6A, Alkarama Street Dm 53 Premise No 318136740, Po Box 1, Dubai Uae. Permanent Address At : Thekkumpurathu House, M A Mathew Road, Palluruthy Ennakulam, Kerala 682006. (2) Mr. Byju Thomas (Guarantor) Residing At : No 2, Ground Floor, Annai Indra Nagar, Bharathi Street, Thiruvallur, Tamil Nadu-600051.	Villa No 103, 2 BHK On Ground Floor In Block No VL 18, Situated At Zuari Garden City Situated At Hulikere Village, Belagola Hobli, Srirangapatna Taluk, Mandya District Karnataka- 571606 The Super Built Up Area Of The Flat Having Is 70.00 Sq Mtr. And Uds Is 72.00 Sq Mtr And Bounded By East : VL 19-102, West: VL 18-102, North: Open Space, South: VL 18-104. Baanknet Property Id: Barbvjsabelisw	A. Sarakki B. 74150600003508 And 74150600003507 C. Rs. 44,76,985.00 as On 04.06.2026 With Further Interest Theron At The Contractual Rate Plus Costs Charges And Expenses Till Date Of Payment	29.06.2026 2.00 PM To 6.00 PM	A. Rs.40,50,000.00 B. Rs.4,05,000.00 C. Rs.25,000.00 D. Physical Possession	After 10.06.2026
5	(1) Mrs. Eliswa Sebastine W/o Mr. Byju Thomas (Borrower) Is An Nri Residing At Building Flat No 204 318-6A, Alkarama Street Dm 53 Premise No 318136740, Po Box 1, Dubai Uae. Permanent Address At : Thekkumpurathu House, M A Mathew Road, Palluruthy Emakulam, Kerala 682006. (2) Mr. Byju Thomas (Guarantor) Residing At : No 2, Ground Floor, Annai Indra Nagar, Bharathi Street, Thiruvallur, Tamil Nadu-600051.	Villa No 103, 2 BHK On Ground Floor In Block No VI 13, Situated At Zuari Garden City Situated At Hulikere Village, Belagola Hobli, Srirangapatna Taluk, Mandya District Karnataka- 571606 The Super Built Up Area Of The Flat Having Is 70.00 Sq Mtr. And Uds Is 72.00 Sq Mtr Bounded By : East : VL 14-102, West: VL 13-102, North : Open Space, South: VL 13-10. Baanknet Property Id: Barbvjsabelisw1	A.Sarakki B. 74150600003505 And 74150600003506 C. Rs. 44,72,930.67 As On 04.06.2026 With Further Interest Theron At The Contractual Rate Plus Costs Charges And Expenses Till Date Of Payment	29.06.2026 2.00 PM To 6.00 PM	A. Rs.40,50,000.00 B. Rs.4,05,000.00 C. Rs.25,000.00 D. Physical Possession	After 10.06.2026

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Date: 09.06.2026
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorised Officer,
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NOTICE INVITING TENDER
The APTRANSCO invites bids online for Spec.No.PMM11-e-41/2026: Lot-1: 2.5Sq.mm PVC FRLS, Armoured Copper Control Cables, Lot-2: PVC FRLS, Armoured Aluminium Power Cables. Date & Time of availability of above tender: 10.06.2026 at 5:00 PM, Website: www.tender.approcurement.gov.in. Contact No. CE/Transmission: 0866-2429230. Sd/- R.O.No. GMCC/APTRANSCO/79/26-27 CHIEF ENGINEER/TRANSMISSION



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TENDER NOTICE
Tenders are invited for procurement of 11 KV Heat Shrinkable Straight Through Jointing Kits and 11 KV Heat Shrinkable Outdoor/Indoor End Termination suitable for various sizes of H.T. XLPE Cables with Estimated Cost of Rs. 717.79 Lakhs against MSEDCL advertised Tender on website vide no. MMD/T-LTM-05/0626 due for submission on dtd. 30-06-2026. For details please visit website: <https://etender.mahadiscom.in/>. eatApp/ HO PR 132/26 Chief Engineer (MMD)

POSSESSION NOTICE
Whereas, the authorized officer of Jana Small Finance Bank Limited under the Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets And Enforcement Of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (2) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 issued demand notices to the borrower(s)/ Co-borrower(s) calling upon the borrowers to repay the amount mentioned against the respective names together with interest thereon at the applicable rates as mentioned in the said notices within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notices, along with future interest as applicable incidental expenses, costs, charges etc, incurred till the date of payment and/or realisation.

Sr. No.	Loan No.	Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ Mortgagor	13(2) Notice Date/ Outstanding Due (In Rs.) as on	Date/ Time & Type of Possession
1	31789430001391 31789410001511 & 31789170074441	1) Mr. Manjunatha, & 2) Mrs. Sujatha	23.03.2026 Rs.8,70,021.38 (Rupees Eight Lakh Seventy Thousand Twenty one and Thirty Eight Paise Only) due as on 23-03-2026	Date: 08-06-2026 Time: 01:30 PM Symbolic Possession

Description of the Property: All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Property ID No.151600301000700013, Gram Panchayath Property ID No.112, on site measuring East to West 9.144 and North to South 9.144 meters and totally measuring 83.61 Square Meters and Constructed Plinth area 41.81 Square Meters and the Property situated at within the limits of Madike Hosalli Village, Mokali Gram Panchayath, Arakalagud Taluk, Hassan District and the entire property Bounded by: On the East: Vacant property of Sri Kittu, On the West: House property belongs to Sri Papanna, On the North: Road, On the South: House property belongs to Smt. Thayamma.

Whereas the Borrower(s)/ Co-Borrower(s)/ Guarantor(s)/ Mortgagors, mentioned herein above have failed to repay the amounts due, notice is hereby given to the Borrower(s) mentioned herein above in particular and to the Public in general that the authorised officer of Jana Small Finance Bank Limited has taken possession of the properties/ secured assets described herein above in exercise of powers conferred on him under Section 13(4) of the said act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the dates mentioned above. The Borrower(s)/ Co-Borrower(s)/ Guarantor(s)/ Mortgagors mentioned herein above in particular and the Public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the aforesaid properties/ Secured Assets and any dealings with the said properties/ Secured assets will be subject to the charge of Jana Small Finance Bank Limited.

Place: Hassan

Sd/- Authorised Officer,
For Jana Small Finance Bank Limited

Date: 09.06.2026

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POSSESSION NOTICE
Under Rule 8(1) (For Immovable Property)
Account No. HBL -37717411540
WHEREAS, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the State Bank of India, under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12), read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002, issued a Demand Notice dated 23.04.2025 calling upon the borrower: Sri.R.Parashiva S/o. Late Raju, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being of Rs.5,07,438.00 (Rupees five lakh, seven thousand, four hundred and thirty eight only) as on 23.04.2025 and interest & expenses thereon, within 60 days from the date of receipt of the notice.
The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this day the 5th June 2026.
The borrower and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of State Bank of India, for an amount of Rs.5,19,104.00 (Rupees five lakh, nineteen thousand, one hundred and four only) as on 04.06.2026 and interest from 05.06.2026 & expenses thereon.
The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.
SCHEDULE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
All the piece and parcel of property bearing No. 1877/A, New No. CH 2/2A, measuring East to West 25 ft and North to South 15 ft, situated at 13 th Cross, Ashokapuram, ChamaraJamohalla, Mysuru, standing in the name of Sri R Parashiva and same is bounded on the :
East by: property of Basavanna, West by: Road, North by: Property of Lokesh, South by: Property of ChamaraJ
Covered under Partition Deed dated 17.03.2017 registered as Document No. MYS-1-09309, 2016-17, stored in CD No. MYS/D 314 at the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Mysore South, Dist Mysore,
Sd/-
Place: Mysore
Date: 05.06.2026
Authorised Officer & Chief Manager
State Bank of India