

SALUTE THE SOLDIER

GUNNER BALBIR KUMAR
31 MAY 1983 - 08 OCTOBER 2005

In fond remembrance of Gunner Balbir Kumar who lived up to the highest traditions of Gunners of the Indian Army and made the supreme sacrifice while guarding the frontiers during the earthquake of 8th October 2005.

CO AND ALL RANKS, 237 FIELD REGIMENT,
VIR CHAKRA PAITAN - YUDHIE NIPUNAM.

GUNNER KISHOR KUMAR
02 MAY 1981 - 08 OCTOBER 2005

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5050625A HAV THAKUR BAHADUR ALE MAGAR

On this day 5050625A HAV Thakur Bahadur Ale Magar of 5/1 Gorkha Rifles made the supreme sacrifice during OP RAKSHAK, Jammu and Kashmir in Oct 2023 in a true act of valor and courage. The brave soldier will always be remembered for his sacrifice. To this brave heart we pledge that we shall always be guided by his immortal spirit and make his name proud.

CO AND ALL RANKS, 11 GORKHA RIFLES

11 GORKHA RIFLES REGIMENTAL CENTRE
Indian Army and 11 Gorkha Rifles salute his brave heart, SS-14081 Late Lt PC Das, 11 GR, who made supreme sacrifice during INDO PAK WAR (Operation Bison) on 08 Oct 1999.

COLONEL 11 GR & SIKKIM SCOUTS AND
A.L.R. RANKS.

INDO-TIBETAN BORDER POLICE (ITBP)

ITBP salutes its braveheart Head Constable Jaisi, Constable Shiv Prasad and Constable Dinch of 38th Bn, who made the supreme sacrifice in the line of duty on this day in Chhattisgarh in 2010.

BORDER SECURITY FORCE

Director General and all Ranks of Border Security Force remember its gallant Officers on their Birthday Days.

SUB INSPECTOR H H THIRUPPAHAI
11 BN BSF
22-04-1948
- 08-10-2004

CONSTABLE NAIK T. BAHADUR CHIEFTRY, SHADURVA CHAKRA
94 BN BSF
01-01-1969
- 08-10-1998

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KARNATAKA JOB RACKET

KPSC officers Sahukar, Geetha took bribes to leak keys for Jan 9 exam

Express News Service
Bangalore, October 7

AN ED probe has revealed that the now-suspended Karnataka Public Service Commission (KPSC) chairman Shivashankarappa Sahukar and member B V Geetha allegedly leaked answer keys for the January veterinary

doctors recruitment exam in exchange for bribes.

Sahukar reportedly leaked the keys to an aspirant for Rs 10 lakhs, who secured the third rank, while Geetha allegedly provided them to the first-rank winner for Rs 20 lakhs. They were arrested by the ED on Tuesday following a probe into allegations of

money laundering by KPSC officials, with a specific reference to the fraud in the recruitment of veterinary doctors. The findings were presented in court on Wednesday, where the agency said the duo had obtained the keys for 80 questions from the now-arrested Controller of Exams Gayandura Kamal Gangwar.

State Bank of India, Centralized Retail Asset Mgmt Cell, Tara Chambers, Near Marfa Gate, Wakadwadi, Mumbai-Pune Road, Pune-411003. Tel: 020-25910687. Email: id: sbs01562@sbil.co.in

DEMAND NOTICE

A notice is hereby given that the following Borrowers/Mortgagees (Borrower) and Mr. Santosh Alias Mqdaad Suresh Kale (Co-borrower) defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of the loans facility obtained by them from the Bank and the loans have been classified as Non Performing Assets (NPA). The notices were issued to them under Section 13(2) of Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 on their last known addresses, but they have been returned un-served and as such they are hereby informed by way of this public notice.

Name of the Borrower	Details of Properties/Address of mortgaged Assets to be Enforced	Date of Notice	Date of NPA	Amount outstanding (As on the date of notice)
Mr. Dattatraya Suresh Kale (Borrower)	All that piece and parcel of property bearing Flat No.202, 2nd Floor, measuring area 558 sq. ft. Le. 89 sq. mtrs, built-up Le. 523 sq. ft. carpet. In the Project known as "Tanishka Residency", constructed on the land bearing Survey No.148, H.No.20, 31/2/2 Village Dhayari, Taluka-Havelli, District-Pune within the local limits of Pune Municipal Corporation Property owned by Mr. Dattatraya Suresh Kale and Mr. Santosh Suresh Kale	17.08.2026	13.09.2026	Rs.51,09,994.00 (Rupees Fifty-One Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety-Four Only) as on 16.09.2026 with further interest and incidental expenses, costs, charges,
Mr. Santosh Alias Mqdaad Suresh Kale (Co-borrower)	Flat No.202, 2nd Floor, Tanishka Residency, Lane 21/A, Tanika Nagar, S.No.148/31/22,Dhayari, Taluka-Havelli, Dist-Pune-411041, Home Branch- Pune City Home Loan A/C No. 43102859573			
Home Top-up Loan A/C No.4310286019				

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice, the above Borrower(s) and for their Guarantor(s) (wherever applicable) are hereby called upon to make payment of outstanding amount within 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which further steps will be taken after expiry of 60 days from the date of the notice under sub-section (4) of Section 13 of Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

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

Date: 08.10.2026
Place: Pune

Sd/-
Authorized Officer/Chief Manager
State Bank of India, CRAMC, Pune

LIC HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED

Office: Jeevan Shree, 1109, University Road, Shivajinagar, Pune-411016

WHEREAS the undersigned being the Authorized Officer of LIC Housing Finance Ltd (LIC HFL), under Securitization & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 in exercise of powers conferred under section 13 (2) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002 has issued Demand Notice to following Borrowers/Mortgagees/Guarantors calling upon them to repay the outstanding due amount mentioned in the said notices. However, the Borrowers/Mortgagees/Guarantors having failed to repay the said due amount, the undersigned has taken PHYSICAL POSSESSION in exercise of powers conferred U/s 13(4) and U/s 14 of the said Act read with the Rule 8. This notice is hereby given to the parties in general and in particular to the Borrowers/Guarantors that the below described immovable properties have been mortgaged to the LIC HFL, the possession of which have been taken by the Authorized Officer of LIC HFL will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" & without any recourse basis on dates mentioned below, as per the brief particulars given here under.

Property 1-Name of Borrower(s)-Mr. DIXIT MAHENDRA (Primary Applicant) and Mrs. KANCHAN DIXIT (Co-Applient)

Loan Account Number- 62140000515 and 62140000187

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY-Flat No. 504, 5th Floor, House No. B-1, ANITA RESIDENCY, Old Survey No. 26, New Survey No. 29, Hissa No. 1/31, Katra-Kondhwa Road, Vighneshnagar, Katra, Pune. Area of Property according to Index-2, Area is 790 Sq.ft. +Adjacent Terrace having area 87 Sq.ft.

Full Description of property

Date of Demand Notice:-20.01.2018

Amount Demanded:-Rs. 41,24,561.45 with further Interest, Cost and Expenses

Date of Possession (P)(S)-Physical possession-17.03.2021

Reserve Price -Rs. 38,25,000.00

EMD -Rs. 3,12,500.00 Bid Incremental Value -Rs. 10,000.00

Total amount payable (i.e. Foreclosure amount as on date of Publication of E-Auction Notice)-Rs. 1,04,54,352.26 and Rs. 25,92,822.25

Website of E-Auction: https://www.bankauctions.com

Date & time of Inspection of Photocopies of property documents : 09.11.2026 from 11.00 AM to 05.00 PM at LIC Housing Finance Ltd, 1109, "Jeevan Shree" Building, University Road, Shivaji Nagar, Pune, Maharashtra, Pin-411016

Contact of Inspection of the Property : 09.11.2026, 11 AM to 05.00 PM

Contact person : Mr. Swapnil Bhadarao, Cell no. 9158463143

Contact details : "Legend Concepts Pvt. Ltd", Mr. Swapnil Bhadarao, Cell no. 9158463143 email id - legendconceptspvtltd@gmail.com

Contact details of E-Auction from the service provider - Mr. Bhavish Pandey (8566662337), M/s.C1 INDIA PVT. LTD, 3rd Floor, Plot No. 68, Sector No.4, Gurgaon, Haryana-122003 Email- maharashtra@c1india.com / support@bankauctions.com

Last date of submission of Online Tender / Bid : 12.11.2026 Before 5.30 PM (Online Mode only)

E-Auction Date-13.11.2026 Date : 13.11.2026 From 11.00 AM to 04.00 PM

Further this PUBLIC NOTICE for E-Auction Sale of the above said Assets / Properties (in terms and conditions of the SARFAESI, Act 2002 and rules there under) LICHL Invites OFFERS in sealed covers only to purchase the said properties on "AS IS WHERE IS BASIS" and "AS IS WHAT IS BASIS".

THE TERMS & CONDITIONS OF THE AUCTION SALE ARE AS FOLLOWS:-

1. E-Auction will be held on "As is what is Basis", "Whatever there is" And "Without Any Recourse Basis" and will be conducted "Online". The E-Auction will be conducted through LIC Housing Finance approved E-auction service provider - M/s.C1 INDIA PVT.LTD.

2. The intending bidders should register their name at prior to the auction, www.bankauctions.com and get their user-id and password free of cost. Prospective bidders may avail online training on E-Auction from the service provider Agency M/s.C1 INDIA PVT.LTD.

3. The E-Auction Sale is subject to the conditions prescribed in the SARFAESI Act/Rules 2002 and the terms and conditions mentioned hereunder/ website also subject to conditions in the offered documents to be submitted by the intending participating bidders.

4. Every bidder must have his/her email address in order to participate in the online E-Auction.

5. Once intending bidder formally registers as a qualified lender before authorized officer of LICHL, will have to express his/her interest to participate through the E-auction bidding platform, by submitting document. It shall be the lender's/online bidder's sole responsibility to procure his/her login ID and password from the E-auction service provider.

6. The aforesaid properties shall not be sold below the reserve price mentioned above.

7. The said Deposits shall be adjusted in the case of successful bidder, otherwise refunded. The said earnest money deposits will not carry any interest.

8. If the successful bidder defaults in effecting payments or fails to adhere to the terms and condition of E-Auction in any manner the amount already deposited will be forfeited and he/she shall not have any claim to such for forfeited amount.

9. That, after opening the tenders, the intending bidders who have submitted their bids for not less than the reserve price will be given an opportunity at the sole discretion of the Authorized Officer to increase the bidding amount.

10. Minimum Bid Increment amount Rs. 10,000/- (Rupees Ten Thousand Only)

11. The successful bidder shall deposit 25% of the amount of sale price, adjusting the EMD paid already, within 24 hours on acceptance of offer by the Authorized officer in respect of the sale, failing which the earnest money deposited shall be forfeited. The balance 75% of the sale price is payable within 15 days from the date of confirmation of the sale 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. The Authorized Officer shall not be required to give any further notice of forfeiture to the successful bidder.

12. Bidders are bound by the principle of "caveat emptor" (Buyer Beware) and advised to conduct their own due diligence to find any encumbrances, statutory liabilities, arrears of property tax, Income Tax, Excise Duty, Labour Dues, electricity and maintaining water supply, etc. Second Asset. The Successful bidders shall have to bear all outgoing i.e., municipal taxes, maintenance/society charges, electricity charges, water charges, stamp duty, registration charges, (if applicable), if any and all other incidentals charges, cost including all outgoing relating to the respective properties other than the sale price.

13. The successful bidder should bear the charges/fees payable on sale certificate, such as registration fees, stamp duty, taxes, or any other duties payable for getting the secured asset transferred in his/her name.

14. The Sale Certificate will be issued only in the name of the successful bidder and only after receipt of the entire sale price.

15. The notice is hereby given to the Borrowers/Mortgagees and Guarantors that they can bring the Intending buyer/purchaser for purchasing the properties mentioned above, as per the terms and conditions of the E-Auction Sale.

16. Inspection of the above said properties can be done on request and as per the terms and conditions of the Authorized Officer.

17. The Authorized Officer is not bound to accept the highest offer or any oral or offers and reserves the right to accept or reject any or all the tenders without assigning any reason therefor.

18. LICHL is not responsible for any liabilities whatsoever pending upon the properties as mentioned above. The property shall be auctioned on "As is where is", "As is what is", "whatever there is" and without any recourse basis.

19. The LIC Housing Finance Limited reserves the right to CANCEL / ACCEPT / REJECT / ALTER / MODIFY / POSTPONE the TENDER SALE / AUCTION without giving any reason whatsoever or prior notice.

20. To the best of the knowledge and information of the Authorized Officer, no other encumbrance exists on the property. LIC Housing Finance Ltd will not be held responsible for any charge, lien and encumbrance, property tax, or any other dues to Government or anybody in respect of the property under sale.

21. The sale is subject to confirmation by LIC Housing Finance Ltd.

22. The properties which are under Symbolic possession, Bank will hand over the property symbolically to the auction purchaser.

For detailed terms and Conditions of the sale and full description of the properties please refer to the website of approved e-auction service provider M/s.C1 INDIA PVT. LTD.

Date : 08.10.2026

Place : Pune

Sd/- Authorized Officer
LIC Housing Finance Ltd.

'EU and India are trusted partners; you need partners for strategic autonomy'

AS HE weighs on global consequences of the Russia-Ukraine war, New Finland Ambassador to India, MIKKO KIVIKOSKI, says they appreciate India's efforts, and it is a situation where everybody else is ready to negotiate to stop the war except the Russians. He says the global community should incentivise Russia to come to the negotiation table and then to have this war ended.

In an interview with DIVYA A, he said while presenting his credentials to the President Alexander Stubb, Kivikoski weighs in on lessons from global conflicts and the US protectionism, why the India-Middle East-Europe Economic Corridor (IMEC) is good, and the imminent need to reform the UN Security Council. Excerpts

With protectionism rising from big powers like the US, what would be Finland's priorities in terms of the India-EU FTA, set to be operationalised in the coming months?

The Free Trade Agreement (FTA) sends a clear message that when it comes to international trade, rules-based trade is still beneficial for all of us. This applies to all the FTAs that both India and the European Union (EU) are signing with other partners as well. So, there is a strong signal that there are several countries that want to have

MIKKO KIVIKOSKI
FINLAND AMBASSADOR
TO INDIA

rules in international trade.

The US has imposed steep reciprocal tariffs on Indian goods and even on several EU goods. So, how does Finland assess the impact of all this on global supply chains and on small, open economies?

We are living in quite a turbulent time, when it comes to geopolitics and geoeconomics. Everybody is looking partners and diversifying things — to make sure you have the freedom of manoeuvre, and also certain amount of predictability. We are all doing that — be it India, the EU or Finland. That is one of the lessons learned.

India has been seeking from the EU to ease the CBAM, visa reforms for professionals and even data protection. What is Finland's position on this?

We are part of the EU, so we have been part of the decision making on the Carbon Border Adjustment Mechanism (CBAM), and the same applies to the EU data protection laws. But we believe it is about leveling the playing field, and sustainability in the long run. Many Indian companies are already adapting; something I personally noticed is that sustainability issues are more on the agenda in India.

Should India and Finland collaborate more on critical minerals and batteries? Because Finland has large reserves, India has demand.

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