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MP Rajya Sabha bypoll Hardeep Puri set to win unopposed as nominations of 2 others rejected



New Delhi, Agency: Union minister Hardeep Puri is set to win the upcoming Rajya Sabha bypoll unopposed from Madhya Pradesh after the nomination papers filed by two candidates were rejected by the returning officer.According to news agency Media, the nominations of Congress-backed candidates Rajkumar Lohani and Kante Sayanna were rejected on the last day of scrutiny.

Meanwhile, the two independent candidates, along with Congress leader Hemant Katare, also objected to Puri's nomination papers, contending that his affidavit in Form 26 was invalid and incomplete.

However, returning officer Umesh Sharma examined the objections and held that Puri had not violated any requirements of the Representation of the People Act.

"No defect was found in Puri's papers," the returning officer said in his order. Congress termed the order an "attack on Indian democracy" and said it would move court against it. "This is an attack on Indian democracy. Despite such significant errors, the nomination was not rejected," Katare and Congress MLA Atif Aqeel said in a statement.

Encouraged by response to defence of SIR, BJP plans next political push



New Delhi, Agency: As the first phase of BJP's 'save democracy, remove anarchy' campaign winds down, its functionaries are encouraged by what they believe to be substantial support to their defence of SIR and appeared to be moving to seek to convert what appeared to be a challenge into an opportunity.

"We are ready to convene a special session to hold discussions on SIR. If you (opposition) have the courage, come and engage in a discussion before people of this country. Simply carrying around a copy of the Constitution does not amount to supporting it. One's conduct must be constitutional," he added.

Targeting Rahul Gandhi, the face of opposition's campaign against EC and govt, Shah alleged Congress once supported 'Janatana Sarkar' run by Maoists and he has now himself made a mockery of Parliament by staging 'fake' parliament proceedings. BJP functionaries are of the view that the ongoing mobilisation, especially through marches headed by its national and state faces, around its combative counter to INDIA bloc's campaign has helped it amplify its stand and effectively challenge the narrative pushed by Congress and its allies and promote their own - that opposition's protests have been devised to mask Congress's successive electoral failures and to ensure, in keeping with opposition's politics of "appeasement"and "vote bank" that the "infiltrators" remained on electoral rolls.

'Mischievous breach': SC halts BMC chief's salary over failure to clear encroachments

New Delhi, Agency: The Supreme Court on Tuesday took a stern view of the Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation's (BMC) failure to clear encroachments from land reserved for a BEST bus stand in Mumbai, initiating contempt proceedings against the civic body's commissioner. A Bench headed by Chief Justice Surya Kant and comprising Justices Joymalya Bagchi and V Mohana issued a show-cause notice to the commissioner, asking why contempt action should not be taken against him for failing to implement the court's earlier orders. The court also rejected the commissioner's request for more time, imposed costs of Rs 5 lakh and directed that salary payments to him and his staff be withheld until the notice is decided.

Questioning the conduct of municipal officials, CJI Kant suggested that they could be working in collusion with those occupying the land illegally.

"Does it not show that your officers are colluding? We will send him to jail and then he will understand the sanctity of the Supreme Court order. Is he obliging us?" the CJI was quoted as saying by Bar & Bench.

Justice Bagchi made it clear that the civic body could not seek further relief without first implementing the court's directions.

"Follow the order and after complying with the order, file an application for appropriate steps. But as of now, there is contempt," he said. **BMC told to clear encroachments:** The dispute concerns a plot earmarked for a BEST bus station, over which the BMC and a private developer have been



locked in litigation for several years.

In an order dated August 13, 2025, the Supreme Court directed the developer to hand over vacant and peaceful possession of 3,400 square metres of land, including an administrative building, to the civic body for the bus stand.

The BMC was instructed to take over the project and make the facility operational within three months. It was also directed to continue efforts to remove encroachments from the property in accordance with the law.

However, the civic body's failure to clear the occupants prompted the court to raise concerns on November 13, 2025. It then sought a personal affidavit from the commissioner, asking him to provide details of the occupants, eviction notices issued and any claims of tenancy or ownership over the land.

The matter returned to the court on Tuesday after the commissioner sought an extension to comply with the directions.

The Bench rejected the request and imposed costs of ?5 lakh.

Justice Bagchi also directed that the commissioner and his staff would not receive their salaries until the show-cause notice was decided.

"You will not be drawing a salary till the 1st of December 2026. So comply before that. You come here and then you can draw your salary," he said.

The bench also took exception to the BMC's explanation that its officers needed Marathi-language documents translated into English before they could act on the court's directions.

Justice Bagchi questioned the claim, pointing out that the officer who submitted the affidavit was himself a Marathi-speaking official.

"The officer who filed the affidavit is Dr Tambe. Do you want us to believe that they do not know Marathi?" he asked.

CJI Kant went further, suggesting that the civic body's inaction amounted to a deliberate breach of the court's directions, allegedly with the support of those occupying the land.

"This is an absolutely mischievous breach of the directions of the Supreme Court, with the direct connivance and support of the encroachers.

Still waiting for a debate Rahul Gandhi to PM Modi



New Delhi, Agency: A day after his challenge to PM Narendra Modi for an open debate, Congress MP Rahul Gandhi reminded the PM that it's been 24 hours without a response to his offer, adding he is ready for a face-to-face discussion with even RSS chief Mohan Bhagwat as judge. He launched a survey on X, asking "youth of India, do you want to see a Rahul Gandhi vs Narendra Modi open debate?" while urging BJP's Rajnath Singh, Nitin Gadkari, Shivraj Singh Chouhan and Yogi Adityanath to convince Modi for a debate. In a video statement, Rahul said that the PM levels allegations against him and the opposition about being "anti-national", and it is time to settle the issue. "You have filed defamation cases against me on myriad matters but not on the issue of foreign connections. Go ahead and file one. We will discuss that openly too," he mocked. The LoP in LS said, "Who has connections with foreign forces? What is the nature of those connections? Let's do this as soon as possible. Daro mat!"

One move, two gains: NHAI to desilt Bihar rivers and build roads with excavated material

New Delhi, Agency: In a move aimed at tackling Bihar's perennial flooding problem while creating assets for road construction, road transport ministry and NHAI will undertake desilting of rivers and water bodies across the state at their own cost and use the excavated silt and sand for road construction. Under "Nadi Sanjivani" (river rejuvenation) framework, which was signed between road transport ministry and Bihar govt on Tuesday, the first-of-its-kind initiative, will serve two purposes -- highway agencies will carry out dredging and will get construction material for free, and it will improve water flow of rivers to reduce the risk of floods. Under this agreement, 243 lakh cubic metres of silt will be utilised in 16 ongoing national highway projects and another 835 lakh cubic metres is proposed for 27 future projects.

Muddy water from Himalayas in Nepal flows into rivers passing through Bihar during rains, resulting in silt getting deposited in riverbeds, which causes floods every year.

Do you want Rahul vs PM Modi open debate?' Congress leader runs up public poll; asks BJP top brass to convince

New Delhi, Agency: Lok Sabha leader of opposition Rahul Gandhi doubled down on his call for a debate with Prime Minister Narendra Modi over allegations of "foreign backing" levelled by both rival parties. His Congress and the BJP.

"Do you want to see a Rahul Gandhi vs Narendra Modi open debate?" the Congress leader wrote on X while posting a poll that contained two tricky options: "Yes,



Modi Ji, Daro Mat" and "No, Modi Ji, Dar Gaye".

The Congress leader, in a quirky note, also asked BJP's top brass, which includes some of PM Modi's colleagues in the Cabinet, to convince the Prime Minister to agree to a debate. "Rajnath Singh Ji, Nitin Gadkari Ji, Shivraj Singh Chouhan Ji, Yogi Adityanath Ji, you you always have the PM's best interest in mind, please convince him to come," the Congress scion quipped in the post. The Rae Bareli Lok Sabha MP posted the poll hours after he renewed his challenge to PM Modi to face him in an open debate, saying 24 hours had passed since he dared the PM. In a video shared on X, Rahul said, "24 hours have passed, Modi ji. I challenged you. You say that the opposition is anti-national. Pick any stage, any venue, and debate me." "Who is the anti-national? Who has connections with foreign forces? And what kind of connections are they? Do it as soon as possible, don't be afraid," he said.

'Deeply touched': PM Modi thanks Bhutan King for dedicating sacred stupa in his honour

New Delhi, Agency: Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Tuesday expressed gratitude to Bhutan's King Jigme Khesar Namgyel Wangchuck after a sacred Buddhist stupa was dedicated to him in Gelephu Mindfulness City, Bhutan.

In a social media post, PM Modi said he was "deeply touched" by the special gesture of warmth and generosity shown by the



King and the people of Bhutan, adding that he accepted the honour with gratitude on behalf of the people of India.

He described the Jangchub Chorten as an enduring symbol of the shared spiritual and civilisational heritage and friendship between the two countries.

In a separate social media post, the Bhutanese King said the 76th Stupa was dedicated to Prime Minister Modi on November 1, after 108 stupas were raised in Gelephu Mindfulness City. King Jigme Khesar Namgyel Wangchuck, along with India's Union minister for parliamentary affairs Kiren Rijiju, unveiled a plaque dedicating the stupa to Modi. The King said the dedication was an enduring symbol of his "profound appreciation" for PM Modi's unwavering commitment and India's steadfast support for the realisation of his vision for Gelephu Mindfulness City.

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'You remember neither promises nor skullcap': NCP MP Aga Ruhullah quits, takes aim at Omar Abdullah

Budgam, Agency: Aga Ruhullah Mehdi ended Monday his 24-year association with National Conference, resigning as its functionary and Srinagar MP while declaring his exit an act of "azadi" and accusing CM Omar Abdullah of betraying the party's election promises, surrendering to BJP and failing to defend J&K's political rights.

Recalling the 2024 assem-



bly election campaign in Ganderbal, Mehdi said Omar had removed his skullcap and sought votes in the name of its dignity. "You remember nothing, neither your promises nor your skullcap," he said.

He handed over the resignation to Muhammad Ashraf Mattoo, father of Tufail Mattoo, who was killed in alleged police firing in 2010 during Omar Abdullah's tenure as CM, asking him to deliver it to NC president Dr Farooq Abdullah. Farooq had told Mehdi in Aug that he was free to quit. Mehdi announced that he would resign on the death anniversary of his 3, 2000.

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POSSESSION NOTICE(for Immovable Property/ies)
(As per Appendix IV read with rule 8(1) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002)

Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the **BANK OF BARODA**, under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(2) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated **01/06/2026** calling upon the following borrowers/Guarantors:**Mrs. Rajni W/o Naresh (Borrower) Address 1: Plot No. 83, Teli ki Panseri, Shiv Vihar Colony, Tehsil - Hindaun City, Distt. Karauli, Rajasthan PIN- 322230., Address 2: Village Salempur, Dausa, Distt. - Dausa, Rajasthan Pin- 322240** To repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 11,63,294.20/- (Rupees Eleven Lakhs Sixty Three Thousand Two Hundred Ninety Four and Paisa Twenty Only)** inclusive of interest upto **31/05/2026** together with further interest thereon at the contractual rate plus costs, charges and expenses till date of payment within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.
The Borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Possession of property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under sub section 4 of section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest(Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the **30.10.2026.**
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.
The Borrowers/Guarantors/mortgagors in particular 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 **Bank of Baroda, Dhindora Branch** for an amount of **Rs. 12,05,557.31/- (Rupees Twelve Lakhs Five Thousand Five Hundred Fifty Seven and Paisa Thirty One Only)** inclusive of interest upto **30/10/2026** together with further interest thereon at the contractual rate plus costs, charges and expenses till date of payment.
Description of the immovable property (as per records available with the bank)
Equitable mortgage of Residential Property Situated at Plot No. 83, Khasra No. 5192-5193, Teli Ki Panseri, Shiv Vihar, Tehsil- Hindaun City, District- Karauli, Rajasthan. The area of the said property is 123.33 Sq Yards and it belongs to Mrs. Rajni W/o Mr. Naresh.
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North: Plot No. 82, South: Plot No. 84, East: Road, West: Plot No. 90,
Place: Hindaun (Raj.) Date:30.10.2026 Authorised Officer (Bank of Baroda)

'Radical thinking': INDIA bloc allies snub Left leader Neha Bora's Brahmanvaad remark

New Delhi, Agency: Congress's key ally, Samajwadi Party, has unequivocally distanced itself from the "Brahmanvaad" remark of Left-wing student leader Neha Bora, who, under the patronage of INDIA bloc leaders, gained limelight for fiercely criticising the poll body chief Gyanesh Kumar and the electoral roll purge under the Special Intensive Revision (SIR).

On Bora's "need freedom



from Brahmanvaad" remark, Samajwadi Party's Rajeev Rai said: "Making such a sweeping statement is not appropriate. Every religion has both good and bad people; we shouldn't make such generalisations... We should avoid them. That is exactly what the BJP wants; why should we fall into their trap?" Rai, who represents the Ghosi Lok Sabha constituency in poll-bound Uttar Pradesh, firmly repudiated the AISA leader's rhetoric riddled with "sweeping generalisations".

"In this day and age, the kind of rhetoric being used is simply unacceptable. There is no basis for it. We shouldn't make sweeping generalisations about any caste, community, religion, or region," he said.

Akhilesh Yadav's party is not the only one to shrug off Bora's statement, as Uddhav Sena leader Priyanka Chaturvedi also called her assertions "unfortunate", saying radical thinking, be it from the Right or the Left, is harmful to the nation. "It is highly unfortunate.

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APPENDIX -IV-A E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY (IES)
E-Auction-Sale Notice for Sale of Immoveable Assets Under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002)
Registered Office: - 9th Floor, Antriksh Bhawan, 22 Kasturba Gandhi Marg, New Delhi-110001. Ph.:-011-23357171, 23357172, 23705414. Web: - www.pnbhousing.com
Branch:-Plot No-286, 2nd floor,Shopping Centre,Kota-324006, Rajasthan.**Branch:**-Unit No106 & 107, 1st Floor murli Plaza, ward No25, Rani sati road, shastri Nagar,Sikar,Rajasthan
Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the borrower(s) & guarantor(s) indicated in Column no-A that the below described immovable property (ies) described in Column no-D mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive/Physical Possession of which has been taken (as described in Column no-C) by the authorized Officer of M/s PNB Housing Finance Limited/Secured Creditor, will be sold on "**AS IS WHERE IS, AS IS WHAT IS** and **WHATEVER THERE IS BASIS**" as per the details mentioned below. Notice is hereby given to borrower(s)/mortgagor(s)/Legal Heirs, Legal Representative, (whether Known or Unknown), executor(s), administrator(s), successor(s), assignee(s) of the respective borrowers/ mortgagor(s)(since deceased) as the case may be indicated in Column no-A under Rule-8(6) & 9 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002 amended as on date. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in M/s PNB Housing Finance Limited/secured creditor's website i.e. **www.pnbhousing.com.**

Loan No. Name of theBorrower/Co-Borrower/Guarantor(s)/Legal heirs (A)	Demanded Amount & Date (B)	Nature of Possession (C)	Description of the Properties Mortgaged (D)	Reserve Price (RP) (E)	EMD (10% of RP) (F)	Last Date of Submission of Bid (G)	Bid Incremental Rate (H)	Inspection Date & Time (I)	Date of Auction & Time (J)	Known Encumbrances Court Cases if any (K)
HOU/RKOT/0424/1243468, NHL/RKOT/0524/1252360, B.O.: Roshni Kota, Chetan Kumar Rawal / Tushar Kumar Rawal	Rs. 2060299.97 as on 15-10-2025	Physical Possession	Property Situated At, House No 2 H 36, Mahaveer Nagar, Vistar Sceme, Dist Kota, Rajasthan-324009.	Rs. 1814000	Rs. 181400	19-11-26	Rs. 10,000/-	10-11-26 11AM to 05.00PM	20-11-26 02PM to 03PM	Unknown
HOU/RSIK/0925/8351025, B.O.: Roshni_Sikar, Akash Singh / Lakshmi Bai	Rs. 1609875 as on 10-02-2026.	Physical Possession	Flat No604, 5th Floor (without Right of Roof), Sikar, Rajasthan, Situated At Ward No.26, Polo Ground, Near By Ramlila Maidan (Keshav Residency), Sikar, Rajasthan, India-332001	Rs. 1651000	Rs. 165100	19-11-26	Rs. 10,000/-	10-11-26 11AM to 05.00PM	20-11-26 02PM to 03PM	Unknown

*Together with the further interest @18% p.a. as applicable, incidental expenses, cost, charges etc. incurred up to the date of payment and/or realization thereof. ** To the best knowledge and information of the authorized Officer of PNB Housing Finance Limited, there are no other encumbrances/ claims in respect of above mentioned immovable/secured assets except what is disclosed in the column no-K. Further such encumbrances to be catered/paid by the successful purchaser/bidder at his/her end. The prospective purchaser(s)/bidders are requested to independently ascertain the veracity of the mentioned encumbrances.**1.** As on date, there is no order restraining and/or court injunction PNBHFL/the authorized Officer of PNBHFL from selling, alienating and/or disposing of the above immovable properties/secured assets.**2.** The prospective purchaser/bidder and interested parties may independently take the inspection of the pleading in the proceedings/orders passed etc. if any, stated in column no-K. Including but not limited to the title of the documents of the title pertaining thereto available with the PNBHFL and satisfy themselves in all respects prior to submitting tender/bid application form or making Offer(s).The bidder(s) has to sign the terms and conditions of this auction along with the Bid Form.**3.** Please note that in terms of Rule 9(3) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, the bidder(s)/the purchaser is legally bound to deposit 25% of the amount of sale price, (inclusive of earnest money, if any, deposited) on the same day or not later than next working day. The sale may be confirmed in favour of (bidder(s) only after receipt of 25% of the sale price by the secured creditor in accordance with Rule 9(2) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. The remaining 75% of the s sale consideration amount has to be deposited by the purchaser within 15 days' from the date of acknowledgement of sale confirmation letter and in default of such deposit, the property/secured asset shall be resold.**4. C1 INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED** would be assisting the Authorised Officer in conducting sale through an e-Auction having its corporate office at Plot No.68, 3rd Floor, Sector 44, Gurgaon, Haryana 122003 Website- www.bankeauctions.com. For any assistance related to inspection of the property or obtaining the Bid Documents and for any other query or for registration, you have to co-ordinate with **Pushpendra Singh**, Contact Number 1800 120 8800, is authorised person of PNBHFL or refer to **www.pnbhousing.com**
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