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Dear Sir,

Sub: Newspaper advertisement of the Notice to shareholders of Chennai Petroleum Corporation Ltd. - Special Window for re-lodgment of transfer requests of Physical Shares.

Please find enclosed herewith the advertisement published in “The Hindu” and Makkal Kural - *Regional Edition* on 19th March 2026, informing shareholders about re-opening of the special window only for re-lodgment of transfer deeds along with physical share certificates which were lodged prior to the deadline of 1st April 2019 and were rejected/returned/not attended to, due to deficiency in the documents/process or otherwise.

This facility of re-lodgment will be available to the eligible physical shareholders till 4th February 2027. Shareholders are requested to re-submit their transfer requests along with physical share certificates with our Registrar and Share Transfer Agent, KFin Technologies Ltd.

The above is for information and record please.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,
for **Chennai Petroleum Corporation Limited**

P.Shankar
Company Secretary

Encl: a/a

IN BRIEF



Ethyl chloroformate imports from China: India opens probe

India on Tuesday opened an anti-dumping investigation into ethyl chloroformate imports from China after a domestic producer alleged the chemical used in pharmaceutical and agrochemical manufacturing was being sold at unfairly low prices. The Directorate General of Trade Remedies (DGTR), under the federal trade ministry, said it initiated the probe following an application by Paushak that alleged that imports from China had caused "material injury" to domestic producers. The Chinese embassy in New Delhi did not immediately respond to a request for comment. In December, India imposed a three-year import tariff of 11% to 13% on some steel imports, in an effort to curb cheap Chinese products. Ethyl chloroformate is an organic chemical intermediate widely used in pharmaceutical and agrochemical manufacturing. **REUTERS**

Five working groups proposed on health insurance

Five strategic working groups co-chaired by leaders from the healthcare and insurance industries will be set up on various issues concerning health insurance and formalise a roadmap for systemic reforms. The aim is to improve insurance penetration, transparency and the overall patient experience by addressing long-standing operational gaps and coordination issues between insurers and healthcare providers. The Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI) announced this following a high-level industry interaction on March 17 in which Chairman Ajay Seth participated. Most of the working groups are scheduled to begin work in April, with durations ranging from 2-4 months. The findings and recommendations from these groups will serve as a reference model for future industry standards and regulatory frameworks, the insurance regulator said in a release.

Plastic goods prices to rise 60% as war impacts polymer

Prices of polymer, derived from crude oil and natural gas, have risen by 50-60% creating margin pressure; plastic manufacturers managing with stocks procured prior to W. Asia war outbreak

Lalendu Mishra
MUMBAI

Plastic product prices are expected to rise by 50-60% from April if the West Asia crisis continues to impact supply of key raw material, mainly crude oil, industry officials said. They said the prices of polymer, derived from crude oil and natural gas, have risen by 50-60% in the last few days, creating margin pressure.

Plastic manufacturers said they are yet to fully pass on the additional financial burden to customers as they are managing with the inventory procured well before the war broke out. But stocks are fast depleting, they said.

"Manufacturers are procuring raw material based on the order on a day-to-day basis and pricing the supplies based on the raw material price," said Sunil Shah, president, All India Plastics Manufacturers' Association (AIPMA).



Burden of cost: The price of a small water bottle, which is ₹2 now, is expected to go up to more than ₹3. **R. VENGADESH**

"The cost of a small water bottle is about ₹2 and if prices rise it would cost more than ₹3. It all depends on the bottled water brand to either absorb that cost or pass it on to buyers. Similarly, the price of a 20-litre plastic water bottle, which is about ₹110 now, can go up sharply," industry officials said.

Confirming that polymer prices had gone up over the last few weeks, Arvind M Mehta, chairman, All India Plastics Manufacturers

Association said despite the price hike, exports could continue. "For exports, we are positive because our international competitors will have the same raw material price," Mr. Mehta said. The increasing cost of packaging materials has also threatened to inflate the price of food items in the retail market. Rice producers in Kangayam, a rice mill hub in Tamil Nadu, said the bags they used to pack 26 kg of rice used to cost ₹23 a

piece. Now, it is ₹29 a piece. "We have local suppliers who get the packing material in rolls and stitch it for us according to our requirement. There is a delay in getting those bags too. We buy another type of bag from Gujarat. The prices of both these varieties of bags have shot up," said Palaniswamy, president of the Kangayam Rice Mill Association.

The oil mill owners in Kangayam said they pack edible oil in plastic bottles or pouches. A bottle that used to cost ₹10 is now sold for ₹15. The oil mills have told their bulk buyers that they may increase the end product prices if this continues for a month. In Tiruppur, leading brands and all hosiery manufacturers for the domestic market have announced that hosiery products will be priced ₹7 more apiece as the cost of inputs have shot up.

(With inputs from Soudariya Preetha in Coimbatore)

Centre offers 10% additional LPG to States, UTs that fast track CGD network

Saptaparno Ghosh
NEW DELHI

Seeking to enhance penetration of piped natural gas (PNG) among commercial entities whilst attempting to support supplies of liquefied petroleum gas (LPG), which has been constrained due to tensions in West Asia, the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas (MoPNG) has written to State governments and Union Territories, offering to allocate them an additional 10% of cooking gas provided they facilitated speedy expansion of city gas distribution (CGD) networks.

The Ministry also sought to provide more supplies in a tiered structure, should States meet certain 'eligibility criteria' for supporting the transition to piped gas. If met, the MoPNG said it would allow an additional supply of up to 4% of commercial LPG.

"Through the letter, all States and UTs have been offered an additional 10% of LPG allocation provided they help in expediting expansion of the CGD network," Joint Secretary at MoPNG Sujata Sharma told reporters.

The Centre underlined that its push for PNG is to ease the pressure on LPG.

India imports 60% of its consumption requirements, of which 90% is routed through the Strait of Hormuz, which has been effectively shut.

On the availability of natural gas in India, Ms. Sharma said, "We have sufficient stocks of LNG and



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that is primarily one of the reasons that we are asking consumers to shift to PNG."

She said more than 1.2 lakh new PNG connections had been distributed in the past two weeks. This is inclusive of domestic, industrial and commercial users, alongside CNG stations. An additional 1% of commercial LPG would be allocated should States constitute committees for approving pending applications of CGDs and resolve their grievances. Another 2% would be allocated if CGDs are given deemed approvals.

States would be able to avail yet another 3% LPG allocation if they introduced "dig and restore" scheme for CGD entities.

At the daily inter-ministerial press briefing, Ms. Sharma also mentioned that 15 States have begun supplies of commercial LPG. These include Bihar, Chhattisgarh, Delhi, Gujarat, Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Jharkhand, Karnataka, Kerala, Manipur, Rajasthan and Uttarakhand, among others.

Analysts forecast cut in oil firms' earnings

The Hindu Bureau
MUMBAI

Elevated crude premiums, currency depreciation and mounting freight costs will hit the earnings of oil marketing companies (OMCs) in fiscal 2027, according to analyst reports.

"We are reducing our

FY 2027E earnings before interest, tax, depreciation and amortisation (EBITDA) by 45-47% for BPCL and HPCL and 28% for IOCL. We also cut FY 2028E EBITDA by 3-8%. Further firming up in oil prices could push OMCs into losses in FY2027E," Kotak Institutional Equities said in its re-

port, recommending clients to sell the stocks.

"With integrated margin under pressure and share of refining margin in overall integrated margin increasing, companies with higher earnings sensitivity to marketing margins will be the most negatively impacted. For every INR 1/ltr

decrease in marketing margin, IOCL/BPCL/HPCL's FY27 EPS reduces by 21/20/24%," HDFC Securities said in a note.

"Given that IOCL has a lower marketing mix in the overall volume, it should fare better compared with peers like BPCL and HPCL in the near term," it added.

Solar ingot plan to take off June '28, boost local output

Jacob P Koshy
NEW DELHI

In a bid to boost local output of solar ingots and wafers - constituents of solar cells fitted on solar panels - the Ministry for New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) said from June 2028, only ingots and wafers made in India would be eligible for domestic projects.

It did this by announcing the Approved List of Module Manufacturers (ALMM) List-III for Ingots and Wafers - a list of firms making the components - on Wednesday. As of date, such an ALMM list exists for manufacturers of solar cells and modules. The ALMM is a compulsory registration regime by the



India mulls adding 280 GW of solar capacity by 2030.

MNRE, first issued in 2019.

In Govt.-funded plans Only ALMM-listed modules can be used in government-funded, open-access and net-metering solar projects such as PM Surya Ghar and PM Kusum scheme and Solar Energy

Corporation of India tenders. Only domestic produce are eligible for Production-Linked incentives.

Grandfathering clauses "Suitable grandfathering provisions have been built in to protect projects already in the pipeline. The current order of MNRE extends mandatory sourcing needs from ALMM lists already in place for modules and cells, one step further up the solar supply chain to include ingots and wafers, which now are heavily import-dependent," the MNRE said.

India has targeted adding 280 GW of solar capacity by 2030 and installed about 132 GW as of November 2025.

Producers make a pitch for increasing use of ethanol

The Hindu Bureau
COIMBATORE

The Indian Sugar & Bio-energy Manufacturers Association (ISMA) has written to the Prime Minister's Office (PMO), urging the Government for a fast-tracked and calibrated roadmap for ethanol blending beyond E20.

'Initiate a pilot' The Grain Ethanol Manufacturers Association (ISMA) has written to the Prime Minister's Office (PMO), urging the Government for a fast-tracked and calibrated roadmap for ethanol blending beyond E20.

With the Iran war resulting in higher oil prices and



An ethanol based cook stove.

LPG shortage, they want the government to promote the use of ethanol.

India now imports almost 85% of crude oil. The West Asia tensions and disruptions in global shipping routes showed vulnerabilities in global energy supply chains, ISMA said.

India now has an in-

stalled distillation capacity of almost 2,000 crore litre (including both sugar- and grain-based ethanol), with sugar sector contributing about 900 crore litre. The ethanol need for achieving E20 blending is estimated at about 1,100 crore litre a year indicating only about 55% of the installed capacity will be used.

"India possesses adequate local ethanol production capacity to move beyond E20, making this an opportune moment for a calibrated and forward-looking roadmap," said Deepak Ballani, DG, ISMA.

"Advancing higher ethanol blends, phased roll-out of flex-fuel vehicles will boost value retention within domestic economy."

Cabinet okays ₹33,660-cr. BHAVYA plan for 100 industrial parks by '32

The Hindu Bureau
NEW DELHI

The Union Cabinet approved the Bharat Audyogik Vikas Yojna (BHAVYA), with an allocation of ₹33,660 crore for the development of 100 'plug-and-play' industrial parks across the country.

The aim was to create 100 "future ready" industrial parks integrated with the PM GatiShakti to make use of the latter's multimodal connectivity and last-mile access.

"These parks will set new benchmarks in industrial infrastructure, ensuring reliability, reducing in-



Manufacturing boost: KINFRA integrated industrial park in Kerala. **K. K. MUSTAFAH.** (FOR REPRESENTATIONAL PURPOSE ONLY)

efficiencies and enhancing productivity across sectors," the government said.

As per Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade Secretary Amardeep Singh Bhatia,

the scheme's duration would be for six years starting 2026-27. The first phase would see 50 parks being set up.

The minimum land need for the parks would

be 100 acre in most cases, and 25 acre for industrial parks in hilly or North Eastern States. The maximum size is 1,000 acre.

States, pvt. sector While the Union government will provide up to ₹1 crore per acre, the scheme is meant to involve State governments as well as the private sector.

"At the heart of BHAVYA lies a strong push for deregulation and ease of doing business, with streamlined approvals, effective single-window systems, and investor-friendly reforms led by States," the government said.

CCI gets ₹1,719 crore to pay support price

The Hindu Bureau
NEW DELHI

The Cabinet Committee on Economic Affairs has approved a funding of ₹1,718.56 crore to the Cotton Corporation of India (CCI) to meet the minimum support price (MSP) needs for the cotton season 2023-24. The Government said the move is aimed at providing direct price support to cotton farmers in India.

The Centre hoped this intervention would stabilise cotton prices, prevent distress sales, and ensure better returns to farmers.

The MSP per quintal of medium staple cotton was ₹6,620 and ₹7,020 for long



Such interventions play a crucial role in stabilising prices.

staple cotton, in the 2023-24 season. During that season, with an estimated 114.47 lakh hectares under cultivation and production pegged at 325.22 lakh bales, this accounted for nearly 25% of global cotton output, the release noted.

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

SPECIAL WINDOW FOR RE-LODGE MENT OF TRANSFER REQUESTS OF PHYSICAL SHARES

Pursuant to SEBI Circular dated 30th January 2026, shareholders are informed that a special window has been re-opened only for re-lodgement of transfer deeds along with physical share certificates which were lodged prior to the deadline of 1st April 2019 and were rejected/returned/not attended to, due to deficiency in the documents/process or otherwise.

This facility of re-lodgement will be available to the eligible physical shareholders till **4th February 2027**. Shareholders are requested to re-submit their transfer requests along with physical share certificates with our Registrar and Share Transfer Agent, KFin Technologies Ltd. whose details are given below:

KFin Technologies Ltd.
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For Chennai Petroleum Corporation Limited
Sd/-
P. Shankar
Company Secretary

Place : Chennai
Date : 17th March 2026

RAJASTHAN HIGH COURT BENCH AT JAIPUR
SB/DB Civil writ petition No./2026

CASE TITLE :
Any Elected Person
Vs.
State of Raj. & Ors.
Application Rule 159 of Rajasthan High Court
Rules for entering in to CAVEAT

May it please your lordships :
Your Lordship's humble applicant wants to enter into caveat under Rule 159 of the Rajasthan High Court Rules and let nothing be done till the applicants are heard in the matter.
The particulars of the Appeal / Revision which is likely to be filed are given below:-

The following persons may file the appeal:-
Any Elected Person.
That the appeal is likely to be filed against:-
1- The Principal Secretary, Local Self Government, Govt. Secretariat, Jaipur (Raj.).
2- The Director cum Special Secretary, Local self Government, Govt. Secretariat, Jaipur (Raj.).
3- The Chief Engineer (SBM), Rajasthan Urban Drinking Water Sewerage and Infrastructure Corporation Ltd., Jaipur (Raj.).
4- The Financial Advisor, Directorate of Local Bodies, Jaipur (Raj.).

That the judgement against which the Revision / Appeal / writ is to be filed is from the order passed by the **Director cum Special Secretary, Local Self Government, Government Secretariat, Jaipur (Raj.) vide order dated 06-03-2026, bearing no. F.55(JA/CE/FSTP/2025-26/3727 Dated : 06-03-2026.**
That Vakalatnama on behalf of **Shri Rajesh Kumar Meena, Superintending Engineer, FSTP Cell, Director of Local Bodies Department, Jaipur (Raj.)** is submitted herewith.
It is, therefore, humbly prayed that nothing be done in the case till the applicants are heard.

HUMBLE PETITIONER
THROUGH HIS COUNSELS
(Gurcharan Singh Gill)
ADDITIONAL ADVOCATE GENERAL

JAIPUR
DATED:
DIPRC/5650/2026

