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WTO flags absence of norms to expedite vaccine inputs supply

BANIKINKAR PATTANAYAK
New Delhi, July 21

AMID A RAGING Covid crisis globally, the World Trade Organization (WTO) has flagged an absence of standardised procedures to expedite the supply of vaccine inputs and differences in the regulatory regime of various countries for the registration of jabs, as it presented a list of "bottlenecks" plaguing the global vaccine trade.

The multilateral body said trade in vaccine inputs isn't granted any special dispensation and is subject to standard import and export procedures. These include rigorous documentation requirements and frequent renewal of licences and certificates.

"They (vaccine inputs) do not benefit from 'green channels' or other simplified or expedited procedures put in place for certain critical products to combat Covid-19 (e.g. procedures for personal protection equipment (PPE), medical equipment and vaccines)," the WTO said while presenting its "indicative list" of bottlenecks. The list is based on the issues identified and suggestions made by speakers at the WTO's webinars in June on regulatory cooperation during the pandemic.

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According to Laetitia Bigger, vaccines policy director at International Federation of Pharmaceutical Manufacturers and Associations, over 3 billion Covid vaccines had been supplied globally by June, with producers on track to manufacture an estimated 10-12 billion by the end of 2021. So far, some 89 million vaccines have been shipped through COVAX, which is global initiative for equitable access to the vaccines, but the pace of deliveries has been adversely affected.

Similarly, differences between countries with regard to regulatory frameworks, procedures and timelines adds complexity for vaccine manufacturers. "Significant variation among registration regime requirements across different regions can make it onerous for manufacturers to apply for registration in multiple locations," the WTO said.

Researchers from the IMF have estimated that about 11 billion doses are required to fully vaccinate 70% of the global population.

But only 3.2 billion doses had been administered until July 4. At this pace, only about six billion doses could be administered by the end of 2021.

The WHO said in April that richer countries had received more than 87% of the vaccine doses by then while low-income nations just 0.2%.

The WTO said vaccine manufacturers may find it difficult to send even non-commercial samples for testing and quality control purposes to specialised laboratories located abroad, which is a time-sensitive operation.

These samples are subject to the same import and export procedures as commercial shipments, including export restrictions, which can delay the entire process.

Similarly, some national regulatory authorities (NRAs) require local retesting of vaccines, instead of relying on the releasing country, which can lead to delays and spoilage.

While listing the measures to facilitate global vaccine trade, the WTO said: "Enhanced cooperation among governments, international organisations and the private sector is critical to ensure that all relevant stakeholders have sufficient information to make decisions."

Farmer leaders agree to not gather in large numbers during Monsoon session

FE BUREAU
New Delhi, July 21

THE FARMER LEADERS have agreed not to gather in large numbers at the protest site near Jantar Mantar during the current parliament session. The Delhi Police subsequently permitted them to assemble not more than 200 persons a day.

The compromise formula has arrived as both farmer unions and police did not want a repeat of the January 26 violence episode on Delhi's streets after the tractor march.

"Starting from Thursday, 200 farmers each would reach Jantar Mantar to protest against the government, and hold their own Kisan Sansads on each working day of the Parliament, until the monsoon session ends," Samyukt Kisan Morcha (united farmers' front) said in a statement. As per the earlier plan, the farmers were scheduled to march to Parliament on the first day of the monsoon session and continue the protest until the end of the session.

The government on Tuesday refrained from giving a categorical reply to a parliament question as to whether it was considering scrapping the farm laws in near future. It, however, said in Lok Sabha that they "will

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remain open" to discussions with agitating farmers to resolve the issue. Agriculture Minister Narendra Singh Tomar on July 8 had said that the Centre would not repeal the three farm laws while it was ready to hold talks with the agitating farmers on the provisions of the Acts.

Thousands of farmers, mainly from Punjab, Haryana, Rajasthan and western Uttar Pradesh, have been camping at different border points of Delhi for nearly eight months demanding repeal of the three contentious laws and to ensure a legally guaranteed Minimum Support Price (MSP) mechanism. The Supreme Court in January put on hold implementation of the three laws till further order. A committee set up by the apex court has since submitted its report.

Samyukt Kisan Morcha, an umbrella body of several farmers' organisations across the country spearheading the protest, said that two batches of farmers have left for Delhi from Kerala while contingents of farmers from Tamil Nadu and other states will reach in a day or two. Farmers from Karnataka reached the Delhi protest site on the Uttar Pradesh border Wednesday and showed their solidarity with Bharatiya Kisan Union (BKU). More farmers from Punjab and Haryana are also reaching protest sites every day to further strengthen the movement.

Farmers union also deplored the government's attempt to downplay their major demand of a legal guarantee of MSP and pointed out that the Centre chose to present this demand as an "Issue related to procurement at MSP."

Heavy rainfall to continue over west coast: IMD

HEAVY RAINFALL IS expected to continue over west and central India over the next three-four days, while the intensity of precipitation over north India is likely to decrease, the India Meteorological Department (IMD) said on Wednesday.

Widespread rainfall with isolated heavy to very heavy rain is likely to continue over the west coast, the adjoining interior areas and the Gujarat region for the next four-five days.

Isolated extremely heavy rainfall is also very likely over Konkan, Goa and the adjoining ghat areas of central Maharashtra on July 21-22. Fairly to widespread rainfall with isolated heavy to very heavy falls is likely over east and central India during July 21-24.

Isolated extremely heavy rainfall is also likely over coastal Andhra Pradesh and Telangana on July 21-22, and over Chhattisgarh, Vidarbha and east Madhya Pradesh on July 22. —PTI

Maha reconciles Covid data, India records 3,998 fresh fatalities

INDIA RECORDED A single day rise of 3,998 coronavirus fatalities as Maharashtra carried out its 14th Covid data reconciliation exercise, pushing the country's death toll to 4,18,480, according to the Union Health Ministry data updated on Wednesday.

The country recorded 42,015 new cases taking the total tally to 3,12,16,337.

The ministry said Maharashtra has carried out reconciliation exercise of Covid data following which the state's positive case tally has increased by 2,479 while the death tally has increased by 3,509.

The active cases in the country have increased to 4,07,170 and comprise 1.30% of the total infections, while the national Covid-19 recovery rate was recorded at 97.36%, the data updated at 8 am showed.

An increase of 1,040 cases has been recorded in the active Covid-19 caseload in a span of 24 hours.

As many as 18,52,140 tests were conducted on Tuesday taking the total cumulative tests conducted so far for detection of Covid-19 in the country to 44,91,93,273, while the daily positivity rate was recorded at 2.27%.

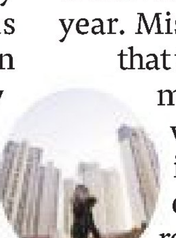
It has been less than three per cent for 30 consecutive days, the ministry said, adding the weekly positivity rate was recorded at 2.09%.

The number of people who have recuperated from the disease surged to 3,03,90,687 and the case fatality rate has increased to 1.34%, the data stated.

Property mkt to touch $1 trn by 2030, says housing secretary

PRESS TRUST OF INDIA
New Delhi, July 21

THE INDIAN REAL estate market is estimated to touch $1 trillion by 2030 driven by rising demand and various reforms in the past seven years like new realty law RERA, Housing and Urban Affairs Secretary Durga Shanker Mishra said on Wednesday.



The number of people employed in the sector is also expected to rise to 7 crore in coming years, from 5.5 crore in 2019, he said while addressing a CII event on the real estate sector. The secretary further said that the states have been asked to soon implement the Model Tenancy Act, which was passed by the Union Cabinet in June this year. Mishra also clarified that the law once implemented by the states will be prospective in nature and all disputes related to rent agreements will be dealt under the old laws of respective states. He pointed out that the real estate sector suffered a "setback" during the first and second wave of the Covid-19 pandemic but said the housing demand has revived.

"The size of the real estate sector was around $200 billion 2-3 years ago. We expect the real estate market to touch $1 trillion by 2030," the housing secretary said.

"It is not mere talk and guess work. The trend clearly shows that the real estate sector of our country will touch the figure of $1 trillion in the next 7-8 years," Mishra said.

DRDO successfully test-fires anti-tank guided missile; paves way for production for Army

PRESS TRUST OF INDIA
New Delhi, July 21

THE DEFENCE RESEARCH and Development Organisation (DRDO) on Wednesday successfully flight-tested an indigenously developed low weight man-portable anti-tank guided missile, paving way for its production for the Army. The defence ministry described the successful trial of the missile as a major boost for the government's 'Aatmanirbhar Bharat' (self-reliant India) campaign.

The missile is being developed to strengthen the combat capabilities of the Indian Army. "In a major boost towards 'Aatmanirbhar Bharat' and strengthening of Indian Army, the DRDO successfully flight-tested indigenously developed low weight, fire and forget Man-Portable Antitank Guided Missile (MPATGM) on July 21," the ministry said in a statement. It said the missile was launched from a man-portable launcher integrated with a thermal site and the target was mimicking a tank.

"The missile hit the target in direct attack mode and destroyed it with precision. The test has validated the minimum range successfully. All the mission objectives were met," the ministry said in a statement.

Pegasus case: Panel likely to question officials on July 28

A PARLIAMENTARY PANEL on IT headed by Congress leader Shashi Tharoor is likely to question top government officials, including from Home Ministry, next week on allegations related to phone tapping of many using Pegasus spyware, sources said on Wednesday.

An international media consortium has claimed that several Congress leaders including Rahul Gandhi, two union ministers, Trinamool Congress leader Abhishek Banerjee and some 40 journalists were among those whose phone numbers were listed as potential targets for hacking through the Israeli spyware which is usually supplied to government agencies. —PTI