

Date: 21<sup>st</sup> March, 2025

To  
Department of Corporate services  
**BSE Limited**  
1<sup>st</sup> Floor, New Trading Ring,  
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Towers, Dalal Street, Fort,  
Mumbai-400001  
**Scrip Code: - 540425**

To  
Listing Department  
**National Stock Exchange of India Limited**  
Exchange Plaza, Plot No. C-1,  
G Block, Bandra Kurla Complex,  
Bandra (E)  
Mumbai- 400051  
**Symbol- SHANKARA**

Dear Sir/Madam,

**Sub: - Newspaper Advertisement of Completion of Dispatch of the notice of Postal Ballot**

In continuation of our letter dated March 19, 2025 & pursuant to Regulation 30 of Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015, please find enclosed herewith copy of Newspaper Advertisement, inter-alia, regarding completion of dispatch of Notice of Postal Ballot of the Company.

We request you to kindly take the above information on your record.

Thanking you,

**For Shankara Building Products Limited**

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**Ereena Vikram**

**Company Secretary & Compliance Officer**



# Govt okays faster defence procurement guidelines

Military procurements worth ₹54,000 cr get preliminary approval

BHASWAR KUMAR  
New Delhi, 20 March

In a bid to speed up the lengthy defence procurement process, the central government on Thursday approved new guidelines to shorten timelines, along with granting preliminary approvals for military procurement proposals worth over ₹54,000 crore. This comes a day after final approval was granted for procuring 307 indigenous artillery guns at a cost of nearly ₹7,000 crore.

Guidelines to reduce timelines at "various stages of the capital acquisition process to make it faster, more effective, and efficient" were approved by the Defence Acquisition Council (DAC), chaired by Defence Minister Rajnath Singh, the Ministry of Defence (MoD) said in an official release.

This move is part of the MoD's decision to observe 2025 as the Year of Reforms, with the initiative aimed at transforming the armed forces into a "technologically advanced, combat-ready force capable of multi-domain integrated operations".

The DAC also granted Acceptance of Necessity (AoN) for eight capital acquisition proposals worth over ₹54,000 crore. These include more powerful engines for the Army's T-90 tanks to improve battlefield mobility, particularly in high-altitude areas; procurement of the indigenous Varunastra ship-launched anti-submarine torpedo for the Indian Navy; and acquisition of Airborne Early Warning & Control aircraft systems for the Indian Air Force.

AoN signifies the official recognition of the armed forces' need for specific equipment or capabilities and marks the initial step in the procurement process.



**ON THE OFFENSIVE**  
The government's focus on domestic procurement, export opportunity, European rearmament plan and the correction has led to a rally in defence stocks

Major defence firms	Price (in ₹)	1-day chg in %	MTD chg in %
Garden Reach Shipbuilders	1,724.1	5.0	37.3
Paras Defence & Space Techno	994.7	4.3	13.7
Astra Microwave Products	688.2	4.1	13.4
Bharat Dynamics	1,247.0	4.1	27.8
Mishra Dhatu Nigam	283.4	-0.4	16.5
Cochin Shipyard	1,450.5	-0.4	14.3
Data Patterns India	1,689.0	-1.5	17.5
<b>Nifty Defence index</b>	<b>6,172.8</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>20.3</b>
<b>Nifty50</b>	<b>23,190.7</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>4.8</b>

Note: Stock filtered for NSE Defence index; data as on March 20, 2025  
Sources: Bloomberg, exchange; compiled by BS Research Bureau

A day earlier, in a significant step towards India's push for atmanirbharta (self-reliance) in advanced artillery, the Cabinet Committee on Security, chaired by Prime Minister Narendra Modi, approved the procurement of the Advanced Towed Artillery Gun System (ATAGS) for the Indian Army, sources told Business Standard. The contract — covering 307 artillery guns and 327 gun-towing vehicles for 15 artillery regiments — is expected to be signed next week.

The ATAGS, developed in 2013 and tested through extensive field trials, will enhance the Army's long-range firepower — a priority reinforced by the ongoing

Russia-Ukraine war. The deal also comes as the armed forces continue expanding their induction of howitzers, rocket artillery, and missiles. The ATAGS has a range of 35-45 kilometres (km), depending on the ammunition used, and achieved a 47-km firing range during trials in 2017.

The 155mm/52-calibre ATAGS was developed by the Defence Research and Development Organisation in collaboration with Bharat Forge and the Tata group. After bids were opened in late October, Bharat Forge emerged as the lowest bidder (L1). The contract may be split, with Bharat Forge manufacturing 60 per cent of the guns and Tata producing 40 per cent.

# India ranks below Pakistan on global happiness index; Finland on top

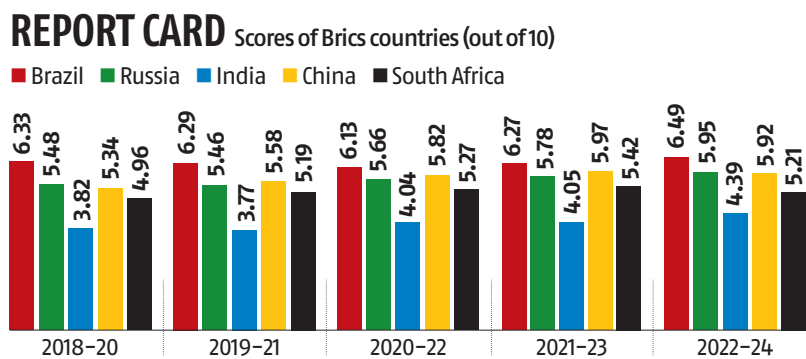
YASH KUMAR SINGHAL  
New Delhi, 20 March

India's score and ranking in the world in happiness improved in 2022-24 from 2021-23, according to the World Happiness Report, 2025, released Thursday. The country's score improved from 4.054 out of 10 to 4.389 during this period, while its ranking rose from the 126th spot, among 143 countries, to the 118th spot among 147 countries.

On the other hand, Pakistan, which has been struggling to keep its economy afloat, has outscored India, and improved from its previous score of 4.657 to 4.768 during this period. However, its rank dropped from 108th to 109th.

The score secured by countries is based on the national average of responses to questions on life evaluations in the Gallup World Poll, which asks respondents to evaluate their current life as a whole using the image of a ladder, with the best-possible life for them as a 10 and the worst-possible as a zero. Happiness rankings are based on a three-year average of these life evaluations. The 2025 report includes evaluations secured from 2022 to 2024.

To explain international differences in happiness scores, the report looks at six indicators: GDP per capita, healthy life expectancy, social support, perceived freedom to make life choices, generosity, and



**HOW THE NEIGHBOURS FARED**

Countries	Happiness score (2022-24)	Change in happiness score from 2006-10 to 2022-24
Nepal	5.31	0.71
Pakistan	4.77	-0.37
INDIA	4.39	-0.58
Sri Lanka	3.89	-0.38
Bangladesh	3.85	-0.92

Note: Scores have been calculated on a three-year average Source: World Happiness Report 2025

perception of corruption. For example, India's per capita income of \$2,480.8 in 2023, according to World Bank data, is much higher than Pakistan's \$1,365.3 the same year. Pakistan's healthy life expectancy (at birth) was 56.9 years, while that of India was 58.1 in 2021, according to the World Health Organization.

# X vs India: Social media giant fights 'unlawful' takedowns

Firm moves HC claiming unlawful content regulation, arbitrary censorship

BHAVINI MISHRA  
New Delhi, 20 March

US billionaire Elon Musk-owned X (formerly Twitter) has moved the Karnataka High Court (HC) against the Government of India, claiming unlawful content regulation and arbitrary censorship. In its petition, the social media giant told the HC that the Centre's interpretation of the Information Technology (IT) Act, particularly its use of Section 79(3)(b), violates a landmark Supreme Court (SC) ruling and undermines free expression online.

The petition, filed under Article 226, alleged that the Union government circumvents the safeguards under Section 69A of the IT Act, 2000, and the protections recognised for internet intermediaries by the apex court in the Shreya Singhal versus Union of India case. "Petitioner X Corp (X) files this writ petition under Article 226 of the Constitution to challenge respondents' (Centre and others) circumvention of Section

## Govt to check Grok's responses for possible violations of India laws

The government will check for possible violations of the provisions of Indian law concerning the responses of social media platform X's artificial intelligence (AI) tool Grok, and take action only if necessary, a senior government official said. The ministry of electronics and information technology has, in the meanwhile, reached out to X's (formerly

Twitter) representatives in India and sought their response on replies generated by Grok in response to questions posed by Indian users, the official said. The IT ministry has, however, sent no notices to X or any other internet intermediary to date regarding the responses generated by their AI tools, the official said.

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69A of the IT Act, 2000, and the protections recognised by the SC in Shreya Singhal versus Union of India," the plea said. X sought a declaration from the court that Section 79(3)(b) of the IT Act does not authorise the government to issue information-blocking orders.

**Sahyog Portal**  
The introduction of the Sahyog

Portal, an online system managed by the Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA), enables state police and various government departments to issue takedown requests directly, bypassing due process under Section 69A. This creates a parallel framework for content censorship, allowing thousands of officials to order content removals without transparency or oversight, X said.

"During a meeting with X on December 17, 2024, the MHA stated that it has only been acting on the instructions of the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology to create the censorship portal," the plea said. X argued that the 'censorship portal' is in contravention of the law.

The company has also challenged the requirement to appoint a 'nodal officer' to facilitate compliance with directives issued through the portal, arguing that such a mandate lacks statutory legitimacy.

## Relief sought

In its petition, X has also asked the court to declare that Section 79(3)(b) does not grant the government authority to issue blocking orders. It has also sought to invalidate all content takedown orders issued under Section 79(3)(b), restrict the enforcement of orders from the Sahyog Portal until a final decision is reached, and reaffirm Section 69A as the sole statutory mechanism for online content blocking.

**SBI**  
Network Technology Department, State Bank of India,  
Global IT-Centre, Sec-11, CBD Belapur, Navi Mumbai-400 614

**NOTICE INVITING TENDER**

RFP No: SBI/GITC/NWTech/2024-25/1306 DATED: 21.03.2025  
Bids are invited by State Bank of India from the eligible bidders for Procurement of Software Defined WAN (SDWAN) solution for 7000 Branches and 4 Data Centers. For details, please visit 'Procurement News' at <https://www.sbi.co.in> and e-Procurement agency portal <https://etender.sbi/sbi/>  
Commencement of download of RFP: From 21.03.2025.  
Last date and time for submission of bids: 06.05.2025 up to 15:30 hrs.

Network Technology Department

**सांगोले नगरपरिषद**  
**सांगोले, जि. सोलापूर**  
जा.क्र./सांनप/बांध/1401 दिनांक 20 MAR 2025.

**ई-निविदा प्रक्रिची सुचना**

सांगोले नगरपरिषद, जि. सोलापूर मार्फत वैशिष्ट्यपूर्ण योजना सन 2023-24 अंतर्गत विकास कामांची ई निविदा सार्वजनिक बांधकाम विभागाकडील नोंदणीकृत ठेकेदार यांच्याकडून मागविणेत येत आहेत. कामाचा सविस्तर तपशील <http://mahatenders.gov.in> या संकेत स्थळावर दिनांक 24/03/2025 ते 31/03/2025 रोजी पर्यंत उपलब्ध आहे.

सहो/-  
(डॉ. सुधीर गवळी)  
मुख्याधिकारी  
नगरपरिषद सांगोले

**Muthoot Money**  
MUTHOOT MONEY LIMITED  
CIN: U65910KL1994PLC008454,  
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Banerji Road, Ernakulam,  
Kerala, India, 682018

**GENERAL NOTICE FOR RELOCATION/ SHIFTING OF REGISTERED OFFICE OF THE COMPANY**

This is to notify the General public, Customers, vendors and all stakeholders of Muthoot Money Limited ("the Company"), that the registered office of the Company presently situated at "41 4108 A 18, Opp. Saritha Theatre, Banerji Road, Ernakulam, Kerala, India, 682 018" will be shifted or relocated to "Kurian Towers, 58/1101, 3rd Floor, Banerji Road, Kochi - 682018, Kerala, India" upon completion of 90 days of this intimation and subject to receipt of approval of the Board of Directors of the Company.

For Muthoot Money Limited  
Sd/-  
Vishnu K N  
Company Secretary

Place : Ernakulam  
Date : 20/03/2025

**nuvama**

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

It is brought to the notice of investors that certain unknown persons by the name of Ms. Kangana Sharma has been trying to mislead the public by wrongfully claiming to be part of our Company and using Fake WhatsApp groups by the name of C-1 Nuvama Wealth Group, C-2 Nuvama Wealth Group.

It is informed that Nuvama Wealth Management Limited and its subsidiaries/Group Companies are in no way associated, affiliated, or connected with the said persons/platforms. We are not involved with their business operations, activities, or any representations made by them. Nuvama Wealth Management Limited and its subsidiaries/Group Companies will never promise or offer any assured or guaranteed returns. Investors are hereby strongly advised to be vigilant and exercise caution by undertaking thorough due diligence while dealing with the said persons/platform, impersonating Nuvama Wealth Management Limited and its subsidiaries/Group Companies or its employees. Please be advised that any person willingly dealing with said persons/platforms in any manner whatsoever, without proper verification, will be doing so at their own risk, as to costs and consequences.

We urge all investors to remain vigilant and exercise caution. If you have any doubts or require verification, please contact us directly through our official channels or reach out to our helpdesk at 1800-102-3335 or [helpdesk@nuvama.com](mailto:helpdesk@nuvama.com). Thank you for your attention to this matter.

For Nuvama Wealth Management Limited  
Mumbai, 21<sup>st</sup> March '25

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**NOTICE OF POSTAL BALLOT AND E-VOTING INFORMATION**

Members are hereby informed that pursuant to the provisions of section 108 and 110 and other applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rules 20 and 22 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014 (cumulatively "Act"), Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("Listing Regulations"), Secretarial Standard on General Meeting issued by the Institute of Company Secretaries of India ("SS-2") and other applicable laws and regulations, if any, including any statutory modification (s) or re-enactment (s) thereof for the time being in force, Shankara Building Products Limited ("the Company") is seeking approval from its Members for passing of Special Resolution as set out in the notice dated March 14, 2025 ("Postal Ballot Notice") by way of voting through electronic means ("e-voting/remote e-voting").

In terms of relevant provisions of the Act and in accordance with the guidelines prescribed by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs, inter-alia, for conducting Postal Ballot process through e-voting vide General Circular Nos. 14/2020 dated April 8, 2020, 17/2020 dated April 13, 2020 read with other relevant circulars in this regard, the latest being General Circular No. 09/2024, dated September 19, 2024 (collectively referred as "MCA Circulars"), the process of sending Postal Ballot Notice along with the instructions regarding remote e-voting ONLY in electronic form to those members whose email addresses are registered with the Company/Registrar and Share Transfer Agent ("RTA"/Depositories and whose names appear in the Register of Members/List of Beneficial Owners as on March 14, 2025 ("Cut-off Date"), has completed on March 19, 2025. Accordingly, physical copies of Postal Ballot Notice and Postal Ballot forms are not being sent to the Members. The Notice is also available on Company's website ([www.shankarabuildpro.com](http://www.shankarabuildpro.com)), Stock Exchanges' website ([www.bseindia.com](http://www.bseindia.com) and [www.nseindia.com](http://www.nseindia.com)) and KFin Technologies Limited website (<https://evoting.kfintech.com/>).

Members may also note that in compliance with the above MCA Circulars, the communication of assent/dissent of the members on the resolution proposed in Postal Ballot Notice will only take place through the remote e-voting system.

**All the Members are hereby informed that:**

- The e-voting period shall commence on Friday, March 21, 2025 at 9:00 AM (IST) and end on Saturday, April 19, 2025 at 5:00 PM (IST) for all the shareholders, whether holding shares in physical form or in demat form. The e-voting module shall be disabled by KFin for voting thereafter. Remote e-voting shall not be allowed beyond the said time and date.
- A person whose name is recorded in the register of members or in the register of beneficial owners maintained by the depositories as on the cut-off date i.e. Friday, March 14, 2025 only shall be entitled to avail the facility of remote e-voting.
- The Notice is being sent to all the Members, whose names appear on the Register of Member's/Record of depositories as on Friday, March 14, 2025. A person who is not a member on the cut-off date should accordingly treat the Postal Ballot Notice as for information purposes only.
- The Company has appointed Mr. S. Kannan Practising Company Secretary, (Membership No FC: 6261), as scrutinizer for conducting the entire postal ballot process by way of remote e-voting in a fair and transparent manner.
- The results of the Postal Ballot e-voting will be declared on or before April 21, 2025. The results along with scrutiner's report shall be placed on the website of the Company and on the website of the KFin and communicated to the Stock Exchanges where the Company's shares are listed.

Members holding shares in electronic form and who have not updated their email or KYC details are requested to register/update the details in their demat account, as per the process advised by their Depository Participant, Members holding shares in physical form who have not updated their email or KYC details are requested to register/update the said details in the prescribed form ISR - 1 with Registrar and Share Transfer Agent of the Company.

If you have not registered your email address with Company/Depository, you may please follow below instructions:

- Physical shareholders - please provide necessary details like Folio No, Name of shareholder, scanned copy of the share certificate front and back), PAN (self-attested scanned copy of PAN card), AADHAAR (self-attested scanned copy of Aadhaar Card) by email to Company at [compliance@shankarabuildpro.com](mailto:compliance@shankarabuildpro.com) or RTA email at [einward.ris@kfintech.com](mailto:einward.ris@kfintech.com)
- Demat shareholders - Please update your email ID & mobile no. with your respective Depository Participant (DP)

If you have any queries or issues regarding e-voting from the KFin e-Voting System, you can refer the Frequently Asked Questions for e-voting and User Manual available at the 'download' section of <https://evoting.kfintech.com> or call KFin on 1800 309 4001 (toll free). Members may also reach out to the undersigned at [compliance@shankarabuildpro.com](mailto:compliance@shankarabuildpro.com) or [einward.ris@kfintech.com](mailto:einward.ris@kfintech.com).

For Shankara Building Products Limited  
Sd/-  
Ereena Vikram  
Company secretary & Compliance Officer  
Date: March 19, 2025  
Place: Bengaluru  
Membership No. A33459

**Aditya Birla Sun Life Mutual Fund**

**ADITYA BIRLA CAPITAL**

**MUTUAL FUNDS**

Aditya Birla Sun Life AMC Limited (Investment Manager for Aditya Birla Sun Life Mutual Fund) Registered Office: One World Center, Tower 1, 17th Floor, Jupiter Mills, Senapati Bapat Marg, Elphinstone Road, Mumbai - 400 013. Tel: 4356 8000. Fax: 4356 8110/8111. CIN: L65991MH1994PLC080811

**Record Date for Distribution**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT** the Trustees of Aditya Birla Sun Life Mutual Fund have approved Tuesday, March 25, 2025\*, as the Record Date for declaration of distribution under the Income Distribution cum Capital Withdrawal (IDCW) option in the following scheme, subject to availability of distributable surplus on the Record Date:

Name of the Scheme	Plan/Option	Quantum of Distribution per unit# on face value of Rs. 100/- per unit	NAV as on March 19, 2025 (Rs.)
Aditya Birla Sun Life Liquid Fund (An open ended Liquid Scheme. A relatively low interest rate risk and moderate credit risk)	Regular Plan - IDCW	8.287	138.1216
	Direct Plan - IDCW	10.878	181.3029

**The NAV of the scheme, pursuant to pay out of distribution would fall to the extent of payout and statutory levy (if applicable).**

#As reduced by the amount of applicable statutory levy. \*or the immediately following Business Day if that day is a non-business day.

All unitholders whose names appear in the Register of Unitholders / Beneficial owners under the IDCW option of the said scheme as at the close of business hours on the Record Date shall be eligible to receive the distribution so declared.

For Aditya Birla Sun Life AMC Limited  
(Investment Manager for Aditya Birla Sun Life Mutual Fund)  
Sd/-  
Authorised Signatory

Date : March 20, 2025  
Place : Mumbai

**Mutual Fund investments are subject to market risks, read all scheme related documents carefully.**