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Subject: Newspaper Advertisement – Regulation 30 and Regulation 47 of SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirement) Regulations, 2015 regarding "Notice with respect to Special Window for re-lodgment of transfer requests of physical shares" pursuant to SEBI Circular dated 02nd July 2025 & 30th January 2026.

Reference: Our Intimation dated 29th July 2025, 04th September 2025, 06th November 2025 18th February 2026, 18th April 2026 and 18th June 2026.

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- Financial Express - All India Edition (English)
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The newspaper publication provides information to shareholders regarding the availability of a special window for re-lodgment of transfer requests for physical shares, as permitted under the applicable regulatory framework.

Copies of the said newspaper publications are enclosed herewith for your reference and records. The above information will also be available on the website of the Company at https://www.skf.com/in/investors/skf-india-ltd

We request you to take the above information on record and disseminate the same on your respective websites.

Thanking you,

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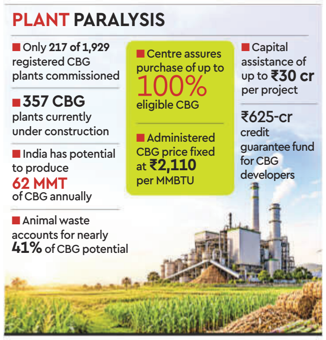

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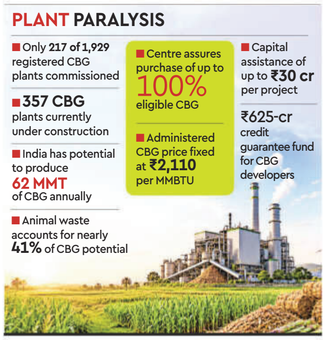

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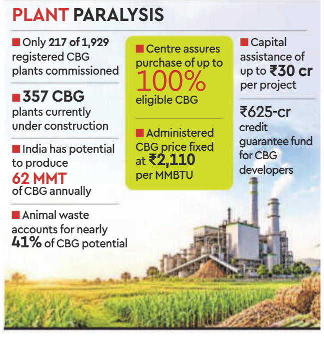

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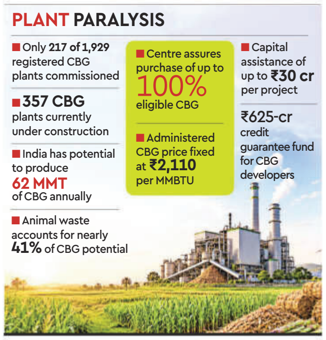

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Only a tenth of the world's sulphur output is directly mined. The rest comes as a byproduct of petroleum oil refining (56%) and natural gas processing (34%). Environmental rules mandate desulphurisation – removal of sulphur from crude oil and raw gas — for the production of clean, low-emission fuels.

This recovered sulphur is, however, essential for agriculture. The fertiliser sector alone accounts for roughly 60% of the 70 million tonnes (mt) annual global sulphur consumption. Most of the world's sulphur gets converted into sulphuric acid that is, in turn, a core chemical for manufacturing all fertilisers containing phosphorous (P).

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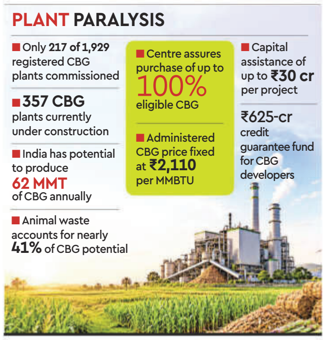

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Another 357 plants were under construction as of August 13, according to government data. Under the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas's operational guidelines for the ₹23,731-crore GOBARdhan scheme, up to 100% of eligible gas available for sale can be procured, at a price of approximately ₹98 per kg. The scheme also provides capital assistance of up to ₹30 crore per project.

The interventions come amid substantial untapped production potential. India could produce around 62 million metric tonne (MMT) of CBG annually from an estimated 472 MMT of feedstock, with animal waste accounting for nearly 41% of the potential, according to an Equirus report released this month.

The ministry's guidelines acknowledge that existing procurement arrangements had constrained investment. Earlier offtake depended largely on market-based procurement and reasonable-endeavours provisions, creating uncertainty for developers and "weakening the business case", the document said.

Under the revised framework, eligible producers can opt for assured purchase of up to 100% of CBG available for sale, subject to technical and operational feasibility. Plants will be mapped to city gas distribution (CGD) entities or geographical areas, while clusters can be aggregated for injection into trunk pipelines.

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Pricing forms the second key component of the framework. The initial Administered CBG Price (ACP) has been fixed at ₹2,110 per million British thermal units (MMBTU), equivalent to approximately ?98 per kg at 95% methane content, excluding taxes and compression charges. The petroleum ministry said the objective is to establish a "stable pricing framework" and support the commercial viability and long-term bankability of projects.

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Pipeline connectivity is another focus of the new framework. The ministry acknowledged that investments in CBG pipelines have "lagged behind the rapid expansion of production capacity", restricting gas evacuation and further investment.

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NOTICE WITH RESPECT TO SPECIAL WINDOW FOR RE-LODGMENT OF TRANSFER REQUESTS OF PHYSICAL SHARES

Notice is hereby given that the Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI), through its circular SEBI/HO/MIRSD/MIRSD-PoD/P/CIR/2025/97 dated 2nd July 2025 and HO/38/13/11(2)2026-MIRSD-POD/ I/3750/2026 dated 30th January 2026, has introduced a Special Window for the re-lodgment of transfer requests of physical shares. This initiative is intended to facilitate genuine investors in securing ownership of shares previously submitted for transfer but rejected or returned due to deficiencies.

Last Publication for the notice for this purpose was done on 18th February 2026, 18th April 2026 and 18th June 2026

Eligibility:

Investors who had **submitted transfer requests for physical shares prior to 01st April 2019** (the date from which SEBI discontinued transfer of shares in physical form), and whose requests were rejected or returned or not attended due to deficiencies in documents or otherwise, are now eligible to re-lodge such requests.

Special Window Period:

Window shall be open for a period of one year from 05th February 2026 to 04th February 2027.

Eligible shareholders are invited to re-lodge their earlier transfer requests along with necessary documents during the above window. Please note that:

- Re-lodged securities will be transferred only in dematerialized (demat) form.
- Requests must be submitted to the Company or its Registrar & Transfer Agent (RTA) at the addresses below.
- Transfer will be processed only upon successful verification and compliance with SEBI guidelines.

Investors may send the documents to the Company or RTA on any of the address given below:

SKF India Limited To, Mayuri Kulkarni Company Secretary & Compliance Officer Address: SKF India Limited, Chinchwad, Pune 411 033, Maharashtra, India. Phone no: 020 66112623 Email: investorIndia@SKF.com	**MUFG Intime India Private Limited** **(Formerly Link Intime India Private Limited)** **(Unit: SKF India Limited)** C-101, 1st Floor, 247 Park, Lal Bahadur Shastri Marg, Vikhroli West, Mumbai – 400 083 Tel No.: +91 810 811 8484 **Investor Queries:** investor.helpdesk@in.mpms.mufg.com https://web.in.mpms.mufg.com/helpdesk/Service_Request.html

We encourage all eligible investors who have not yet received transferred shares due to earlier rejections or pending deficiencies to avail themselves of this Special Window and complete the transfer process in accordance with the SEBI circular.

For SKF India Limited
Sd/-
Mayuri Kulkarni
Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Place : Pune
Date : 21st September 2026
Registered Office: Chinchwad, Pune 411033, Maharashtra, India

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On behalf of my client, **Dr. Santosh Meena, Professor, Department of History, Government Arts College, Kota, Rajasthan**, it is hereby informed that to date, my client has published a total of six books, namely, **"History of the Modern World"** and **"History of Contemporary India,"** in Delhi, and four books, namely, **"Social Studies of Indian Tribes," "Economic Condition of Indian Tribes," "Religious Concepts of Indian Tribes,"** and **"Social and Economic History of the Meena Tribe,"** in Hindi, in Jaipur. Apart from these six books, no other books have been published by my client till today. If any book other than these books is published by misusing my client's name, my client will not bear any responsibility or liability in relation to it. Please be informed.

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S001680	RAJIB KUMAR SARKAR	7816	383536971	383537970	1000	1/-

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Last date of receiving applications is **12.10.2026.**

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E-AUCTION DATED 12.10.2026

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1.	**Branch : ARMB - South 24 Parganas (831900)** **Borrower : M/s. Shashibhushan Builders** **M/s. Shashibhushan Builders, Proprietor : Ashish Das** Vill - Champahati (Christian Para), P.O. - Champahati, P.S. - Baruipur, South 24 Pargana, Pin - 743 330. **Ashish Das** **Smt. Bulu Das**, W/o. Ashish Das **Both are at :** Vill - Champahati (Christian Para), P.O. - Champahati, P.S. - Baruipur, South 24 Pgs., Pin - 743 330. **A/c. No. : 0139210302449** **Property ID : PUNBABA40335109**	All that piece and parcel of Land & two storied Building lying & situated at Mouza- Champahati, J.L. No. 24, R.S. No. 133, Touzi No. 250, R.S. Khatian No. 615, L.R. Khatian Nos. 1821/1, 1821/2, R.S. Dag No. 328, L.R. Dag No. 356, under Juridiction of Champahati Gram Panchayat, P.O. - Champahati, P.S. - Baruipur, Pin - 743 330, Dist - South 24 Parganas, Westy Bengal. Land Area - 5 Kathas 14 Chitaks, built up area - 2012 Sq.ft. (approx.), **in the name of Smt. Bulu Das** as per Deed No. 11800/2012 dt.19.12.2012.	a) 03.12.2019 b) **Rs. 25,92,558.59** plus further interest & Charges as applicable c) **27.02.2020 (Symbolic)** d) **Symbolic Possession** e) **Shri Subir Paul, Senion Manager Mob. : 70037 09715**	a) **Rs. 32.60 Lakhs** b) **Rs. 3.26 Lakhs (12.10.2026)** c) **Rs. 0.33 Lakh** d) **12.10.2026 From 11.00 A.M. to 4.00 P.M.** e) **SA / 658 / 2021 at DRT - III, Kolkata**
2.	**Branch : ARMB South 24 Parganas (831900)** **Borrower : M/s. Sneha Construction** **M/s. Sneha Construction Proprietor : Mr. Sabyasachi Malik** Vill - Chakmanik, P.O. - Bawali, P.S. - Nodakhali, Dist - South 24 Parganas, Pin - 743 384. **A/c. Nos. : 012820IB00000099, 012820IB00000101, 0128250010715 & 0128300029430** **Property ID : PUNB0SNEHACONSTRUCTION**	All that Piece and Parcel of Area of Land alongwith single storied building situated at Mouza - Chakmanik, J.L. No. 58, Khatian No. 751, L.R. Khatian No. 1289, R.S. and L.R. Dag No. 940, Touzi No. 99, under jurisdiction of Chakmanik Grampanchayat, P.S. - Nodkhali, Dist - South 24 Parganas, West Bengal, Pin - 743 384, vide Gift Deed No. I-06542 of the year 2014, Book No. 1, Volume No. 9, Page No. 7666 to 7678 and Total Land Area 1850 Sq.ft. or 4.25 Decimals and constructed Residential building thereon and **the land is butted and bounded as follows:** North - Land of Late Santosh Kr Mitra, South - Land of Late Awani Bhushan Mitra & 8 Ft. wide Common Passage, East - Common water drain and the land of Sri Tapan Kr. Mitra, West - 12 Ft. wide Common Passage. **Property owned by Mr. Sabyasachi Malik.**	a) 14.12.2022 b) **Rs. 26,30,524.25** plus further interest & charges as applicable c) **21.05.2023 (Symbolic)** d) **Symbolic Possession** e) **Shri Subir Paul, Senion Manager Mob. : 70037 09715**	A) **Rs. 17.12 Lakhs** B) **Rs. 1.72 Lakhs (12.10.2026)** C) **Rs. 0.18 Lakh** D) **12.10.2026 From 11.00 A.M. to 4.00 P.M.** E) **Not known to Bank**
3.	**Branch : ARMB - South 24 Parganas (831900)** **Borrower : M/s. Sreeguru Oil Mill** **M/s. Sreeguru Oil Mill, Proprietor : Sri Goutam Dey**, S/o. Nripendra Narayan Dey Balban, Bishalaxmitala, Canning Road, Baruipur, Dist - South 24 Parganas, West Bengal, Pin - 700 144. **Sri Goutam Dey**, S/o. Nripendra Narayan Dey Vill - Palpara, (Near Palpara Oxygen Gas Godown) P.O. + P.S. - Baruipur, Dist - South 24 Parganas, West Bengal, Pin - 700 144. **A/c. No. : 0300250308748 & 0300300055277** **Property ID : PUNBS24PGNSHREEGURUOIL**	All Part and parcel of EQM (Land and Building constructed thereon) having land area 4 Cottah 11 Sq.ft. bearing RS Dag No. 15261, RS Khatian No. 2436, J.L. No. 31, Touzi No. 250, Mouza - Baruipur, P.S. - Baruipur and property is located at Vill - Palpara (Near Bishalaxmitala Primary School & Oxygen Gas Godown at Balban) and **the property in standing in the name of Sri Goutam Dey** vide Regd. Deed No. 2927/1997 and **the property is surrounded in the :** North - Land, South- Property of Banani Dey, East - 8 Ft. wide Road, West - 16 Ft. wide Road.	a) 01.07.2021 b) **Rs. 61,51,969.24** plus further interest & Charges as applicable c) **29.10.2021 (Symbolic)** d) **Symbolic Possession** e) **Shri Mehbub Hossain Baidya, Senior Manager Mob. 90930 17798**	a) **Rs. 32.25 Lakhs** b) **Rs. 3.23 Lakhs (12.10.2026)** c) **Rs. 0.33 Lakh** d) **12.10.2026 From 11.00 A.M. to 4.00 P.M.** e) **Not known to Bank**
4.	**Branch : ARMB - South 24 Parganas (831900)** **Borrower : Smt. Supriya Sikdar** **Smt. Supriya Sikdar**, W/o. Gopal Mondal Baghberia, Kapindapur, P.O. - Madarat, P.S. - Baruipur, Dist - South 24 Parganas, West Bengal, Pin - 743 610. **A/c. No. : 014820NC00000561** **Property ID : PUNB2Z660695379**	Equitable mortgage of all that piece and parcel of 'Bastu' Land measuring about 06 Satak (Decimals) along with two storied residential building measuring about 976.75 Sq.ft. (with Ground floor measuring about 693.5 Sq.ft. and First floor measuring about 283.25 Sq.ft.) lying and situated at Mouza - Baruipur, J.L. No. 31, R.S. No. 71, Khatian No. 3299, R.S. Dag No. 8472, under Madarat Gram Panchayat, P.O. - Madarat, P.S. - Baruipur, District - South 24 Parganas, West Bengal, Pin - 743 610, **belonging to Supriya Sikdar**, vide Deed No. I-16208 of 2023, registered in Book No. I, Volume No. 1602-2023, Page from 593732 to 593757 registered at Office of the D.S.R- II, District - South 24 Parganas, registered on 24-11-2023. **The Property is butted and bounded by :** On the North - By land of Shibani Mondal, On the South - By 12 Ft. wide Metal Road, On the East - By 12 Ft. wide Road, On the West : By Land of Rajib Mondal. **The Property is owned by Smt. Supriya Sikdar.**	a) 26.06.2025 b) **Rs. 28,29,107.81** plus further interest & Charges as applicable c) **04.11.2025 (Symbolic)** d) **Symbolic Possession** e) **Shri Subir Paul, Senion Manager Mob. : 70037 09715**	a) **Rs. 34.83 Lakhs** b) **Rs. 3.49 Lakhs (12.10.2026)** c) **Rs. 0.35 Lakh** d) **12.10.2026 From 11.00 A.M. to 4.00 P.M.** e) **Not known to Bank**
5.	**Branch : ARMB - South 24 Parganas (831900)** **Borrower : Mr. Tarak Ghosh** **Mr. Tarak Ghosh**, S/o. Shri Balaji Ghosh **Mrs. Malina Ghosh**, W/o. Shri Balaji Ghosh **Both are at :** Village : Singha And Nalya Para, Kumarsachak (Sabujpally), P.O. - Tengrakhali, P.S. - Canning, South 24 Parganas, West Bengal, Pin - 743 329. **A/c. Nos. : 21896015000339 & 21895115001332** **Property ID : PUNBABA47474657**	All Part and Parcel of EQM of Land and Residential Building situated at Mouza- Muramsachak bearing RS Dag No. 1395, LR Khatian No. 526, 361, J.L. No. 105, having total area of Land 13.5 Cottah, P.S. - Canning, P.O. - Tengarakhali, P.S. - Canning, South 24 Parganas and **Property is standing in the name of Shri Tarak Ghosh**, vide Registered Deed No. I-51682014 on **dated 30.06.20214, which is surrounded in :** North - By Panchayat Road, South - By Property of Tarak Ghosh, East - By Property of Biren Mondal, West - By Property if Kamalini Devi.	a) 08.03.2023 b) **Rs. 32,09,761.13** plus further interest & Charges as applicable c) **26.07.2023 (Symbolic)** d) **Symbolic Possession** e) **Shri Subir Paul, Senion Manager Mob. : 70037 09715**	a) **Rs. 95.56 Lakhs** b) **Rs. 9.56 Lakhs (12.10.2026)** c) **Rs. 0.96 Lakh** d) **12.10.2026 From 11.00 A.M. to 4.00 P.M.** e) **Not known to Bank**

-: TERMS AND CONDITIONS :-

The sale shall be subject to the Terms & Conditions prescribed in the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 and to the following further conditions.

1. The properties are being sold on **"AS IS WHERE IS BASIS"** and **"AS IS WHAT IS BASIS"** and **"WHATEVER THERE IS BASIS"**
2. The particulars of Secured Assets specified in the Schedule hereinabove have been stated to the best of the information of the Authorised Officer, but the Authorised Officer shall not be answerable for any error, misstatement or omission in this proclamation.
3. The Sale will be done by the undersigned through e-auction platform provided at the Website : **https://baanknet.com**
4. For detailed term and conditions of the sale, please refer **https://baanknet.com & www.pnbindia.in**
5. Bank shall not be liable for any kind of statutory dues against the property. Buyers shall be solely responsible for payment of any kind of taxes.
6. The Authorized Officer or the Bank shall not be responsible for any charge, lien, encumbrances, or any other dues to the Government or anyone else in respect of properties (E-Auctioned) not known to the Bank. The Intending Bidder is advised to make their own independent inquiries regarding the encumbrances on the property including statutory liabilities, arrears of property tax, electricity dues etc.
7. For Detailed Terms and Conditions of E Auction Sale before submitting bids and taking part in the E Auction Sale Proceedings, **Please Contact : Sh. Rajesh Kumar Jha - Chief Manager, Mobile No. 85212 56026, Shri Abhijeet Kumar - Senior Manager, Mobile No. 76204 35811, Shri Mehbub Hossain Baidya - Senior Manager, Mobile No. : 90930 17798 and Shri Subir Paul, Senion Manager, Mobile No. : 70037 09715.**

STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002.

Date : 21.09.2026
Place : Baruipur

Authorized Officer (85212 56026)
Punjab National Bank, ARMB - South 24 Parganas

पंजाब नैशनल बैंक (भारत सरकार का उपक्रम) pnb punjab national bank (Govt. Of India Undertaking)

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Appendix-IV [Rule-8(1)] POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

Whereas

The undersigned being the authorized officer of Punjab National Bank under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 read with rule 3 of the Security Interest [Enforcement] Rules 2002 issued a Demand Notice on the dates mentioned against each account calling upon the respective Borrowers/Guarantors to repay the amount as mentioned against each account within 60 days from the date of notice(s)/date of receipt of the said notice(s).

The Borrowers/Guarantors having failed to repay the amount, notice are hereby given to the Borrowers/Guarantors and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below the 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 mention below .

The Borrowers/Guarantors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealing with the property will be subject to the charge of **Punjab National Bank, Dalhousie Square (now Old Court House Street) Branch** for the amounts and interest, further expenses thereon.

Sl. No.	Name of the Financing Branch / Name of the Account	Borrowers/ Proprietors / Guarantors	Description of the movable/ immovable properties	Date of Demand Notice	Date of Possession Notice affixed	Amount Outstanding as on the date of demand notice
1.	Dalhousie Square (now Old Court House Street) Branch Tapas Kumar Ghosh	Borrower : Shri Tapas Kumar Ghosh & Smt Sumana Ghosh	All that piece and parcel of one Flat/unit/apartment being Flat No 4B on Fourth Floor, measuring about 1680 sq ft including super built up area on the North Facing be the same a little more or less with space for parking measuring 200 sq ft on the Ground Floor together with undivided proportionate and impartible share or interest in the land comprised in Howrah Municipal Corporarion, Holding No-90& 91, Abinash Banerjee Lane, PS -Shibpur (formerly) Chatterjee Hat (New) under Ward No-33 within the jurisdiction of A.D.S.R & D.S.R Howrah, Dist - Howrah. Registered in Book –I Volume No 0501-2023,Page from 99914 to 99944. Being No 050103362 for the year 2023, DSR-I,Howrah West Bengal.	15.07.2026	18.09.2026	₹72,89,019.03 (Rupees Seventy-Two Lacs Eighty-Nine Thousand Nineteen and Paisa Three only) **only** as on 30.06.2026 and interest thereon.

The borrower's'/guarantor's'/mortgagor'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.

Date : 18.09.2026
Place : Kolkata

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Punjab National Bank

Centre moves to fix offtake, pricing gaps for biogas

SAURAV ANAND
New Delhi, September 20

ONLY 217 OF India's 1,929 registered compressed biogas (CBG)/Bio-CNG plants have been commissioned, prompting the Centre to introduce assured gas purchase, administered pricing and capital subsidies to address offtake and financing bottlenecks that have held back commercial operations.

Another 357 plants were under construction as of August 13, according to government data. Under the Ministry of Petroleum and Natural Gas's operational guidelines for the ₹23,731-crore GOBARdhan scheme, up to 100% of eligible gas available for sale can be procured, at a price of approximately ₹98 per kg. The scheme also provides capital assistance of up to ₹30 crore per project.

The interventions come amid substantial untapped production potential. India could produce around 62 million metric tonne (MMT) of CBG annually from an estimated 472 MMT of feedstock, with animal waste accounting for nearly 41% of the potential, according to an Equirus report released this month.

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Pricing forms the second key component of the framework. The initial Administered CBG Price (ACP) has been fixed at ₹2,110 per million British thermal units (MMBTU), equivalent to approximately ?98 per kg at 95% methane content, excluding taxes and compression charges. The petroleum ministry said the objective is to establish a "stable pricing framework" and support the commercial viability and long-term bankability of projects.

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SANDIP DAS
New Delhi, September 20

DIGITALISATION IS CHANGING the experience of farmers who once had to make multiple visits to banks and stand in long queues to access agricultural credit.

The National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (Nabard), in collaboration with Vadodara-based agri-fintech startup 24X7 Moneyworks Consulting, has onboarded more than 300,000 Kisan Credit Card (KCC) applications across cooperative banks and Regional Rural Banks (RRBs) since December 2025.

"The eKCC portal is designed for cooperative banks, primary agricultural credit societies (PACS) and it is used for Aadhaar authentication of farmers, land record validation and loan limits based on crop details and area under cultivation," Ranjeet Gautam, founder, MD & CEO, 24X7 Moneyworks Consulting, told *FE*. Gautam said that in less than a year, the initiative has expanded across nearly 238 cooperative banks and around 32,000 PACS. Nearly 170,000 KCC applications have been electronically onboarded through this cooperative network.

He said farmers often do not know the scale of finance available for each crop in their district. Through the eKCC portal, they can check their eligibility limits for agricultural loans.

India, Bangladesh to set up joint task force to promote bilateral trade: India and Bangladesh are engaged in a discussion to set up a joint task force aimed at expanding bilateral trade and investment, a statement said on Sunday.

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Global oil M&A nears $130 bn

SAURAV ANAND
New Delhi, September 20

GLOBAL UPSTREAM OIL and gas mergers and acquisitions (M&A) have reached nearly $130 billion in announced deals as of August, with another $137 billion worth of opportunities on the market. However, the West Asia conflict threatens to delay transactions as volatile crude prices widen the valuation gap between buyers and sellers, according to Rystad Energy.

The global deal pipeline has expanded from $98 billion before the conflict to $137 billion, driven partly by privately owned US shale producers testing the market. Only about one-third of these opportunities would need to materialise for annual deal value to surpass the $175 billion recorded in 2025.

"Oil price volatility has created a deeper opportunity set, but it has also made deals harder to execute," said Atul Raina, vice-president, oil and gas M&A, Rystad Energy.

"Sellers are looking at elevated spot prices and near-term cash flow, while buyers are underwriting against a backwardated price strip and the possibility that current conditions may not last," he said.

The slowdown in deal execution comes despite a surge in transaction value. Global upstream M&A jumped 55% year-on-year to approximately $100 billion in the first half of 2026, even as the number of deals declined 12% to 217, reflecting fewer but larger acquisitions.

North America contributed more than $68 billion, accounting for 68% of global deal value. Shale transactions alone exceeded $63 billion, representing 92% of North American activity and 63% of worldwide M&A.

Two transactions accounted for 41% of global deal value — Devon Energy's $25.1-billion merger with Coterra Energy and Shell's $16.4-billion acquisition of ARC Resources.

The conflict has disrupted dealmaking despite elevated crude prices. About $56 billion, or 56%, of first-half transactions were announced before hostilities began on February 28.

Another $44 billion was announced during March-June, averaging approximately $11 billion a month, despite Brent crude averaging $99 per barrel between March and July.

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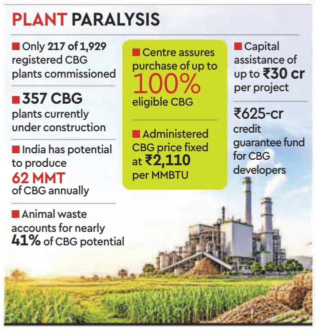
New Delhi, September 20



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The Centre will provide 50% of eligible pipeline costs, capped at ?50 lakh per km for steel pipelines and ?7.5 lakh per km for medium-density polyethylene pipelines. Assistance will cover up to 75 km.

The guidelines also provide for a ?625-crore credit guarantee fund, particularly for MSME-scale developers. The fund will cover eligible term loans until December 31, 2030, or until cumulative lending reaches ?15,000 crore, whichever is earlier. Loans can have a tenure of up to 15 years, including an 18-month moratorium.

DEVOTEES BID FAREWELL TO LORD GANESHA

Devotees during a grand procession for the immersion of the Lord Ganesha idol organised by the Maharashtra Mandal, in Patna on Sunday ANI

Amid Russia, West Asia conflicts, India has a new problem: Sulphur

HARISH DAMODARAN
New Delhi, September 20

INDIA HAS STAVED off a potential food crisis by importing enough urea and liquefied natural gas to enable domestic production of high-nitrogen fertiliser.

But there is another critical commodity, sulphur, whose soaring prices — again, linked to the escalating West Asia and Russia-Ukraine conflicts — is impacting the availability of di-ammonium phosphate (DAP), single super phosphate (SSP) and other major complex fertilisers.

Since the start of this year, landed (cost plus ocean freight) prices of sulphur imported into India have doubled to $1,050-1,100 per tonne. The main reason: Ukrainian long-range drone and missile attacks on Russian oil refineries and gas complexes and Iran, likewise, targeting the energy infrastructure of Saudi Aramco, QatarEnergy and Abu Dhabi National Oil Company.

Only a tenth of the world's sulphur output is directly mined. The rest comes as a byproduct of petroleum oil refining (56%) and natural gas processing (34%). Environmental rules mandate desulphurisation – removal of sulphur from crude oil and raw gas — for the production of

clean, low-emission fuels.

This recovered sulphur is, however, essential for agriculture. The fertiliser sector alone accounts for roughly 60% of the 70 million tonnes (mt) annual global sulphur consumption. Most of the world's sulphur gets converted into sulphuric acid that is, in turn, a core chemical for manufacturing all fertilisers containing phosphorous (P).

"The primary source of P is rock phosphate. But this mined ore cannot be used as fertiliser unless broken down into a water-soluble form (for plants to absorb) by reacting with sulphuric acid. Without sulphur and sulphuric acid, there can be no DAP, SSP or popular complex fertilisers such as 20:20:0:13, 10:26:26 and 12:32:16," explained an industry official.

India's own yearly sulphur consumption is 3.8-3.9 mt, with the fertiliser industry's share at 2-2.1 mt. As a byproduct of the oil and gas industry, sulphur was previously imported at prices well below $200 per tonne — even sub-$100 in many months of 2019 and 2020. Being a flammable material, sulphur cannot be stored for too long.

"There are storage and disposal challenges also in sulphuric acid, which is a byproduct of copper and zinc smelting. In 2020, we were importing it from non-ferrous metal smelters in Japan and South Korea at even minus $20 per tonne (free-on-board price at the port of origin)," the official said.

That changed with the Russia-Ukraine war. Import prices of sulphur rose to $400-500 per tonne during March-June 2022. It was temporary though, as prices reverted to the earlier sub-$200 levels from late-2022 through early 2025.

The real problems started with a substantial increase in Ukraine's targeted strikes on Russian oil refineries from around August 2025. By December, landed prices had crossed $500 per tonne and have only gone higher post the US-Iran war (see chart).

India and B'desh to form trade task force

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"The Indian High Commission is maintaining regular communication and discussions with the governments of both countries to expedite the formation of the task force," India's deputy high commissioner in Dhaka, Pawankumar Tulshidas Badhe, was quoted as saying by the Bangladesh Chambers of Commerce and Industries (FBCCI) here.

According to FBCCI, Badhe met M Fazlul Hoque, administrator of FBCCI and said that the proposed task force could play an important role in expanding bilateral trade and investment by bringing businesses and other stakeholders from both countries into closer engagement.

Badhe sought cooperation from Bangladesh's private sector, particularly through the FBCCI, to move the initiative forward, it said. A joint task force could play an effective role in increasing bilateral trade and strengthening mutual cooperation, Hoque said and urged businesses and entrepreneurs from both countries to join hands to expand trade and investment in prospective sectors.

The meeting also discussed removing tariff and non-tariff barriers and strengthening commercial ties between the two countries, according to the statement. Badhe said that visa processing for Bangladeshis travelling to India was eased across categories, and the high commission is currently issuing around 5,000 visas every day.

The meeting came two days after FBCCI and the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) agreed to form business-to-business task forces to address trade and investment barriers. **PTI**

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DIGITALISATION IS CHANGING the experience of farmers who once had to make multiple visits to banks and stand in long queues to access agricultural credit.

The National Bank for Agriculture and Rural Development (Nabard), in collaboration with Vadodara-based agri-fintech startup 24X7 Moneyworks Consulting, has onboarded more than 300,000 Kisan Credit Card (KCC) applications across cooperative banks and Regional Rural Banks (RRBs) since December 2025.

"The eKCC portal is designed for cooperative banks, primary agricultural credit societies (PACS) and it is used for Aadhaar authentication of farmers, land record validation and loan limits based on crop details and area under cultivation," Ranjeet Gautam, founder, MD & CEO, 24X7 Moneyworks Consulting, told *FE*. Gautam said that in less than a year, the initiative has expanded across nearly 238 cooperative banks and around 32,000 PACS. Nearly 170,000 KCC applications have been electronically onboarded through this cooperative network.

He said farmers often do not know the scale of finance available for each crop in their district. Through the eKCC portal, they can check their eligibility limits for agricultural loans.

A KCC provides farmers with affordable credit to purchase seeds, fertilisers and pesticides. A Nabard official said eKCC has the potential to

improve access, transparency and efficiency in the disbursement of agricultural credit.

Nabard had acquired a 10% stake in 24×7 Moneyworks Consulting for an undisclosed amount, marking its first-ever investment in a bootstrapped startup. The startup has also developed a digital platform to manage interest subvention claims under the Agriculture Infrastructure Fund, enabling real-time validation and disbursement of these claims.

Bank officials said conventional loan application processes for KCC holders are 'fraught with inefficiencies', including multiple visits to banks, long turnaround times of three to four weeks and a paper-based process.

Currently, there are 77.2 million operational KCC holders with landholdings. This includes 240,000 KCCs issued for fisheries and 4.4 million for animal husbandry activities.

In FY26, credit to the agriculture sector from commercial banks, cooperatives and regional rural banks crossed ?32.5 lakh crore, with about 60% of the total comprising short-term crop loans. The rest was disbursed as investment loans to agriculture and allied sectors.

Under the Modified Interest Subvention Scheme (MISS) of the agriculture ministry, KCC holders are provided short-term agricultural loans of up to ?3 lakh at an interest rate of 7% per annum to meet working capital requirements. The scheme provides an additional interest subvention of 3% for prompt repayment, bringing the effective interest rate down to 4%.

विचित्र अपघातात तीन विद्यार्थ्यांचा मृत्यू

मुंबई : सागरी किनारा मार्गावर रविवारी पहाटे साडे पाच वाजता मरीन ड्राइव्हहून हाजीअलीच्या दिशेने जाणाऱ्या भरधाव बीएमडब्ल्यू मोटारीचा अपघात होऊन तिघांचा मृत्यू झाला, तर एक जण गंभीर जखमी झाला. लाला लजपतराय महाविद्यालयासमोरील लोटस जेट्टीजवळ हा भीषण अपघात झाला. चालकाचे नियंत्रण सुटल्याने गाडी दुभाजकाला धडकून सुमारे ७५ फूट खाली कोसळली.

या अपघातात सनाय गुज्जर (२१), आदित्य जकसनिया (१९), धैर्य शेठ (१७) यांचा मृत्यू झाला. गाडी सनाय याच्या कुटुंबीयांच्या मालकीची असून सनाय स्वतः चालवत होता. या अपघातात आदित्य ओसवाल हा गंभीर जखमी झाला असून त्याच्यावर उपचार सुरू आहेत.

आदिवासी विभागात शाळांच्या ‘श्रेणी’वाढीचा घोटाळा

खासगी शाळांना अधिकाऱ्यांकडून कोट्यवधींचा लाभ

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मुंबई : आदिवासी विभागाच्या आणखी एका योजनेतील गोंधळ समोर आला आहे. अनुसूचित जमातीच्या विद्यार्थ्यांना नामांकित निवासी इंग्रजी शाळांमध्ये प्रवेश देण्याच्या योजनेमध्ये अधिकाऱ्यांनी नियमबाह्य श्रेणीवाढ दिली. त्यातून खासगी शाळांना शेकडो कोटींचा लाभ मिळवून दिला आहे.

आदिवासी विभागाने २०१० मध्ये ही योजना सुरू केली. या योजनेमध्ये १७० शाळा असून प्रति वर्ष दोन ते अडीच हजार विद्यार्थ्यांना पहिलीमध्ये प्रवेश दिला जातो. गेल्या वर्षी या योजनेत ३८,०५३ विद्यार्थी होते. शाळांची अ, ब, क अशी श्रेणी केली जाते. ५०, ६० आणि ७० हजार रुपये या शाळांना श्रेणीनुसार प्रति विद्यार्थी, प्रति वर्ष दिले जातात. वर्षाला २५० कोटी रुपये या योजनेवर खर्च होतात. २०१८ पासून यावर १,३९८ कोटी रुपये खर्च झाले आहेत. शाळांच्या मान्यता, प्रवेश मंजुरी, शाळा श्रेणी यासाठी सचिव समिती आहे.

‘कॅग’चा ठपका

- आदिवासी विभागाने २६ शाळांना आपल्या निर्णयाच्या विरोधात जाऊन श्रेणीवाढ दिली. १८ शाळांची प्रधान सचिवांनी, ४ शाळांची उपसचिवांनी श्रेणीवाढ केली. चार शाळांची श्रेणी कोणी वाढवली याची माहिती विभागाकडे नाही.
- यामुळे शाळांना प्रति विद्यार्थी २० हजार रुपये अधिक मिळाले. या श्रेणीवाढीला समितीची मंजुरी घेतली नव्हती तसेच श्रेणी उन्नतीबाबत विभागाने आजपर्यंत सुनिश्चित प्रक्रिया (‘एसओपी’) केली नसल्याचे ‘कॅग’ला आढळून आले.

योजनेतील प्रत्येक शाळेस दोन कोटी रुपये मिळतात. परंतु, या शाळांमध्ये सुविधा पुरवल्या जात नाहीत. आदिवासी विद्यार्थ्यांची स्वतंत्र तुकडी करतात, जे नियमाविरुद्ध आहे. या शाळांची सखोल तपासणी करण्यात यावी. मूल्यांकनात ६० टक्केपेक्षा कमी गुण मिळाल्यास या शाळा अपात्र ठरवण्यात येतील, असा शासन निर्णय विभागाने ७ सप्टेंबर रोजी जारी केला आहे. **- डॉ. अशोक ऊइके,** आदिवासी विकास मंत्री

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या योजनेतील अर्ध्याअधिक शाळांकडे पायाभूत सुविधा नाहीत. तरीही सुविधा करण्याच्या हमीवर अनेक शाळांना श्रेणीवाढ दिली जाते. काही शाळांना निवेदनाच्या आधारे श्रेणीवाढ दिली. आहार, गणवेश, दप्तर यासाठी शाळांना प्रति विद्यार्थी ५० ते ७० हजार दिले जातात. पण ज्या शाळा अनिवासी आहेत, त्यांनासुद्धा हा निधी देण्यात आला. काही शाळांनी विद्यार्थ्यांना दप्तर, गणवेश दिले नसल्याचे ‘कॅग’ने (भारताचे नियंत्रक व महालेखापरीक्षक) म्हटले आहे. हा अहवाल जुलैमधील अधिवेशनात सादर झाला.

आश्चर्य म्हणजे योजनेचा निधी आदिवासी विद्यार्थ्यांवर खर्च केला, याविषयीचे उपयोगिता प्रमाणपत्र शाळांकडून घेतले जात नाही. अधिकारी शाळांची त्रैमासिक पाहणी करत नाहीत. शाळा प्रवेशाला ९० ते १७१ दिवस विलंब होतो. शिक्षकांच्या इंग्रजी भाषेची परीक्षा होत नाही. घटस्फोटित, विधवा, निराधार, यांच्या पाल्यांना प्राधान्याने प्रवेशाचा नियम आहे. मात्र शाळा विद्यार्थ्यांची निवड करतात. असे आक्षेप ‘कॅग’ने नोंदवले आहेत.

दैनंदिनी

चित्र प्रदर्शन : विदा हैदरी कंटेम्परारी, ‘व्हेअर द बॉडी बिगिन्स’ चित्र प्रदर्शन, ४६ कलाकारांचा सहभाग असलेले तीन भागांचे समूह कला प्रदर्शन, स्थळ – विदा हैदरी कंटेम्परारी, कोरेगाव पार्क, सकाळी १० ते सायं. ६.३०

प्रदर्शन : पुणे गॅलरी ऑफ व्हिज्युअल आर्ट्स प्रस्तुत संत तुकाराम महाराज गाथेतील अभंगांतून स्फुरलेल्या चित्रकार-शिल्पकार भास्कर हांडे यांच्या निवडक कलाकृतींचे प्रदर्शन, ‘तुझे रूप, माझे देणे’, स्थळ - श्रीराम लागू रंग-अवकाश, हिराबाग चौक, टिळक रस्ता, सकाळी ११ ते सायं. ७

व्याख्यान : गीताधर्म मंडळ, दैनंदिन ज्ञानसत्र, व्याख्यान, विषय – रामकृष्ण परमहंस, वक्त्या – माधवी जोशी, स्थळ - गीताधर्म मंडळ, सदाशिव पेठ, सायं. ५

पुरस्कार प्रदान : महाराष्ट्र साहित्य परिषद, पुरस्कार प्रदान समारंभ, अमृता खंडेराव यांना ‘निर्मला मोने स्मृती पुरस्कार’, सकाळ प्रकाशनाच्या ‘पुष्पा पुसाळकर स्मृती पुरस्कार’, हस्ते – आनंद हर्डीकर, अध्यक्ष - योगेश सोमण, स्थळ – महाराष्ट्र साहित्य परिषदेचे माधवराव पटवर्धन सभागृह, टिळक रस्ता, सायं. ५

प्रकाशन : अविनाश गंधेलिखित ‘ओम अनंत प्रतिध्वनी’ कॉफी टेबल बुकचे प्रकाशन, प्रमुख उपस्थिती - डॉ. संप्रसाद विनोद, प्रा. श्रीराम खेडिलकर, पुरुषोत्तम बेर्डे, श्याम ढवळे, प्रमोद कांबळे, स्थळ - भांडारकर प्राच्यविद्या संशोधन मंदिराचे नवलमल फिरोदिया सभागृह, विधी महाविद्यालय रस्ता, सायं. ५.३०

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- श्रीमंत दगडूशेठ हलवाई सार्वजनिक गणपती ट्रस्ट, दैनंदिन अभिषेक पूजा, स्थळ - श्रीमंत दगडूशेठ हलवाई उत्सव मंडप, बेलबाग चौक, सकाळी ७ ते सायं. ५
- मानाचा पहिला श्री कसबा गणपती सार्वजनिक गणेशोत्सव मंडळ ट्रस्ट, अथर्वशीर्षपठण – हुजूरपागा इंग्रजी माध्यम शाळा, (सकाळी ९), डिजिटल अवेअरनेस इ-के. बी. जोशी इन्स्टिट्यूट ऑफ इन्फॉर्मेशन टेक्नोलॉजी, (सकाळी ९.३०), भजन – भक्तिगंध भजनी मंडळ, (दुपारी २), भजन – गुरुकृपा भजनी मंडळ, (दुपारी ४), सनईवादन, (सायं. ६), चौघडावादन (सायं. ७), चेंडावादन, (रात्री ९), स्थळ – श्री कसबा गणपती मंडळ, उत्सव मंडप, कसबा पेठ
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- तरुण अशोक मंडळ, लायन्स क्लब ऑफ पुणे मैत्री, रक्तदान शिबिर, विनामूल्य आरोग्य तपासणी शिबिर, स्थळ – तरुण अशोक मंडळ, तपकीर गल्ली, बुधवार पेठ, सकाळी १० ते सायं. ५
- श्री शिवछत्रपती मित्र मंडळ, इंद्राणी बालन यांच्या स्मरणार्थ लायन्स क्लब ऑफ पुणे फोर्ट, लायन्स क्लब ऑफ पूना आय फाउंडेशन, महाआरोग्य गणेशोत्सव, विनामूल्य आयुष्यमान भारत कार्ड योजना शिबिर, स्थळ – जेधे मारुती मंदिर, पानघंटी चौकाजवळ, गुरुवार पेठ, सकाळी ११ ते दुपारी ४
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