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## Nitish Kumar's NDA to Take Charge in Bihar, Oath Ceremony Likely on November 19-20

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The formation of the new Bihar government is expected within the next three days, with preparations underway for the oath-taking ceremony.

The new Bihar government is anticipated to form within three days, with the oath-taking ceremony potentially on November 19 or 20, contingent on Prime Minister Narendra Modi's availability. The NDA secured 202 out of 243 seats, with BJP winning 89 and Janata Dal United 85, while the opposition Mahagathbandhan led by RJD secured only 35 seats.

According to sources, the event is likely to take place on either November 19 or 20, and the final confirmation will be based on

the availability of Prime Minister Narendra Modi. The NDA has returned to power with an overwhelming mandate, significantly improving upon its previous performance in 2020.

NDA Achieves Strong Majority in the Assembly

The NDA secured 202 seats out of 243, marking a decisive victory in the state. The BJP won 89 seats, while Nitish Kumar led Janata Dal United bagged 85. Lok Janshakti Party (Ram Vilas) headed by Union Minister Chirag Paswan won 19 seats, Hindustani Awam Morcha led by Union Minister Jitan Ram Manjhi secured five seats, and Rashtriya Lok Morcha of Rajya Sabha MP Upendra Kushwaha added four more.



Opposition Faces Major Setback

The Mahagathbandhan bloc, led by the RJD, managed only 35 seats. The

RJD itself won just 25 seats, marking its second poorest performance since 2010. Congress secured six seats compared to 19 in

the previous election. CPI ML won two seats, CPI M won one, while CPI failed to win any.

Other Parties and Voter

Participation  
AIMIM, led by Hyderabad MP Asaduddin Owaisi, secured five seats. Mukesh Sahani led

Vikassheel Insaan Party failed to win any. Bihar voted across two phases on November 6 and November 11, recording

over 66 percent turnout which stands as the highest voting percentage in the state since 1951.

## Promoting transparency in press will keep democracy vibrant and alive: Himachal Min Dharmani

(Gns).

Himachal Pradesh Technical Education Minister Rajesh Dharmani, while presiding over the state-level function of National Press Day here on Sunday, said that the day serves as a reminder of both the freedom and the responsibilities of the press, and its indispensable role in building a transparent and accountable society.

He said that the press forms the backbone of a healthy democracy, and promoting transparency within the media will ensure that democratic values remain vibrant and alive. The minister stressed that the media must continue to highlight important public issues and amplify the voice

of underprivileged communities.

Dharmani noted that in the age of Information Technology, the media faces unprecedented challenges. Technologies such

as artificial intelligence and deepfakes have enabled misinformation to spread rapidly, blurring the line between truth and false-

hood and directly influencing society. In this context, he said, the media's role in shaping national discourse becomes even more significant.

He added that under the

leadership of Chief Minister Thakur Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu, the state government has launched various welfare schemes and initiatives aimed at public good. It is the responsibility of the media, he said, to ensure that accurate information about these initiatives reaches the public so that citizens can benefit from them.

Speaking at the event, Principal Advisor (Media) to the Chief Minister, Naresh Chauhan, said that the media serves as a crucial link between the government and the people. Journalists, he said, must disseminate information on public welfare programmes and convey public concerns to the government. He emphasised the need for publishing fact-based news and called for introspection within the profession to safeguard credibility.



## Union Home Minister and Minister of Cooperation, Shri Amit Shah to chair the 32nd meeting of Northern Zonal Council on Monday in Faridabad, Haryana

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Union Home Minister and Minister of Cooperation, Shri Amit Shah will chair the 32nd meeting of the Northern Zonal Council on Monday, 17th November, 2025, in Faridabad, Haryana. The Northern Zonal Council comprises the states/UTs of Haryana, Himachal Pradesh, Punjab, Rajasthan, Delhi, Jammu and Kashmir, Ladakh, and Chandigarh. Senior officials from the Government of India, state governments, and Union Territories will also participate in the meeting. This meeting is being organized by the Inter-State Council Secretariat, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, with the Government of Haryana as its host.

Under Sections 15 to 22 of the States Reorganisation

Act, 1956, five Zonal Councils, including Northern Zonal Council, were established. Union Home Minister and Minister of Cooperation Shri Amit Shah is the chairperson of the Northern Zonal Council and the Chief

Zonal Council meeting for further deliberation.

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ous fields. With the cooperation of all state governments, central ministries, and departments, a total of 63 meetings of the various Zonal Councils and their permanent committees have been held in the last eleven years.

The Zonal Councils provide an excellent forum for resolving and progressing issues and disputes between the Centre and the Member States/UTs, among the Member States/UTs, and within the zone. The Zonal Councils also discuss broad issues of national importance, including the speedy investigation of cases of sexual offenses against women and children and the implementation of Fast Track Special Courts (FTSC) for their swift disposal; providing brick-and-mortar banking facilities within the designated area of every village; implementation of the Emergency Response Support System (ERSS-112); and various regional-level common interest issues such as strengthening nutrition, education, health, electricity, urban planning, and the cooperative system.



Minister of Haryana is its vice-chairperson. The Chief Minister of one member state (rotating every year) acts as the vice-chairperson. From each member state, the Governor nominates two ministers as members of the council. Each Zonal Council has also formed a permanent committee at the level of Chief Secretaries. Issues proposed by the states are initially presented to the permanent committee of the concerned Zonal Council for discussion. After consideration by the permanent committee, the remaining issues are then presented to the

belief that strong states make a strong nation, the Zonal Councils provide a structured mechanism for dialogue and discussion on issues affecting two or more states or the centre and states, and through this, serve as an important platform to enhance mutual cooperation.

The role of the Zonal Councils is advisory, however, over the past few years, these councils have proven to be an important factor in promoting healthy bonds of mutual understanding and cooperation in vari-

## Letter to NIA: Marandi alleges deep collusion between former DGP and gang

(Gns).  
BJP state president and Leader of the Opposition Babul Marandi has written to the National Investigation Agency (NIA), urging a full investigation into what he described as a deep criminal nexus involving former Jharkhand DGP Anurag Gupta and gangster Sujit Sinha's organised syndicate.

In his letter to the NIA Director General, Marandi said the Sinha gang has been operating under the

banner of the Koyalanchal Shanti Samiti, which he termed a front for extortion, arms trade and other organised crimes. He alleged that the gang's activities pose a national security threat because of suspected links with international networks.

He claimed the Sinha group was procuring weapons dropped through drones in Punjab's Moga

district, allegedly sourced from Pakistan. He also referred to the gang's suspected association with international criminal operator Prince Khan. According to him, these developments demand an investigation beyond the scope of the state police.

The BJP leader said the recent arrest of Sinha's wife, Riya Sinha, under the UAPA by the Ranchi police

had exposed "disturbing" digital communications between her and the former DGP. He alleged that chats, call logs and other data point to a pattern of collaboration.

Marandi further alleged that Gupta played a direct role in steering the gang's operations, including the creation and functioning of the KSS as a channel for extortion. He claimed Gupta received a share of the money collected through criminal activities.



## UP CM reviews development works in Sambhal

(Gns).  
Uttar Pradesh Chief Minister Yogi Adityanath on Sunday said the government has prioritised the development of Sambhal and directed state and district officials to develop Sambhal in a phased manner.

Holding a review meeting in Sambhal on Sunday, the CM inquired about the progress of the ongoing development works in the district.

He also reviewed the law and order in Sambhal.

"In the first phase,

restore the ancient pilgrimage sites and wells. In the second phase, focus on

and-sound sound projects," the CM instructed.

The Chief Minister also



development works such as a museum and light-

called for prompt action on the construction of a dis-

trict court, prison, and PAC barracks in Sambhal. He reviewed the work of several departments, including Revenue, Home, Justice, Charitable Works, Public Works, Tourism-Culture, and Urban Development.

The Chief Minister stated that there are 68 pilgrimage sites and 19 wells in Sambhal. The state government is working to restore and identify these pilgrimage sites. The Chief Minister directed the local administration to expedite these projects.

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Editorial

Caste enumeration

India's decision to conduct a full caste census in 2027 marks a profound turning point in how the nation confronts its most enduring social hierarchy. For the first time in nearly a century, the state will attempt to record every caste and sub-caste across the country, an exercise that promises to illuminate long-suppressed inequalities but also risks hardening the very divisions it seeks to address. The debate around caste enumeration is as complex as the system itself. Advocates of the census argue that a democracy cannot claim to ensure equality while operating with data blindness. For decades, reservations in education and public employment have relied on assumptions drawn from colonial-era classifications and partial surveys. The absence of comprehensive, verifiable data has allowed privilege to masquerade as disadvantage and left many genuinely deprived communities undercounted or ignored. A full census, supporters say, would bring transparency and accountability, making welfare more targeted and evidence-based. Yet, this optimism is tempered by a deeper concern – that by formally listing and classifying citizens once again, India might reinforce the very identities it hopes to transcend. Critics warn that counting castes will bureaucratise inequality, turning social justice into a contest of entitlements. In a polity where electoral strategies already hinge on caste coalitions, new data could easily become ammunition for vote-bank politics rather than instruments of reform. Enumeration, after all, does not merely record reality; it shapes it. Once tabulated, caste identities risk becoming even more rigid, legitimised by the authority of the state. The moral tension here is unmistakable. India's founding vision, articulated by B.R. Ambedkar was not of a nation endlessly managing caste, but of one that would ultimately abolish it. However, seven decades after Independence, caste continues to dictate access to opportunity, dignity, and power. Ignoring it in the name of idealism does not erase it; it merely hides its workings from scrutiny. Recognising caste through data is therefore not an endorsement of hierarchy, but an acknowledgment that inequality cannot be undone by silence. The real challenge lies in what follows the counting. A meaningful caste census must go beyond mere enumeration to integrate economic, educational, and geographic indicators. Only then can it help design policies that uplift individuals based on deprivation rather than identity alone. Used wisely, it could move India toward a more rights-based, inclusive welfare system. Used recklessly, it could deepen resentment and fragment the social fabric further. India now stands at a delicate crossroads: between illumination and entrenchment, between data as a tool of justice and data as a weapon of division. The 2027 caste census, if conducted with vision and restraint, could become a milestone in social equity. But if reduced to arithmetic politics, it risks counting inequality without ever confronting it.

Plutocracy Gone Crazy

Elon Musk, the world's richest person, is slated to get richer. With a current worth of nearly US\$500 billion (roughly Rs 44 lakh crore), Musk has been voted a pay package of US\$1 trillion (roughly Rs 88 lakh crore) by Tesla shareholders, over the next ten years, subject to his achieving certain tough targets. To put things in perspective, the Indian budget for 2025-26, which caters to the needs of 145 crore people, was only Rs 50.65 lakh crore (US\$575 billion). According to Forbes, the richest Indian, Mukesh Ambani, was the 17th in the list of world's rich people, and had a net worth of US\$109 billion i.e., Rs 9.6 lakh crore. The market capitalisation of Nvidia Corporation, a US company manufacturing graphics processing unit (GPUs), systems on chips (SoCs), and application programming interfaces (APIs), is US\$4.57 trillion (Rs.402 lakh crore) ~ slightly more than India's GDP. Currently, all the world's ten most valuable companies, have market caps exceeding US\$1 trillion. There has been a quantum increase in the wealth of tech companies, and their owners since 2020; the richest person in 2020 was Jeff Bezos of Amazon with wealth of US\$113 billion, and the largest corporate was Apple with a market capitalisation of US\$2.25 trillion. Back in 2015, the richest man was Bill Gates, with a worth of US\$79.2 billion and Apple had the highest market capitalisation of US\$598 billion. Thus, it would appear that the size of tech biggies has skyrocketed over the years, with their top bosses raking in the moolah by the bucketful. This trend is reflected in India too, though the rise in market capitalisation of corporates, and net worth of the rich, has not been so pronounced, probably because we do not have tech companies of a similar gigantic scale. Currently,

Numbers may not tell whole story


The latest PLFS monthly bulletin (Sep, 2025) highlights that "Rising LFPR of Rural Women Uplifts Overall Female LFPR for Third Consecutive Month" and claims "Sustained Growth in Rural Female WPR Signals Strengthening Economic Inclusion." The bulletin details trends in the Labour Force Participation Rate (LFPR), Worker Population Ratio (WPR), and unemployment rate. At first glance, these headlines suggest that more women are joining the workforce and that India's rural economy is becoming more inclusive. However, such optimism needs to be viewed in context. Female participation in the labour force has undoubtedly risen over the past few years. Rural women's WPR increased from 17.1 per cent in 2017-18 to 38.1 per cent in 2023-24, while urban female participation rose from 20.1 per cent to 36.3 per cent during the same period. Overall female WPR grew from 19.2 per cent to 33.8 per cent. The September 2025 data also fit neatly into this upward trajectory.

Empowered women show the way in UP

Uttar Pradesh has long been a canvas of contrasts. On the one hand the biggest political and social movements and reforms originated here, churning out women of substance who led India's freedom struggle and fight against patriarchy and misogyny, but on the other hand women of UP had to suffer subjugation and second-class treatment due to the capitulation of our political

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with a market capitalisation of Rs.20 lakh crore (US\$229 billion), Reliance Industries Ltd. is India's most valuable company; in 2020 the market capitalisation of RIL was Rs 12.6 lakh crore, and in 2015 the market capitalisation of RIL was Rs 2.92 lakh crore; TCS was the most



valuable company in 2015, with a market cap of Rs 5.12 lakh crore. The reason for runaway appreciation in the value of large corporates the world over is that they have performed exceedingly well; sales, profits and share prices, all have increased precipitously. Consequently, the wealth of their shareholders has increased rapidly. Undeniably, these large tech corporates have created wealth for society e.g., numerous job and business opportunities in the IT sector, as also, enhanced productivity in all sectors. So far so good; but we are at a crucial crossroads now. The last fifty years have witnessed a persistent change in the corporate and government working environment; earlier machines were used as a substitute for animal and human labour, but now computers have increasingly started replacing humans, even in tasks involving thinking and reasoning. Initially, computers were used for low-intelligence, repetitive tasks like payroll maintenance, for which they were eminently suited. For example, in the bad old days, a person retiring from Government service had to wait for months for his pen-

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employed as own-account workers increased from about 20 in 2017-18 to 30.7 in 2023-24. These trends are forced to enter the workforce as own-account workers or unpaid household help. While the figures



hold separately for women in urban and rural areas as well. Regular waged work is generally considered the best form of employment, because it is associated with job and wage security. These can point to a situation where there are no new jobs being created, as a result of which women

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the safeguards in place. This nationwide edict, born from post-independence protective intent, morphed into a barrier, stifling women's economic mobility in a state where industries in Noida, Kanpur and Lucknow churned through the night. Women, eager for better wages and flexible hours, found themselves sidelined, their ambitions dimmed by dusk. This was Uttar Pradesh before Yogi Adityanath assumed the mantle of Chief Minister in 2017 – a state where female labour force participation languished at a mere 14.7 per cent in 2011-12, far below the national average, according to National Sample Survey Office data. The narrative was one of limitation: women could not venture out after 5 p.m. without risking their safety. Fast-forward to 12 November 2025, and the landscape has flipped. The Uttar Pradesh Factories Amendment Act by the Yogi government, has shattered the ban.

BLO commits suicide in Kerala's Kannur

(Gns). A Booth Level Officer (BLO) at Ettukudukka near Payyannur in Kerala's Kannur district committed suicide on Sunday. Aneesh George, BLO of booth 18 of Payyanur constituency, was found hanging this morning. The family alleged that work pressure related to the Special Intensive Revision (SIR) of electoral rolls duties led to his suicide. Aneesh George, a peon at Kunnarup U School, was currently working as a booth-level officer. It is reported that Aneesh had told his family and friends about the extreme stress at

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work. The State Election Commission has sought a report from the District Collector. However, the State Election Commission said that the commission has not received any complaint regarding work pres-



sure so far. The Election Commissioner added that there is no need for work as the BLOs were not given any other work for 31 days. In this connection, the CPM has come out with strong criticism against the Central Election Commission over the suicide of BLO Aneesh George. MV Jayarajan said that holding local body elections and updating the voter list simultaneously is putting a lot of pressure on the employees.

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decent work – employment creation, social protection, rights at work, and social dialogue – seem to be lacking in the trends where women are often distress driven into employment. As a result, much of the work women undertake may be insecure, low-paid, and lacking the protections and opportunities necessary for sustainable livelihoods. This pattern is not new. Between 1999-2000 and 2004-05, rural female labour force participation recorded an unusually sharp rise, a surge documented by Vinoj Abraham (EPW, "Employment Growth in Rural India: Distress-Driven?") and also analyzed by Himanshu (EPW, "Employment Trends in India: A Re-examination"). The increase coincided with a period of agrarian distress, low productivity, and widespread indebtedness. The sharp rise was largely distress-driven, a response to economic necessity rather than genuine empowerment. Many women, including older members of households, took up self-employment or low-paying work to supplement family

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Samajwadi Party (SP) regime, UP reported 4,161 rapes and 16,199 molestations, as per NCRB data, with conviction rates a dismal 2-3 per cent. The SP's tenure was marred by patronage: criminals were shielded as vote banks, with leaders like Mulayam Singh Yadav infamously declaring, "Boys will be boys – they make mistakes," opposing death penalties for rapists. Akhilesh Yadav's government was accused of diluting cases – rapists roamed free, emboldened by political cover. Even today, Akhilesh critiques safety reforms as "showmanship," allegedly prioritizing minority vote banks over justice, as seen in their defense of accused in high-profile cases. Contrast this with Yogi's iron fist. Over 200 encounter killings, thousands of mafia arrests and a bulldozer policy against illicit assets have reclaimed streets. Women's safety metrics tell the tale: UP's conviction rate for crimes against women hit 71 per cent in 2022 – four times the national 18 per cent average – and has held steady, topping NCRB charts for four years. In 2022 alone, there were 13,099 convictions from 37,551 cases, over a third of India's total. Initiatives such as Mission Shakti – deploying 1,694 Anti-Romeo squads, 9,000 women police beats and helplines – have slashed reporting-to-conviction gaps.

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Rape cases dropped 11.6 per cent from 2019-20, molestation rates fell to 9 per cent. Yogi's "zero tolerance" is not rhetoric; its results, enabling women to clock in at midnight without dread. This security

bedrock has unlocked gender justice, a cornerstone of the CM's vision. The night shift policy is not isolated; it is part of a tapestry weaving equality into UP's fabric. Women's workforce participation climbed to 21.7 per cent by 2022-23, as per a Periodic Labour Force Survey, buoyed by skill programs and incentives. It is a big step: from SP-era indifference – where Akhilesh Yadav arrogantly dismissed safety pleas from women journalists with "you're safe, why worry?" – to proactive empowerment. Yogi's UP frames night work as choice, not charity, challenging patriarchal norms. Economically, it means doubled earnings. Socially, it dismantles the "after 5 p.m. taboo," fostering respect. This is empowerment in action, women as economic pillars, not protected relics. Yogi's pro-gressivism shines brighter against SP's regressive shadow. The SP opposed the 2019 Triple Talaq Bill, labeling it "anti-Muslim" despite its aim to criminalize instant divorce, leaving women destitute. They resisted the Women's Reservation Bill, trying to stall 33 per cent quotas in legislatures for vote-bank math. Akhilesh Yadav and others called the Uniform Civil Code "divisive," ignoring how it could end polygamy and halala, practices trapping women. Even now, they shield accused rapists in cases of their own leaders, prioritizing caste alliances over justice. This women-first ethos mirrors the BJP's national blueprint under PM Narendra Modi, where policies orbit around "Nari Shakti." From Beti Bachao Beti Padhao (BBBP) –

## Chirag Paswan To Be Bihar's Deputy CM?

(Gns). The National Democratic Alliance (NDA) is on the verge of forming a new government in Bihar following a decisive victory. Speculation surrounds the composition of this government, with sources suggesting that Nitish Kumar's Janata Dal United (JDU) might retain the Chief Minister's position. Meanwhile, the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) and Chirag Paswan's Lok Janshakti Party (LJP) are expected to secure one Deputy Chief Minister post each.

The National Democratic Alliance (NDA) is set to form a new government in Bihar, with Nitish Kumar's JDU possibly retaining the Chief Minister's position, while the BJP and LJP are expected to secure Deputy Chief Minister posts; the

swearing-in ceremony is anticipated within three to four days.

Power Distribution Strategy During ticket allocation, each NDA partner received five to six assembly seats per Member of Parliament. This formula might extend to cabinet positions, potentially granting JDU 14 berths due to its 84 MLAs. The BJP emerged as the largest party within the NDA, securing 89 seats. Other alliance members include JDU with 85 seats, LJP(RV) with 19, Hindustani Awam Morcha (Secular) with five, and Rashtriya Lok Morcha with four.



Swearing-In Ceremony Details The swearing-in ceremony for Bihar's new government is anticipated within three to four days.

However, discussions are ongoing to select an "auspicious" date for this event. All alliance partners will be accommodated based on their seat count to ensure balanced power-sharing in the new administration.

On Saturday, NDA leaders visited Nitish Kumar at his official residence. Among them was Union Minister Chirag Paswan, who congratulated Kumar on the victory. Paswan stated that the win disproves opposition claims of a rift

between him and Kumar. He highlighted mutual support during the campaign, particularly in Alauli.

Chirag Paswan's Statement Union Minister and LJP(RV) leader Chirag Paswan tweeted after meeting Nitish Kumar: "After the Bihar Assembly Election results today, met with the Chief Minister of Bihar Nitish Kumar and extended hearty congratulations and best wishes to him for the NDA's resounding majority."

Following internal discussions, the NDA plans a joint legislative party meeting to formally choose its leader. This leader will then claim the mandate to form Bihar's next government. Ram Kripal Yadav, a BJP leader whose political career revived with a Danapur assembly seat win, also visited Kumar.

## Pakistan's 27th Amendment: Power Shift to Military Under Asim Munir?

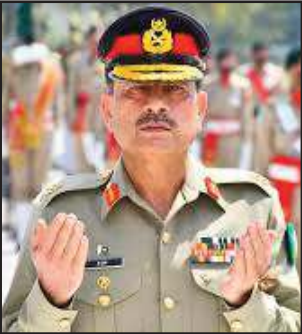
(Gns). Pakistan's political system has entered a new phase after parliament approved sweeping constitutional changes that significantly increase the authority of General Asim Munir.

Pakistan's parliament approved significant constitutional changes increasing General Asim Munir's authority, formally introducing the Chief of Defence Forces and granting him command over the armed forces and control of the Strategic Plans Division, consolidating control of nuclear weapons. This has raised concerns about the shift of power, legal immunity, the nuclear command structure, and the future of democratic governance,

with analysts warning of institutional collapse.

Switch To Shorts The move, which restructures the defence leadership and limits its judicial oversight, has triggered wide domestic and international concern due to its long term implications for military power and nuclear control.

Creation of the Chief of Defence Forces and New Constitutional Powers The 27th Constitutional Amendment has formally introduced the post of Chief of Defence Forces, allow-



ing the chief of army staff to hold dual authority over the armed forces. The new law grants General Asim Munir command of the army, air force and navy, along with complete control of the national defence and security framework. It also legalises his field marshal title and grants lifelong legal immunity against prosecution or removal by any court.

Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif defended the amendment by stating, "This isn't just about the army chief, it's constitution-

al recognition for the air force and navy too. What's wrong with that? Nations honour their heroes. We know how to respect ours."

Impact on Pakistan's Strategic and Nuclear Decision Making One of the most critical outcomes of the amendment is the shift of authority over Pakistan's Strategic Plans Division, which manages nuclear weapons and delivery systems.

The change consolidates control of approximately 170 nuclear warheads under a single office. Security experts warn that this concentration weakens internal checks and reduces confidence in Pakistan's nuclear command structure.

## Delhi Car Blast Aftermath: Lal Quila Metro Station Reopens Fully As City Returns To Normal

(Gns). Delhi is gradually returning to normalcy after the deadly car blast near the Red Fort, as the Lal Quila Metro Station has now reopened completely for public movement. All entry and exit gates at the station are fully operational again, restoring regular metro services in the area. The reopening marks an important step toward stabilizing daily life in a part of the city that was shaken by the explosion.

In the days following the November 10 attack, the atmosphere around the Red Fort had been tense, with extensive security checks and restricted movement. However, as the investigation continues, the Delhi Metro Rail Corporation (DMRC) announced on X (formerly Twitter) that "All the gates

of Lal Quila Metro Station are now open for commuters: Delhi Metro." This announcement has helped ease the concerns of regular passengers who rely on this route for daily travel.

Following a car blast near the Red Fort on November 10, that claimed 13 lives, the Lal Quila Metro Station in Delhi has fully reopened, restoring regular metro services after the incident, where a white Hyundai i20 driven by Umar Un Nabi exploded. The investigation continues, uncovering potential terror links, while security remains high.

Markets surrounding the Lal Quila Metro Station have also resumed operations. Though business



activity is slowly picking up, an underlying sense of caution remains among shopkeepers, commuters and visitors. People returning to the area for work or shopping are moving with increased alertness, even as they attempt to bring back a sense of routine. The restored footfall indicates that Delhi is gradually regaining its rhythm despite the lingering shock.

The car blast on November 10 claimed 13 lives and caused extensive

damage to several vehicles parked near the site. Investigators have confirmed that the explosion involved a white Hyundai i20 driven by Umar Un Nabi, the prime accused. He died in what officials have described as a suicide attack outside the Lal Quila Metro Station. His identification was confirmed through DNA analysis carried out by forensic teams.

The ongoing investigation has exposed deeper terror links, with several other accused individuals believed to be medical professionals associated with a terror module operating secretly from Faridabad, Haryana-already detained by authorities. Security agencies continue to examine CCTV footage, forensic evidence, and communication trails connected to the accused.

## Gen Z Protests Spread Across Mexico After Mayor's Murder Sparks National Outrage

(Gns). Thousands of people rallied across Mexico on Saturday, led by "Generation Z," to protest against escalating violence following the recent public assassination of an anti-crime mayor. In Mexico City, a small group of masked protesters dismantled barriers around the National Palace, where President Claudia Sheinbaum resides. This action led to a confrontation with riot police who used tear gas, as reported by Reuters witnesses.

Mexico City's public safety secretary, Pablo Vazquez, revealed in a press briefing that 100 police officers sustained injuries, with 40 needing hospital care. Additionally, 20 civilians were injured

during the protests, Vazquez informed local media outlet Milenio. He also mentioned that 20 individuals were arrested and another 20 faced administrative charges.

Following the assassination of Uruapan Mayor Carlos Manzo, thousands of Mexicans, mainly from Generation Z, protested against escalating violence on Saturday, leading to clashes with police in

Mexico City and injuries to both officers and civilians; 20 were arrested. Protests occurred across Mexico, with the government questioning the motives and suggesting political adversaries organized demonstrations.

Demonstrations occurred in various Mexican cities, including Michoacan's western state. Here, outrage surged over Uruapan Mayor Carlos



Manzo's murder on November 1. He was shot dead during a public Day of the Dead celebration. Protesters in Mexico City directed their anger at Sheinbaum's party, chanting "Out, Morena" and demanding stronger government action against crime and violence.

A group named "Generation Z Mexico," which initiated the protests, circulated a "manifesto" on social media declaring itself non-partisan. It represents Mexican youth frustrated with violence, corruption, and power abuse. Generation Z includes those born between 1997 and 2012 and has inspired similar movements worldwide advocating for social and political reforms.

## Woman Murdered By Fiancé In Bhavnagar, Gujarat, Before Their Wedding Ceremony

(Gns). A tragic incident unfolded in Bhavnagar, Gujarat, where a 23-year-old woman was allegedly murdered by her fiancé just an hour before their wedding. The couple, who had been living together for over a year despite family objections, were set to marry on Saturday night. The victim, Soni Himmat Rathod, and the accused, Sajan Baraiya, had completed most pre-wedding rituals.

The altercation reportedly began over a saree and money shortly before the ceremony. In a fit of anger, Sajan allegedly attacked Soni with an iron pipe and then fatally struck her head against a wall. Deputy Superintendent of Police R.R. Singhal stated that the accused also damaged the house before fleeing the scene.

In Bhavnagar, Gujarat, a 23-year-old woman, Soni Himmat Rathod, was allegedly murdered by her fiancé, Sajan Baraiya, an hour before their wedding following an argument over a saree and money; authorities are searching for Baraiya and investigating the case. The incident occurred near Tekri Chowk in the Prabhudas Lake area.

Authorities arrived promptly after receiving information about the incident and have initiated a thorough investigation. A murder case has been filed, and efforts are underway to locate Sajan. "They had been living together for one to one-and-a-half years," said Deputy Superintendent Singhal. "Yesterday was their wedding."



The police have sent Soni's body for post-mortem examination as part of their investigation process. This tragic event has shocked the local community, highlighting the volatility that can arise from domestic disputes.

Community Reaction The incident took place near Tekri Chowk in the Prabhudas Lake area, leaving residents in disbelief. The couple's relationship had faced familial opposition, yet they continued to live together until this unfortunate event occurred.

As authorities continue their search for Sajan Baraiya, they urge anyone with information to come forward. This case underscores the importance of addressing domestic issues before they escalate

## Vice-President Shri C. P. Radhakrishnan Presents Manorama News Newsmaker Award 2024 to Union Minister of State Shri Suresh Gopi in New Delhi

**Shri C. P. Radhakrishnan Praises Shri Suresh Gopi for his success in both Cinema and Politics**

**Vice-President Emphasizes Media's Role in Highlighting Positive Developments to Inspire Nation's Youth**

**Shri C. P. Radhakrishnan Stresses Journalism's Responsibility as the Voice of the Voiceless and Emphasizes Media's Duty in Combating Fake News and Deepfakes**

(Gns).

The Vice-President of India, Shri C. P. Radhakrishnan, graced the Manorama News Newsmaker Award 2024 ceremony held today in New Delhi as the Chief Guest. He presented the prestigious award to Shri Suresh Gopi, Union

Minister of State for Tourism and Petroleum & Natural Gas and acclaimed film actor.

In his address, the Vice-President highlighted the unique challenges of cinema and politics, praising Shri Suresh Gopi for his outstanding success in both fields. The Vice-President fondly recalled his recent visit to Fatima Mata College, Kollam — at the invitation of Shri Suresh Gopi, an alumnus of the college. He remarked that this gesture reflects the Minister's enduring connection to his roots.

He emphasized the media's essential role in

highlighting positive developments in the nation to inspire the youth and stressed journalism's responsibility in giving a voice to the voiceless. He also highlighted the media's crucial role in creating a drug-free society by spreading awareness and shaping responsible public discourse. The Vice-President further stated



## SVCC and Conayur São Paulo Host 3rd International Ayurveda Conference Showcasing India-Brazil Collaboration in Traditional Medicine

**Conference marks 40 years of ayurveda in Brazil and reinforces bilateral partnership in advancing traditional healthcare**

**Ayurveda's global expansion to be showcased at upcoming 2nd WHO Global Summit on Traditional Medicine in New Delhi**

**"Ayurveda reflects the philosophy of inclusivity, compassion, and balance," says Secretary Vaidya Rajesh Kotecha**

**Traditional systems are increasingly finding scientific expression, enriching global healthcare dialogue: Ambassador Dinesh Bhatia**

(Gns).

The 3rd International Ayurveda Conference was jointly organized by the Swami Vivekananda Cultural Centre (SVCC) and Conayur, São Paulo, Brazil, from November 14–15, 2025. The two-day event, held under the aegis of the Indian Council for Cultural Relations

(ICCR), commemorated 40 years of Ayurveda in Brazil and brought together experts, practitioners, scholars, and students from across Latin America and India. The deliberations centered on the theme "Diversity and Inclusion in Ayurveda: Caring for Everybody and Every Being."

The conference was inaugurated by Ambassador of India to Brazil, H.E. Shri Dinesh Bhatia, who highlighted the growing collaboration between India and Brazil in traditional systems of healthcare. He observed that Ayurveda's global relevance is being reinforced through advancing scientific research and international collaboration, which will further find expression at the forthcoming WHO–Ministry of Ayush Global Summit on

Traditional Medicine, to be held in New Delhi from 17th to 19th December 2025

The Ambassador acknowledged Brazil's pioneering contribution as the first South American country to officially recognize Ayurveda and referred to the recent visit of Brazil's Vice President, Mr. Geraldo Alckmin, to the All India Institute of Ayurveda, New Delhi, as a landmark in strengthening bilateral cooperation. Commending SVCC for its continued dedication to promoting Ayurveda and Indian culture, the Ambassador conveyed appreciation to the Ministry of Ayush for supporting such initiatives.

Delivering the keynote address, Secretary, Ministry of Ayush, Dr. (Vaidya) Rajesh



Kotecha, emphasized that Ayurveda embodies inclusivity, compassion, and the holistic equilibrium of body, mind, and environment. He highlighted the strong India–Brazil partnership in traditional medicine, reinforced through a Memorandum of Understanding between the respective Ministries of Health and through institutional collaborations involving the National Institute of Ayurveda, Jaipur, and Brazilian universities.

Dr. Kotecha lauded the teachers, researchers, and practitioners who have advanced Ayurveda in Brazil over the past four decades. On behalf of the Union Minister of Ayush, Shri Prataprao Jadhav, he reiterated India's commitment, under the leadership of Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi, to deepen cooperation between the two nations in advancing evidence-based traditional medicine.

## Commerce Secretary reviews the India-Eurasian Economic Union (EAEU) Free Trade Agreement negotiations in Moscow

(Gns). Commerce Secretary Shri Rajesh Agrawal has reviewed the progress of India–Eurasian Economic Union (EAEU) Free Trade Agreement negotiations in a series of meetings in Moscow.

Commerce Secretary met the Minister in charge of Trade of the Eurasian Economic Commission, Mr. Andrey Slepnev, the Deputy Minister of Industry and Trade of the Russian Federation, Mr. Mikhail Yurin, and also addressed a business networking plenary with members of Indian and Russian industry.

The discussions built upon the outcomes of the India–Russia Working Group on Trade and Economic Cooperation, with a continued focus on

diversification, strengthening resilient supply chains, ensuring regulatory predictability and promoting balanced growth in the partnership. These efforts reflect the Leaders' direction to reach USD 100 billion in bilateral trade by 2030 and to expand Indian exports through industrial and technological collaboration.

In the meeting with Minister Slepnev, the Commerce Secretary reviewed the next steps for the India–EAEU FTA in goods. The Terms of Reference signed on 20 August 2025 outline an 18-month work plan aimed at diversifying markets for Indian businesses, including MSMEs, farmers and fishermen. In line with the

Leaders' guidance, the services and investment tracks will also be examined as the process advances.

In his discussions with Deputy Minister Yurin, the Commerce Secretary explored ways to enhance trade diversification, supply-chain resilience and cooperation in critical minerals. Both sides discussed a time-bound pathway across key sectors such as pharmaceuticals, telecom equipment, machinery, leather, automobiles and chemicals. Quarterly regulator-to-regulator engagement was agreed upon to address certification requirements, listings of agricultural and marine businesses, prevention of monopolistic practices and other non-tariff issues.



## IICA hosts insightful session on Digital Governance and Cybersecurity with, Special DG, BISAG-N, MeitY, Sh. Vinay Thakur

Session highlights India's leading Digital Public Infrastructure and the growing need for robust cybersecurity frameworks. Future-ready digital skills and secure technologies are essential for driving India's socio-economic progress: DG & CEO, IICA

Sh. Vinay Thakur underscores the enabling role of technology as a tool of social inclusion, transparency and economic acceleration (Gns).

The Indian Institute of Corporate Affairs (IICA) organized an illuminating and highly impactful session with the Special Director General, BISAG-N, Ministry of Electronics & Information Technology, and former Managing Director, NICSI, Sh. Vinay Thakur, a national expert in digital governance and cybersecurity. Sh. Thakur

delivered a comprehensive talk on Digital Transformation, Solution



Architecture, Cloud Deployment, Cyber Security and the emerging field of Post Quantum Cryptography (PQC).

The session opened with a warm welcome by the Director General & CEO, IICA, Shri

Gyaneshwar Kumar Singh, who emphasized the importance of future-ready digital

(DPI) – considered one of the most advanced in the world. He highlighted how initiatives such as: Aadhaar, Unified Payments Interface (UPI), DigiLocker, BharatNet, Co-WIN, UMANG, MeghRaj Cloud and GIS-based platforms of BISAG-N have collectively transformed governance, public service delivery and citizen empowerment. He emphasised that these achievements are a direct reflection of Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi's visionary Digital India movement, which aims to build a digitally empowered society and knowledge economy. Mr. Thakur emphasized how the Prime Minister's leadership has enabled technology to become a tool for social inclusion, transparency and economic acceleration.

In his address, Sh Thakur placed special focus on the scale, strength, and evolution of India's Digital Public Infrastructure

## MoS for Corporate Affairs & Road Transport and Highways Shri Harsh Malhotra hosted Nammo Run on Road Safety theme as part of Sansad Khel Mahotsav 2025 -East Delhi at Yamuna Sports Complex

The Nammo Run was flagged off by the Chief Guest Mrs Rekha Gupta , Chief Minister, Delhi Over 6000 Participants Join Nammo Run, Highlighting Commitment to Sports, Youth Empowerment, Fitness and Road Safety (Gns).

Minister of State for Corporate Affairs & Road Transport and Highways Shri Harsh Malhotra hosted a Nammo Run on Road Safety theme as part of Sansad Khel Mahotsav 2025 -East Delhi at Yamuna Sports Complex, Surajmal Vihar. The Nammo Run was flagged off by the Chief Guest Mrs Rekha Gupta , Chief Minister, Delhi. Over 6000 participants were present in the Nammo Run. The run was organized on the theme of road safety, emphasizing the importance of responsible behavior on the roads and promoting a culture of safety and awareness. The participants, who gathered to support the cause and make a statement about the importance of fitness, ranging from school children to senior citizens, showed great enthusiasm and energy as they took part in the run.

Shri Malhotra stated that the Nammo Run is in line with Prime Minister Narendra

Modi Ji's vision for the youth of India, who he believes have the potential to drive the country's growth and development and would



play a pivotal role in the ambitious vision of Viksit Bharat@2047.

Shri Narendra Modi Ji has been a strong advocate for sports and fitness, emphasizing the importance of physical activity in building a healthy and productive nation. Also, Hon'ble Prime Minister's vision is not just about promoting sports, but about harnessing the energy and creativity of the youth to build a better future for India and the Nammo Run is a testament to the government's commitment to promote sports and fitness in the country and creating a sports ecosystem that encourages participation, promotes excellence, and

provides opportunities for young athletes to excel.

Shri Malhotra stated that the Nammo Run is a significant step towards promot-

ing fitness, road safety, and community engagement and has brought together fitness enthusiasts, sports aficionados, and community leaders together. The massive turnout with participants showing great enthusiasm and energy, promoted not only fitness and road safety but also provided a platform for people to come together and celebrate their love for sports. Further, the zeal and zest of the participants who gathered to support the cause and make a statement about the importance of fitness and responsible behavior on the roads has motivated him to frequently host such events in future.

Shri Harsh Malhotra thanked the participants, dignitaries, and volunteers for their support in making the event a grand success and stated that the Nammo Run reflects the impact of sports on the society. The event showed that when people come together with a common goal, they can make a difference and create a positive impact and the Modi government is committed to promote sports and fitness in the country and events like the Nammo Run will continue to play a crucial role in achieving this goal.

## Sanatan Ekta Padyatra ended with Banke Bihari Darshan, crowd gathered in public meeting

Jagatguru Rambhadracharya, Devaki Nandan Thakur, Gyananand Ji Maharaj, Sutikshna Ji Maharaj, film actor Govind, District Panchayat President Kishan Choudhary Namdev sitting on the stage in the meeting organized near Chardham Maidan, scene of Hindu unity in Namdev inset.

National Highway seen completely bathed in saffron color

Banke is the abode of Bihariji, whether the road or the house, everything is great: MP Chief Minister

Now stop Om Shanti, start Om Kranti Kranti: Rambhadracharya

Mathura. Sanatan Hindu Padyatra of Baba Bageshwar Pandit Dharendra Krishna Shastri reached Vrindavan. On the last day of the 10 day Sanatan Ekta Padyatra, as soon as Lord Shri Banke Bihari ji entered the city, Baba Bageshwar and all the saints along with him prostrated themselves. All the saints including Baba Bageshwar applied the sacred Raj of Vrindavan on their foreheads and hugged each other and wished them success in the journey. This moment of entering Vrindavan Dham was so emotional that tears of joy came out of Bageshwar Maharaj's eyes. Badrinath Wale Maharaj and Raju Das Maharaj, who were

accompanying in the padyatra for the last 10 days, also appeared emotional.



The glow of spiritual joy and immense devotion was clearly visible in the eyes of all the saints. The local devotees welcomed the saints and religious leaders gathered from all over the country in the religious meeting held at the Chardham temple ground at the Vrindavan turn of the Padyatra and made the atmosphere full of devotion by chanting 'Jai Shri Radhe Jai Shri Krishna'. The yatra came to an end after a grand ceremony by offering the religious flag to Thakur Banke Bihari. The conclusion of the 150 km long yatra was so grand that the renowned saint-mahant had the dignified presence on the stage adorned with MP Chief Minister, politicians and film stars.

Madhya Pradesh Chief Minister Mohan Yadav also

participated in Sanatan Ekta Patra today. MP Chief Minister Mohan Yadav, who

started for the last stop Vridavan under the leadership of Acharya Dharendra Krishna Shastri at 9 am on Sunday morning. The enthusiasm of lakhs of Sanatani people participating in the padyatra that started on Sunday morning was extremely high. The pedestrians are moving forward with a resounding atmosphere of cheers, reinforcing the trend of Hindutva. Along with Acharya Dharendra Krishna Shastri, a large number of saints and religious leaders are moving forward with enthusiasm. The National Highway is seen completely bathed in saffron colour. Gradually the Padyatra is moving towards Vrindavan and the number of Sanatanis participating in the Padyatra is also continuously increasing. Although the march is progressing slowly. But, the participants in the padyatra reached the pandal near Sanatani Chardham temple. Madhya Pradesh Chief Minister Dr. Moham Yadav also participated in the padyatra. Tasted the food while sitting on the road with Pandit Dharendra Shastri. Sadhus and saints from many states of the country have also reached Vrindavan Dham. During this, Madhya Pradesh Chief Minister Mohan Yadav said that this is the abode of ...

## USI Hosts Third Annual Indian Military Heritage Festival in New Delhi

Two-Day IMHF Strengthens Public Understanding of India's Military Heritage and Security Thought (Gns).

The United Service Institution of India (USI) hosted the Third Annual Indian Military Heritage Festival (IMHF) at its New Delhi campus on November 14-15, 2025, bringing together senior military leaders, policymakers, diplomats, scholars, authors, think-tanks, industry representatives and the public. The festival was inaugurated by Raksha Rajya Mantri Shri Sanjay Seth and saw the participation of Chief of Defence Staff General Anil Chauhan. The festival provided a vibrant space to showcase India's military heritage, engage on contemporary

strategic & security issues and highlight emerging ideas shaping the country's defence ecosystem.

The Third Annual Edition featured an exhibition of iconic military paintings by Lt Col Arul Raj (Retd) and the release of notable publications, including The Sukrani: Statecraft and Warcraft by Col PK Gautam (Retd), Honours and Awards of the Indian Armed Forces by Dr AK Mishra, and 75 Years of India's Contribution to UN Peacekeeping by Maj Gen PK Goswami, VSM (Retd).

Distinguished dignitaries such as the Governor of Tamil Nadu Shri R.N. Ravi and Shri Sambhaji Raje Chhatrapati also graced the occasion.



of India's Strategic Autonomy, Future Conflicts and Strategic Horizons, Contested Partitions and Technology and Strategy: Adapting Warfare for the Future. The day concluded with a special conversation

between senior journalist Ms Suhasini Haidar and Ambassador Rajiv Sikri, IFS (Retd), on India's evolving foreign policy in Rising India Engages the World.

On Day 2, sessions explored Great Indian Military Leaders and Military Systems, Taming the Waves, Military Biographies, Tussles over Tibet, Assam's Modern Journey, BSF and Bangladesh, Valour and Honour: Indian Army through the Ages and Lessons from the 1965 Indo-Pak War. Discussions also covered heritage conservation at Raigad, landmark judgments on women in the armed forces, Asian strategic thought and fiction as a tool of historical memory.

## NSG team collects samples from explosion site in Srinagar's Nowgam police station

(Gns). A forensic experts' team of the National Security Guard (NSG) on Sunday visited Srinagar's Nowgam police station to examine the site of Friday night's deadly explosion that claimed nine lives and left thirty-two others injured.

The elite NSG experts collected samples from the explosion spot and interacted with local police officers. They conducted a detailed technical inspection of the debris, impact zone, and surrounding structures to determine the nature and cause of the blast. The team is also expected to assist local law enforcement agencies in evidence collection and forensic assessment.

J&K DGP Nalin Prabhat reviewed kinetic and non-kinetic operations and

overall security situation in North Kashmir's Kupwara. He stressed vigilance, better coordination and strong measures to maintain peace and protect civilians.

The DGP also visited the family of Inspector Shah Asrar-ul-Haq, who was killed in the blast, and offered condolences. He praised his courage and assured full support to the bereaved family.

Peoples Democratic Party (PDP) chief Mehbooba Mufti has cautioned authorities against 'high-handedness' while probing the white collar terror module, citing the

example of a father, who tried to immolate himself after his two sons were picked up by police in the Kulgam district.



In a post on X, Mehbooba said, "Bilal Wani an anguished father from Wanpora Qazigund has set himself on fire after his son Jasir Bilal & brother Naveel Wani were detained by the police a few days ago. Petrified about their safety he pleaded with the authorities to just see them which

## Dr. Jitendra Singh calls on students to avail scholarships introduced by Modi govt

(Gns). Union Minister Dr. Jitendra Singh on Sunday called upon the students and faculty to avail the number of technology incentives and dedicated schemes being pushed by the Modi government through the Ministry of Science & Technology to groom, identify, and encourage the potential for innovation and Startups among school children, so that they could be channelised and mentored from an early age.

The Minister was speaking at the inauguration of a Kendriya Vidyalaya at Ramkot in Kathua.

He exhorted parents of students aged 10-17 years to avail scholarships offered by the Department of Science & Technology

and Grant Schemes like INSPIRE-MANAK, under

Department of Science and Technology for meritorious



which a financial support of Rs 10,000 is awarded to selected students to promote innovation and creative thinking and attract talented students.

Dr Jitendra Singh also urged them to avail the benefits of the INSPIRE Scholarship (SHE) of the

students aged 17-22 years. Under the scheme, Rs 60,000 per year, including a Rs 20,000 mentorship grant, is provided to encourage undergraduate and postgraduate students to pursue careers in basic sciences and research.

The Minister added that

## Ayurveda Conference celebrates 40 years of traditional healthcare system in Brazil

(Gns). Marking 40 years of practice of the traditional Indian healthcare system in Brazil, the 3rd International Ayurveda Conference was jointly organised by the Swami Vivekananda Cultural Centre (SVCC) and Conayur, São Paulo, Brazil, from November 14 – 15, 2025.

The conference featured thematic lectures, plenary sessions, and a general assembly focusing on critical issues including ancestral knowledge, diversity and inclusion in Ayurveda, and the professional regulation of Ayurveda in Brazil.

The two-day programme included lectures such as "Daivavyapashraya: The Healing of the Soul – A Bridge between the Ganges and the West" by Paulo Bastos Gonçalves, "From

Prithvi to Akāśa: The Journey of Subtle Transformation" by Vanessa Santetti, and "Ayurveda as a Path of Healing" by Dr. Rita



Beatriz Tocantins, among several others.

The conference also witnessed roundtable deliberations to create a roadmap of the next 40 years for Ayurveda in the Latin American nation, according to an official document from the Ministry of Ayush. Dinesh Bhatia, Ambassador of India to Brazil, inaugurated the conference on the opening

day, which was held under the aegis of the Indian Council for Cultural Relations (ICCR).

Bringing together experts,

practitioners, scholars, and students from across Latin America and India, the discussions centred on the theme "Diversity and Inclusion in Ayurveda: Caring for Everybody and Every Being."

The Indian delegate, in his speech, acknowledged that Brazil was the first South American country to officially recognise the ancient Indian

medicine system and referred to the recent visit of Brazil's Vice President, Geraldo Alckmin, to the All India Institute of Ayurveda, New Delhi, as a landmark in strengthening bilateral cooperation.

Delivering the keynote address, Secretary, Ministry of Ayush, Dr Rajesh Kotecha, emphasised that Ayurveda embodies inclusivity, compassion, and the holistic equilibrium of body, mind, and environment. He highlighted the strong India-Brazil partnership in traditional medicine, reinforced through a Memorandum of Understanding between the respective Ministries of Health and through institutional collaborations involving the National Institute of Ayurveda, Jaipur, and Brazilian universities.