

Delhi Chief Minister Smt. Rekha Gupta receives threat call

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New Delhi, June 6 — In a shocking development, Chief Minister of Delhi, Smt. Rekha Gupta, has reportedly received a serious threat call, raising grave concerns about her safety. The Sikh Times strongly condemns this act of intimidation against a prominent public leader who has been working tirelessly and fearlessly for the betterment of the people of Delhi.

Smt. Rekha Gupta is known for her unwavering commitment and dynamic leadership. Since assuming office, she has taken bold

and reformative steps to curb corruption, improve public welfare, and stand up to vested interests. Her clear stand against the criminal and corrupt mafia elements in the capital has earned her both respect and opposition. It is evident that anti-social and criminal elements are feeling threatened by her courageous governance and are now resorting to cowardly threats in an attempt to derail her mission. This is not just an attack on



an individual but an attack on democratic values and the safety of

our elected representatives. We urge the central government, the Ministry of Home Affairs, and national intelligence and law enforcement agencies to take this matter with the utmost seriousness. Immediate and strict action must be initiated to trace the source of this threat, neutralize any danger, and provide Z+ level security to Smt. Rekha Gupta. The safety of a committed and hardworking leader like her is paramount not only for the people of Delhi but also in the interest of national integrity and democracy.

Policemen guilty of urinating on a Sikh youth in Rohini police station have not been arrested yet

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New Delhi, June 6 — A horrifying incident of police brutality has come to light from Sardar Colony, Sector 16, Rohini — a settlement primarily inhabited by the families of victims of the November 1984 anti-Sikh riots. A young Sikh man, Sardar Amrit Singh, was forcibly abducted by police officers and subjected to inhumane torture.

On the evening of June 1, 2025, approximately six policemen, without any warrant, allegedly dragged Amrit Singh into a police gypsy vehicle and took him to KN Katju Marg Police Station in Rohini. There, under the influence of alcohol, the police officers reportedly beat him savagely throughout the night. According to his family, some of the policemen even urinated on Amrit Singh's face while laughing and humiliating him. This act is not just police excess, it is a direct attack

on human dignity, Sikh identity, and constitutional rights. Such barbaric behavior has no place in a civilized, democratic society. Amrit Singh's mother has sent formal written complaints to the Commissioner of Police Delhi, Hon'ble Chief Minister Smt. Rekha Gupta, Hon'ble Lieutenant Governor of Delhi, Union Home Minister, and Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi. Shockingly, despite the serious nature of the allegations, no legal action has been initiated so far. The accused officers continue to roam freely without any accountability. Urinating on a human being's face is not only a gross insult but also a



heinous criminal act, which must not go unpunished. The Sikh Times calls upon the Government of India to take immediate and strict action. The guilty police officers must be arrested without delay and punished according to the law. This is not just the fight of one victim — this is a matter of dignity and justice for the entire Sikh community. The victim's family has indicated that if no justice is delivered soon, they will make a formal appeal to the Jathedar of Sri Akal Takht Sahib, the highest temporal authority of the Sikh faith, for intervention in this matter.

PM opens landmark Chenab Bridge, flags off Vande Bharat in massive Kashmir push

New Delhi. In a major infrastructure milestone for Jammu and Kashmir, Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Friday inaugurated the Chenab Rail Bridge, the world's highest railway arch bridge. The engineering marvel is a key part of the Udhampur-Srinagar-Baramulla Rail Link (USBRL) project and now seamlessly connects the Kashmir Valley to the rest of India via rail. PM Modi's visit today marked several firsts for the region as well: the inauguration of India's first cable-stayed railway bridge, Anji Khad Bridge, and the first-ever train service directly linking Kashmir to the mainland. Just weeks after the deadly Pahalgam terror attack, the inauguration of multiple all-weather infrastructure projects in Kashmir served as a strong message from PM Modi, who is visiting the valley for the first time after Operation Sindoos, that his government remains committed to the development of the region. PM Modi is also scheduled to inaugurate several developmental projects in Katra worth Rs 46,000 crore in a massive infrastructure push for the state.

Moments after inaugurating the Chenab Bridge, the Prime Minister was seen waving the Tiranga and walking across it with a broad smile. Accompanying him were Railway Minister



The bridge surpasses the height of the Eiffel Tower and forms a critical part of the Udhampur-Srinagar-Baramulla Rail Link (USBRL) project.

Ashwini Vaishnaw, Jammu and Kashmir Lieutenant Governor Manoj Sinha, and former Chief Minister Omar Abdullah, as he cut the ceremonial ribbon.

CHENAB BRIDGE — AN ENGINEERING

MARVEL
Built at a cost of Rs 1,486 crore, the Chenab Rail Bridge stands as the world's highest railway bridge and a true feat of engineering. Rising 359 metres above the river, 35 metres taller than the Eiffel Tower and nearly five times the height of the Qutub Minar, the bridge was constructed using 28,660 megatonnes of steel capable of withstanding both sub-zero temperatures and extreme heat. Designed to resist strong earthquakes, the bridge incorporates advanced safety features, including the ability for trains to continue operating at low speed even if a supporting pier is damaged.

ANJU KHAD BRIDGE — INDIA'S FIRST CABLE-STAYED RAILBRIDGE

The Prime Minister also inaugurated India's first cable-stayed railway bridge at Anji river — Anji Khad Bridge. The Anji Bridge rises 331 metres above the riverbed and spans 725 metres in length. It is supported by 96 high-tensile cables and features a striking inverted Y-shaped pylon that soars 193 metres from its base. The bridge incorporates an astonishing 653 kilometres of cable strands. What truly sets this structure apart as an engineering marvel, however, is that it was completed in just 11 months.

Mediation implies equivalence between terrorists, victims: Shashi Tharoor in US

Shashi Tharoor firmly rejected any notion of equivalence between India and Pakistan, stating that there can be no mediation between terrorists and their victims.



offering safe havens to terrorists and the multiparty democracy," the Congress MP said. Speaking to the press, Tharoor described the meeting as "outstanding" and "very clear," emphasising that the Indian side had firmly conveyed its position on recent regional developments, including the Pahalgam terror attack and India's military response through Operation Sindoos.

The delegation's meeting with Vance marked the culmination of a two-week diplomatic outreach effort by the Indian delegation across multiple countries. Tharoor, who led Group 5 of India's all-

party delegation, called the five-day visit to the US a "real success." The US visit of the Tharoor's delegation was part of a broader diplomatic push that included stops in Guyana, Panama, Colombia and Brazil. "We acquitted ourselves rather well," he said, crediting Indian embassies for facilitating impactful meetings with top government officials, lawmakers, think tanks, and diaspora communities. According to Tharoor, two primary goals defined the delegation's efforts — explaining the necessity and context behind Operation Sindoos and reinforcing bilateral relations with the countries visited.

"At the end of the day, two satisfactions. One, I believe we got our message across about what happened in Pahalgam and about Operation Sindoos and why it was necessary. Secondly, we used the opportunity to reaffirm the importance of relations with India with each of these countries," Tharoor said. The delegation included MPs across party lines, such as Sarfaraz Ahmad, Ganti Harish Madhur Balayogi, Shashank Mani Tripathi, Bhubaneswar Kalita, Milind Deora, Tejasvi Surya and India's former ambassador to the US Tarun Sandhu.

Shashi Tharoor-led Indian delegation met JD Vance
Tharoor discussed terrorism, Pahalgam attack and Operation Sindoos
Tharoor said US VP clearly understood India's position

High Court bars coercive steps against Karnataka cricket body in stampede case

New Delhi. The Karnataka High Court on Friday barred the administration from taking any coercive action against the Karnataka State Cricket Association in the Bengaluru stadium stampede case. The high court ruling came as a big relief to the state cricket body officials who were protected from arrest after they were named in the FIR filed in the case, along with Royal Challengers Bengaluru and the event management firm DNA Entertainment Private Limited, citing various sections of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita. The three organisers were booked for "criminal negligence" in the incident which claimed 11 lives with 56 others injured when a huge crowd gathered outside the M Chinnaswamy Stadium during a ceremony to felicitate IPL 18 winners RCB on June 4.

Justice SR Krishna Kumar, directing the petitioner to not leave the jurisdiction of the court without permission, also instructed KSCA officials to cooperate with the probe. "No precipitative be taken against management of Karnataka State Cricket Association till the next date of hearing, subject to condition that they shall cooperate with the investigation," Justice Kumar said. Advocate General Shashi Kiran, representing the state, submitted that the investigation should be allowed to continue and that the police will not be arresting anybody for the time being. To this, the petitioner's lawyer mentioned before the court that the marketing head of RCB had been arrested. "One accused was arrested at an airport. He was trying to escape. He was going to Dubai," the AG clarified.

The petitioner's counsel retorted, saying that Chief Minister Siddaramaiah had himself said on Thursday that there would be arrests of the representatives of the organisers- RCB, DNA Entertainment Private Limited and the KSCA.

Decoding Rahul Gandhi's "Horse" Analogy For Congress's Revival

New Delhi. Congress MP Rahul Gandhi's use of horses as examples to differentiate between workers and leaders who are working hard for the party and those who are deadwood has drawn criticism as well as ridicule on social media. Mr Gandhi, the Leader of Opposition in the Lok Sabha, first illustrated the difference between a "wedding horse" and a "race horse" and how changing their roles can lead to inefficiency. He also talked about "unfit horses" and called for giving way to the younger lot in the Congress party.



He was addressing party workers and leaders in Madhya Pradesh when he made the comments. Mr Gandhi's party has faced successive electoral defeats in the heartland state. He is looking to empower the party's district presidents and make them a key component of the Congress's effort to fight back in Madhya Pradesh.

In decoding the words and the horse analogy used by Mr Gandhi, the Congress war room now resembles a derby. A race horse in politics would represent a strong groundwork, strength, powerful rallies, and tight booth work, while a wedding horse would be a leader who likes to put up a show and work for the party's public image perception.

There's also the langda ghoda that can't run and attend rallies, only stays in the party. For Mr Gandhi, the time has come to send this horse to the retirement ranch.

2009 - Congress Riding Strong

Won 20 Lok Sabha seats with 28.5 per cent vote share, and formed the UPA-2 government.

Police made scapegoats: Karnataka BJP slams Congress over Bengaluru stampede

New Delhi. The BJP on Thursday launched a sharp attack on the Congress government in Karnataka over the stampede at Bengaluru's M Chinnaswamy Stadium that claimed 11 lives, accusing the state leadership of using senior police officers as scapegoats to deflect blame and public anger. Karnataka BJP chief and former Chief Minister BS Yediyurappa called the state government's response 'shameful', alleging that Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and his deputy DK Shivakumar abdicated moral responsibility even as tragedy unfolded.

"It is a shameful act that the Chief Minister and Deputy Chief Ministers themselves stood up and the entire government took responsibility for the system, and while celebrating RCB's victory, they forgot their moral responsibility," Yediyurappa said in a post on X in Kannada.

"To calm public anger, they have made five police officers, including the Police Commissioner, scapegoats. This is a dark chapter in Karunad's history," he added. The senior BJP leader also accused the Congress government of trying to pre-empt legal scrutiny by the High Court by hastily suspending officials, describing it as a "selfish move to cling to power". "If the Chief Minister, Deputy Chief Minister and Home Minister have any morals left, they must resign," he added. Even the Leader of Opposition in the Karnataka Assembly, R Ashoka, echoed similar concerns and raised questions over alleged contradictions within the Congress leadership.