

## Bihar’s ground reality tells different story, says Tejashwi Yadav after Governor’s address

**Patna,** After Governor Arif Mohammad Khan’s opening address in the Bihar Assembly on Monday, Leader of Opposition Tejashwi Yadav launched a sharp attack on the Nitish government, dismissing the Governor’s speech as a routine exercise.

“Many governors have come and gone, but the governor only says what the government writes for him. He simply reads what the officials and the government put before him,” Tejashwi Yadav said.

Calling the address a mere formality, Tejashwi claimed that while the speech painted a picture of development, the ground reality in Bihar tells a different story, especially with regard to law and order.

“The law and order situation in Bihar is extremely poor. Incidents of rape, murder, kidnapping, and shootings are happening continuously,” he alleged.

Questioning the credibility of investigations, Tejashwi raised concerns over the CBI probe into the NEET aspirant’s alleged rape cum suspicious death case.

“The CBI is investigating the Muzaffarpur girls’ shelter home case -- what happened? The CBI is also investigating the Srijan scam -- what happened?” he asked.

Tejashwi Yadav also levelled serious allegations of corruption against the state



government.

“Go to any block, go to any police station -- there is corruption everywhere,” he claimed.

Directly targeting Chief Minister Nitish Kumar, Tejashwi asked why Bihar continues to remain the most backward state in the country.

“Whether it is the NITI Aayog report or per capita income, Bihar is behind on every parameter. Bihar is number one in only two things -- corruption and crime,” he said. The RJD national working president further criticised the government over employment claims, alleging that promises of industrial development and large-scale job creation lack clarity.

“The government says industries will be set up in every district and one crore people will get jobs, but what kind of employment and how it will be provided is not clear,” he said. Commenting on the Union Budget, Tejashwi

accused the Central government of neglecting Bihar.

“There is nothing for Bihar in the Central budget. Last year, Bihar was mentioned because there were elections. Now elections are in Tamil Nadu, so Tamil Nadu is being talked about,” he said.

The Budget Session of the Bihar Legislative Assembly began on Monday with Governor Arif Mohammad Khan’s address to the House.

In his speech, the Governor highlighted the development work carried out in the state since Nitish Kumar assumed office as Chief Minister in November 2005, particularly in areas of education, health, policing, and infrastructure.

The Governor stated that the state government has brought about significant changes over the years and has consistently worked to improve public facilities and governance.

## 69,000 teacher recruitment row: Aspirants protest in Lucknow ahead of SC hearing, seek justice

**Lucknow,** Candidates associated with the 69,000 teacher recruitment case staged a protest in Lucknow on Monday, ahead of the upcoming hearing in the Supreme Court, demanding an early resolution to the long-pending issue. The protest was organised outside the residence of Uttar Pradesh Deputy Chief Minister and senior BJP leader Keshav Prasad Maurya. The demonstrators alleged irregularities in the recruitment process and delay in providing appointments despite qualifying the examination.

Raising slogans such as “Keshav Chacha Nyaaay karo” and “Sandeep bhaiya Nyaaay karo”, the protesters appealed to Maurya, noting that he also belongs to the OBC community, and to Minister of State for Basic Education Sandeep Singh, urging them to intervene in the matter and ensure justice for the affected candidates.

They said thousands of aspirants have been waiting for years, even after clearing the recruitment examination.

Several candidates said the prolonged uncertainty has severely affected their careers and livelihoods. “We have cleared the exam and fulfilled all eligibility criteria, yet appointments have been stalled. Our future is at stake,” one of the protesters said.

Expressing frustration over repeated delays, another protester, Manoj Yadav, told IANS, “So far, 28 dates have



passed, but there has been no hearing, and there is no advocate representing the government. We are still waiting for justice.”

The demonstrators appealed to the Uttar Pradesh government to present its case effectively before the apex court and ensure that deserving candidates are not deprived of employment. They alleged that repeated assurances by the authorities have failed to translate into concrete action.

Police personnel were deployed in large numbers to maintain law and order during the protest. Several protesters were detained by the police as a precautionary measure, though the demonstration largely remained peaceful.

The 69,000-teacher recruitment issue has remained a contentious matter in Uttar Pradesh, with candidates approaching various courts over alleged discrepancies related to evaluation and reservation norms. The Supreme Court is expected to hear the matter on February 4.

The protesters said they would continue their agitation until a final resolution is reached and justice is delivered to all affected candidates.

## J&K Budget Session: Opportunity to reaffirm commitment to fulfil people’s aspirations, says L-G

**Jammu,** Jammu and Kashmir Lt. Governor Manoj Sinha said on Monday that the ongoing Budget Session of the Assembly is significant as it provides an opportunity to assess the collective journey of the union territory and review key achievements.

In his opening address in the Assembly, the Lt. Governor said, “The budget session provides an opportunity to reaffirm our shared commitment to fulfilling the aspirations of the people of Jammu and Kashmir. For me, this occasion represents not merely an accounting of resources or outcomes, but a reflection of our vision for a prosperous, inclusive, and resilient Jammu and Kashmir. I extend my sincere gratitude to every citizen contributing to this transformation.”

The 27-day-long session, spread over three months with double sittings, began with an address by the Lieutenant Governor.

Chief Minister Omar Abdullah, who also holds the finance portfolio, is scheduled to present the UT’s budget in the Assembly on February 6.

L-G Sinha said the session allows legislators to reflect on achievements, outline future priorities and reaffirm their shared commitment to meeting the aspirations of the people of Jammu and Kashmir.

Assembly Speaker Abdul Rahim Rather urged members to cooperate in ensuring the smooth functioning of the House for the benefit of the public. He said all arrangements for the session have been completed, adding that proceedings will be held in double sittings.

Congress legislator Tariq Hameed Karra said the session offers an opportunity to raise public issues, while BJP MLA Vikram Randhawa said it would allow members to seek accountability from the government on the implementation of budget provisions and poll promises.

This will be the second budget of the Omar Abdullah-led National Conference government since it assumed office on October 16, 2024.

The Budget Session will conclude on April 4 and will be held in three phases -- the first before the start of the holy Muslim month of Ramzan

## Pak boycott of T20 World Cup match: India shouldn’t have played after ‘Op Sindoor’, says Oppn; example of cowardice, hits back BJP

**New Delhi,** Following Pakistan’s decision to boycott its high-profile T20 World Cup match against India, the Opposition on Monday termed the move the ‘biggest slap on the face’ of the Board of Control for Cricket in India (BCCI). Several Opposition leaders also questioned India’s participation in matches against Pakistan after ‘Operation Sindoor’.

Meanwhile, the BJP said Pakistan’s decision was inconsequential and it was another example of its cowardice.

Speaking to IANS, Shiv Sena (UBT) MP Priyanka Chaturvedi said Pakistan’s boycott exposed the failure of cricketing diplomacy.

“This is the biggest slap on the face of the BCCI. The BCCI is the most powerful and richest cricket body in the world and an influential member of the ICC. After the terror attack and ‘Operation Sindoor’, we repeatedly raised Pakistan’s role in promoting terrorism on global platforms. Families of the 26 people who lost their lives kept appealing that matches should not be played with Pakistan,” she said. Congress MP Ujjwal Raman Singh echoed similar concerns, stating that Pakistan should have been stopped from playing India immediately after ‘Operation Sindoor’.

“At that time, we raised the question of why India was still playing Pakistan. Terror attacks were carried out, innocent people were killed, and it was a serious issue. Yet matches continued. Now Pakistan is pretending to be the victim, while our people suffered losses. The ICC should take strict action. In a way, Pakistan is slapping us in the face, and India should take a firm stand,” he said, adding that the ICC’s representatives appeared to be failing in enforcing discipline.

Congress leader Pratap Singh Khachariyawas said, “Pakistan is meaningless and acting irrationally. Pakistan is not loyal even to Imran Khan or to its own people, so how can it be loyal to India? What Pakistan says about India makes no difference, because India has defeated Pakistan every time.”

Samajwadi Party MP Rajeev Kumar Rai said India missed an opportunity to take a decisive stand earlier.

“It is our mistake. We should not have given Pakistan the opportunity to refuse playing against us. A better decision should have been taken immediately after ‘Operation Sindoor,’” he told IANS.

Congress MP Tariq Anwar said, “It is unfortunate that Pakistan refused at the very last moment, just when the time had come to play the



match. It’s against the norms. There are few days left, then they are taking this decision. This is wrong.”

Congress spokesperson Surendra Rajput said the situation raised serious questions for the ruling party and cricket authorities.

“India will not tolerate threats. Whoever wants to leave can leave. But the BJP and the BCCI will have to answer how a country like Pakistan, and even smaller nations like Bangladesh, feel confident enough to issue threats or boycotts against India. The BJP must respond clearly,” he said. In contrast, BJP leaders dismissed Pakistan’s decision as irrelevant. BJP MP Damodar Agrawal said, “It is their matter whether they play or not. There is no need for any reaction from our side.”

BJP spokesperson Pratul Shah Deo criticised Pakistan’s history, calling the boycott another example of its cowardice.

“Pakistan has a long history of retreat. In 1947–48, when it intruded into Kashmir, the Indian Army pushed them back. The same pattern was seen in 1965. During ‘Operation Sindoor’ as well, history repeated itself. We will appeal to the ICC to ban Pakistan’s cricket team for violating ICC norms,” he said.

**FORM NO. URC.2**  
**Advertisement giving notice about registration under Part 1 of Chapter XXI**

[Pursuant to section 374(b) of the companies Act, 2013 and rule 411] of the companies (Authorised to Register) Rules, 2014]

1. Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of sub-section (2) of section 366 of the Companies Act, 2013, an application be made to the Registrar at ROC Ahmedabad that **D-LIGHT SOLAR ENERGY LLP (LLPIN - AAO-8012)**, a Limited Liability partnership may be registered under Part of Chapter XXI of the Companies Act 2013, as a company limited by shares.

2. The principal objects of the company are as follows:  
  
To carry on the business of generating, accumulating, distributing and supplying energy using non-conventional and renewable sources, including installation of rooftop solar system, renewable energy system and/or generation, production, transmission or use of electric power, wind energy and acting as consultants, advisors, auctioneers for all type of Solar Energy Plants and to undertake research and development in the filed of solar energy and other allied fields.

3. A copy of the draft memorandum and articles of association of the proposed company may be inspected at the office at 36, Vrundavan Society - 2 Bhojalram Chowk, Mota Varachha, Surat, Gujarat, India, 394101

4. Notice is hereby given that any person objecting to this application may communicate their objection in writing to the Registrar at ROC Bhavan, Opp. Rupal Park Society, Behind Ankur Bus Stop, Nanarupa, Ahmedabad - 380013, Gujarat within twenty one days from the date of publication of this notice, with a copy to the company at its registered office.

Name(s) of Applicant,  
FOR, D-LIGHT SOLAR ENERGY LLP  
SD/-  
PRATIK DHAMELIYA  
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(DIN: 08414572)  
Dated This February 2nd, 2026

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## Better to sell egg rice than be a cop, says Karnataka Constable on WhatsApp status; probe ordered

**Koppal (Karnataka),** The Karnataka Police department has ordered a probe in connection with a WhatsApp status posted by a Constable saying that it is "better to sell egg rice than be a cop." The development was reported from Koppal district in Karnataka on Monday.

According to police, the Constable, identified as Bramhanand, reportedly vented his anger over the functioning of the police department through WhatsApp status messages. The social media status was posted in response to a statement made by Director General and Inspector General of Police (DG & IGP) M.A. Saleem regarding the recruitment of 8,300 police personnel.

In his WhatsApp status, Constable Bramhanand wrote, “We have to be on duty 365 days a year, with not even a single day of leave. Selling egg rice is better than police duty.”

He is also said to have posted another status stating, “Think a hundred times before



joining the police department, and if possible, it is better to join some other department.”

These status messages went viral on social media and have triggered discussions within the police department. In view of the seriousness of the matter, Koppal District Superintendent of Police Ram L. Arasiddi has ordered an enquiry against Constable Bramhanand.

Further investigation into the incident is underway, and police sources said that appropriate action will be taken based on the findings of the enquiry report.

It can be recalled that an enraged Constable shot dead a Sub-Inspector in their police

station near Bengaluru when he was denied leave after working for over 30 hours in 2013. Police Constable Anand Kumar, 45, was arrested for fatally shooting police SI Vijay Kumar, 38, in the Rajanukunte police station. The incident had taken place after a heated argument on being denied leave and change of duty.

It can also be recalled that a Sub-Inspector in Bengaluru Rural district was previously suspended for abusing a senior officer in public after a heated argument over a vehicle permit. In the 2018 incident, Sub-Inspector M. Srinivas, attached to the Vishwanathapura police station, was suspended after a video of him abusing the jurisdictional inspector went viral on social media. The Bengaluru Rural Superintendent of Police at the time stated that the junior officer had violated the code of conduct and should have escalated the matter through proper channels. An enquiry was initiated following the suspension.

## Pune Porsche crash: SC grants bail to 3 accused in blood sample tampering case

**New Delhi,** The Supreme Court on Monday granted bail to three persons alleged to have conspired in swapping blood samples to shield minors involved in the high-profile Pune Porsche hit-and-run case. Observing that they had been incarcerated for nearly 20 months, a Bench of Justices B.V. Nagarathna and Ujjal Bhuyan ordered the release of Ashish Satish Mittal, Aditya Avinash Sood, and Amar Santhosh Gaikwad, subject to conditions set by the trial court. The three are accused of having played a role in swapping blood samples of two minor occupants of the Porsche car -- other than the alleged minor driver -- who were allegedly under the influence of alcohol at the time of the fatal accident.

They are booked under various provisions of the IPC and the Prevention of Corruption Act for offences, including forgery, evidence tampering and bribery.

The fatal crash occurred in the early hours of May 19, 2024, when a Porsche car, allegedly driven by a 17-year-old boy under the influence of



alcohol, mowed down two IT professionals -- Anis Awadhiya and Ashwini Koshta -- in Pune’s Kalyaninagar area, triggering nationwide outrage.

Mittal is a friend of the father of one of the minors seated in the back of the car, while Sood is the father of the other minor occupant.

Gaikwad is alleged to have acted as a middleman who received Rs three lakh for facilitating the replacement of the blood samples of the two juveniles.

After dictating the order granting bail, the Justice Nagarathna-led Bench made strong oral observations on

parental responsibility, describing the incident as reflective of a larger social problem.

“Celebration on the basis of substance and then going at top speed, resulting in the killing of innocent people on the road... the law has to catch up with these people. Most importantly, parents are responsible for handing over the vehicle to children and providing them with sufficient means to have a gala time,” the apex court remarked, while clarifying that it was refraining from detailed findings to avoid prejudicing the ongoing trial.

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**APPENDIX-IV-A [SEE PROVISION TO RULE 8(6)] SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES**

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provision to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.  
Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower/s and Guarantor/s that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/ charged to Truhome Finance Limited (formerly Shriram Housing Finance Limited), the Physical Possession of which have been taken by the Authorized Officer of Truhome Finance Limited, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis for recovery of the balance due to Truhome Finance Limited from the Borrowers And Guarantors, as mentioned in the table. Details of Borrowers and Guarantors, amount due, Short Description of the immovable property, reserve price and earnest money deposit and date of inspection are also given as:

| Name of Borrowers/ Co-Borrowers/ Guarantors/Mortgaggers                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | Amount of Recovery and date of Demand Notice                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Reserve Price (Rs.) & Bid Increment                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Date & Time of Auction                                            | Contact Person Details – (AO and Disposal team)                                                                                                    |
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| MR.Ashokkumar Tikamdas Rainkgora<br>Vasvani Kavita Manojbhai<br>Present & Permanent Address:- New Desaiwadi<br>Avadh Chowk, Bh Cricant Complex. JETPUR,Gujarat-360370<br>Property Address:- Shop No.2,Ladi Road, Udhi Street. Vegetable Market. JETPUR – 360370.<br>LAN - SLPHJTTPR0000036 & SLPHJTTPR00000382 | 13(2) Notice date 11.07.2025<br>Rs. 696658/- (Rupees Six Lakh Ninety Six Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Eight Only) as on dated.09/07/2025 under reference of Loan Account No. SLPHJTTPR0000036 & Rs. 460054/- (Rupees Four Lakh Sixty Thousand Fifty four Only) as on dated. 09/07/2025 under reference of Loan Account No. SLPHJTTPR00000382 | Rs. 7,25,000/- (Rupees Seven lakh twenty five Only)<br><b>Bid Increment:</b><br>Rs. 10,000/- and in such multiples.<br><b>Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) (Rs.)</b><br>Rs. 72,500/- (Rupees Seventy two thousand five hundred only)<br><b>Last date for submission of EMD : 07 March 2026, Time 10.00 a.m. to 05.00 p.m.</b> | <b>09 March 2026 &amp; Auction Time: 11.00 A.M. to 12.00 p.m.</b> | <b>Ashfaq Patka 98194 15477</b><br><b>Dharmendrasinh Chauhan 76007 62777</b><br><b>Property inspection Date. 07 March 2026, Time.11 AM to 1 PM</b> |

**Description of Property**  
The said Commercial Property bearing Jetpur C.S. Sheet no. 36, C.S.No. 2410 Paiki Western side, Ground floor shop no.2,sgm.10-40 situated at Ladi Road,JETPUR,Dist. Rajkot. Boundaries of the property :- East: Property of C.S.No. 2410/- Paiki. West: Property of C.S.No. 2410/- Paiki. North: Property of C.S.No. 2410/- Paiki. South: Road.

1) For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer the website of Truhome Finance Limited (Formerly Shriram Housing Finance Limited) website.  
2) The intending bidders have to submit their EMD amount to be deposited by way of RTGS/NEFT to the account details mentioned herein below: **BANK NAME: AXIS BANK LIMITED BRANCH: BANDRA KURLA COMPLEX, MUMBAI BANK ACCOUNT NO. Current Account No. 911020045677633 IFSC CODE: UTIB00000230.**  
3) The mortgagors/borrowers are given a last chance to pay the total dues with further interest before auction, failing which secured assets will be sold as per above schedule.  
4) Please note that the secured creditor is going to issue the sale notice to all the Borrowers/ Guarantors/ Mortgagors by speed/ registered post. In case the same is not received by any of the parties, then this publication of sale notice may be treated as a substituted mode of service.

Place : Rajkot  
Date : 03-02-2026

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