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SC directs FRI to relook at budget for green cover

The court also noted that the definition of tree under The Delhi Preservation Of Trees Act, 1994 is ambiguous and directed the FRI.

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NEW DELHI: The Supreme Court on Wednesday directed the Forest Research Institute (FRI), Dehradun, to have a relook at the budget proposed for preparing action plan for enhancing the national capital's green cover, saying that "certain proposals were on the higher side".

A bench of Justices Abhay S Oka and Ujjal Bhuyan said the FRI can consider taking help from agencies like National Informatics Centre to submit a modified budget to the Delhi government within a month.

"We direct the Delhi government, after receiving the budget, to release part of the amount claimed in the budget estimates so that implementation of Phase 1 can start immediately.

"Even if the government has any queries it



can be dealt with. However, the release of the first installment of the amount required for Phase 1 should not be delayed," the bench said.

"We have carefully perused the action plan proposed by the FRI, which is divided in three phases. We request FRI to reconsider duration of 15 months proposed for Phase 1 so that the work of tree census can be expedited. As regards Phase 3, the time line of

24 months is too long and we direct the FRI to consider curtailing it," the bench said.

The apex court on February 17 had appointed the FRI, Dehradun to prepare an action plan for enhancing the national capital's green cover and gave it one month to file an affidavit setting out timelines and the requirement of funds.

It had earlier directed the Delhi government and the civic agencies to convene a meeting and discuss comprehensive measures on the issue while observing that people were feeling the heat due to the loss of a green cover.

MLC asks govt to clear stand on allegations

MUMBAI: Ruling Shiv Sena MLC Bhavana Gawli on Wednesday demanded the Maharashtra government to make its stand clear on the allegations against Shiv Sena (UBT) leader Aaditya Thackeray in celebrity manager Disha Salian death case.

She also sought to know why Thackeray was refusing to undergo a narco analysis test in the case.

Salian, former manager of Bollywood actor Sushant Singh Rajput, died on June 8, 2020, after falling off the 14th floor of a residential building in Mumbai's Malad area, six days before Rajput allegedly committed suicide in his apartment in Bandra.

Breach of privilege notice against Kamra in legislative council

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BJP legislator Pravin Darekar moved the notice against the comedian as well as Shiv Sena (UBT) spokesperson Sushma Andhare.

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Kamra, who is in Puducherry according to his Instagram bio, has been asked to appear within a week, police sources had said on Tuesday.

dian as well as Shiv Sena (UBT) spokesperson Sushma Andhare. "Kunal Kamra performed a song containing personal and insulting references to deputy Chief Minister Eknath Shinde," said Darekar, leader of the legislative council, presenting the motion.

"Andhare supported the performance and used objectionable language, which amounts to contempt of the House," he further said.

MUMBAI: A breach of privilege notice was moved against stand-up comedian Kunal Kamra in the Maharashtra legislative council on Wednesday over his parody song targeting deputy Chief Minister Eknath Shinde.

BJP legislator Pravin Darekar moved the notice against the come-

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Protests over Waqf Bill rock Bihar, AIMPLB stages 'maha dharna'

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PATNA: Protests against the Waqf Bill rocked Bihar on Wednesday, from the legislature to the streets, as political parties within the state and outside stood in solidarity with the All India Muslim Personal Law Board (AIMPLB), which organised a 'maha dharna' here. The AIMPLB demonstrations were held barely a kilometre away from the Vidhan Sabha premises, to demand rollback of the Bill brought by the Narendra Modi government at the Centre, and to request "secular" leaders like Chief Minister Nitish Kumar to reconsider "support" to the contentious legislation. Leader of Opposition Tejashwi Yadav turned up shortly after ruckus created on the issue by his colleagues in the RJD and allies like the CPI(M) had forced adjournment of the

HIGHLIGHT

The 'maha dharna' was also attended by leaders from outside the state.

assembly within minutes of commencement of proceedings.

Yadav was accompanied by his father Lalu Prasad, the RJD president who chose not to speak owing to bad health. The young RJD leader assured the gathering that he had the same "blood flowing in the veins" as of the former Bihar CM, who had famously stopped the Ayodhya Rath Yatra in its tracks by getting BJP patriarch L K Advani arrested. Yadav asserted that his party will oppose tooth and nail the Bill that was "unconstitutional", "dictatorial" and inspired by the ideology of the RSS ("Nag-puriya").

Yoga teacher 'buried alive' over affair

ROHTAK: Three months after a yoga teacher went missing, his body was found in a pit in Charkhi Dadri after a probe revealed that he was "buried alive" over a suspected affair with the wife of the main accused, police said on Wednesday. Jagdeep, 45, had been working at an institution here and was living in rented accommodation for the past some time. He went missing three months ago after which his family lodged a complaint at the Shivaji Colony police station.

NAME CORRECTION

It is informed to the general public that I, MARY PARAKH, wife of Mr. Anoop Parakh, residing at Q.No: 803, Near Jaiswal Kirana Store, Karamchari Nagar, Durg, Chhattisgarh, Pin 491001, hereby declare that my name has been incorrectly mentioned as MERRY PARAKH instead of MARY PARAKH in my passport. My passport number is U3531154. The correct name should be MARY PARAKH. All concerned authorities and individuals are requested to take note.

MARY PARAKH Residing at Q.No: 803, Near Jaiswal Kirana Store, Karamchari Nagar, Durg, Chhattisgarh, Pin 491001

ADDENDUM The general public is informed that the e-auction sale notice was published by Bank of Baroda Regional Office Raipur in the name of debtor serial number 01 Mr Ashish Bajpayee and Mrs. Jaya Bajpai & 02 M/s. Sai Chandra Gas Services in Central Chronicle Raipur edition on date 18.02.2025. This property in serial number 01 and serial number 02 for e-auction has now been withdrawn/cancelled due to inevitable reasons.

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