CHOLAMANDALAM INVESTMENT AND FINANCE COMPANY LIMITED

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Corporate Office : Chola Crest, Super B, C54 & C55, 4, Thiru Vi Ka Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai-600 032, T. N.

DEMAND NOTICE

UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE SECURITIZATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 ("the Act") AND THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002 ("the Rules")

The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Ltd. (the Secured Creditor) under the Act and in exercise of the powers conferred under Sec. 13(12) of the Act read with Rule 3 issued Demand Notice(s) under Sec. 13(2) of the Act, calling upon the following borrower(s) to repay the amount mentioned in the respective notice(s) within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The undersigned reasonably believes that borrower(s) is / are avoiding the service of the Demand Notice(s), therefore the service of notice is being affected by affixation and publication as per Rules. The contents of Demand Notice(s) are extracted herein below :-

Sr. No.	Name & Address of the Borrower/s & Co-Borrower/s	Loan Amt.	Dt. of Demand Notice & O/s. Amt.	Description of the Property / Secured Asset
1	**Loan A/C. No(S). :** HL05MSY000012256 **1. Mr. Mrs. Ravi 2. Mr. Mrs. Shobha Add For Sr. No. 1 & 2 :-** Madegowdanadoddi Village Virupakshipura, Hobli Byadarahalli Jagadapura, Near Temple, Channapatna, Karnataka - 562138 **Add For Sr. No. 1 & 2 :** Property No.6/A, Unique No 152900101200300356, Madegowdanadoddi Village & Gramapanchayathi, Virupakshipura Hobali, Channapattana Taluk, Ramanagara District Near by Water, Tank Channapatna 562138	**Rs. 12,79,819/-**	**28.07.2026 Rs. 20,26,719/- (Rupees Twenty Lakhs Twenty Six Thousand Seven Hundred Nineteen Only) as on 28.07.2026**	All that piece and parcel of site Property bearing No.6/A Unique No.152900101200300356, measuring East to West 17.0688 Meters and North to South 6.4008 Meters, total easuring 109.25 Sq Meters Situated at Byadarahalli village, Channapatna Taluk Ramanagara District within the jurisdiction of J.Byadarahalli Grama Panchayat and bounded on: V. Pura bobli, **East by** Government Road, **West by:** Vacant Site of Kariyappa, **North by**: Vacant Site of Ranjita Shivramu, **South by**: House of Jayamma W/o. Late Kariyappa

The borrower(s) are hereby advised to comply with the Demand Notice(s) and to pay the demand amount mentioned therein and hereinabove **within 60 days** from the date of this publication together with applicable interest, additional interest, bounce charges, cost and expenses till the date of realization of payment. The borrower(s) may note that **Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Ltd.** is a secured creditor and the loan facility availed by the Borrower(s) is a secured debt against the immovable property / properties being the secured asset(s) mortgaged by the borrower(s). In the event borrower(s) are failed to discharge their liabilities in full within the stipulated time, The Secured Creditor shall be entitled to exercise all the rights U/s. 13(4) of the Act to take possession of the secured assets(s) including but not limited to transfer the same by way of sale or by invoking any other remedy available under the Act and the Rules thereunder and realize payment. The Secured Creditor is also empowered to **ATTACH AND / OR SEAL** the secured assets(s) before enforcing the right to sale or transfer. Subsequent to the Sale of the secured assets(s), the Secured Creditor also has a right to initiate separate legal proceedings to recover the balance dues, in case the value of the mortgaged properties is insufficient to cover the dues payable to the Secured Creditor. This remedy is in addition and independent of all the other remedies available to the Secured Creditor under any other law.

The attention of the borrower(s) is invited to Section 13(8) of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets and further to Section 13(13) of the Act, whereby the borrower(s) are restrained / prohibited from disposing of or dealing with the secured asset(s) or transferring by way of sale, lease or otherwise (other than in the ordinary course of business) any of the secured asset(s), without prior written consent of the Secured Creditor and non-compliance with the above is an offence punishable under Section 29 of the said Act. The copy of the Demand Notice is available with the undersigned and the borrower(s) may, if they so desire, can collect the same from the undersigned on any working day during normal office hours.

Sd/-
Authorized Officer
For Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited

Place : Ramanagara, Karnataka
Date : 28.07.2026

PUBLIC NOTICE

The General Public is hereby notified that **Dr. Mukesh Aghi** (son of Satish Kumar Aghi) and **Sheeba Aghi** (wife of Dr. Mukesh Aghi), are the owners of the property described in the Schedule below (hereinafter referred to as "**Schedule Property**").

It is represented that the original Sale Deed dated October 11, 1996 registered as Document No. 1998/96-97, in Book I Volume 3939 Pages 25-40 in the office of Sub-Registrar, Shivajinagar has been lost/misplaced and is not traceable. In this regard, an e- complaint bearing Lost Report No. 2318579/2026 was lodged on July 20, 2026 at Police Unit: Bengaluru.

Any person who finds or is in possession of the aforementioned sale deed is requested to surrender the same to the undersigned within **10 (ten)** days from the issuance of this public notice. Failing which, it shall be deemed that the original sale deed is irretrievably lost and certified copy of the same shall be obtained from the office of Sub-Registrar of Assurances in lieu of lost original for the purpose of records.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of the Apartment No. 5 and 5A on the first floor in the Apartment Building called 'Amy and Regency' together with two covered car parking space in the basement, constructed on Municipal No.8 (formerly No.3B), Museum Road, Corporation Division No.61, Bengaluru, measuring 14,175 Square feet together with 1/8th undivided share in the said land, having P.I.D. No.76-14-8-4.

Vishal Bhat, Partner,
For Anoma Law Group LLP, Advocates
1st Floor, A1 Tower, Golden Enclave Commercial Block
Off. HAL Old Airport Road, Bengaluru – 560 017

APPENDIX -IV-A - E-AUCTION-PUBLIC SALE NOTICE of IMMOVABLE PROPERTY/IES

pnb Housing Finance Limited Ghar Ki Baat

E-AUCTION-SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVEABLE ASSETS UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 READ WITH PROVISO TO RULE 8(6) OF THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002)

Reg. Off.:- 9th Floor, Antriksh Bhawan, 22 K. G. Marg, New Delhi-110001, Ph.:-011-23357171, 23357172, 23705414, Web:-www.pnbhousing.com

Branch Address: 2nd Floor, Essel Towers, Bunts Hostel Circle, Mangalore – 575003, Karnataka, Branch Address: 1st Floor, 11th Main Road, Jayanagar 4th Block, Bengaluru – 560011, Karnataka, Branch Address: 3rd Floor, No. 78, LRDE Layout, Karthik Nagar, Service Road, Outer Ring Road, Doddanekkundi, Marathahalli, Bengaluru – 560037, Karnataka

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the borrower(s) & guarantor(s) indicated in Column no-A that the below described immovable property (ies) described in Column no-D mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive/Physical Possession of which has been taken (as described in Column no-C) by the authorized Officer of **M/s PNB Housing Finance Limited**/Secured Creditor, will be sold on "AS IS WHERE IS, AS IS WHAT IS and WHATEVER THERE IS BASIS" as per the details mentioned below. Notice is hereby given to borrower(s)/mortgagor(s)/Legal Heirs, Legal Representative, (whether Known or Unknown), executor(s), administrator(s), successor(s), assignee(s) of the respective borrowers/ mortgagor(s)(since deceased) as the case may be indicated in Column no-A under Rule-8(6) & 9 of the Security Interest Enforcement Rules, 2002 amended as on date. **For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in M/s PNB Housing Finance Limited/secured creditor's website i.e. www.pnbhousing.com.**

Loan No. Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/Guarantor/Legal heirs(A)	Demanded Amount & Date (B)	Nature of possession (C)	Description of the Properties mortgaged (D)	Reserve Price (RP) (E)	EMD (10% of RP) (F)	Last Date of Submission of Bid (G)	Bid Incremental Rate (H)	Inspection Date & Time (I)	Date of Auction & Time (J)	Known Encumbrances/Court Case if any (K)
NHL/MNLR/0518/529515, Ashwin B Jain / Praveen B Jain / Bhawaralal M Jain / Kamala B Jain / Mataji Marketing, B.O.: Mangalore	Rs. 220831132.00 as on 09.10.25	Physical	Sy. No. 948/2B, 948/2A, Door No. 12/1/19/1, Sachiya Nivas, Shree Dathatraya Temple, Dongerkery, Casba Bazar Village, **Mangalore, Karnataka - 575003, Dakshina Kannada**	Rs. 21948000	Rs. 2194800	27.08.26	Rs. 200000	18.08.26 11:00 AM-5:00 PM	28.08.26 2:00 PM-3:00 PM	*NIL/Not Known
HOU/BAN/1123/1181085 & NHL/BAN/1123/1181151, Vikash Kumar /Sweta Kumari, B.O.: Jayanagar	Rs. 11787957.00 as on 04.11.25	Physical	Flat No. B 303, 3rd Floor, Akruthi Amity, Kammasandra Village, Attibele Hobli, **Bangalore South, Karnataka-560100, Bengaluru**	Rs. 11165000	Rs. 1116500	17.09.26	Rs. 100000	25.08.26 11:00 AM-5:00 PM	18.09.26 2:00 PM-3:00 PM	*NIL/Not Known
HOU/BAN/0123/1069645 Sreedhar C / Ambika R B.O.: Jayanagar	Rs. 4338099.00 as on 04.11.25	Physical	13, PID No. 71404, Upparahalli, Saptagiri Extension, **Tumkur, Tumkur, Karnataka - 572136**	Rs. 7919000	Rs. 791900	27.08.26	Rs. 20000	18.08.26 11:00 AM-5:00 PM	28.08.26 2:00 PM-3:00 PM	*NIL/Not Known
HOU/MRH/0323/1092797 Chandrappa Ambiger / Akkamma Ambiger, B.O.: Marathahalli	Rs. 4968857.00 as on 16.01.26	Physical	Property Bearing Site No. 10, Sy. No. 1, Medarahalli Village, Yeshwanthpur Hobli, **Bangalore, Bangalore North, Karnataka - 560022**	Rs. 5993000	Rs. 599300	27.08.26	Rs. 20000	18.08.26 11:00 AM-5:00 PM	28.08.26 2:00 PM-3:00 PM	*NIL/Not Known

***Together with the further interest @18% p.a. as applicable, incidental expenses, cost, charges etc. incurred upto the date of payment and/or realization thereof. ** To the best knowledge and information of the authorized Officer of PNB Housing Finance Limited, there are no other encumbrances/ claims in respect of above mentioned immovable/secured assets except what is disclosed in the Column No.-K. Further such encumbrances to be catered/paid by the successful purchaser/bidder at his/her end. The prospective purchaser(s)/bidders are requested to independently ascertain the veracity of the mentioned encumbrances. (1.)** As on date, there is no order restraining and/or court injunction PNBHFL/the authorized Officer of PNBHFL from selling, alienating and/or disposing of the above immovable properties/secured assets and status is mentioned in column no-K **(2.)** The prospective purchaser/bidder and interested parties may independently take the inspection of the pleading in the proceedings/orders passed etc. if any, stated in column no-K. Including but not limited to the title of the documents of the title pertaining thereto available with the PNBHFL and satisfy themselves in all respects prior to submitting tender/bid application form or making Offer(s). The bidder(s) has to sign the terms and conditions of this auction along with the Bid Form. **(3.)** Please note that in terms of Rule 9(3) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002, the bidder(s)/the purchaser is legally bound to deposit 25% of the amount of sale price, (inclusive of earnest money) on the same day or not later than next working day. The sale may be confirmed in favour of (bidder(s) only after receipt of 25% of the sale price by the secured creditor in accordance with Rule 9(2) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. The remaining 75% of the s sale consideration amount has to be deposited by the purchaser within 15 days from the date of acknowledgement of sale confirmation letter and in default of such deposit, the authorized officer shall forfeit the part payment of sale consideration amount within 15 days from the date of expiry of mandatory period of 15 days mentioned in the sale confirmation letter and the property/secured asset shall be resold as per the provisions of Sarfaesi Act. **(4.) M/s Foreclosureindia.com would be assisting the Authorised officer in conducting sale through an e-Auction having its Head office at 605A, 6TH Floor, Maitrivanam, Ameerpet, Hyderabad-500038. Website - info@bankauctions.in. For any assistance related to inspection of the property or obtaining the Bid Documents and for any other query or for registration, you have to co-ordinate with Mr. Vijay Sundriyal/Sunder/Balaji/Vijay, Mobile: 7428193765/9902965077/9225228557/7676930309, E-Mail: auction@pnbhousing.com, is authorised Person of PNBHFL or refer to www.pnbhousing.com.**

Place:- MANGALORE, JAYANAGAR, MARATHAHALLI, DATE:- 08.08.2026 **SD/- AUTHORIZED OFFICER, PNB HOUSING FINANCE LIMITED**

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Corporate Office : Chola Crest, C54 & 55, Super B-4, Thiru Vi Ka Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai- 600 032, T. N.

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE (Sale Through e-bidding Only)

SALE NOTICE OF IMMOVABLE SECURED ASSETS ISSUED UNDER RULE 8(6) AND 9(1) 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) indicated in **COLUMN (A)** that the below described immovable property(ies) described in **COLUMN (C)** Mortgaged / Charged to the secured creditor the **POSSESSION** of which has been taken as described in **COLUMN (D)** by the **Authorized Officer** of Housing **CHOLAMANDALAM INVESTMENT AND FINANCE COMPANY LIMITED** Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is Where is", "As is what is"** and **"Whatever there is"** as per details mentioned below :- Notice is hereby given to Borrower / Mortgagor(s) / legal heir, legal representatives **(Whether Known or unknown),** executor(s), administrator(s), successor(s) & assign(s) of the respective Borrower(s) / Mortgagor(s) (Since deceased) as the case may be indicated in **COLUMN (A)** U/s. **9(1)** of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002. For detailed terms & conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in **CHOLAMANDALAM INVESTMENT AND FINANCE COMPANY LIMITED** secured Creditior's website i.e. **https://www.cholamandalam.com & www.auctionfocus.in**

	[A]	[B]	[C]	[D]	[E & F]	[G]
Sr. No.	Loan Account No. / Names Of Borrower(s) / Mortgager(s) / Gaurantor(s)	O/S. Dues to be recovered (Secured Debts)	Description of the Immovable Property / Secured Asset	Type of Possession	Reserve Price (In Rs.) / Earnest Money Deposit (In Rs.)	Date of Auction & Time
1	**Loan A/c. No(s). : HL29HKE000117590 1. Mr/Ms. Shravana Kumar Mahato 2. Mr/Ms. Seetha Devi, 3. Mr/Ms. Ajit Mahto 4. Mr/Ms. Sangita Devi, 5. Mr/Ms. Jayram Mandal 6. Mr/Ms. Devlaxmi Kumari Add For Sr. No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6** : Ashraya Layout Railway Staionindiranagar Malur Kolar Karnataka, Temple, Kolar, Karnataka - 563130 **Add For Sr. No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 :** Property Bearing No.53-515-168, Ward No.23, Indiranagara Ashraya Layout, Malur Town, Malur Taluk, Kolar District., Municipal Katha No.657/316-A, Malur Town, Malur, Kolar, Karnataka, 563160.	**Rs. 30,84,184/- (Rupees Thirty lakh Eighty Four Thousand One Hundred Eighty Four Only) as on 11-03-2025**	All that Piece and Parcel of the immovable Property bearing Khata No.657/316-A, PID No.53-515-168, situated at Indra Nagar Ashraya Layout, Malur Town, Malur Taluk, Kolar District, Karnataka - 563160. Measuring East to West 7.620015 mtrs and North to South 9.144018 mtrs, in all measuring 69.67725 Sq.mtrs., together with building constructed thereon and bounded on: **East by :** Site No.317; **West by :** Site No.315; **North by** Private Property; **South by** Road;	CONSTRUCTIVE POSSESSION	**Rs. 30,07,125/- (Rupees Thirty lakh Seven Thousand One Hundred Twenty Five Only)** / **Rs. 3,00,712.50/- (Rupees Three lakh Seven Hundred Twelve and Fifty Paise)**	**28-08-2026 from 02.00 P.M. to 04.00 P.M. (with automated extensions of 5 minutes each in terms of the Tender Document),**
2	**Loan A/c. No(s). : X0HLPEE00002445536 1. Mr/Ms. Brojendro Singh KSH 2. Mr/Ms. Ranjita Devi Lamabam 3. Mr/Ms. Dhanashree Singh Khwairakpam Add For Sr. No. 1, 2 & 3** : Flat #306, 3rd Floor, Agrim Aroma Apt Old MG Palya, Bommanahalli BANGALORE SOUTH, KARNATAKA 560068 **Add For Sr. No. 3 :** # 27, First Floor, 3rd CrossBallappa Layout, Adugodi 560030. **1, 2 & 3** : Falt #306, 3rd Floor Agrim Aroma Apartments, Bommanahalli Near Param Prasada Church Bangalore South 560068	**Rs. 44,03,599/- (Rupees Forty Four Lakh Three Thousand Five Hundred Ninety Nine Only) as on 10-02-2026**	All that piece and parcel of the property bearing flat no .306 in 3rd floor have 1170,Sq ft super built up area with 407 sqft undivided share in building known as " AGRIIM AROMA" In Khatha No 126/3, Measuring 135 * 124 ft in totally 16740 Sqft, Situated at Yellukunte Village, Beguru Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, and Bounded On - **East by :-** Private Property **West by :-** Property belonging to Graffiti **North by :-** Property Belonging to Nagendhra Reddy Modalla **South by :-** Road	CONSTRUCTIVE POSSESSION	**Rs. 42,64,650/- (Rupees Forty Two lakh Sixty Four Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Only)** / **Rs. 4,26,465/- (Rupees Four lakh Twenty Six Thousand Four Hundred Sixty Five Only)**	**28-08-2026 from 02.00 P.M. to 04.00 P.M. (with automated extensions of 5 minutes each in terms of the Tender Document),**

INSPECTION DATE & TIME : 26.08.2026 BETWEEN 11.00 a. m. to 4.00 p. m. | **MINIMUM BID INCREMENT AMOUNT : Rs. 10,000/-**

LAST DT. OF SUBMISSION OF BID / EMD / REQUEST LETTER FOR PARTICIPATION : 27.08.2026 before 05.00 p. m.

***Together with further interest as applicable in terms of loan agreement with, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc. Incurred up to the date of payment and / or realisation thereof.** For any assistance related to inspection of the property, or for obtaining the Bid document and for any other queries, please get in touch with **1. Ravikiran K, Mobile No. 9742449049 & Email Id : ravikirank@chola.murugappa.com, 2. Gopinath kasamshetty, Mobile No. 9845271782 & E mail : gopinathk@chola.murugappa.com,** official of **CHOLAMANDALAM INVESTMENT & FINANCE COMPANY LIMITED** to the best of Knowledge and information of the Authorized Officer of **CHOLAMANDALAM INVESTMENT & FINANCE COMPANY LIMITED** there are no encumbrances in respect of the above immovable properties / secured Assets.

Sd/-
AUTHORIZED OFFICER,
For **CHOLAMANDALAM INVESTMENT AND FINANCE COMPANY LIMITED**

Date : 07.08.2026
Place : Kolar, Bangalore, Karnataka

WeP Solutions Limited

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CIN: L72200KA1995PLC025617

Extract of Un-Audited Financial Results for the Quarter ended on 30 June, 2026

(₹ in Lakhs except for EPS data)

Sl. No.	Particulars	Quarter ended June 30, 2026	Quarter ended March 31, 2026	Quarter ended June 30, 2025	Year ended March 31, 2026
		Unaudited	Audited	Unaudited	Audited
1	**Total Income from Operations (net)**	**1,633.29**	**1,818.63**	**1,662.36**	**6,960.45**
2	Net Profit/(Loss) for the period before tax (beforeExceptional items)	48.18	166.20	46.13	260.79
3	Net Profit/(Loss) for the period before tax (after Exceptional items)	48.18	166.20	46.13	260.79
4	**Net Profit/(Loss) for the period after tax (after Exceptional items)**	**34.14**	**118.92**	**54.24**	**205.89**
5	Total Comprehensive Income for the period (Comprising Profit/(Loss) for the period (after tax) and Other Comprehensive Income (after tax)	**34.14**	**126.71**	**54.24**	**218.77**
6	Paid- Up Equity Share Capital (Face Value ₹ 10/- each)	3,692.47	3,682.97	3,680.63	3,682.97
7	Earnings Per Share (Face value of ₹ 10/- each) (not annualised)				
	Basic (in ₹.)	0.09	0.32	0.15	0.56
	Diluted (in ₹.)	0.09	0.32	0.15	0.56

Notes:

1) The above Financial results of the Company were reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved by the Board of Directors at its meeting held on 8th August 2026. Statutory Auditors have performed a limited review of the results for the quarter ended on June 30, 2026.
2) The figures for the quarter ended March 31, 2026, are the balancing figures between audited figures in respect of the full financial year up to March 31, 2026 and the unaudited published year-to-date figures up to December 31, 2025, being the date of the end of the third quarter of relevant financial year, which were subjected to a limited review.
3) The detailed Financial Results are available on the Stock Exchange's website www.bseindia.com and Company's website www.wepsol.com. The same can be accessed by scanning the Quick Response (QR) Code provided below:

Date:08-08-2026
Place: Bangalore

For WeP Solutions Limited
Sd/-
Nisar Ali Shah
Whole Time Director

CORPORATE BRIEFS

Indian Bank unveils "Foundation Day Fortnight" to commemorate its 120th Foundation Day



As part of its 120th Foundation Day celebrations, Indian Bank today launched a series of commemorative activities under the banner "Foundation Day Fortnight" across its Corporate Office and Field General Manager Offices, marking the beginning of the Bank's month-long Foundation Day celebrations. Binod Kumar, Managing Director & Chief Executive Officer, unveiled the Bank's commemorative mnemonic for the 120th Foundation Day celebrations and administered a pledge reaffirming Indian Bank's unwavering commitment to customer-first banking. The pledge was taken by employees across the Bank. The Bank's top management also planted saplings, symbolising its continued commitment to environmental sustainability. Indian Bank celebrates its Foundation Day every year on 15th August. As part of the celebrations, the Bank has been conducting Anna Sewa Abhiyan. This year's Anna Sewa Abhiyan was inaugurated at Ramakrishna Mission Students' Home, Mylapore, Chennai. Under this flagship CSR initiative, Indian Bank will provide free meals to inmates of orphanages, shelter homes and senior citizens' homes throughout the month of August across Chennai and pan India. Volunteers from the Bank will visit these institutions and distribute food packets, reaffirming the Bank's enduring commitment to community service and inclusive growth. The Executive Directors of the Bank, Ashutosh Choudhury, Shiv Bajrang Singh, Mini T.M., and V Anand, Chief Vigilance Officer of the Bank, were present on the occasion.

Kerala Chief Minister Inaugurates KFC's Enhanced CMEDP 3.0



Chief Minister of Kerala, V. D. Satheesan, officially inaugurated the third edition of the Chief Minister's Entrepreneurship Development Programme (CMEDP) and distributed the first set of loan sanction letters to beneficiaries. The scheme, implemented through the Kerala Financial Corporation (KFC), introduces industrial loans up to ₹5 Crore at a highly subsidized interest rate of 6%. The inauguration ceremony was held at the Lemon Tree Premier Hotel in Thycaud, Thiruvananthapuram. The revamped CMEDP aims to empower entrepreneurs, strengthen the Micro, Small, and Medium Enterprises (MSME) sector, and generate large-scale employment opportunities across the state. Delivering the inaugural address, Chief Minister V. D. Satheesan stated that the government's objective is to transform KFC into the best financial institution in India. He highlighted that while the maximum loan amount previously available under the CMEDP was ₹2 Crore, it has now been enhanced to ₹5 Crore. Furthermore, the upper age limit for the chief promoter has been increased from 50 to 60 years. Emphasizing the government's policy to utilize the experience of senior citizens for the benefit of society, the Chief Minister noted that a dedicated Senior Citizen Department was formed to strengthen this 'Silver Economy'.

The Chief Minister also announced that the state government has officially increased KFC's financial assistance limit from₹50 Crore to ₹100 Crore. Noting that KFC is operating as a highly profitable financial institution, he declared that the Corporation's loan portfolio would be increased from the current ₹9,080 Crore to ₹10,000 Crore by the end of this financial year. The Chief Minister also distributed awards recognizing the best-performing KFC branches during the ceremony. K. Muraleedharan, Minister for Health and Devaswom, presided over the function, and C. P. John, Minister for Transport was the Chief Guest. The ceremony commenced with a welcome address by Umesh N.S.K IAS, Managing Director of KFC. Dr. Rathan U. Kelkar IAS, Secretary to the Chief Minister, and K. R. Cleetus, Corporation Councilor, offered their felicitations. The formal proceedings concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Ranjithkumar E. R., General Manager of KFC.

LIC Mutual Fund New Facility at Chennai to strengthen investor access and engagement



LIC Mutual Fund Asset Management Limited (LIC MF) announced the relocation of its Chennai branch to a larger premises, reinforcing its commitment to strengthening investor servicing and expanding its engagement with one of South India's key financial markets. The inauguration of the relocated branch was led by Ravi Kumar Jha, MD & CEO, LIC Mutual Fund Asset Management Limited. Chennai has emerged as an important centre for mutual fund participation, supported by a strong financial services ecosystem and an extensive distribution network. As of June 2026, LIC MF had 22,305 investors in Chennai, while the city had 1,881 mutual fund distributors, providing a strong on-ground ecosystem for investor engagement and access to mutual fund products.

The relocation also comes at a time when mutual fund participation continues to expand across India. According to the Association of Mutual Funds in India (AMFI), the Indian mutual fund industry's AUM stood at ₹82.22 lakh crore as of June 30, 2026, while the SIP contributions during June stood at ₹31,781 crore, underlining the growing adoption of systematic investing. Commenting on the relocation, Ravi Kumar Jha, MD & CEO, LIC Mutual Fund Asset Management Limited, said" The relocation of our Chennai branch is part of the fund house's ongoing efforts to strengthen our presence in important markets and improve access to investment services. As of March 2026, the city accounted for ₹2.22 lakh crore in mutual fund AUM, representing 2.8% of the industry's total AUM, and has grown by over ₹21,800 crore over the past year. This reflects the growing participation of investors and the increasing awareness around mutual funds and long-term wealth creation."

NALCO Q1 FY27 results: Net Profit soars 88%



National Aluminium Company Limited (NALCO), the Navratna CPSE under Ministry of Mines, Govt. of India and country's leading producer and exporter of alumina and aluminium have made a strong beginning to the financial year 2026–27, delivering robust operational and financial performance in the first quarter. According to the financial results approved by the Board of Directors at its meeting held in New Delhi, NALCO has reported an outstanding performance for the first quarter ended June 30, 2026. The Company registered 88% increase in net profit, which rose to Rs.2002.38 crore from Rs.1063.86 crore in the corresponding quarter of the previous financial year. Revenue from operations also recorded a robust growth of 39% over corresponding period last year, increasing to Rs.5302.38 crore during the quarter. The Board has also recommended final dividend of Re.1/- per equity share (20% on face value of Rs.5/- each) amounting to Rs.183.66 crores for the FY 2025-26, for approval of shareholders in the ensuing 45th Annual General Meeting.

Highlighting on the Company's strong first-quarter performance, Brijendra Pratap Singh, Chairman-cum-Managing Director, NALCO, attributed the impressive results to the strategic guidance of the Board of Directors and the unwavering commitment of the Company's employees, business associates and stakeholders. "NALCO has commenced FY 2026–27 on a strong note, reflecting the Company's operational resilience and prudent business strategy. The robust performance during the first quarter was supported by a favourable global aluminium price, higher production and sales volumes particularly increased domestic alumina sales, and a conducive domestic business climate", he said

Technopark-based HEX20 inks multi-mission launch pact with Skyroot Aerospace



Technopark-based spacetech startup HEX20, which scripted history by building India's first rideshare satellite in the private sector, has entered into a Multi-Launch Agreement (MLA) with Skyroot Aerospace for its Earth-Observation constellation and in-orbit payload demonstration missions. Headquartered in Hyderabad, Skyroot Aerospace successfully launched the country's first privately developed orbital-class rocket, Vikram-1, last month. MB Aravind, Co-Founder & COO, HEX20, and Naga Bharath Daka, Co-founder & CTO, Skyroot Aerospace, signed the multi-launch agreement. As part of the MLA, HEX20 has purchased three dedicated launches from Skyroot Aerospace. Beginning in Q4 2027, these missions will be launched aboard the Vikram series of launch vehicles. The launches will support HEX20's spacecraft missions while also providing rideshare opportunities for third-party spacecraft. Amal Chandran, CEO of HEX20, said, "India's private space ecosystem is reaching a stage where collaboration across the mission lifecycle will define the next phase of growth. Our partnership with Skyroot brings complementary capabilities together, allowing us to create stronger pathways to orbit and enable more ambitious missions for customers in India and around the world."

TPCODL crossed 50,000 Rooftop Solar Installations Under PM Surya Ghar Scheme

TP Central Odisha Distribution Limited (TPCODL) has achieved a significant milestone in Odisha's clean energy journey by becoming the first power distribution company in the state to facilitate over 50,000 Rooftop Solar (RTS) installations under the PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana. The achievement reflects the growing adoption of rooftop solar across its license area and reinforces TPCODL's commitment to promoting Distributed Renewable Energy. Khordha and Cuttack Districts have emerged as the leading contributors in achieving this milestone. Khordha has recorded 13,358 rooftop solar installations, while Cuttack has 12,165 installations, together accounting for a significant share of TPCODL's overall rooftop solar progress. The milestone has been driven by TPCODL's sustained consumer awareness initiatives, including the 'Mo Chhata, Mo Sanchaya' campaign, Surya Ghar Gram Sabhas and the ongoing Solar Rath campaign across various districts, creating widespread awareness about rooftop solar and encouraging greater participation in the PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana. Speaking on the achievement, Gajanan S. Kale, CEO, TPCODL, said, "Crossing the milestone of over 50,000 rooftop solar installations under the PM Surya Ghar: Muft Bijli Yojana is a proud achievement for TPCODL and Odisha's clean energy mission. It reflects the trust of our consumers and the collective efforts of our employees, Business Associates and State Government Administration and all other stakeholders. We remain committed to accelerating rooftop solar adoption and supporting Odisha's vision of a greener and energy-secure future." With continued consumer engagement, streamlined implementation and strong support from the Government of Odisha and the Government of India, TPCODL is playing a key role in accelerating Odisha's transition towards clean and sustainable energy.

SOA University hosts Allyship++ 2.0 at Chennai



Over sixty industry leaders, HR professionals, academicians and professionals attended Allyship++ 2.0 organised by the SOA Deemed to be University at Chennai on Friday which focused on industry-academia collaboration. The program included a fireside chat with eminent athlete Premanand J., a high-performance athletics coach and former international sprinter who trained the Indian national sprint team for the Paris Olympics. He shared inspiring insights on leadership, resilience, discipline and the transformative power of mentorship. It was followed by a thought-provoking panel discussion moderated by Archana Grover, Global Head- Capabilities, Transformation and Culture, Standard Chartered, focusing on how organisations could meaningfully practice allyship to create inclusive, high-performing and future-ready workplaces. Prof. Pradipta Kumar Nanda, Vice-Chancellor of SOA Deemed to be University, who was present, emphasized the significance of industry-academia collaboration in building future-ready workplaces. Dr. Raj Kumar Hota, Dean (Corporate Relations and Placement) of SOA, highlighted the importance of embedding allyship into everyday leadership and workplace culture. The event reaffirmed SOA's commitment to fostering industry-academia collaboration and advancing inclusive leadership through meaningful conversations which inspired action.

NIRL Receives Letter of Intent from GUVNL for 900 MW Solar Power Project

NLC India Renewables Limited ("NIRL"), a Wholly owned Subsidiary of NLC India Limited ("NLCIL"), has received a Letter of Intent (LoI) from Gujarat Urja Vikas Nigam Limited (GUVNL) for setting up a 900 MW solar power project. The project has been awarded through a tariff-based competitive bidding process, with the power generated to be procured by GUVNL. This latest addition not only builds on NIRL's renewable energy portfolio, but also reinforces its commitment to becoming a 10+ GW renewable energy company by 2030.

TMB Foundation Sponsors Classroom Construction to Advance Quality Higher Education at Loyola College, Chennai



TMB Foundation has sponsored ₹25,00,000 towards the construction of a classroom at Loyola College, Chennai, as part of the institution's centenary celebrations. The initiative commemorates 100 years of academic excellence and supports Loyola College's ongoing infrastructure development to expand access to quality higher education.On 31 July 2026, Vincent Menachery Devassy, Executive Director, TMB Ltd., handed over the cheque to Rev. Fr. Antony Robinson, Rector and Vice President, Loyola College Society. The ceremony was graced by D. Inbamani, Vice President, TMB Foundation; P.R. Ashok Kumar, Executive Vice President, TMB Ltd.; Rev. Fr. D. Selvanayakam, Secretary-cum-Treasurer, Loyola College Society; Rev. Dr. A. Louis Arockiaraj SJ, Principal, along with senior faculty members of the college.

TMB Foundation Strengthens Critical Care Infrastructure at Kilpauk Government Medical College Hospital, Chennai



The TMB Foundation has contributed medical equipment worth ₹70 lakh to the Kilpauk Government Medical College Hospital, Chennai, strengthening its critical care and diagnostic infrastructure. Kilpauk Government Medical College Hospital, one of Tamil Nadu's leading tertiary care institutions, caters to thousands of patients across the State, particularly from economically disadvantaged sections, offering advanced medical services. The equipment provided by the Foundation includes three Intensive Care Unit (ICU) ventilators, patient monitors with accessories, and an ultrasound sonogram machine with accessories. The addition is expected to enhance the hospital's capacity to deliver timely emergency care and improve diagnostic efficiency. The equipment were formally handed over on July 25 by Vincent Menachery Devassy, Executive Director, TMB Ltd., to Dr. M. Kavitha, Dean of the hospital. Among those present at the event were Mr. D. Inbamani, Vice-President, TMB Foundation; Dr. G. Sasikala, Vice-Principal; Dr. G. Vani, Residential Medical Officer; along with senior faculty members and hospital officials.