

Nation News

SC flags brutal assault on woman advocate

Top court probes denial of treatment by 3 hospitals

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NEW DELHI: The Supreme Court on Monday took note of the brutal assault on a woman advocate allegedly by her husband and directed the Delhi Police commissioner to hand over the probe to a senior officer, preferably a woman officer in the rank of assistant or deputy commissioner of police.

A bench of Chief Justice Surya Kant and Justice Jyotsna Banerjee took suo motu cognisance after advocate Sneha Kalita wrote a letter to the CJI seeking urgent intervention and also for grant of compensation under the National Legal Services Authority (NALSA) victim compensation scheme. The top court asked the investigating officer to look into the aspect of three hospitals refusing admission to the victim.

According to the allegations, the victim, who is a practising advocate at the Karkardooma district courts here, was brutally assaulted with a sword and was stabbed by her husband at Sonia Vihar on April 22. The bench was hearing a suo motu case titled 'In Re: Brutal



assault on a member of the legal fraternity and need for judicial intervention. During the hearing, Kalita told the bench that following the assault, the victim was taken to four hospitals and three of them refused admission. It said one of the hospitals provided first aid to her and referred the case to other hospital. Noting that the victim would be in need

of financial assistance, especially for undergoing treatment and to look after her minor daughters, the bench directed the NALSA to release interim sum of Rs 3 lakh in victim's favour.

Accused Manoj Kumar held from Khajuri Khas on Sunday. The Directorate General of Vigilance (DGV) Customs referred the matter to the CBI after concluding that there is sufficient corroborative evidence to support the allegations. The DGoV also said Pal took undue financial favour from Sabahuddin, who was an offender of GST by getting flight tickets booked, hotel bookings and cab bookings through him.

Apex Court bench appoints Kalita as amicus curiae in case

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HIGHLIGHT

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NEW DELHI: Delhi Chief Minister Arvind Kejriwal over his refusal to appear before the High Court bench hearing the excise policy case, saying constantly questioning the judicial system reflected his mindset.

Kejriwal has written to Delhi High Court Justice Swarna Kanta Sharma, saying he will not appear in the excise case personally or through a lawyer before her while admitting that he has "serious and unreconciled" concerns regarding the matter. He said that, following in the footsteps

FAST FACTS

Will adopt Satyagrah, may appeal order: Kejriwal.

'Satyagraha' claim termed bid to mislead public: Gupta.

of Mahatma Gandhi, he would adopt Satyagrah and reserve the right to appeal against the order by Justice Swarna Kanta Sharma. Gupta assailing the AAP supreme, charged

that fleeing from the courts while claiming to undertake a 'Satyagrah' is an attempt to "mislead" the public.

'Kejriwal's conduct suggests he is acting as his own lawyer, witness and judge. If he alone decides everything, what role is left for the judicial system?' she asked. The chief minister said refusing to appear in court while publicly levelling allegations against a judge is not only inappropriate but also undermines the dignity of the judiciary.

She also took strong exception to Kejriwal 'comparing' himself with Mahatma Gandhi and 'deeply objectionable and shameful.' "Invoking names of such figures in this manner diminishes their legacy. If someone claims to be

innocent, they should prove it in court," she said. "Sitting outside and calling it satyagrah is nothing but a cheap gimmick," she said.

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Dinesh Trivedi appointed next envoy to B'desh

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He is expected to take up the assignment shortly, MEA said.

NEW DELHI: Former Union minister Dinesh Trivedi was appointed India's next High Commissioner to Bangladesh on Monday amid efforts by the two countries to repair frayed bilateral ties. He is expected to take up the assignment shortly, the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) said in a brief statement.

New Delhi's decision to send a seasoned politician to Dhaka comes at a time when both sides are looking to rebuild relations that came under severe strain during the tenure of Bangladesh's interim government headed by Muhammad Yunus.

A veteran politician from West Bengal, 75-year-old Trivedi held key portfolios as Railway Minister and Minister of State for Health during the UPA government. Trivedi holds an MBA degree from the University of Texas, Austin. He will succeed Pranay Verma, who has been appointed as New Delhi's next ambassador to Belgium and the European Union (EU).

NEWSLINE

MUMBAI 'Marathi must for commercial drivers in Maha'



Drivers of all commercial passenger vehicles in Maharashtra must have a working knowledge of Marathi, Maharashtra Transport Minister Pratap Sarnaik said on Monday, while warning of strict action against those who refuse to learn the language.

Sarnaik said demands of autorickshaw and taxi unions to give non-Marathi drivers a fixed time to learn the language were reasonable and are being considered, he said. The minister's comments have come amid appeals from various quarters to defer the government's plan to make Marathi compulsory for autorickshaw and taxi drivers from May 1.

Speaking at a meeting held at Mantralaya, the minister said the state government is firm on the language requirement, as drivers regularly interact with passengers and should be able to communicate in basic Marathi. Drivers of all commercial passenger vehicles in the state must have a working knowledge of Marathi, he said, without specifying the categories of vehicles.

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Shah visits Gangasagar

KOLKATA: After a hectic election campaign in West Bengal, Union Home Minister Amit Shah on Monday visited Gangasagar, located at the sacred confluence of Hooghly River and the Bay of Bengal, and offered prayers for the brave soldiers who made the supreme sacrifice for the nation. Every Indian is proud of the courage of our security forces who lay down their lives for the country despite unimaginable challenges," he said at Gangasagar in South 24 Parganas.

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