

CHANGE OF NAME
I, Siddhartha Sankar Ghosh, S/o. Harihar Ghosh, resident at Purashri Patra Para, P. O. - Chandannagar, District - Hooghly, Pin - 712136 do hereby solemnly affirm and declare an affidavit before the Ld 1st Class Judicial Magistrate at Hooghly Sadar vide Affidavit No. 20712 dated 01.09.2026 that in my service book my name has been erroneously recorded as Siddhartha Shankar Ghosh in lieu of Siddhartha Sankar Ghosh but both belong to same and one identical person i.e myself.

IN DANGER OF LOSING MAHARATNA STATUS

BHEL Bets on New Initiatives for Turnaround

Twesh Mishra

New Delhi: State-run Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd (BHEL) is targeting opportunities in coal gasification and coal-to-chemicals as part of efforts to bolster its financial health. While BHEL will commission fewer coal-fired power plants this fiscal year, it's

expected to make progress in hydro power, pumped-storage projects and renovation and modernisation of ageing hydro plants, said company executives. BHEL's latest initiatives followed a rap from the Centre after the company failed to meet the criteria for Maharatna companies, raising the possibility that it may be downgraded to Navratna status. According to an as-

essment in June, BHEL didn't meet the criteria of having an average annual profit after tax (PAT) of more than ₹5,000 crore during the last three years for its Maharatna status.

"BHEL has a record executable order book of around ₹2.60 lakh crore, with the core thermal business continuing to remain its principal revenue anchor," a company executive told ET.

Ready to Listen to Gen Z, Gen Alpha... You Must Put Nation First: FM

Press Trust of India

Chennai: Calling upon the "Gen Z" and "Gen Alpha" generations to assume leadership and shoulder responsibility, finance minister Nirmala Sitharaman on Tuesday urged young graduates to put the nation first and ask what they can contribute to the country rather than asking what the country has done for them.

Addressing the 36th convocation ceremony of Dr MGR Educational & Research Institute here, the minister said the country was ready to listen to the aspirations of the youth, but implored them to step forward with a deep sense of responsibility and civic duty.

"Whether you call yourselves Gen Z or Gen Alpha, we are all ready to listen to what you have to say. But you must reflect on what is happening around you, what your role is, and what can be achieved for the country through you," she said, invoking the famous ethos of asking what one can do for one's country.

Sitharaman exhorted the passing-out students to assume leadership in their respective spheres and never compromise on national interest. "Take up leadership. You must lead, and you must put the country first. Only if the country remains secure and strong will we have a home to live in. We should never give up our country," she said, pointing to ongoing global conflicts where citizens have been displaced from their homelands.

INDIA'S RESILIENCE

Highlighting India's economic resilience, she noted that despite unprecedented global uncertainties, including the ongoing Russia-Ukraine war and conflicts in West Asia affecting supplies of crude oil, gas, and fertilizers, India has maintained macroeconomic stability and clocked a 7.8% growth rate. The minister attributed this stability to strong leadership under Prime Minister Narendra Modi.



Stressing on the growing avenues for young professionals, she highlighted Tamil Nadu's emergence as an industrial and technological powerhouse. She pointed out that the Sriperumbudur-Oragadam corridor has become a premier global automotive manufacturing and smartphone export hub.

She also said the state hosts 350 global capability centres (GCCs), accounting for roughly 10% of the national total, with tier-II cities like Coimbatore housing 80 GCCs employing 12,000 professionals, alongside rapid cluster growth in Madurai and Tiruchirappalli.

Highlighting budgetary support for women's workforce participation, Sitharaman noted that the Union Budget made specific provisions to establish working women's hostels in every district to encourage women pursuing science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM) education. Quoting couplets from "Thirukkural" on the enduring wealth of education and the need for patience and measured action, she advised students to shun arrogance, maintain humility, and approach life's challenges without a sense of victimhood. Over 3,200 students received their degrees at the ceremony, which was also attended by the university's founder-chancellor A C Shanmugam and state BJP president Nainar Nagenthran.

Delhi HC Slams ITAT for 'Undue Haste' in Patanjali Tax Case

Court quashes seven orders of tribunal, flags procedural lapses in its handling of the matter

Indu Bhan

New Delhi: The Delhi High Court has criticised the Income Tax Appellate Tribunal (ITAT) for "undue haste" and "recklessness" in disposing of a tax matter related to Patanjali Ayurved, saying the negligence portrayed a "shocking picture" of the procedural lapses and opaqueness in which the tribunal was functioning.

Quashing all seven orders passed by the ITAT in a batch of cross-appals against the tribunal's 2025 order, which had rejected the department's petitions against the company over assessment orders for assessment years 2013-16 and 2017-18, a division bench comprising justices Dinesh Mehta and Rajneesh Kumar Gupta said such negligence could not be co-untenanced by appellate authorities sitting at the highest level of the appellate hierarchy and entrusted with fact-finding.

"These appeals portray a rather shocking picture of the procedural lapses and opaqueness in which the Income Tax Appellate Tribunal, the highest fact-finding body has been passing the orders in a zeal rather over-anxiety of disposing the cases," it said, adding that the members of the appellate tribunal had neither dealt with any contention of Patanjali Ayurved nor discussed the issues involved in the appeals regarding its assessment proceedings.

While deciding a batch of appeals filed by the department against Patanjali Ayurved, the bench noted that four appeals were shown as having been heard and pronounced on August 6, 2025, by the ITAT, while another three appeals were heard and pronounced on August 13, 2025. Yet, a common order was passed deciding all seven appeals.

Stating that the ITAT order comprised less than seven paragraphs, the judges further observed "we are not much concerned with the size of the order but what shocks us is the non-

application of mind and undue haste which learned members of the tribunal have exhibited... we are unable to comprehend anything out of it, as it is bereft of any logic, reasoning or rationale behind it".

"Apart from the procedural lacuna, we fail to understand that how a common order can be passed and released in relation to four appeals," it said, directing that a copy

of its order be sent to the president of the appellate tribunal and the secretary of the ministry of law and justice for information. The president of the appellate tribunal was also directed to ensure the appeals are heard by a bench other than the one that passed the impugned order; the judges said.

The case involved a search and seizure at M/s Hawala Traders Group that culminated in proceedings under Section 153C of the Income Tax Act. It was found that non-genuine bills for products were provided to Patanjali Ayurved.

Flipkart Plans to Hire 250,000 Workers to Meet Festive Blitz

About 30% of new openings to be for those entering the workforce for the first time

Our Bureau

New Delhi: Flipkart plans to hire more than 250,000 direct and in-

direct workers, including contract workers, to meet an expected spurt in business this festive season. This year's recruitment will mark an increase of 30,000 workers compared to the 2025 festive season, the online retailer said Tuesday. About 75,000 or about 30% of the new openings will be for people entering the workforce for the first time, the Walmart-owned company said in a statement.

Rival Amazon India is hiring up to 160,000 temporary workers this festive season, 10,000 more than last year, as reported earlier by ET. "Focus is on greater speed of delivery nationwide," a person privy to Flipkart's hiring plans told ET. "We have achieved two days delivery for Flipkart-fulfilled products."

As much as 60% of the new jobs will be for last-mile delivery, with women accounting for 20% of Flipkart's supply chain workforce. "With over 900 new festive delivery hubs and nearly 140,000 additional last-mile employment opportuniti-

es, Flipkart is expanding its delivery network to meet rising customer demand ahead of Big Billion Days," the company said.

"The nearly 75,000 people entering the workforce for the first time through Flipkart this festive season are one part of that larger ecosystem," said Rajneesh Kumar, chief corporate affairs officer at Flipkart Group. "As digital commerce grows across India, our responsibility is to ensure that this growth creates pathways into employment and entrepreneurship for more people, including communities that have historically had fewer opportunities to participate in the formal economy." The Flipkart Group includes group companies Flipkart, Myntra, Flipkart Wholesale, Cleartrip, and supermoney.

"The addition of over 900 festive delivery hubs and nearly 140,000 last-mile opportunities reflects the scale at which the network is growing, particularly as Flipkart Minutes expands and demand continues to deepen across Tier 2 and Tier 3 markets," said Hemant Badri, senior vice president, supply chain, customer experience and re-commerce at Flipkart Group.

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I, JAGADISH DUTTA, s/o Late Gangi Narayan Dutta, residing at 217/1, Jadav Ghosh Road, Sarsuna, Kolkata - 700061, declare that my daughter's old name SOURASHI DUTTA has been changed to RAGHAVI DUTTA. Henceforth, she shall be known as RAGHAVI DUTTA. Both names denote the same person, as declared before the Ld. 1st Class Judicial Magistrate, Alipore, vide affidavit dated 09.09.2026, No. 26AC201452.

I, Munmun Bandyopadhyay, wife of Md Sahabuddin, residing at 15 Dr. Sudhir Bose Road, Mezban Guest House, Flat No. 11, Kolkata - 700023, have changed my name from Munmun Bandyopadhyay to Shabnam Begum and shall henceforth be known as Shabnam Begum for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 24/03/1994.

I, Prabhati Biswas, wife of Bikash Biswas, residing at Nakul Narayan Pally (West Bengal 743252), do hereby declare that the Date of Birth of my child Biraj Biswas has been wrongly recorded as 13/08/2009 instead of 13/08/2008 in the Class 10th Admit Card / Registration Certificate issued by ICSE Board. The correct Date of Birth is 13/08/2008, as supported by the official Birth Certificate. I am publishing this notice for the purpose of correction in school records and board documents. Prabhati Biswas Contact: 9749889082

I Sajan Keshan s/o of Sri Narayan Keshan resident of A/5/1 Triveni Apartment, Jyanga Chowmatha, do declare that I have changed my Name from SAJAN KESHAN To SAJAN KUMAR KESHAN and henceforth I shall be known as SAJAN KUMAR KESHAN, vide affidavit No. 44AA 455077 sworn before the notary public at Banksall Court on 15/09/2026. Sajan kumar Keshan and Sajan Keshan are both same and one identical person.

I, SOMA CHANDA, W/O Arunabha Chanda and D/O Saurindra Nath Roy, residing at 2/35/1 Viveknagar, P.O. Santoshpur, Kolkata - 700075, do hereby declare that I am also known by my maiden name, SOMA RAY (also spelled as SOMA ROY), as per Affidavit No. 31023 sworn before the Judicial Magistrate 1st Class at Alipore on 07.09.2026. All three names—SOMA CHANDA, SOMA RAY and SOMA ROY—refer to one and the same person, myself.

I, Abdul Karim (Old Name) S/o Abdul Chobhan Molla, Residing at Khalidhar Andulia, Andulia, Haroa, District - North 24 Parganas, Pin - 743425, West Bengal, India, do hereby declare that I have Changed my name from Abdul Karim (Old Name) to Md Abdul Karim (New Name) and henceforth I shall be known as Md Abdul Karim (New Name) in all purpose, vide affidavit no.15, Sworn before the Notary public at Kolkata on Dated 31-08-2026. Md Abdul Karim (New Name) and Abdul Karim (Old Name) both are same and one identical person.

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