

4 European nations back India's bid for permanent UN seat, Jaishankar calls it 'historic'

New Delhi, Agency: Slovakia on Monday backed India's bid for a permanent seat on the United Nations Security Council, with foreign minister Juraj Blahar saying India, as a leading country of the Global South and an emerging power in the Indo-Pacific, should have a place at the UN's top decision-making body.

The remarks came after external affairs minister S Jaishankar participated in the first high-level Visegrad Group (V4) plus India meeting on the sidelines of the 81st UN General Assembly in New York.

"We all agree, as V4 countries, that India, as part of the Global South, an upcoming superpower in the Indo-Pacific region, must be at the table as a permanent member of the UN Security Council," Blahar said.

The V4 comprises Poland, Hungary, Slovakia and Czechia. The four countries held their first ministerial-level meeting with India in the new V4+India format during the UNGA high-level week.



Jaishankar described the meeting as a "new historic occasion" and said the discussions covered political, economic, defence, technology, space, connectivity and people-to-people ties.

"We had our first Visegrad Four and India meeting. It was, in a sense, a new historic occasion, and I would like to thank Minister Juraj (Foreign Minister of Slovakia) for convening us today. It was a very, very productive meeting. What we agreed was that since India's relationship with the European Union

itself is deepening, with the V4, we would take some special initiatives to create an annual business forum. As foreign ministers, we would meet annually. That was the consensus. We would also explore in technology and innovation whether we could be doing more.

We have a very strong history with all the V4 countries in defense. We want to refresh and take forward that record and that cooperation. We discussed space issues, connectivity, and people-to-people mobility. We have students in each of the V4 countries. Overall, in terms of our cooperation, as well as a very good and useful exchange on the big global crisis, the Ukraine conflict, and what's happening in the Gulf. I think it was a very worthwhile and productive meeting. I'm very pleased about it." Asked about the political importance of the V4 for India on the global stage, Jaishankar said New Delhi viewed the four countries as partners with strong industrial, technological and innovation capabilities.

"We have very good relations with the V4 countries, and we know that these are countries with a very strong, very distinctive capability. They are industrial economies, economies with great innovation and technology talent. And I think how the V4 come together is for them to decide. But we certainly welcome the opportunity to work."

India has been seeking reform of the UN Security Council and a permanent seat on the body. The Council currently has five permanent members, China, France, Russia, the UK and the US, alongside 10 non-permanent members elected for two-year terms. Jaishankar had formally launched India's campaign for a non-permanent UNSC term for 2028-29 in July, while New Delhi has continued to press for broader reform of the Council and permanent membership for India.

India, V4 agree on closer cooperation

Jaishankar said the meeting also resulted in an agreement to strengthen cooperation through annual foreign ministerial meetings and an annual business forum.

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POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property Under Rule 8(1))
 Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the State Bank of India under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated 07.07.2026 calling upon the Borrower Late Mr. Fateh Singh S/o Late Mr. Ram Chandra and Late Mrs. Krishna Kumari W/o Late Mr. Fateh Singh, Legal heirs:- (1) Mr. Bhupendra Singh S/o Late Mr. Fateh Singh, (2) Mr. Pawan Singh S/o Late Mr. Fateh Singh, (3) Mr. Itendra Singh S/o Late Mr. Fateh Singh to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being Rs. 32,03,216/- (Rupees Thirty Two Lac One Thousand Two Hundred Sixteen Only) as on 03.07.2026 plus with further interest and incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The Borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower/Guarantor and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on this 18th day of September of the year 2026. The Borrower/Guarantor in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the State Bank of India for an amount of Rs. 32,03,216/- (Rupees Thirty Two Lac One Thousand Two Hundred Sixteen Only) as on 03.07.2026 and costs, etc. thereon. The Borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the SARFAESI Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Description of the immovable property
 Property owned by: Late Mr. Fateh Singh S/o Late Mr. Ram Chandra.
 All that part and parcel of the property consisting of Plot No. B-103, Anand Vihar Railway Colony, Jagatpura, Jaipur. Admeasuring:- 216.66 Sq. Yards
 Bounded: On the North by: Plot No. B-102 On the South by: Plot No. B-104
 On the East by: Plot No. 94 On the West by: Road 40'0" wide
 Date: 18.09.2026 Place: Jaipur Authorised Officer (State Bank of India)

Grounds in writing a must during arrests even in UAPA: Supreme Court

New Delhi, Agency: Holding that fundamental rights guaranteed under the Constitution cannot be interpreted in a restrictive manner, Supreme Court on Monday held that a person's personal liberty cannot be invaded except in accordance with the procedure established by the Constitution, even if accused of a grave offence and anti-social activities, reports Amit Anand Choudhary.

Elucidating Article 22 of the Constitution, which offers protection against arrest and detention in certain cases, a bench of Justices Ujjal Bhuyan and Atul S Chandurkar said a person must be provided with the grounds of arrest by the probe agency at the time of arrest in writing and its language understandable to the accused. SC said this is applicable in all cases including under special laws - such as PMLA and UAPA - regardless of the nature and gravity of offence. Going a step further, the bench said that if a person's arrest is declared illegal for non-compliance with Article 22, then he or she cannot be re-arrested in the same case without approval from a senior police officer and nod from the court concerned.

"We need to remind ourselves that Constitution or a constitutional provision cannot be interpreted in a vacuum. Interpretation of Constitution cannot also be left to imponderables in the form of ifs and buts. Constitution is



based on certain basic principles, much above the statutory threshold. Therefore, violation of Constitution or a constitutional provision cannot be countenanced. It has to be dealt with strictly. It is not dependent on the nature or gravity of the offence, encompassing within its sweep all offences. It cannot be interpreted in a restrictive manner," the bench said. Referring to SC's verdict in the Prabhu Dayal Deorah case on preventive detention, the court said, "The gravity of the evil to the community resulting from anti-social activities can never furnish an adequate reason for invading the personal liberty of a citizen, except in accordance with the procedure established by Constitution and laws." The bench said that when a person is arrested, his right to liberty under Article 21 is curtailed and it is necessary that the person must understand on what grounds he has been arrested.

'We don't condone cheating': IIT Bombay students call for reforms after Sahil's death

New Delhi, Agency: Student representatives at IIT Bombay have issued an official statement following the death of student Sahil Wakode, saying they do not condone cheating or any form of academic misconduct, while calling for reforms to address systemic concerns within the institute.

"We do not stand for or condone cheating or any form of academic misconduct. At the same time, the loss of our fellow student, Sahil, is a deeply tragic event that has compelled us to reflect on the systems and processes within our Institute," the representatives said. They said the



protest launched by students was not intended to justify academic misconduct, but was a collective effort to raise concerns over issues that had existed within the institute for some time and seek "meaningful and strong institutional reforms" to prevent

similar circumstances in the future. The representatives also welcomed the open house held with the institute's Director and other members of the administration on Sunday, saying it gave students an opportunity to directly raise their concerns and questions.

Lt Gen Mohit Seth to be new GOC of White Knight Corps

Jammu, Agency: Lieutenant General Mohit Seth will take over as the new General Officer Commanding (GOC) of the Army's Nagrota-based White Knight Corps (16 Corps)



on Oct 1. He will replace Lt Gen P K Mishra, who will move to a new posting, officials said. In his distinguished military career spanning over three decades, the Army HQ.

No median cuts, surface intersections on future high-speed NH corridors: NHAI

New Delhi, Agency: New access-controlled high-speed national highway corridors will have no median (divider) openings and no at-grade (surface level) intersections, a move that aims at eliminating conflict points and reducing crashes.

It has also been mandated under new NHAI guidelines issued on Monday that these corridors won't have raised concrete



dividers but flush medians - painted centre lanes with thick wire ropes or crash barriers. These will also have advance

exit signage at 5 km, 2 km, 1 km and 500 metres to help motorists prepare for lane changes well in advance.

The design provisions are aimed at improving safety on access-controlled corridors where cars are allowed to travel at speeds of up to 100 kmph. Delhi-Dehradun Expressway, Ambala-Kotputli corridor and Trans-Haryana corridor are among such highways. NHAI said the

guidelines seek to bring uniformity in the planning and design of access-controlled high-speed corridors and ensure consistency in technical standards across projects.

"The guidelines will apply to all upcoming four-lane and six-lane greenfield and brownfield access-controlled high-speed national highways," an NHAI spokesperson said.

Hospitals told to report serious medical device events within 15 days

New Delhi, Agency: A faulty insulin pump that delivers too much insulin, an infusion pump that gives medicines too quickly, a pulse oximeter showing incorrect oxygen levels or a defibrillator failing during a cardiac emergency will now come



under a more systematic hospital safety-monitoring system. The Indian Pharmacopoeia Commission (IPC) has issued a new guidance document asking hospitals to strengthen monitoring and reporting of adverse events linked to medical

devices. Serious adverse events have to be reported to the Materiovigilance Programme of India (MvPI) within 15 days, while non-serious adverse events and certain potentially harmful near-miss incidents have to be reported within 30 days.

Patients too have a direct role. Those who notice that a medical device is not functioning properly or experience an adverse event can inform the treating hospital or healthcare professional and directly report suspected device-related events to IPC.

Govt staff outside CGHS areas can now opt for scheme

New Delhi, Agency: Central government employees living or posted outside the CGHS-covered area can now make a one-time choice to join the Central Government Health Scheme (CGHS), even if there is no CGHS Wellness Centre in their city. The Union health ministry has removed the geographical restriction that earlier prevented eligible employees outside the prescribed CGHS area from opting for the scheme. The move will benefit employees residing or posted outside the prescribed coverage area. Earlier, an employee's eligibility for CGHS depended on where they lived or were posted. Where a 5-km limit was prescribed, coverage was linked to the area around a CGHS Wellness Centre. Employees outside the prescribed area could not opt for CGHS.

Under the new rule, an eligible employee residing or posted outside the CGHS-covered area can opt for the scheme by paying the prescribed CGHS contribution and meeting the other eligibility conditions. However, the choice is a one-time decision and will be final and binding. It will also apply to all eligible dependents of the employee. Employees opting for CGHS cannot simultaneously claim medical benefits under the Central Services (Medical Attendance) Rules, 1944.

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APPENDIX-IV [See rule-8(1)] POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable property)
 Whereas, The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the State Bank of India under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated 08.06.2026 calling upon the Borrower 1. M/s Nirmla Automobiles, Prop. & Borrower- Smt. Nirmla W/o Sh. Uday Raj Singh, Add:- (1) National Highway 25 Bagar, Tehsil Pachpadra, Old Distt- Barmer (344001), New Distt- Balotra (344022), (2) Bagariga Ka Bass, Sindhari, Old Tehsil & Distt- Barmer (344001), New Distt- Balotra (344022) to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being Rs. 41,12,093.00 (Rupees Forty One Lakh Twelve Thousand Ninety Three Rupees Only) as on 08.06.2026, plus interest & other expenses from 09.06.2026. Within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The Borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrower/Guarantor and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on this 17.09.2026. The Borrower/Guarantor in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the State Bank of India for an amount of Rs. 41,12,093.00 (Rupees Forty One Lakh Twelve Thousand Ninety Three Rupees Only) as on 08.06.2026 and costs, etc. thereon. The Borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the SARFAESI Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

Description of Immovable property
 Equitable Mortgage of Residential land and building situated at Patla No. 113 Date: 19.03.2008, Misl No. 261, Khasra No. 57, Book No. 261, Sankalp No. 04, Date: 05.06.2008, Bagariga Ka Bass, Sindhari, Old Tehsil & Distt- Barmer (344001), New Distt- Balotra (344022), in the name of Smt. Nirmla W/o Sh. Uday Raj Singh. Admeasuring:- 16560.21 Sq. Yards. Boundaries:- East: Smt. Leela Om Prakash S. Road. West: Sh. Dhan Raj & Uma Ram Vagari. North: Rasta South: Punama Ram Vagari. Date: 17.09.2026 Place: SINDHARI Authorised Officer (State Bank of India)

ART HOUSING FINANCE (INDIA) LIMITED
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PUBLIC NOTICE FOR E-AUCTION FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
 E-Auction Sale of immovable property mortgaged under Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest (SARFAESI) Act, 2002 ("the Act") read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest Act, 2002. Notice is hereby given to the public in general and to the Borrower/Mortgagors/Guarantors in particular that the Authorized Officer of ART Housing Finance (India) Limited has taken possession of the following property(ies) mentioned pursuant to demand raised under Sec 13(2) of the Act in the loan account no. LNKOT03517-180001859 with right to sell on "AS IS WHERE IS", "AS IS WHAT IS", "WHAT EVER THERE IS" for realization of Company's dues plus interest as detailed hereunder and whereas consequent upon failure to repay the dues, the undersigned in exercise of power conferred under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules purports to realize the Company's dues by the sale of the said property(ies). The sale of the below mentioned property(ies) shall be conducted by way of E-auctions through web portal: <https://www.bankauctions.com>

Name of the Account Holders	Details of Immovable property	Amount as on Date & Demand Notice Date	Reserve Price EMD Bid increase Amount	Date and Time of E-auction	Last Date of Bid Submission
a) GIRISH TEKWANI (Borrower)	PROPERTY BEING SITUATED AT SHOP NO. 22, AT I - C - 1 LANDMARK CITY KUNHARI, KOTA RAJASTHAN - 324008 (ADMEASURING AREA 11.11. SQ. YRDS)	Rs.10,19,010/- as on 08.12.2022.	Rs. 5,00,000 Rs. 50,000 Rs.10,000	09.10.2026 From 11:00 AM to 02:00 PM	08.10.2026 up to 05:00 PM
b) VARSHA KUMARI (Co-Borrower)					

Name and Contact details of Authorized Officer - Mr. Satnarayan Parkash,
Mobile No. 9466460995, Email Id: satnarayan.parkash@artfhc.com

TERMS & CONDITIONS: 1. The interested bidders shall submit their EMD through Web Portal: <https://www.bankauctions.com> (the user ID & Password can be obtained free of cost by registering name with <https://www.bankauctions.com> through Login ID & Password. The EMD shall be payable through NEFT/RTGS in the following account: 5020046383517, IFSC Code: HDFC0009273, latest by 05:00 pm on or before date mentioned in the table above. Please note Cheques shall not be accepted as EMD amount. 2. Company shall however not be responsible for any encumbrances/ax arrears, if any. The intending bidders should make their own independent inquiries regarding the encumbrances, title of property(ies) & to inspect & satisfy themselves. Property can be inspected strictly as per the date & time given by Authorized Officer. 3. The intended bidders who have deposited the EMD and require assistance in creating login ID & password, upload data, submitting bid, training on e-bidding process etc., may contact our service provider M/s C1 India Private Limited Helpline Numbers - 124302020/21/2223, 7291981124/1125/1126, Mr. Manu Balaji Govindarajan Email: delhi@ciindia.com, Contact No: +91 7977107080 and for any property related query may contact Authorized Officer as mentioned above in the office hours during working days (10 AM to 5 PM). 4. The highest bid shall be subject to approval of the Authorized Officer. Authorized Officer reserves the right to accept/reject any or all offers/bids so received without assigning any reason whatsoever. His decision shall be final & binding. 5. For detailed term and condition refer <https://www.bankauctions.com>

STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002
 Note: Borrowers/Guarantors/Mortgagors may redeem under Section 13(b) of the SARFAESI Act by paying full dues before the auction date. Failing this, the sale will proceed. Date : 22.09.2026 Place : Kota (Rajasthan) Authorised Officer For ART Housing Finance (India) Limited