

# 'Even God will not forgive us': Gujarat HC judges on cow deaths



**AHMEDABAD:** The Gujarat high court on Tuesday expressed shock when the judges were shown photographs of carcasses of cows dumped in a ground at Nadiad town, and the court said, "If this is happening, even god will not forgive us."

As the bench of Justice A J Shastri and Justice H M Prachhah began hearing the contempt of court plain which the HC has been issuing directions for strict implementation of the policy to curb stray cattle menace, applicant's advocate Amit Panchal tendered an affidavit filed by Nadiad resident, Maulik Shrimali.

News reports about the

sudden death of more than 30 cows and pictures of their dumped carcasses were placed on court's record. Upon seeing the photographs, the judges said, "This is very disturbing, very shocking. We feel that under the guise of regulating and implementing the policy these innocent animals cannot be sacrificed. For the comforts of human life, we cannot allow this to happen." When advocate general Kamal Trivedi said that this act of animal brutality may be committed by miscreants, Justice Shastri further said, "If this happens, even god will not save us, will not forgive us. These innocent animals cannot be done away

with like this."

The court sought immediate redressal of the issue and directed the Kheda district collector to inquire into the issue and report to the court on Wednesday, when it will further hear the issue. The court also doubted that the killing of animals could be "a part of some design".

The court also sought a report from the state government about the capacity of cattle pounds, the kind of medical treatment and nourishment being provided to the animals in these pounds.

While the court ordered for prompt action to stop the killing of cows, it insisted that the authorities should continue implementation of policy to curb stray cattle menace on roads. "But at the same time this situation may also be taken care of", the court reiterated. Meanwhile, the state government, city police traffic department and the Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation (AMC) submitted affidavits, but the court rejected AMC's affidavit, for it was not by the municipal commissioner.

# Swindler extracts 1.45L for 'police action on husband'

**Ahmedabad:** Vejalpur police on Friday registered a case of cheating and breach of trust against a resident of the Vishala Crossroads area, for cheating a 30-year-old woman out of Rs 1.45 lakh.

The complainant, a resident of Sarkhej Road, stated that because of harassment during her marriage, she had wanted to take legal action against her husband and in-laws.

She thus contacted the accused, who has an office near Vishala Crossroads.

The complainant said the accused told her that apart from filing a case in court, she would also need to register a complaint at the Women's police station in Vastrapur. The accused told her that he was close to a certain police inspector and could induce the police to take action.

He demanded Rs 1.45 lakh to get this done. The woman said she paid the accused Rs 87,000 in cash immediately and an application was sent to the Women's police station. She said she received a call

a few days later, ostensibly from a person in the Women's police station. In April, she was told that police were going to arrest her husband and her brother-in-law but she would need to pay Rs 30,000 to get this done. The complainant made the payment from her sister's mobile phone. She was later told that her husband had been arrested and more money would be needed to keep him behind bars. She paid the accused another Rs 28,000, again via an online payment.

# Vejalpur man hangs self, family seeks action against bank

**Ahmedabad:** A 37-year-old man from the Vejalpur area of the city allegedly committed suicide by hanging himself from a ceiling fan at his house on Monday. The family members of the victim, Sandip Parmar, alleged that Parmar committed suicide as he was reeling under financial crisis after being cheated by a cooperative bank. They protested against the office-bearers of Colour Merchants Co-operative Bank Ltd and refused to take possession of the body, seeking legal action against them. An advocate,

Dushyant Rathod, representing Parmar's family, said that Parmar had sought a loan of Rs 8 lakh against which he was given nearly Rs 5 lakh and rest of the amount was taken by an agent of the bank. Rathod alleged that the office-bearers of the bank later took another Rs 8 lakh loan in Parmar's name after which he had to struggle to pay the EMIs. As Parmar had mortgaged his house against the loan, he was also struggling to get his house back. Parmar, a street vendor of two-wheeler seat covers

and a father of three children, represented his issue before the Economic Offence Wing (EOW) of the city crime branch in August. But police did not register an FIR on his complaint, said Rathod.

The office-bearers of the Colour Merchants Co-operative Bank have been facing four complaints of cheating and forgery registered by the city police.

Ghatlodia police of the city had in August registered one complaint whereas three complaints were registered and investigated by the EOW

. On June 15, four persons identified as Jayshree Panchal, her husband Shailesh Panchal, Hardik Patel and Manoj Vaishnav attempted suicide by ingesting phenyl in a courtroom of the Gujarat high court in protest against the court's order granting anticipatory bail to the general manager of the bank named Kinnar Shah. We also published the following articles recently Haryana Police registers case 5.5 years after youth's suicide, family alleges delay and inaction Haryana police finally registered a case

in Safidon town of Jind district, five and a half years after the suicide of Montu Sharma. The youth's family had approached the Sadar police station immediately after the incident, providing a suicide note alleging harassment. However, the police did not register an FIR at that time. After a delay of five and a half years, the police sent the letter for investigation to an FSL lab in Madhuban town of Karnal district, where the writing was finally matched. Police lodged a case against the accused and initiated a probe.

# Court rejects ACB closure report in EWS housing scam

**Ahmedabad:** A special anti-corruption court on Saturday rejected the anti-corruption bureau's (ACB) request to close a criminal case against four Ahmedabad Municipal Corporation (AMC) employees for an alleged scam in a housing scheme for economically weaker sections (EWS) at Lakhudi Talav in Naranpura. Upon the Gujarat high court's directions, an FIR was lodged in 2018 over alleged irregularities in the allotment of houses, certain beneficiaries being deprived and wrongfully claimed transferable development rights (TDR) worth Rs 132 crore by the construction company B Safal Group.

Rejecting the police's C summary filed more than three years after the case was filed, special ACB judge V B Rajput directed the agency to probe further into the allegations of breach of trust, forgery, criminal conspiracy and corruption with the observation that these allegations were also supported by a vigilance inquiry. The court also ordered police to probe further the irregularities in allotment of houses to people displaced from Lakhudi Talav, and investigate the Rs 132 crore TDR claimed. The court

ordered police to probe how the houses were allotted to persons other than those on the list of beneficiaries, and how corruption took place. The court also ordered further investigation into the allotment of several houses to the members of one family.

The FIR was registered by a social worker, Janaksinh Parmar, with Naranpura police, when 25 families complained that they were not given houses after being evicted. After various complaints, a vigilance inquiry and CAG report in 2016 revealed irregularities in this slum redevelopment scheme.

The developer built 568 houses and shops and was supposed to allot the houses to 350 families. Of these, 148 units were allotted through a draw. It was alleged that flats were given to those who were not residents of the slum that had existed at the site. As many as 157 flats were found to be rented and more than 100 flats were locked. On Parmar's complaint, police first submitted a closure report in May 2016. A month later, AMC's vigilance department and then the CAG highlighted irregularities in the allotment of houses and TDR. Parmar approached the HC, which ordered the registration of an FIR in March 2018.

# 'Improving quality of life of poor is Modi govt's biggest feat'

**Gandhinagar/Ahmedabad:** Union home minister and Gandhinagar Lok Sabha MP Amit Shah on Saturday said that improving quality of life of 60 crore poor people in the country has been the biggest achievement of the Narendra Modi government. He was speaking in Sanand as part of 'Viksit Bharat Sankalp Yatra'.

Shah urged everyone to take a pledge to make India a developed country, and strive to realize the dream of those who sacrificed their lives for the country's freedom.

Focus on moving up services value chain rather than manufacturing to propel India into 'Amrit Kaal': Former RBI governor Raghuram Rajan

"PM Narendra Modi worked to secure India by carrying out surgical strikes on Pakistan, realized the incomplete dream of abrogation of Article 370, undertook the work of constructing Lord Ram temple in Ayodhya, took India to the Moon through Chandrayaan mission, improved economic parameters to their best since independence, and led to the highest industrial development since independence," Shah said. "Several times, journalists ask me as to which of Narendra Modi's achievements will get my



highest marks. I say this without any controversy, confusion or dilemma that if I have to give the highest marks, then it will be Modi's work to improve the quality of life of 60 crore poor," he said.

The home minister participated in the SP University convocation in Anand before coming to Ahmedabad and participated in the centenary year celebration of Maharashtra Samaj and an endourology conference. At the Maharashtra Samaj event, Shah said that it's often mentioned that his wife Sonal is from Kolhapur. "But I am also born in Maharashtra in Mumbai. It is PM Narendra Modi's dream to make 'Ek

Bharat, Shreshth Bharat' where all communities retain their cuisines and culture and still assimilate in the society and work for the progress of the nation. He recently introduced the idea, but the Maharashtrian community in the city is propagating the same for a century," he said.

At the endourology conference, Shah thanked the medical and paramedical professionals for their services during the Covid pandemic. He said that it was a difficult period with high oxygen requirement, high hospital beds requirement and still India persisted with effort of all the Indians led by PM Modi.

# Conmen dupe tarpaulin trader of 6 lakh with fake gold coins

**Rajkot:** Three conmen allegedly dupe a 30-year-old tarpaulin trader from Rajkot of Rs 6 lakh with the lure of gold coins that the latter had found while digging near a house in Morbi town. The accused offered to sell the gold coins weighing about 2 kilograms to Tahir Hatyari who has a shop in Parabazar area of the city. Hatyari lodged a cheating and forgery complaint against three unknown persons with the A Division police station on Saturday night. According to case details, Hatyari has been running a tarpaulin business from his Parabazar shop for the last seven years with his brother Hussain. Indra Kumar's daughter Shweta ties the knot with composer Darshan Rathod: Madhuri Dixit, Anil Kapoor, Anu Malik among other celebs attend the

wedding In the first week of November, one of the accused came to his shop wanting to buy a tarpaulin. During the interaction, the accused told Hatyari that he had found a bag with old gold coins during digging work in Morbi town. Accused sought Hatyari's help in selling those coins.

Hatyari told him to leave a sample of the coin for testing. The accused went away and returned after a week and gave Hatyari a coin weighing 1.4 grams. The accused informed Hatyari that the bag he found in Morbi weighed about 3kg. He told Hatyari to give him cash in exchange for the gold coins, to which he agreed.

Accused accompanied by two others came to Hatyari's shop with the gold coins on Saturday. Before they

returned with the coins, Hatyari had searched the internet and learnt about nitric acid tests to know the genuineness of gold. On Saturday, Hatyari put six coins in nitric acid and found them to be genuine.

When he asked for more coins for the test, the accused picked up the coin bag and barged out of the shop telling Hatyari that if he did not trust him, he would not sell the coins to him.

There was exchange of words between for a few minutes and finally Hatyari gave them Rs 6 lakh.

Accused trio left with the cash, but as Hatyari put the remaining coins in nitric acid, reaction indicating that the coins were fake followed. Following this Hatyari lodged a police complaint.

## Man sues 'weekend wife', seeks restitution of his conjugal rights



**AHMEDABAD:** A working woman has approached the Gujarat high court, questioning whether visiting her husband two weekends a month fulfills her conjugal obligations. This comes after her husband filed a suit in a Surat family court last year, invoking section 9 of the Hindu Marriage Act, seeking restitution of conjugal rights and directing her to live with him daily.

The husband claimed his wife continued residing with her parents after the birth of their son under the pretext of work, neglecting her conjugal responsibilities by visiting him only during the second and fourth weekends. This allegedly has impacted their child's health.

In response, the wife filed an objection in the family court, stating that she visits her matrimonial home twice a month, challenging the husband's assertion of abandonment. The family court rejected her objection on September 25 this year, citing the need for a full-fledged trial to decide the matter.

The woman then approached the HC, arguing that section 9 allows direction to fulfill conjugal obligations if a person has withdrawn from the "spouse's society". Given her regular visits every second weekend, the wife contends she has not withdrawn.

Justice VD Nanavati, who was hearing the case, asked: "What is wrong if the husband asks his wife to come and stay with him? Does he not have the right to sue?" The judge issued notice to the husband, seeking his reply by January 25.

## Entertainment hub shifts to eastern bank

**Ahmedabad:** Here's some exciting news for those living in east Ahmedabad. The highly anticipated 'Destination Entertainment Hub' on the Sabarmati Riverfront will be coming up on the eastern, not the western, side of the river. The civic body has already identified a plot spanning 45,600 sq m for this purpose.

The hub promises a variety of attractions, including outdoor and indoor roller coasters, IMAX experiences, simulator rides, adventure zones, virtual reality (VR) games, a kids' zone, arcade video games, a snow park, soft play areas, amusement rides, a trampoline park, a fountain show, and more.

Why the east side? According to a senior Sabarmati Riverfront Development Corporation Limited (SRFDCL) official, it's because of lower land costs, availability of ample space, and the lack of big projects around. The officials said the hub will not only be a blast for locals and tourists but also boost the economy in the east part of the city. In the Request for Proposal (RFP) sought from private companies, the civic body has also included the work of erecting and operating a giant Ferris wheel — like the London Eye — up.

**WESTERN RAILWAY - VADODARA DIVISION**

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