

# SC: All stray dogs in Delhi-NCR to be relocated to shelters

Bench warns any obstruction in picking up the canines would amount to contempt of court



The order came during a suo motu hearing on the incidents of stray dog bites, which have led to an increase in rabies cases in Delhi-NCR  
IMAGE: SHUTTERSTOCK

AASHISH ARYAN  
New Delhi, 11 August

The Supreme Court on Monday ordered the rounding up and relocation of all stray dogs from Delhi, Noida, Ghaziabad, and Gurugram to designated dog shelters. A two-judge Bench of Justices J B Pardiwala and R Mahadevan also said the authorities should ensure that the canines did not return to the streets.

Terming the situation "extremely grim", the Bench also warned that any individual or organisation that tried to obstruct the picking up of these stray dogs would be held in contempt of court. "If any individual or any organisation comes in the way of such force picking up stray dogs and rounding them up, and if it is reported to us, we shall proceed to take strict action against any such resistance which may be offered," the Bench said.

The apex court order came during a suo motu hearing on the incidents of stray dog bites, which have led to an increase in rabies cases in the Delhi-National Capital Region (NCR). The case will be heard next after six weeks. During the hearing on Monday, the SC also questioned the logic of returning the dogs to their locality after they were sterilised.

"We have noticed one very absurd and unreasonable rule: If you pick up a stray dog from one part, you sterilise the dog and put him at the same place, that's absolutely absurd and doesn't make any sense at all. Why should that stray dog come back to the locality, and for what?" Justice Pardiwala remarked. The civic bodies in Delhi and the NCR region should have

sufficient staff and other required personnel to immunise and look after the stray dogs rounded up, the court said, adding that these shelters should also have closed-circuit cameras so that no dog is released or later taken out. Over the next eight weeks, authorities should start by creating shelters for roughly 5,000 dogs, the apex court said, adding that the directions were being passed in the "larger public interest". "Infants and young children should not, at any cost, fall prey to such dog bites leading to rabies. The action should inspire confidence in the minds of people, young and old, that they can move around freely on roads without any fear of being bitten by a stray dog," the SC said.

Dog bite cases across the country have seen a nearly 70 per cent jump between 2022 and 2024. In 2024, a total of 3.7 million dog bites, with 54 suspected cases of human death due to rabies, were reported, according to the Integrated Disease Surveillance Programme (ISDP) of the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare's data.

Animal rights activist and former Union minister Maneka Gandhi on Monday strongly criticised the order, calling the directive "impractical", "financially unviable" and "potentially harmful" to the region's ecological balance.

In a similar case last month, the Bombay High Court directed the Brihanmumbai Municipal Corporation (BMC) to ensure that people did not feed pigeons at the 51 *kabutar khanas* (pigeon-feeding spots) across the city. The Bombay HC had upheld the BMC's prohibition on feeding pigeons, citing health risks posed due to bird droppings. The move had drawn protests from some residents.

## Tesla drives into Delhi's Aerocity with 2nd experience centre in India



A Tesla Model Y at the firm's second experience centre in India at Aerocity PHOTO: X/TESLA\_INDIA

Tesla on Monday inaugurated the experience centre in Delhi at Worldmark 3, Aerocity. The outlet has been unveiled less than a month after Tesla's India debut in Mumbai. The Aerocity showroom also features four superchargers and three destination chargers with upcoming stations planned in Gurugram, Noida and Saket, according to Isabel Fan, Tesla's Director for Southeast Asia. Tesla is also eyeing Bengaluru as part of its next phase of charging network expansion. BS REPORTER

TECHDIGEST mybs.in/tech

### Lava launches Blaze Amoled 2

Lava has launched the Blaze Amoled 2 smartphone. Powered by the MediaTek Dimensity 7060 chip, it sports a 6.67-inch Full HD+ Amoled display and packs a 5000mAh battery. Priced at ₹13,499, the Blaze Amoled 2 will go on sale from August 16 via Amazon.



### Microsoft introduces Copilot 3D

Microsoft has announced an AI-based tool that can convert 2D images into realistic 3D models. Named Copilot 3D, the feature is currently available in Copilot Labs as an experimental offering. It can be accessed through the web on both desktop and mobile devices.



### WhatsApp evaluates IG profile integration

WhatsApp may soon enable Android and iOS users to verify their connected Instagram profile to help reduce impersonation, confusion, and scams. As reported by WABetaInfo, the feature is present in the latest beta release of the app across both platforms.

## Trump's tariffs spark calls to boycott US goods

ADITYA KALRA  
New Delhi, 11 August

From McDonald's and Coca-Cola to Amazon and Apple, US-based multinationals are facing calls for a boycott in India as business executives and Prime Minister Narendra Modi's supporters stoke anti-American sentiment to protest against US tariffs.

India, the world's most populous nation, is a key market for American brands that have rapidly expanded to target a growing base of affluent consumers, many of whom remain infatuated with international labels seen as symbols of moving up in life.

India, for example, is the biggest market by users for Meta's WhatsApp and Domino's has more restaurants than any other brand in the country. Beverages like Pepsi and Coca-Cola often dominate store shelves, and people still queue up when a new Apple store opens or a Starbucks cafe doles out discounts.

Although there was no immediate indication of sales being hit, there's a

growing chorus both on social media and offline to buy local and ditch American products after US President Donald Trump imposed a 50 per cent tariff on goods from India, rattling exporters and damaging ties between New Delhi and Washington.

Manish Chowdhary, co-founder of India's Wow Skin Science, took to LinkedIn with a video message urging support for farmers and startups to make "Made in India" a "global obsession," and to learn from South Korea whose food and beauty products are famous worldwide.

"We have lined up for products from thousands of miles away. We have proudly spent on brands that we don't own, while our own makers fight for attention in their own country," he said.

Rahm Shastry, CEO of India's DriveU, which provides a car driver on

call service, wrote on LinkedIn: "India should have its own home-grown Twitter/Google/YouTube/WhatsApp/F B — like China has."

Indian retail companies give foreign brands like Starbucks stiff competition in the domestic market, but going global has been a challenge.

Indian IT services firms, however, have become deeply entrenched in the global economy, with the likes of TCS and Infosys providing software solutions to clients world over.

On Sunday, Modi made a "special appeal" for becoming self-reliant, telling a gathering in Bengaluru that Indian technology companies made products for the world but "now is the time for us to give more priority to India's needs." He did not name any company.

Even as anti-American protests simmer, Tesla launched its second

showroom in India in New Delhi, with Monday's opening attended by Indian commerce ministry officials and US embassy officials.

The Swadeshi Jagran Manch group, which is linked to Modi's Bharatiya Janata Party, took out small public rallies across India on Sunday, urging people to boycott American brands.

"People are now looking at Indian products. It will take some time to fructify," Ashwani Mahajan, the group's co-convenor, told Reuters. "This is a call for nationalism, patriotism."

On social media, one of the group's campaigns is a graphic titled "Boycott foreign food chains", with logos of McDonald's and many other restaurant brands.

In Uttar Pradesh, Rajat Gupta, 37, who was dining at a McDonald's in Lucknow on Monday, said he wasn't concerned about the tariff protests and simply enjoyed the 49-rupee (\$0.55) coffee he considered good value for money. "Tariffs are a matter of diplomacy and my McPuff, coffee should not be dragged into it," he said. REUTERS



### GARMENT MANTRA LIFESTYLE LIMITED

CIN: L18101TZ2011PLC017586

No.15, Murthys Plaza, Kariagounder Street, Khaderpet, Tirupur-641601.

E-Mail: companysecretary@junctionfabrics.in Tel No: +91-0421 2231896, +91-0421 2357140

#### STATEMENT OF UNAUDITED STANDALONE AND CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30 TH JUNE, 2025

The Board of Directors of the Company, at its meeting held on August 11, 2025, approved the unaudited financial results (Standalone and Consolidated) of the company for the quarter ended June 30, 2025. The financial results (Standalone and Consolidated) along with Limited review report, has been available on the Stock exchange website(www.bseindia.com) and on company's website (www.garmentmantra.com).

The same can be accessed by scanning the QR code provided below:



On behalf of Board of Directors  
For Garment Mantra Lifestyle Limited  
-Sd-

Prem Aggarwal  
Managing Director  
DIN No: 02050297

Place: Tirupur  
Date: 11.08.2025

Note: The above intimation is in accordance with Regulation 33 read with Regulation 47(1) of the SEBI(Listing Obligation and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015

### ABAN OFFSHORE LIMITED

Regd. Office – Janpriya Crest, 113 Pantheon Road, Egmore, Chennai - 600 008. INDIA

CIN: L01119TN1986PLC013473 Tel No.044-49060606 Fax:044-28195527, Email: abanoffshore@aban.com website: www.abanoffshore.com

#### STATEMENT OF UNAUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30.06.2025

The Board of Directors of the Company, at its meeting held on August 11, 2025 approved the Unaudited Financial Results of the Company, for the quarter ended 30th June 2025.

The Results, along with Limited Review Report have been posted on the Company's website at [www.abanoffshore.com](http://www.abanoffshore.com).

The same can be accessed by scanning the QR Code provided below:



Place: Chennai  
Date: 11th August 2025

For and on behalf of the Board  
Reji Abraham  
Managing Director



Announcing the opening of 10th property in the Sinclair's chain

## SINCLAIR'S PALACE RETREAT UDAIPUR

Ideal for Weddings, Social Functions and Large Conferences



For bookings, please contact: 9830452752 \* e-mail: somnath@sinclairshotels.com

#### STATEMENT OF UNAUDITED FINANCIAL RESULTS FOR THE QUARTER ENDED 30TH JUNE 2025

(₹ in lakh)

Particulars	Quarter Ending 30.06.2025	Quarter Ending 30.06.2024	Year Ended 31.03.2025
	Unaudited	Unaudited	Audited
Total Income	1,948.80	1,943.15	5,961.36
Net Profit for the period before Tax	784.38	904.08	1,781.46
Net Profit for the period after Tax	618.48	684.81	1,399.68
Total Comprehensive Income for the period	616.28	684.41	1,390.88
Paid-up Equity Share Capital (Face value ₹ 2)	1,025.20	1,025.20	1,025.20
Other Equity (excluding Revaluation Reserve) in the audited balance sheet as at 31st March 2025			10,234.72
Earnings per share (of ₹ 2/- each) (not annualised for quarters)			
- Basic and diluted earning per share (₹)*	1.21	1.34	2.73

#### Notes:

a) The above is an extract of the detailed format of unaudited financial results for the quarter ended 30th June 2025, filed with CSE, BSE and NSE, under Regulation 33 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015. The full format of the financial results are available on the website of the respective stock exchanges and on Company's Investor Information website ([www.sinclairshotels.com](http://www.sinclairshotels.com))

b) The Company does not have any exceptional items to report in above periods.



By order of the Board  
Navin Suchanti  
Chairman  
DIN: 00273663

Place: Kolkata  
Date: 8th August 2025

#### Sinclair's Hotels Limited

CIN: L55101WB1971PLC028152

Registered Office: 147, Block G, New Alipore, Kolkata 700 053  
t: 9007540731, e: cs@sinclairshotels.com, www.sinclairshotels.com

BURDWAN | DARJEELING | DOOARS | GANGTOK | KALIMPONG | OOTY | PORT BLAIR | SILIGURI | UDAIPUR