

SC: Pay ₹50 lakh each to ones whose houses are to be razed

ENCROACHMENTS IN ARAVALLIS Disburse money by Dec 10, govt told

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NEW DELHI, NOVEMBER 28

The Supreme Court on Wednesday told the Haryana Government to disburse ₹50 lakh to each person whose construction in Kant Enclave, Faridabad, in the Aravalli hills was ordered to be demolished by it for violation of environmental norms and court orders.

A Bench headed by Justice Madan B Lokur — which had on September 11 ordered the Haryana Government to demolish illegal construction that had come up in Kant Enclave after August 18, 1992 and ordered compensation for adversely affected persons — said the amount should be disbursed by December 10.

cate General Anil Grover pointed out that the court had originally ordered that the burden of ₹50 lakh compensation amount had to be equally shared by the state government and the builder and that the state couldn't be asked to pay the entire amount.

Haryana Chief Secretary DS Dhosi — who was summoned by the court — appeared before the Bench. According to the Haryana Government, there were 1,617 plots in Kant Enclave and constructions were there only on 33 plots.

Directing the Haryana Government to disburse the amount by December 10, the Bench said it would determine the amount to be paid by the builder on December 11, the next date of hearing. In its September 11 order,

the top court had directed Haryana Chief Secretary to ensure compliance of its orders "in letter and spirit" by December 31.

On Wednesday, those adversely affected by the demolition order sought time till April 2019 to vacate the land.

Their counsel told the Bench that ₹50 lakh is insufficient as they couldn't even buy two-bedroom flats with ₹50 lakh. They said they were all retired people who didn't have money to even pay rent.

In its original order, the top court had directed the builder — R Kant & Co — to give full refund along with 18 per cent annual interest to hundreds of persons who invested in land from the date of investment.

Applying "The polluter pays principle", it had ordered the builder to deposit ₹5 crore in the Aravalli Rehabilitation Fund within a month.

"The rule of law seems to have broken down in Haryana," it had said, terming the violations as "quite frightening".

The Bench had given liberty to those not satisfied with the compensation amount to claim damages from R Kant & Co and the Haryana Town and Country Planning Department by filing civil suits.

Out of the total of 1,617 plots carved out by R Kant & Co in Kant Enclave, conveyance deeds had been executed only in respect of 284 residential plots and three commercial plots. On the residential plots, only 33 houses had been constructed.

Murder accused absconding, villagers protest

KURUKSHETRA, NOVEMBER 28

The family of a murder victim blocked the KDB road here on Wednesday to protest the alleged police inaction against the accused.

A resident of Amin village near here, Ankush (20) was allegedly attacked by Ravi, Gulshan and 10 others on Saturday. He was admitted to PGIMER, Chandigarh, in a critical condition where he died on Tuesday night.

As the body was brought here on Wednesday, the family members raised slogans against the police authorities. They kept the victim's body on the flyover near Palwal village and demanded immediate arrest of the culprits.

Senior district and police authorities rushed to the spot to pacify the aggrieved family members. The villagers lifted the blockade following the assurance of the police officials to nab the accused soon. — TNS

Youth hangs self at police post

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JHAJJAR, NOVEMBER 28

A 22-year-old youth, identified as Rajesh Kumar of Radha Swami Colony here, reportedly hanged himself from a ceiling fan at the City police post on Tuesday.

A board of three doctors conducted postmortem examination at the civil hospital here on Wednesday in the presence of Additional Chief Judicial Magistrate Taranjeet Kaur. After postmortem examination, the body was handed over to the kin.

Earlier, 65-year-old Krishna Devi, mother of the deceased, filed a complaint in writing with the police, demanding a CBI inquiry into the case and adequate compensation. She stated that Rajesh was the sole breadwinner of the family.

In her complaint, she accused Vishnu Bhagwan of Subhash Nagar of forcibly taking her son from Ambedkar Chowk on his motorcycle hours before he



The grief-stricken family of Rajesh Kumar, who committed suicide, at the Civil Hospital in Jhajjar on Wednesday. TRIBUNE PHOTO

committed suicide. She said her neighbours Inderjit and Amit were present at the spot when Rajesh went with Vishnu. She added that around 4 pm on Tuesday, she got information that Rajesh ended his life in the police post.

Sources said Rajesh, an autorickshaw driver, was brought to the police post in connection with the case of 17-year-old Amit, Vishnu's grandson, going missing on

November 14.

At the time of the suicide, only the *munshi* was present in the police post.

Shashank Sawan, ASP, Jhajjar, said Vishnu had been booked under Section 306 (abetment to suicide) of the IPC on the basis of the complaint. The postmortem report had established hanging as the cause of death, he added.

He said a magisterial inquiry would be conducted into the case.

'Rapist-killer' admits to targeting six more girls in Delhi

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GURUGRAM, NOVEMBER 28

The alleged serial rapist-killer, Sunil Kumar, has reportedly admitted to have been "most active" in Sangam Vihar area of Delhi.

Kumar, who has already admitted to killing and raping three girls in Old Delhi, Moti Bagh and Sangam Vihar, told the police he had made "several blunders" in Sangam Vihar, which was his second home.

"So far, he is connected to



The police have confirmed the involvement of 'paedophile' Sunil Kumar in the following cases

GURUGRAM

June 2013: A minor girl from Nathupar village was allegedly abducted from a local 'bhandara' in the DLF area. She was allegedly raped and dumped near a Metro pillar. She is the lone survivor among all victims of

only four cases in Gurugram. But his interrogation has brought out that he

'paedophile' Sunil Kumar. She underwent 13 surgeries. At present, she is 10 years old and lives in Chennai.

November 2016: A four-year-old girl of Gurugram went missing from near a temple, where she had gone to get 'prasad'. Her body was found from near a mall. The police tried hard to search for clues, but they realised they were groping in the dark.

January 2017: The decayed body of a five-year-old girl was found in a water tank near Rajiv Chowk, Delhi. She had gone missing 20 days ago from Peer Baba 'dargah' near Civil Lines in Gurugram where she had gone to a 'bhandara'.

might have targeted several girls in Delhi, especially in Sangam Vihar. He

November 2018: The naked body of a three-year-old girl was found in Sector 65. Sunil allegedly raped and gagged her to death. A wooden stick was found in her private parts. Sunil hit a brick on her head.

GWALIOR

The Gwalior police had, on November 24, recovered clothes of a five-year-old girl from near a temple. Sunil had allegedly raped and killed the girl in September 2013.

DELHI

Sunil has confessed to have targeted nine girls in Old Delhi, Moti Bagh and Sangam Vihar in the past seven years.

police officer said on Wednesday.

Sunil would reportedly visit his relatives in Sangam Vihar, and go to weddings and community functions from where he picked up at least six girls on different occasions.

On Wednesday, he was produced in a local court after the completion of his eight-day remand with the Gurugram police. The Delhi police had applied for his custody under production remand, but the court extended his custody with the Gurugram police for a

day more for interrogation in a rape and murder case registered in 2017.

The Gurugram police submitted in the court that some questions were still unanswered and they required more time to interrogate Sunil.

Meanwhile, the police's attempt to get concrete evidence against "paedophile" Sunil in three cases (registered in Gurugram) seems to have hit a dead end, as the Forensic Science Laboratory (FSL) claimed that "semen was not detected" in two of the cases.

Man held for rape

Rewari: A man has been arrested on the charge of raping his minor daughter for the past two months. The crime came to light when the girl shared her ordeal with her teacher, who informed her mother. The accused was sent to judicial custody. TNS

Advertisement for DAV College Amritsar, mentioning applications for field assistant and awareness among school children.

Public Notice from PUDA regarding residential plots in Nirvana Estate, Bathinda. Includes contact information for Estate Officer.

Advertisement for Punjab State of India (PSI) recruitment, mentioning exam details and application process.

Advertisement for Dush Bhagat University (DBU) admission for M.Phil/Ph.D. programs, including entrance test details.

Advertisement for Northern Railway Public Notice, regarding electrical work and safety instructions.

Advertisement for Chandigarh Administration Police Department, regarding recruitment and tender notices.

Advertisement for Reserve Bank of India (RBI) regarding cancellation of certificates of registration for non-banking financial companies.

Advertisement for DAV College Managing Committee, regarding recruitment for Principal position at BTC DAV College.

Advertisement for National Science Centre, regarding recruitment for various positions and tender notices.

Advertisement for Haryana Staff Selection Commission (HSSC), regarding recruitment for various posts.

Advertisement for Haryana Public Service Commission (HPSC), regarding recruitment for various posts, including Deputy Director Fisheries.

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