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**Rajan is new RBI Governor**

Bank of India (RBI) for a term of three years, vice Dr. D. Subbarao upon completion of his (Dr. Subbarao's) tenure," an official release said.

Rajan, a former IMF chief economist, was appointed as the Chief Economic Advisor in the Finance Ministry in August last year. His appointment as the 23rd Central Bank chief comes at a challenging time when the economy is battling industrial slowdown, declining rupee, rising prices and all-time high current account deficit (CAD).

"These are challenging times for the Indian economy and the RBI and Government will work together," Rajan said in a statement shortly after the announcement. "We don't have a magic wand to make the problems disappear. But absolutely we will deal with them."

Rajan noted that the RBI has a tradition of integrity, independence and professionalism.

Known for his frank views, Rajan was acclaimed for predicting the 2008 global financial crisis. In 2005, Rajan had delivered a lecture severely critical of the financial system and argued that a financial disaster might be looming.

Rajan, who has honorary economic advisor to the Prime Minister earlier, is an alumni of IIM-Ahmedabad and IIT-Delhi. He had replaced Kaushik Basu as Chief Economic Advisor in the Finance Ministry last year.

He did his doctorate from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He was professor at the University of Chicago's Booth School of Business before taking over as CEA.

Rajan was also involved with the report on Financial Sector Reforms, which was authorised by the Planning Commission.

His appointment was generally welcomed by economic administrators and the industry.

"Rajan will make an excellent Governor at the moment" as he has been dealing with the problems in the last one year, said C Rangarajan, Chairman of the Prime Minister's Economic Advisory Council (PMEAC) and a former RBI Governor.

Planning Commission Deputy Chairman Montek Singh Ahluwalia said Rajan was coming in at a tough time but he has a terrific academic and professional background.

"It's a very tough time, we need someone who can give direction...The important thing is giving leadership for the next five years on how should the Indian financial system move. I think Rajan will be the best person to do that," he said.

Adi Godrej, industrialist and former CII president, welcomed Rajan's appointment, saying his experience globally and as CEA in the Government would stand him in good stead. (PTI)

**Azad writes to PM justifying need for common medical exam**

NEW DELHI, Aug 6:

Health Minister Gulam Nabi Azad has written to the Prime Minister justifying the need for retaining the common entrance test (NEET) for admissions to MBBS, BDS and PG courses in all medical colleges, in the midst of a controversy over Supreme Court decision to scrap it.

The letter by Azad came after Tamil Nadu Chief Minister J Jayalalithaa wrote to Prime Minister Manmohan Singh voicing objections against Centre's decision to file a petition in Supreme Court seeking review of its judgement quashing the National Eligibility-cum-Entrance Test (NEET).

Azad said that students seeking admission in graduate and post graduate level medical courses and their parents had to suffer from mental, physical and financial hardships under the admission scheme followed till last year.

Also, multiple entrance examinations conducted by various agencies have given rise to differential standards for admission to MBBS/PG courses compromising the merit component, he said.

Azad said that his Ministry has been working on creating a more robust environment for admissions to medical and dental courses across the country by introducing a single window entrance test and that it would be in the larger interest of society and of students aspiring to study medicine to have NEET.

It has been made clear that no reservation policy followed by minority institutions or state Governments would be affected by a NEET based admission process, he stressed.

With the support from the dissenting judgement of Justice Dave, Health Ministry has decided to file the review petition and has also sought the advice of the department of Legal Affairs in the matter, the Minister said in his letter.

In a majority verdict, the Supreme court had scrapped NEET on July 18.

In a dissenting judgement, Justice A R Dave had upheld the Medical Council of India's decision to conduct this common entrance exam saying that holding of NEET is "legal, practical and need of the society". (PTI)

**Terror attacks increased in J-K after Afzal hanging: Govt**

NEW DELHI, Aug 6:

Government today said incidents of terrorist attacks on armed forces have increased in Jammu and Kashmir in the aftermath of the hanging of Parliament attack case convict Afzal Guru.

"The reason for increase in terror attacks is due to stepping up of the attack on security forces planned by the militant groups in the aftermath of Afzal Guru's execution in February, 2013," Minister of State for Home R P N Singh told Lok Sabha in a written reply.

Giving statistics, Singh said that in 2012, there were 50 incidents of encounters between terrorists and security forces in Jammu and Kashmir in which 15 security personnel were killed and 65 were injured. In 2013 (upto July 28), there were 16 incidents of encounters in which 35 security personnel were killed 29 others were injured.

"In most of the cases of casualties, the laxity and non-adherence to Standard Operating Procedures by security forces have also been evident," he said. (PTI)

**Creation of more States threatens India's unity: Santosh Hegde**

BANGALORE, Aug 6:

Former Supreme Court Judge N Santosh Hegde has warned creation of more States is bound to threaten the unity of India and deal a body blow to the country's diversity.

Speaking here, Hegde, a key member of Team Anna, said formation of Telangana would spawn demand for statehood in some other parts of India, noting movements among others in Vidarbha and Assam, and BSP supreme Mayawati pushing for the dividing Uttar Pradesh into four.

He said with Telangana going separate he won't be surprised if in Karnataka there is demand for 20 statehood for regions which are known as Bombay-Karnataka and Hyderabad-Karnataka.

I think we should stop further thinking in terms of division at all. It's not in the interest of our country," said the former Karnataka Lokayukta, who uncovered a huge illegal mining scam. "Let me warn one thing. He added sarcastically. (PTI)

**Don't utter abusive language against Congress: Charak**

Excelsior Correspondent

JAMMU, Aug 6: Member, Pradesh Congress Committee (PCC) Gambhir Dev Singh Charak asked the Chief Minister and resident, National Conference Omar Abdullah to ask their party leaders to concentrate more on public welfare rather indulging themselves in making indecent and abusive language.

In a statement, Gambhir Dev Singh Charak said that it has been observed that a senior leader of National Conference which is a coalition partner has been indulging himself in making indecent and abusive utterances against Congress and its State president Prof Saif-ud-Din Soz, which is very unfortunate.

He urged upon the NC Supreme and Union Minister Farooq Abdullah and Chief Minister Omar Abdullah to direct their party leaders to refrain themselves from these acts.

**MOURNING FROM MALEUN SIDE**

With profound grief and sorrow we inform about the untimely and sad demise of our beloved **Shyama Jee (Khar)** W/o Sh. Ashok Kumar Khar Dio Lambodar Nath Pandit, originally resident of Tral, Kashmir on 06-08-2013. Mourning is being held from Maleun side at House of Sh. L.K Bhat House No 158, Wazir-Bagh, Surya Vihar, Anand Nagar, Jammu.



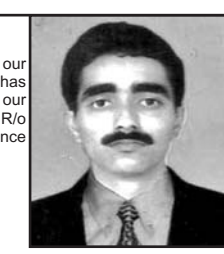
Smt. Shyama Jee (Khar)

**GRIEF STRICKEN**  
Sh. Lambodar Nath Pandita - Father  
Smt. & Sh. Soorn Nath Pandita - Aunty & Uncle  
Smt. & Sh. Vinod Kumar Pandita - Bhabi & Brother  
Smt. & Sh. Daya Krishna Pandita - Bhabi & Brother  
Smt. & Sh. Avtar Krishna Pandita - Bhabi & Brother  
Smt. Beni Gashi (Durga Ji) - Putri  
Smt. & Sh. L.K. Bhat - Sister & Brother-in-Law  
Smt. & Sh. Sudesh Kumar Bhat - Sister & Brother-in-Law  
Smt. & Sh. Ramesh Kumar Bhat - Sister & Brother-in-Law

**SAMAST PANDITA PARIVAR**

**ADH BARKHI**

Six months have passed, the vacuum you created in our lives, is so deep and irreplaceable, not a single day has passed when we don't miss you. **Adh Barkhi** of our beloved **Sh. Rohit Sharma** S/o Sh. N.K. Sharma, R/o Mendher will be performed on 7-08-2013 at our residence near Post Office Mendher.



Sh. Rohit Sharma

**DEEPLY REMEMBERED BY:**  
Smt. Anita Sharma (wife)  
**MOTHER & FATHER**  
Smt. Naresh Sharma & Sh. N.K. Sharma.  
**Bhabi & Brother**  
Smt. Mil Sharma & Sh. Ranveer Sharma.  
Smt. Subash Sharma (Uncle)  
Master Valibhav Rohit (Son)  
Miss Vanya (Daughter)  
**Sisters & Brother in law**  
Smt. Reeta & Sh. O P Sharma  
Smt. Ritu & Sh. J.P. Sharma

NEPHEW & NIECE  
Arunav, Ranveer & Minerva

**MASVAR/ VAHARVAR**

One year has passed since you leave us. We miss you badly and feel your presence around us every moment of our life. We also miss you when we are in trouble or have any kind of happiness. **Masvar & Vaharvar** of our beloved father **Sh. K.N Bhat** S/o Lt Rashi Bhat of Khrew will be performed on 7th & 8th August 2013 (Wednesday & Thursday) at our residence Shakti Nagar, Jammu.



Sh. K.N Bhat

**DEEPLY MISSED BY**  
Dugra Ji, Veena, Suresh, Sanjay, Rashmi, Dheeraj, Anila, Nitu, Pritu, Ritu, Rishu, Shreeya, Babu, Bhats, Kouls & Kachroos.  
**M.No. 941920096, 9419115820**

**CONDOLENCE**

With profound grief and sorrow we inform about the sad and untimely demise of our beloved **Smt. Vishno Gupta** W/o Sh. Ved Gupta (Retd. Asslt. Director Food & Supply) Bhagwati Nagar, Jammu. **Uthala** will be performed at Chanderbhaqa, Canal Road on 07.08.2013 (Wednesday) at 5 PM.



Smt. Vishno Gupta

**GRIEF STRICKEN**  
Smt. Anita Gupta & Sh. Deepak Pachnanda  
Miss Avni & Mr. Abhimanyu Pachnanda  
Miss Divya & Mr. Sidhu Magotra  
Smt. Neeru & Sh. Sanjeev Gupta  
Smt. Vanita & Sh. Anil Gupta

**REMEMBRANCE**

ON 9TH DEATH ANNIVERSARY  
Nine years have passed since you left us. But your memories continue to live in our hearts forever.



SMT KAILASH RANI

**Deeply Remembered By :**  
**Goel Family**  
21 C/C Gandhi Nagar Jammu  
**Choudhary Family**  
23 Rehari, Jammu  
**M: 94191-40768, 9419192650**

**ADH-BARKHI**

**Adh-Barkhi** will be performed on 7-8-2013 at our residence House No. 1298 Sect-6 Nanak Nagar.

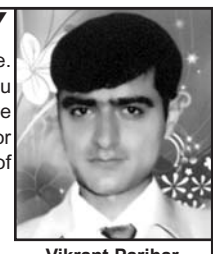


Suruchi Choudhary

**DEEPLY REMEMBERED BY:-**  
Smt. Sunila & Sh. Surjeet Choudhary - Mother & Father  
Smt. Sharda & Sh. Sham Choudhary - Taya & Taya Ji  
Smt. Neelam & Sh. Davinder Choudhary - Taya & Taya Ji  
Smt. Seema & Sh. Rakesh Choudhary - Chachi & Chacha  
Smt. Champa & Sh. Mohan S. Choudhary - Bus & Fufa Ji  
Smt. Parveen & Sh. Sohan Choudhary - Bua & Fufa Ji  
Sobia, Sadhna, Aashia, Jasleen, Smile - Sisters  
Sahil, Atin, Sourabh, Jatun, Akash - Brothers  
& Shwagat National Cable Network Nanak Nagar  
New Dream Land Public School Nanak Nagar  
Choudhary Food Products Nanak Nagar  
**Mobile: 9858175477, 9419192669**

**IN LOVING MEMORY**

We miss you every single moment of our life. You left us for heavenly abode on 7/8/05. You may not be with us. But your brimful love memories & blessings will stay with us forever. May your soul rest in peace in the feet of God.



Vikrant Parihar (Sonu)

**DEEPLY MISSED & REMEMBERED BY Dream Dot Com**  
Main Road Talab Tillo Jammu.  
**Ph.No.: 9858599069**

**MOURNING FROM IN LAWS SIDE**

With profound grief and sorrow we inform the sad and untimely demise of our beloved **Sh. Attan Ji Raina** Son-in-law of Sh. Pitambar Nath Pandita of Irkumoo Kokenang Anantnag, Husband of Shashi (Pyari) on Aug 05 2013.



Sh. Attan Ji Raina

**Mourning from in-laws side** is being held at our residence Lane No - 2, Shiva Colony (Roop Nagar) Jammu.  
**GRIEF STRICKEN**  
Samast Pandita Pariwar of Irkumoo Anantnag and all near & dear ones  
**Ph. No. : 9419175449**

**MOURNING FROM MALUN SIDE**

With profound grief and sorrow we inform the sad and untimely demise of our beloved **Smt. Sheela Pandit** (Asha Ji) D/o Lt. Ganesh Dass Pandit (Wasoorra) & W/o Sh. Brij Nath Pandit of Nilwara Pulwama on 4th of August 2013 at her native Village Nilwara (Pulwama).

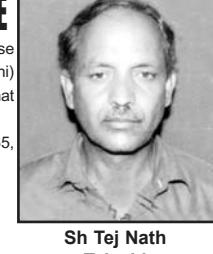


Smt. Sheela Pandit

**Mourning from Malun side** is being held at H. No. 682 Sec-3 Vinayak Nagar Muthi (Jammu)  
**GRIEF STRICKEN**  
Bansi Lal Pandit - Brother M. No. 9596876687, 9419212085  
Nirmala Pandit-Bhabi M. No. 9622048022  
W/o Lt. N. N. Pandit  
Dura Raina - Sister M. No. 9419923844  
W/o Lt. M. L. Raina  
Samast Koul Parivar (Noorpora Tral)  
**9990176510, 9987139722**

**MOURNING FROM MALUN SIDE**

With profound grief and sorrow we inform the sad demise of **Sh Tej Nath Talashi** H/o Smt Usha Talashi (Tathi) Son-in-law of Smt Sham Rani and Late Sh Kashi Nath Bhat of Ladhoo Batapora Pampore Kashmir on 4-08-2013.

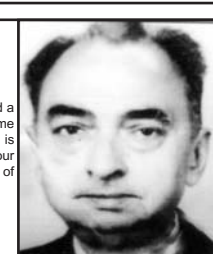


Sh Tej Nath Talashi

The Mourning is being observed at our residence B-165, F-13/14 Lane-26 Jagti Colony Nagrota, Jammu.  
**GRIEF STRICKEN**  
Smt Sham Rani Bhat -Mother-in-law  
and Samast Bhat, Safaya Parivar  
**9858399249, 9419605273**

**REMEMBRANCE**

ON 18TH DEATH ANNIVERSARY OF **TEJ RAM BHAGAT (IFS RETD)**  
18 years ago on this Day (7th August 1995) A noble soul who lived a selfless life parted his way from us and was lost for ever. Though time has passed without your physical presence but your memory is always there. Dear father we miss you. Remember you and feel your presence every moment of our life. You will always be a pillar of strength and inspiration for all of us.



Tej Ram Bhagat (IFS Retd)

**DEEPLY REMEMBERED BY:**  
Prof. O P Bhagat - Son  
Smt Shakuntla - Daughter-in-law  
Grand Children:  
Prof. Reem, Dr. Deepika & Nitin (SBI)  
8-Patel Nagar, Talab Tillo

**9TH REMEMBRANCE OF**

our beloved **S. Dalair Singh Ji** 7th Aug 2013  
Noble souls never die 9 years have passed since you left us suddenly in deep sorrow and tears. We miss you, remember you and feel your presence in every moment of our life.

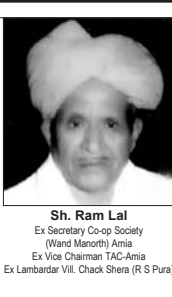


S. Dalair Singh Ji

**DEEPLY MISSED BY:**  
Paramjeet Kour -Wife  
S. Jaspreet Singh -Son  
S. Haspreet Singh -Son  
**Mob: 94191-22152, 9796800200**

**2ND DEATH ANNIVERSARY**

Two years have passed since you left us. You are still and will remain with us forever in memories of us and in memories of those who experienced your work for the cause of the poor & weaker. Your simple life, bold voice and historic steps, are the beacon lights for all of us even on today.



Sh. Ram Lal

**Deeply Remembered by :-**  
Sons & Daughter-in-law  
Smt. Kailash Kumar & Sh. Bhat Raj Rao (CPO Court/Kathua)  
Smt. Mini Devi & Sh. Yog Raj Rao (Dept. of Posts)  
Smt. Nishu Devi & Sh. Jeeb Raj Rao (JWO IAF)  
Smt. Laila Devi & Dr. M.L. Rao (State Gen. Secretary Congress Seva Dal)  
**Daughters & Son-in-law:**  
Smt. Kanta Devi & Sh. Sal Pal Tradia (Postmaster, Rtd.)  
Smt. Binia Devi & Sh. Ram Krishna (Accountant, Rtd.)  
Smt. Nimra Devi & Sh. Mohan Lal (Dept. of Posts)  
Grand Sons, Grand Daughters, Grand Son-in-laws & Grand Daughter-in-law & All Near and Dearest

**REMEMBRANCE**

ADH-BARKHI  
"Noble Souls Never Die"  
Six months have passed since you left for heavenly abode leaving us in deep sorrow and tears. Fragrance of your sweet memories is as fresh as ever.



Suruchi Choudhary

**DEEPLY REMEMBERED BY:-**  
**Students, Staff & Management of New Dream Land Public School Sec-5, Nanak Nagar, Jammu, Mob: 94191-92669, 0191-2434539**

**IN MEMORY OF**

विम विरित कोसि-न्, विमय विविध विपुल  
ननस कंजलि मयि "परमर्षि" योगेश्वर  
मौन्य मुच्य बुभिय अय्य पदमतिन रि कडव्य  
ब्र विमय विरस अंर हव्य कवऽ जीवुषा।  
A fountain head of knowledge & always a source of inspiration, he has left behind a rich harvest of memories to cherish, honour & emulate.



Pappaji

With most eyes and hearts senses we miss the presence of our beloved grandfather Karmayogi Pt. Dina Nath Bhat (Pappaji). The void created by his departure cannot be filled and we will always remember the path of hard work, perseverance and sincerity he taught to us. We pray to the Vaikunthpati Lord Narayana to bestow peace and happiness to his soul. Pappaji's blessings will be a guiding force in all our future endeavors.

**Deeply missed by his Grand Children Tanu, Shaili, Swati, Chakshu, Puchu, Aasi, Anku, Shanu, Mannu, Chotu, Raju**

**CONDOLENCE**

The Management, staff and students of Nav Yug Hr. Sec. School, Shiv Nagar express deep condolences on the sad demise of **Rohit Jammal** S/o Sh. Sikendar Singh Jammal R/o Toph Sher Khania. We all pray to the Almighty to grant peace to the departed soul and courage to the family to bear this loss.



Rohit Jammal

**From: Principal Nav Yug Hr. Sec. School Shiv Nagar, Jammu (Ph. 01912581417)**

**REMEMBRANCE**

Six months have passed since you left us for heaven, your presence always remain with us like a fragrance. We miss your love, affection and guidance. You will always remain in our hearts forever. May your soul rest in eternal peace.



Sh. Rohit Sharma

**DEEPLY REMEMBERED BY:**  
Smt. Reeta & Sh. O P Sharma  
Smt. Ritu & Sh. J P Sharma  
Vironika, Rijul & Kkavya

**REMEMBRANCE**

Noble soul never dies but always remains in the heart of their beloved ones. Eight years has passed when the cruel hands of destiny snatched you from us and you left for heavenly abode. Your memory is deeply etched in our heart. You will always remain in our memories till we are alive. We pray for the eternal peace & tranquillity of the noble soul.



Vikrant Parihar (Sonu)

**DEEPLY REMEMBERED BY:-**  
Sh Suresh Parihar - Father  
Smt Usha Parihar - Mother  
Sister & Brother-in-Law  
Priya & Ansh  
Aarti & Parshant

**REMEMBRANCE**

Twenty four years have passed since you left us this day for your heavenly abode but still your memories are cherished and your teaching and high moral values of life are guiding all of us.



Pt Nathu Ram Ji of Rehal (1917 - 1989)

**Deeply Remembered By :**  
Prof R L Sharma (Principal Retd) and all family members  
R/o 4-B Bhagwati Nagar Canal Road Jammu  
**Mobile: 9419104528**

**CONDOLENCE**

Heart felt condolences over the sudden demise of **Kh. Abdul Haq Fani** Retd. Girward (Revenue Deptt) of Baderwah will let world in the Holy Month of Ramzan on Friday 19th of July 2013. You will always remain alive in the heart of your loving ones.



Kh. Abdul Haq Fani

**Deeply Remembered By :**  
Wife, Sons, Fani Family & Friends  
**Ph. 9596938400, 9419260000**  
8717093262

**REMEMBRANCE**

Three years have passed since you left us suddenly in deep sorrow and tears. We miss you, remember you and feel your presence in every moment of our life.



Jugal Kishore Gupta

**DEEPLY MISSED AND REMEMBERED BY:-**  
Chander Prabha Gupta -Wife  
Ankur Gupta & Anshu Gupta -Son & Daughter-in-Law  
Neha Gupta & Bhanu Gupta -Daughter & Son-in-Law  
Amaira & Pihu -Grand Daughters

**REMEMBRANCE**

Six years have passed since you left for heavenly abode on 07-08-2007, but your sweet memories are as fresh as ever. You will always a guiding force, strength and inspiration for all of us. We miss you a lot.



Smt. Krishna Rani

**DEEPLY REMEMBERED BY**  
Brij Raj Singh Bhadwal Brothers & Sisters  
All Bhadwal Family Members

**REMEMBRANCE**

Saluting the greatman who lived a disciplined life and was a living example of someone who could inspire us to lead a good life. On the 13th Death Anniversary of our beloved father, we pay our respectful homage to him and pray to God to bestow eternal peace to his noble soul.



Late Suraj Parkash

**DEEPLY MISSED BY**  
All Family Members  
Nagri - Parole (Kathua)  
**Mb.: 9419184287**

**OBITUARY**

With profound grief and sorrow we regret to inform the untimely death of our beloved **Smt. Shama Kumari (Jeeja)** W/o Sh. Ashok Kumar Khar original resident of Bul-Bul -Lankar Srinagar Kashmir presently at 159- Wazir bagh Surya Vihar Bohri on 06-08-2013.

