

Oppn Protests Stall Lok Sabha; FCRA Bill Set for Showdown



Lok Sabha Speaker Om Birla conducts proceedings in the House during the monsoon session of Parliament in New Delhi — PTI

Our Political Bureau

New Delhi: Work in the Lok Sabha was disrupted on Friday, with Opposition protests demanding home minister Amit Shah's statement on police action against agitating students forcing two adjournments, even as the parliamentary affairs minister argued that the disruption was becoming an impediment for Shah to speak.

Meanwhile, the Congress reiterated its opposition to the upcoming FCRA Bill, which the home minister is expected to take up in the House for consideration next week.

Most parties in the INDIA bloc are opposed to this bill, which is being resisted by many non-profit and Christian organisations.

The bill requires only a simple majority in Parliament for

passage. Speaking to journalists outside Parliament about the FCRA Bill, Congress MP KC Venugopal said his party and its allies will "vehemently oppose" the bill.

"The government cannot bulldoze such a bill when the House is not functioning properly. They cannot pass such an important bill, which is going to affect lakhs of people, NGOs and minority communities," he said, adding: "We will not allow them to pass it."

With the possibility of the government bringing up the FCRA — and, perhaps, the Constitution Amendment Bill on delimitation — next week, the Congress leadership has directed party MPs to be present in full strength in both Houses to oppose the bills.

In the Lok Sabha, as Opposition members were unrelenting in their protest, parlia-

mentary affairs minister K. Jaganmohan Reddy said: "I want to make one thing clear: These people come to Parliament, create an uproar and then leave. But Amit Shah arrives in Parliament early in the morning and leaves only at night. The slogans being raised against him are completely unjustified. This way, when Shah speaks here, you won't even be

able to hear him. So why are you taking his name?" Dilip Saikia, who was in the chair, then adjourned the House till Monday.

CHANGE OF NAME

I. Narendran, s/o Hansraj Jain r/o 33A, Sawamani Aldina, Flat No. 16AA, 16th Floor, Canal Circular Road, Bengal Chemicals, Kankurgachi, Kolkata - 700054, West Bengal have changed my name and shall henceforth be known as Narendran Jain instead of Narendran Kumar Jain as declared before Judicial Magistrate Calcutta vide affidavit no. 150 dated 07.05.2026. Narendran Kumar Jain and Narendran Jain both are same and identical person.

PUBLIC NOTICE / LOST DEED NOTICE

This is to inform the general public that the original registered Deed of Sale (Saf Bikray Khabala) belonging to my client, Sri Amitabh Basak, son of Lt. Rajendra Nath Basak, resident of 2 No. Natan Fulla, Mathpara, P.O.-2 No. Natan Fulla, P.S. Santipur, District Nadia, PIN 741402, has been lost. The details of the said deed are as follows: Deed No: 838, Year: 2001, Registration Office: Santipur Registry Office, Mouza: Sukpukuria, J.L. No. 58, Land Area: 4.95 Shatak/ Decimals. The aforementioned original deed was misplaced / lost due to carelessness on 18/07/2026, in the area adjacent to Fulia Market. In this regard, a General Diary (G.D.) has been lodged with the Santipur Police Station, bearing G.D. No.- 3249, dated 27/07/2026. If any kind-hearted person finds the said deed, they are earnestly requested to contact the undersigned at the address or mobile number given below within the next 15 days.

Samiran Basak, Advocate, Ranaghat Court, Mobile No.-7384071037

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E-Tender Notice No.:- "19-GKP-MWS-2026-27": "Documentation of ISO 22163 Rev.04, training of Internal auditors (30 Nos.) on ISO 22163 Rev. 04, 9001:2015, 14001:2026 & 45001:2018 and hand holding during ISO 22163 external audits at Mechanical Workshop, Gorakhpur".
Estimated Cost (in ₹): ₹10,52,905.04; **Earnest Money (in ₹):** ₹21,100/-; **Last date of tender submission:** Upto 11:00, Date: 28.08.2026; **Cost of the Tender Forms:** Zero, **Period of Contract:** 48 Months. The details of above tenders are also available on Indian Railways website <http://www.reps.gov.in>.

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SCHEDULE I FORM A PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT (Regulation 14 of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Board of India (Voluntary Liquidation Process) Regulations, 2017) FOR THE ATTENTION OF THE STAKEHOLDERS OF KOBELCO MACHINERY INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED	
1. Name of corporate person	KOBELCO MACHINERY INDIA PRIVATE LIMITED
2. Date of incorporation of corporate person	7th November 2008
3. Authority under which corporate person is incorporated/registered	Registrar of Companies, Kolkata
4. Corporate identity number /limited liability identity number of corporate person	U29253WB2008FTC130355
5. Address of the registered office and principal office (if any) of corporate person	Swastika Centre, 8, Crooked Lane (P-8, Chowringhee Square), Room No. 3C, 3rd Floor, Esplanade, Kolkata - 700 069, West Bengal
6. Liquidation commencement date of corporate person	5th August 2026
7. Name, address, email address, telephone number and the registration number of the liquidator	Name: Rachna Anchalia Address: Madhuvan Apartment, 5th Floor, Flat B5, 48/11, Jessore Road, Kolkata - 700055 Email address: ca.rachna1978@gmail.com Mobile No.: +91 7980303803 Registration No.: IBB/IPA-001/1P-IP1572/2019-2020/12602 4th September 2026
8. Last date for submission of claims	4th September 2026

Notice is hereby given that the Kobelco Machinery India Private Limited has commenced voluntary liquidation on 5th August 2026.
The stakeholders of Kobelco Machinery India Private Limited are hereby called upon to submit a proof of their claims, on or before 4th September 2026, to the liquidator at the address mentioned against item 7. The financial creditors shall submit their proof of claims by electronic means only. All other stakeholders may submit the proof of claims in person, by post or by electronic means.
Submission of false or misleading proofs of claim shall attract penalties.

Sd/-
Rachna Anchalia
Liquidator

Date: 08.08.2026
Place: Kolkata

IBBI Regn no.: IBB/IPA-001/1P-IP1572/2019-2020/12602
AFA Valid till 30th June 2027

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SAM Department, Circle Office: Kolkata-West, United Tower, 4th Floor, 11, Hemanta Basu Sarani, Kolkata-700 001, Email ID: cokolwestsam@pnb.bank.in

E- Auction Sale Notice

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES LAST DATE & TIME FOR SUBMISSION OF EMD AND DOCUMENTS (Hard Copy & ONLINE) :-

Property at Lot (mentioned below)	LAST DATE OF BID SUBMISSION Online	Time Up to	Property at Lot (mentioned below)	LAST DATE OF BID SUBMISSION Online	Time Up to	Property at Lot (mentioned below)	LAST DATE OF BID SUBMISSION Online	Time Up to
Lot. No. 1 - 2	24.08.2026	Upto 3.00 PM	Lot. No. 3 - 5	02.09.2026	Upto 3.00 PM	Lot. No. 6	24.09.2026	Upto 3.00 PM

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provision to Rule 8 (6) & 9 (1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described Immovable Properties and Address property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive/physical/ symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of the Bank/ Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on the date as mentioned in the table herein below, for recovery of its dues due to the Bank/ Secured Creditor from the respective borrower (s) and guarantor (s). The reserve price and the earnest money deposit will be as mentioned in the table below against the respective properties. The sale will be done by the undersigned through e-auction platform provided at the Web Portal (<https://baanknet.com>). The General Public is invited to bid either personally or by duly authorized agent.

Lot. No.	A) Name of the Branch B) Name of the Account C) Borrower/Guarantor	Description of the Immovable Properties Mortgaged/ Owner's Name	A) Dt. of Demand Notice B) Outstanding Amount C) Possession Date	A) Reserve Price (Rs. In Lakh) B) EMD (Last Date of Deposit of EMD) C) Bid Increase Amount	Date/ Time of E-Auction
1.	A) BO: CALCUTTA (008420) B) UJJAL SAHA C) Borrowers: Shri Ujjal Saha and Smt. Nandita Saha	Equitable mortgage of Flat No B+C admeasuring more or less 1305 sq. ft. super built up area located at Fourth Floor by the premises namely "LA Bhawan" consisting of 3 Bedrooms, 1 Drawing, 1 Kitchen, 1 Dining, 2 Toilets, 1 Balcony in all the piece and parcel of land situated and lying at Sarada Pally, being previous Holding No. 113 under ward no. 30 under PS - Khardah NPW Gholia, Dist. : North 24 Parganas vide deed of Conveyance No. : 104097/2019 dated 22.07.2019. Property stands in the name of Mr. Ujjal Saha & Mrs. Nandita Saha. (Under Physical Possession)	A) 26-07-2023 B) ₹ 18,52,940.00/- as on 30-06-2023 along with further interest all other applicable charges and expenses thereon. C) 13-10-2023	(A) ₹ 22.25 Lacs (B) ₹ 2.23 Lacs (C) ₹ 0.10 Lac	24.08.2026 FROM 11.30 AM TO 3.30 PM WITH 10 MINS EXTENSION (Contact Numbers: Branch Manager: 9931217531, CO SAM Kolkata West: 8077397469, 9073905385)
2.	A) BO: KOLKATA-BHOWANIPORE (023310) B) BABAN GHOSH C) Borrower: Smt. Baban Ghosh Guarantor: Shri Anuvab Ghosh and Shri Amiya Kumar Ghosh	Equitable Mortgage of Flat No A lying on the 3rd floor measuring about 1050 sq. ft. Super built up areas with mosaic flooring consisting of Bed Rooms, Living cum Dining Room, Open Kitchen and One Toilet and situated at plot of land measuring about 5 Cottahs 5 Chittaks 17 sq. ft. be the same a little more or less appertaining to Touzi No-348, R.S.No. 71, J.L.No. 3, Dag Nos. 1807 (P) and 434 (P), Khatian No. 491 and 251, under Mouza-Panchur, PS-Rabindranagar, District-24 Parganas South, being known as Municipal Holding No. A1-93/New Santoshpur Road, PS-Rabindranagar, District-24 Parganas South within the limit of Municipal Ward No-6 of the Maheshwala Municipality alongwith undivided proportionate impartible share of land relating to the Flat, vide Deed No. 10960 for the year 2014 registered in Book-1, CD Volume Number 14, Page from 14752 to 14785 at District Sub-Registrar-II, Office of the D. S. R-II, South 24 Parganas, West Bengal. The property is in the name of Smt. Baban Ghosh, W/o Shri Amiya Kumar Ghosh and Shri Anuvab Ghosh, S/o Shri Amiya Kumar Ghosh. (Under Physical Possession)	A) 01-01-2022 B) ₹ 22,64,516/- as on 30-11-2021 along with further interest all other applicable charges and expenses thereon. C) 22-04-2022	(A) ₹ 18.40 Lacs (B) ₹ 1.84 Lacs (C) ₹ 0.10 Lac	24.08.2026 FROM 11.30 AM TO 3.30 PM WITH 10 MINS EXTENSION (Contact Numbers: Branch Manager: 9123077442, CO SAM Kolkata West: 8077397469, 9073905385)
3.	A) BO: KOLKATA, DHARAMTOLA STREET (052800) B) DIPU DAS C) Borrower: Sri Dipu Das Guarantor: Smt. Mausumi Das	All that the flat on the second floor south east facing being No. 6, measuring about 590 Sq. ft. super built up area together with undivided proportionate share in the land on which the building is erected and also together with other common rights and common facilities, lying and situated at 24, Harish Chandra Dutta Road, PO Panihat, PS Khardah, Kolkata 700114 within Panihat Municipality, Ward No. 2, District 24-Parganas (North) in the name of Sri Dipu Das as per Deed of Conveyance dated 27-07-2006 being no. 7835 for the year 2006. (Under Symbolic Possession)	A) 20-02-2008 B) ₹ 5,84,939/- as on 31-12-2007 along with further interest all other applicable charges and expenses thereon C) 29-08-2014	(A) ₹ 8.30 Lacs (B) ₹ 0.83 Lacs (C) ₹ 0.10 Lac	02.09.2026 FROM 11.30 AM TO 3.30 PM WITH 10 MINS EXTENSION (Contact Numbers: Branch Manager: 7044481460, CO SAM Kolkata West: 8077397469, 9073905385)
4.	A) BO: NEW MARKET (010720) B) PRODIP BISWAS C) Borrower: Shri Prodig Biswas	Equitable Mortgage of Flat being No A-2 on the 4 th floor, Phase-II at premises No. AC-127, Barwatala, Krishnapur, Kolkata-700102 known as "Sarallia Abasan" situated under Mouza Krishnapore, J.L.No-17, R.S.No.180, Touzi No. 228/229, C.S.Dag No. 5419, R.S.Dag No. 3393/4668, 4666, 4667, C.S.Khatian No. 1060, R.S Khatian No.1095, P.S.-Rajmahat under Rajarhat-Gopalpur Municipality in the District of North 24 Parganas vide Sale Deed No.1-4338 for the year 2008 measuring 650 sq. ft. The Property is in the name of Shri Prodig Biswas. (Under Symbolic Possession)	A) 10-02-2025 B) ₹ 4,98,916.00/- as on 31-01-2025 along with further interest all other applicable charges and expenses thereon. C) 12-06-2025	(A) ₹ 15.30 Lacs (B) ₹ 1.53 Lacs (C) ₹ 0.10 Lac	02.09.2026 FROM 11.30 AM TO 3.30 PM WITH 10 MINS EXTENSION (Contact Numbers: Branch Manager: 9582105416, CO SAM Kolkata West: 8077397469, 9073905385)
5.	A) BO: ULUBERIA B) SOUMITRA ADAK C) Borrower: Shri Soumitra Adak, Shri Sukumar Adak and Smt. Mamata Adak	All that piece and parcel of Bastu land measuring 1918 sq. ft. more or less (4 ³ / ₁₆ Satak (decimals) more or less), alongwith building lying and situated in Mouza-Latibpur, J.L.No. 86, R.S Khatian No. 86, comprised in L.R Khatian No. 1365, L.R Dag No. 681 under PS-Uluberia, A.D.S.R. & PS-Uluberia, District-Howrah, Deed No. 1-975/1993 recorded in Sub Registrar office Uluberia, Volume No. 13, Page 75-82 in the name of Sukumar Adak & Mamata Adak (both since deceased, represented by Soumitra Adak, son of other legal heirs). (Under Symbolic Possession)	A) 29-05-2023 B) ₹ 20,46,168/- as on 31-05-2023 along with further interest all other applicable charges and expenses thereon. C) 08-08-2023	(A) ₹ 46.57 Lacs (B) ₹ 4.66 Lacs (C) ₹ 0.10 Lac	02.09.2026 FROM 11.30 AM TO 3.30 PM WITH 10 MINS EXTENSION (Contact Numbers: Branch Manager: 8017919752, CO SAM Kolkata West: 8077397469, 9073905385)
6.	A) BO: KOLKATA-BHOWANIPORE (023310) B) ASHIM GHOSH C) Borrower: Mr. Ashim Ghosh, S/o Late Mohendra Lal Ghosh and Miss Shallome Ghosh, D/o Mr. Ashim Ghosh	Equitable Mortgage of all that one residential Flat No. 5, measuring 605 square feet Super Built up area more or less, having mosaic floors with provisions for Two Bed Rooms, One Dining Hall, One Kitchen, Two Bath Cum privy and Two Balcony on the front and Back Portion of the Second Floor of the Three storied building, situated at Mouza-Ramchandrapur, J.L. No. 58, Pargana-Magaura, R.S. No. 196, Touzi No. 110, appertaining to R.S. Khatian No. 46, C.S. & R.S. Dag No. 926 and present L.R. Dag No. 947, previous L.R. Dag No. 1039, Scheme Plot No. 26 under Borhoghly Gram Panchayet, P.S. Sonarpur, District-South 24 Parganas, Pin 700103, registered at Additional Registrar of Assurance-I, Office of the A.R.-I, Kolkata, West Bengal vide Deed of Conveyance No. 02349 for the year 2017 dated 24.04.2017 registered in Book-I, Volume No. 1901-2017, Page from 71420 to 71457. The property stands in the name of Mr. Ashim Ghosh, S/o Late Mohendra Lal Ghosh & Ms. Shallome Ghosh, D/o Shri Ashim Ghosh. (Under Physical Possession)	A) 09-03-2026 B) ₹ 17,60,536.66/- as on 28-02-2026 along with further interest all other applicable charges and expenses thereon. C) 22-05-2026	(A) ₹ 14.29 Lacs (B) ₹ 1.43 Lacs (C) ₹ 0.10 Lac	24.09.2026 FROM 11.30 AM TO 3.30 PM WITH 10 MINS EXTENSION (Contact Numbers: Branch Manager: 9123077442, CO SAM Kolkata West: 8077397469, 9073905385)

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF E-AUCTION SALE

The sale shall be subject to the Terms & Conditions prescribed in the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 and to the following further conditions.

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- Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) amount as mentioned above shall be paid online through 3 modes i.e. NEFT/ Cash/ Transfer (After generation of Challan from <https://baanknet.com>) in bidders Global EMD Wallet. NEFT transfer can be done from any Scheduled Commercial Bank, however for Cash/ Transfer the bidder has to visit Punjab National Bank Branch. Payment of EMD by any other mode such as Cheques will not be accepted. Bidders, not depositing the required EMD online, will not be allowed to participate in the e-auction. The Earnest Money Deposited shall not bear any interest.
- Platform (<https://baanknet.com>) for e-Auction will be provided by eAuction service provider M/S PSB Alliance Private Limited having its Registered office at Unit No. 1, 3rd Floor, VIOS Commercial Tower, near Wadala Truck Terminal, Wadala East, Mumbai - 400 037 (Help Desk Number +91 82912 20220, E-mail id: support.BAANKNET@psballiance.com). The intending Bidders/Purchasers are requested to participate in the e-Auction process at e-Auction Service Provider's website <https://baanknet.com>. This Service Provider will also provide online demonstration/ training on e-Auction on the portal.
- The Sale Notice containing the General Terms and Conditions of Sale is available / published in the following websites/ webpage portal. I. <https://baanknet.com> ii. www.pnbindia.in
- The intending participants of e-auction may download free of cost, copies of the Sale Notice, Terms & Conditions of e-auction, Help Manual on operational part of e-Auction related to this e-Auction from BAANKNET portal (<https://baanknet.com>).
- The intending Bidders/Purchasers are requested to register on portal (<https://baanknet.com>) using their mobile number and email-id. Further, they will upload the requisite KYC documents. Once the KYC documents are verified by e-auction service provider (may take 2 working days), the intending Bidders/Purchasers has to transfer the EMD amount using online mode in his Global EMD Wallet. Only after having sufficient EMD in his Wallet, the interest bidder will be able to bid on the date of e-auction.
- Bidder's Global Wallet should have sufficient balance (≥ EMD amount) at the time of bidding.
- During the e-auction bidders will be allowed to offer higher bid in inter-se bidding over and above the last bid quoted and the minimum increase in the bid amount must be of ₹ 10,000.00 to the last higher bid of the bidders Ten minutes time will be allowed to bidders to quote successive higher bid and if no higher bid is offered by any bidder after the expiry of ten minutes to the last highest bid, the e-auction shall be closed.
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- After finalization of e-Auction by the Authorized Officer, only successful bidder will be informed by our above referred service provider through SMS/ email. (On mobile no/ email address given by them/ registered with the service provider).
- The secured asset will not be sold below the reserve price. As per rules, the Bidding shall start from one notch higher than the Reserve Price.
- The successful bidder shall have to deposit 25% (twenty-five percent) of the bid amount, less EMD amount deposited, on the same day or not later than the next working day and the remaining amount shall be paid, within 15 days from the date of Confirmation of Sale by the Bank, in the form of Banker's Cheque/ Demand Draft issued by a Scheduled Commercial Bank drawn in favor of "The Authorized Officer, Punjab National Bank, A/c (Name of the A/C) Payable at KOLKATA. In case of failure to deposit the amount as above within the stipulated time, the amount deposited by successful bidder will be forfeited to the Bank and Authorized Officer shall have the liberty to conduct a fresh auction/ sale of the property & the defaulting bidder shall not have any claim over the forfeited amount and the property.
- Payment of sale consideration by the successful bidder to the bank will be subject to TDS under Section 194- 1A of Income Tax Act 1961 and TDS is to be made by the successful bidder only at the time of deposit of remaining 75 % of the bid amount/full deposit of BID amount.
- The Authorized Officer reserves the right to accept any or reject all bids, if not found acceptable or to postpone/cancel/adjourn/discontinue or vary the terms of the auction at any time without assigning any reason whatsoever and his decision in this regard shall be final, at any stage.
- In case any dispute or litigation or an adverse order passed by an appropriate court or tribunal etc. or for any reason whatsoever, Bank decides to return the money to the Bidders, no interest shall be paid for the period the amount is kept with the Bank. The decision of the Authorized Officer is final in this regard.
- The sale certificate shall be issued in the favor of successful bidder on deposit of full bid amount and per the provisions of the act.
- The properties are being sold on "AS IS WHERE IS BASIS" and "AS IS WHAT IS BASIS" and "WHATEVER THERE IS BASIS".
- The particulars of Secured Assets specified in the Schedule hereinabove have been stated to the best of the information of the Authorized Officer, but the Authorized Officer shall not be answerable for any error, misstatement or omission in this proclamation.
- It shall be the responsibility of the bidders to inspect and satisfy themselves about the asset and specification before submitting the bid. The bidder inspects the property in consultation with the dealing official as per the details provided.
- All statutory dues/attendant charges/other dues including registration charges, stamp duty, taxes etc. shall have to be borne by the purchaser.
- The Authorized Officer or the Bank shall not be responsible for any charge, lien, encumbrances, or any other dues to the Government or anyone else in respect of properties (E-Auctioned) not known to the bank. The Intending Bidder is advised to make their own independent inquiries regarding the encumbrances on the property including statutory liabilities, arrears of property tax, electricity dues etc.
- The bidder should ensure proper internet connectivity, power back-up etc. The Bank shall not be liable for any disruption due to internet failure, power failure or technical reasons or reasons/contingencies affecting the e-auctions.
- It is open to the Bank to appoint a representative and make self-bid and participate in the auction.
- For detailed term and conditions of the sale, please refer: <https://baanknet.com> / www.pnbindia.in

STATUTORY SALE NOTICE UNDER RULE 8(6) READ WITH RULE 9(1) OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002
Place: Kolkata Date : 08.08.2026 Authorized Officer, Punjab National Bank, Secured Creditor

No Retrospective Effect for FCRA Bill: Mizoram CM

Bikash Singh

Guwahati: Christian organisations and some state governments have raised concerns on the proposed Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Amendment Bill, 2026.

Mizoram CM Laldhuhoma met Union home minister Amit Shah and raised their concerns.

The CM stated, "We raised six issues with him. Out of those, he assured me that this bill will not have retrospective effect. As for the remaining points we raised, he said he would respond to them in writing and send us his comments. Only after we receive that reply will we have a clear picture... He is also going to begin discussions on the bill (FCRA) in Parlia-

ment on the 12th of this month."

Senior BJP leader AL Hek and the Meghalaya Pradesh Mahila Congress (MPMC) Joplyn Scott Shylla had requested the Centre to reconsider the legislation.

Hek, a former minister and BJP MLA said that he has written to Rajya Sabha MP James PK Sangma, urging him to ensure that the amendments do not penalise genuine humanitarian organisations.

He noted that he is yet to receive a response.

Hek urged the Prime Minister Narendra Modi-led government to engage with religious leaders, NGOs, and charitable stakeholders before introducing the bill in Parliament.

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