DCPs TOLD TO STOP MOBILISATION

Delhi Police personnel plan protest over two transfers



Lawyers holding a protest earlier this week. AMIT MEHRA

Sakshi Chand & Mahender Singh Manral
New Delhi, October 31

DAYS AFTER two Delhi Police officers, including an assistant commissioner of police, were transferred following an indefinite strike by district court lawyers, police personnel in the Capital are planning a protest outside the Delhi Police headquarters (PHQ) on Monday morning. Senior officers have asked district DCPs and unit heads to prevent their staff from joining the gathering, even as senior officers are trying to prevent the mobilisation, *The Indian Express* has learnt.

The controversy began on October 23, when an advocate allegedly suffered a serious head injury in a scuffle at Shahdara police station. Lawyers were assured that the accused would be arrested but when they returned the next day to collect a copy of the FIR, they were told that the accused had been released without action.

According to the lawyers, during a meeting with senior police officers, one of them waved his loaded revolver and threatened them.

District court lawyers then called an indefinite strike, demanding action against the officers concerned. Earlier this week, Manasvi Vashistha, ACP (Gandhi Nagar subdivision), and Arun Kumar, SHO of Shahdara police station, were transferred to the Special Police Unit for Women and Children. Following the order, the lawyers called off their strike.

A query sent to the Delhi Police spokesperson for comment did not elicit a response.

Following the transfers, a message began circulating in Delhi Police WhatsApp groups, asking personnel to gather outside the PHQ at 8 am on November 2 to express solidarity with the two officers and demand that their original postings be restored.

After allegedly initially trying to stop the mobilisation, senior officers have asked all district DCPs and unit heads to prevent their personnel from reaching the PHQ on Monday.

In a video released on Saturday that has gone viral, ACP Vashistha thanked his colleagues for their support. "...the support I have received from all of you has made me feel that I am not broken at all. Instead, I have become even stronger," he said.

Saying that he would join the protesters, he added, "...since we are members of a disciplined force, instead of holding a gathering, we should have an open discussion with the Commissioner of Police (CP) at PHQ."

He also called for the interaction to be made accessible through video conferencing for those unable to attend. "We want to meet him (CP) in person and ask him these questions... I request that as many police personnel as possible attend, except those who are engaged in essential duties. Everyone else should join," he said.

A similar protest took place in 2019, when more than 2,000 police personnel and their family members gathered outside the PHQ following attacks on policemen by lawyers over a parking dispute.

The protest ended after senior officers assured them that a review petition would be filed in court, medical assistance provided to the injured and a minimum ex-gratia of Rs 25,000 paid to them.

4 die in Delhi shoe factory fire, 2 held; survivor claims all gates were locked

Sakshi Chand
New Delhi, October 31



The fire broke out at the factory on Friday night. EXPRESS

AROUND 9 PM on Friday, Vikas, 22, was eating dinner with his colleagues on the first floor of the shoe factory in Northwest Delhi's Mangolpuri Industrial Area Phase-1 when a huge fire broke out in the basement. They realised that the exit of the four-storey building was locked and ran in panic towards the terrace, trying to escape the blinding smoke that engulfed them. "The exit was right there, but we couldn't get out. The guard must have locked the door and left," he recounted.

Even as the building had four doors, all of them were allegedly shut, as per officials. The workers were allegedly left with no choice. They ran towards the terrace while waiting for help. While Vikas and another factory worker survived, four of his colleagues died. The four deceased have been identified as Ashok (25), Harihar (40), Lal Babu (38) and Prem Chand (50).

Delhi Chief Minister expressed grief over the loss of lives in the incident and extended condolences to the bereaved families. "The loss of lives in the unfortunate fire incident in Mangolpuri is extremely sad and painful. In this difficult hour, my deepest condolences are with the bereaved families," she said.

Culpable homicide case

The fire broke out around 9:32 pm, according to officials. It was doused within a couple of hours, following which cooling operations continued until around 1 am.

On Saturday, the Delhi Police registered a case of culpable homicide and apprehended two men in connection with the incident. One of them has been identified as Ashok, 47, who was the contractor for labourers. Suresh Chand (47), a resident of Pitampura, the other accused, is the father of two building owners who are yet to be traced, said officers. According to officials, six people were trapped when fire broke out in the building, comprising a basement, ground floor and three floors, with a partial structure on the fourth floor.

Police are trying to establish the exact sequence of events and determine what led to the fire. The investigation is also looking into the circumstances in which the blaze started in the basement and how it spread through the building.

A close shave

Vikas, who came from Bihar to Delhi in search of livelihood, is now undergoing treatment in the emergency ward at Sanjay Gandhi Memorial Hospital in Mangolpuri. The other survivor, Harinder, is admitted to the intensive care unit of the hospital.

Recalling that he had just completed a 9 am to 9 pm shift at work when the blaze broke out, Vikas said he had intended to resume work after dinner. He wanted to make the most of the extra demand during the peak demand season of August to December. "We were all eating when the fire started. The smoke engulfed the first floor so fast that we couldn't see anything," he recounted.

When they realised that all exits were shut, they decided to make their way up to the terrace to try and escape. Later, rescuers found one of them on the third floor of the building, and five on the fourth floor. All of them were found unconscious, and four of them were declared dead when brought to the hospital.

"We tried everything to try and escape. I stuffed cloth in my mouth and poured water on it to try and save myself from the choking," Vikas said.

On Saturday, his aunt Rekha sat outside the emergency ward of the hospital, hoping he recovers soon.

She said Vikas had first tried calling his wife when the fire broke out, but could not get through. He then contacted his cousin, who gave him Rekha's number. Vikas managed to reach her and informed her. She and other family members rushed to the factory, where they saw the fire.

Vikas said he worked as a helper at the factory but took on all kinds of tasks and earned around Rs 15,000 a month. He had only started working at the factory about a month ago.

Some other workers, such as Ramakant and Manoj, had a close shave on Friday night because they had gone out for dinner.

Ramakant, 42, said that he too intended to work for another shift after his regular shift ended at 9 pm but his wife had insisted that he eat dinner at home. "When I returned, I saw fire tenders and smoke everywhere," he said. Manoj also said he arrived at the scene after learning about the blaze. "People shouted, tried to escape, but they were unable to get out," he recalled.

No air pollution control devices? Industries in NCR face action

Nikhil Ghanekar
New Delhi, October 31

INDUSTRIAL UNITS in Delhi-NCR that come under 17 highly polluting categories, which have not installed air pollution control devices (APCDs) or placed orders for them, will face closure or receive show-cause notices under the latest directions issued by the Central Pollution Control Board (CPCB).

In an October 30 order, the environmental watchdog directed the state pollution control boards of Haryana, Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan and the Delhi Pollution Control Committee (DPCC) to act against the non-compliant units to meet particulate matter emission norms set by the Commission for Air Quality Management (CAQM) in Delhi-NCR and nearby areas. The move comes ahead of the winter onset when industrial emissions contribute significantly to air pollution in the Delhi-NCR .

Officials at the CPCB did not respond to queries on the number of industrial units that were likely to be served show-cause or closure notices.

In February, the CAQM prescribed a particulate matter emission limit of 50 micrograms per cubic metre (ug/m3) for 17 highly polluting industry categories in Delhi-NCR and nearby areas. The norms apply to medium and large industries across sectors, including food processing, textiles and metals. Around 2,300 industries were identified for compliance.

While August 1 was the initial deadline for compliance, the CAQM deferred the deadline to October 1 after industries cited supply-chain disruptions, shortages and cost inflation issues linked to the West Asia crisis. In new order, the CPCB directed that immediate show-cause notices for closure be served to all industrial units covered by the CAQM's February direction that have not placed 'work orders' for installation or retrofitting of the APCDs.

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INVITATION FOR EXPRESSION OF INTEREST (EoI)

Expression of Interest (EoI) are invited from ferry operators for operation between Nagapattinam (India) and Kankesanthurai, Jaffna (Sri Lanka). The EoI Document can be downloaded from the website **https://tntenders.gov.in/nicgep/app** from 11.00 hrs on 02.11.2026 onwards.

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R.C. No. 753/2023 Dated: 17.07.2026

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- Certificate Debtor

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To,
(CD 1) M/S MAX GYM AND SPIN BIKE STUDIO, IIIRD FLOOR, DHAKA TOWER, OPPOSITE OLYMPUS HIGH SCHOOL, GENERAL MAHADEV SINGH ROAD, DEHRADUN, UTTARAKHAND
(CD 2) MS. NEHA RAI D/O SUKRA DEVI RAI (PROPRIETOR OF M/S MAX GYM AND SPIN BIKE STUDIO) R/O IIIRD FLOOR, DHAKA TOWER, OPPOSITE OLYMPUS HIGH SCHOOL, GENERAL MAHADEV SINGH ROAD, DEHRADUN, UTTARAKHAND.
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In view of the Recovery Certificate issued in **O.A. No. 293 of 2023** passed by the Presiding Officer, DRT, Dehradun an amount of **Rs 23,76,970.82 (Rupees Twenty Three Lakhs Seventy Six Thousands Nine Hundred Seventy And Paise Eighty Two Only)** along with pendente-lite and future interest @ 11.00% Simple Interest Yearly w.e.f. **03/07/2023** till realization and costs of **Rs 66,005/-** (Rupees Sixty Six Thousands Five Only) has become due against you **(Jointly and severally).**

You are hereby called upon to deposit the above sum within 15 days of the receipt of the notice, failing which the recovery shall be made as per rules.

You are hereby ordered to appear before the undersigned on **11.11.2026** at 10:30 a.m. for further proceedings.

In additions to the sum aforesaid you will be liable to pay:
a. Such interest as is payable for the period commencing immediately after this notice of the execution proceedings.
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SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES [See proviso to Rule – 8(6)]

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8(6) 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 property(ies) mortgaged/charged to **UCO Bank** Secured Creditor, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of **UCO Bank** Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is Where is", "As is what is"** and **"Whatever there is"** basis on **17.11.2026,** for recovery of Bank's Dues from Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) to **UCO Bank** Secured Creditor. The details are described as below:

Sr. No.	Name & Address of Borrower(s)/ Guarantor(s)	Demand Notice Date / Possession Notice Date	Description of Immovable Property(ies) with known encumbrances, if any	Bank's Dues	Reserve Price / Earnest Money Deposit
Branch:- Firozabad, District -Firozabad; Contact Number(s):- +91-9713287746, +91-8789356663; Email Id:- firoza@ucobank.co.in, zokanpur.rec@ucobank.co.in					
1.	**Borrower:** Mr. Ram Naresh Rajput S/o. Shri Nathu Ram @ Natu Ram Rajput **Co-Borrower:** Smt. Malti Rajpoot W/o. Shri Ram Naresh Rajpoot **Both Address-1:-** H. No. 95, Gayakwad Nagar (Santosh Nagar), Raipura Road, Opp. Sati Ashram, Firozabad-283203 (U.P.) **Both Address-2:-** H. No. 370, Nagla Karan Singh, Kotla Road, Firozabad-283203	28.06.2018 06.10.2018 (Symbolic Possession)	All that part and parcel of the property consists of land and building measuring **760.00 Sq. Ft. (70.68 Square Meter)** as per Bahi No. **1,** Zild No. **9724,** Page No. **163 to 190,** Sl. No. **12525,** Registered on **29.11.2013** at **Sub-Registrar-I, Firozabad,** situated at **Mohalla – Gayakwad Nagar, Tehsil & District Firozabad** standing in the name of **Shri Ram Naresh Rajput S/o Shri Nathu Ram Rajput** R/o. **H. No. 95, Gayakwad Nagar (Santosh Nagar), Raipura Road, Opp. Sati Ashram, Firozabad-283203 (U.P.).** **Details of Boundaries (As per Deed): East:** Plot Sunita Jain, **West:** 8 Ft. Wide Way, **North:** 14 Ft. Wide Way, **South:** Plot Sanjay Jain Known Encumbrances, if any - **Nil**	**Rs. 39,04,002.80/- (Rupees Thirty Nine Lakh Four Thousand Two & Paisa Eighty only)** as on **28.10.2026** plus Unapplied interest and charges as applicable	**Rs. 20,99,000/-** **Rs. 2,09,900/-**
Date :- 29.10.2026			**Place : Firozabad**		**Authorized Officer (UCO Bank)**
Branch:- Rawatpara (0301), District -Agra; Contact Number(s):- +91-8218607534, +91-8789356663; Email Id:- rawatp@ucobank.co.in, zokanpur.rec@ucobank.co.in					
2.	**Borrower(s):** Mr. Gulshan Kumar S/o Mr. Bharat Singh, Mr. Dal Chand S/o Mr. Panni Lal, Mr. Bharat Singh S/o Mr. Panni Lal, **All Address 1 :** 55/185, Bagh Nanak Chand, Near Idgah Bus Stand, Shahganj, Agra-282001 **All Address 2 :** 56/11F/1E, Chak Doyam, New House Nagla Fakir Chand, Agra-282001	07.04.2026 09.07.2026 (Symbolic Possession)	All that part and parcel of the property consists of Land and building, measuring area **125.55 Sq. Mtr.** registered at Book No. **1,** Volume No. **3837,** Page No. **393 to 395** at Sr. No. **1250** registered on **04.07.1989 Sub-Registrar Office Agra Tehsil-Sadar & District Agra** situated at **House No. 56/11F/1E** situated at **Chak Doyam, New House Nagla Fakir Chand, Agra** Property standing in the name of **Mr. Dal Chand** and **Mr. Bharat Singh S/o Late Pannilal** resident of **55/185 Baag Nanak Chand Shahganj, Agra 282001.** **Details of Boundaries (As per Deed): East:** House of Gupta Ji, **West:** House of Kamla Dixit, **North:** Road, **South:** Other Proprty Known Encumbrances, if any - **Nil**	**Rs. 21,84,015.46 (Rupees Twenty One Lakh Eighty Four Thousand Fifteen Paisa Forty Six Only)** as on **28.10.2026** plus Unapplied interest and charges as applicable	**Rs. 35,82,000/-** **Rs. 3,58,200/-**
Date :- 29.10.2026			**Place : Rawatpara, Agra**		**Authorized Officer (UCO Bank)**
Branch:- BKD Jhansi, (1950) District -Jhansi; Contact Number(s):- +91-8630229224, +91-8789356663; Email Id:-bundel@ucobank.co.in, zokanpur.rec@ucobank.co.in					
3.	**(Borrower):** Rajneesh Kushwaha S/o Shri Hariram Kushwaha **(Co-Borrower):** Ms. Aradhana **Address 1 of Both:** 24 Kammod Nagar Royal City Jhansi-284003 **Address 2 of Both:** 40/1, Mau Dehat, Mauranipur Jhansi-284204 **Guarantor(s):** Shri Hariram Kushwaha S/o Bhagwan Das **Address:** 24 Kammod Nagar Royal City Jhansi-284003	13.01.2017 18.03.2017 (Symbolic Possession)	All that part and parcel of the property consists of land and building measuring area **74.35 Sqr. Mtr.** or **800 Sq. Ft.** As per Bahi No **01,** Zild No. **5282,** Page No. **199-216** at Sl. No. **4045,** Registered on **18.05.2015** at Sub Registrar Jhansi, Situated at **Arazi No. 445, Mauza -Bijauli Abadi Rajgarh, Teh Nad Distt-Jhansi.** Property Standing in the Name of **Mr. Rajneesh Kushwaha S/o Hariram Kushwaha** Resident of **24 Kammod Nagar Royal city Jhansi-284002.** **Details of Boundaries (As per Deed)** **East:** Plot of seller, **Weast:** Plot of Gaurav Kushwaha. **North:** Plot of Khuman, **South:** Road 5.49 meter wide. Known Encumbrances, if any - **Nil**	**Rs. 30,42,928.51/- (Rupees Thirty Lakh Forty Two Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty Eight & Paisa Fifty One only)** as on **28.10.2026** plus Unapplied interest and charges as applicable	**Rs. 7,78,000/-** **Rs. 77,800/-**
Date :- 29.10.2026			**Place : Jhansi**		**Authorized Officer (UCO Bank)**
Branch:- Bada Bazar (0310), District -Jhansi; Contact Number(s):- +91-9651042174, +91-8789356663; Email Id:- jhansi@ucobank.co.in, zokanpur.rec@ucobank.co.in					
4.	**Borrower(s):** M/s. Kanchan Garments (Proprietor: Shri Nitin Kanchan) **Address:** Shop No. 208, Sarafa Bazar, Jhansi U.P.-284002 **Proprietor: Shri Nitin Kanchan S/o Shri Suresh Kanchan** **Address:** 92 (old), 110/3 (New), Hazaryana, Jhansi-284001 **Borrower(s):** Shri Nitin Kanchan S/o Shri Suresh Kanchan **(Co-Borrower):** Smt. Sushma Kanchan W/o Shri Suresh Kanchan **Address:** 92 (old), 110/3 (New), Hazaryana, Jhansi-284001	02.07.2019 08.11.2019 (Symbolic Possession)	All that part and parcel of the property consists of land and building measuring **564 sq. ft. (52.42 square meter)** as per Bahi No. **1,** Zild No. **5680,** Page No. **253 to 276,** Sl. No. **2136,** Registered on **26.03.2014** at **Sub-Registrar-I Jhansi,** situated at **H. No. 92(Old), 110/3 (New), Mohalla Hazaryana, City & District Jhansi** standing in the name of **Shri Nitin Kanchan S/o Shri Suresh Kanchan** resident of **92 (Old), 110/3(New), Hazaryana, Jhansi - 284002.** **Details of Boundaries (As per Deed): East:** House of Ramdas; **West:** Rasta 6.10 Meter; **North:** House of Neeraj Batra; **South:** House of Pradeep Kanchan Known Encumbrances, if any - **Nil**	**Rs. 20,74,091.68 (Rupees Twenty Lakh Seventy Four Thousand Ninety One Paisa Sixty Eight Only)** as on **28.10.2026** plus Unapplied interest and charges as applicable	**Rs. 15,00,000/-** **Rs. 1,50,000/-**
Date :- 29.10.2026			**Place : Jhansi**		**Authorized Officer (UCO Bank)**

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