

# Press spar over CEC, cite Ambedkar

## 'No rule broken, Cong acting like crybaby'

TIMES NEWS NETWORK

**New Delhi:** BJP on Tuesday attacked leader of opposition in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi for opposing the appointment of Gyanesh Kumar as the chief election commissioner and Vivek Joshi as election commissioner, saying the LoP's note of

pointed during Congress rule? Despite being in power for decades, why did Congress govts do nothing to reform the selection mechanism?" Union education minister Dharmendra Pradhan said on X.

He pointed out that successive govts appointed their nominee as CEC and did not care to follow the Constitution's directive to constitute a collegium. "It is our gov't that has created a joint system for the appointment of CEC and EC, which includes the leader of the opposition. It is a great misfortune that Rahul Gandhi and Congress are acting like crybabies even when no rule/law is broken," Pradhan said.

The minister also questioned Rahul invoking the Constitution and B R Ambedkar to make his case. "Congress never missed an opportunity to ridicule and insult Baba Saheb Ambedkar, yet the 'yuvraj' of Congress (Rahul Gandhi) has the audacity to take a grandstand on upholding Baba Saheb's ideals and those of our founding leaders," he said.

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# SC in 2024 refused to stay law on CEC appointment

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A five-judge SC bench on Mar 2, 2023, in Anoop Baranwal case had noticed a vacuum in parliamentary legislation on the process for selection of CEC and ECs and directed that a panel comprising the Prime Minister, the leader of the opposition and the Chief Justice of India would advise the President on appointments to the Election Commission of India. The bench said this court-crafted panel will continue to operate till Parliament enacts a law in this regard.

In December 2023, both Houses of Parliament passed the Chief Election Commissioner and other Election Commissioners (Appointment, Conditions of Office and Terms of Office) Bill, which became a law on getting the President's assent on Dec 29, 2023. The law replaced CJI with a Union Cabinet minister (to be nominated by the PM) in the panel.

On Jan 12, 2024, a bench of Justices Sanjiv Khanna (now CJI) and Dipankar Datta refused to stay the operation of the legislation.

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# Rahul gets permanent exemption in Savarkar defamation case hearings

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**Pune:** The court of special magistrate Amol Shinde passed an order on Tuesday permanently exempting leader of opposition in the Lok Sabha Rahul Gandhi from attending day-to-day hearings in a defamation case filed against him by Satyaki Savarkar, the grandnephew of Hindutva ideologue Vinayak Damodar Savarkar, over his alleged objectionable remarks in London in March 2023.

The court on Jan 10 had granted bail to Rahul in this case after he appeared through video conference. His lawyer, Milind Pawar, had filed an application seeking the

court's permission to permanently exempt him from day-to-day hearing of the case as he had a busy schedule because he held a constitutional position.

The court observed in a three-page order on Tuesday, "Gandhi has Z+ security and he is LoP in the Lok Sabha. He has to attend official, political and social programmes all over India with prior approval of his security and day-to-day schedule. The expenses of security are considerable. This court finds that Gandhi should be granted permanent exemption from personal appearance in the case because of law and order issues."

The court granted the exemption subject to conditions

that Rahul would not raise objections before the court that the evidence was recorded in his absence.

Pawar also filed another plea in the court stating that Rahul wanted a detailed recording of evidence in the case. "The defamation case by Satyaki was registered by the court as a summary case. We are seeking comprehensive recording of evidence, including witness testimonies, which does not happen during summary proceedings. We have moved an application seeking to convert the ongoing summary trial into a summons trial under Section 258 of the Criminal Procedure Code. With a summons trial, the defence and the prosecution will be in a position to produce detailed evidence."



Election Commissioner Rajiv Kumar (C) with newly appointed Election Commissioner Gyanesh Kumar (L) in New Delhi

gopal said, as behaviour doubts that pressed about regime is electoral process rules for its

dissent was politically motivated and lacked merit.

"This latest move by Rahul Gandhi is another attempt to create controversy and peddle propaganda about the CEC's appointment. Has Rahul Gandhi forgotten how ECs were ap-

# Will quit as CM if you prove terror, Muslim League link: Mamata

Tamaghna Banerjee, Rohit Khanna & Debashis Konar | TNN



'WILL WRITE TO PM MODI'

**Kolkata:** "I will resign as CM if you can prove that I have links with terror outfits or am associated with Muslim League," West Bengal chief minister Mamata Banerjee said in the state assembly on Tuesday, countering BJP's allegations.

"I was accused of disrespecting Hinduism and supporting Muslim League. After all my struggles, I have to hear that I have links with terrorists from Jammu and Kashmir and Bangladesh. I will write to the PM, and if he can prove any link with terrorists, I will step down as chief minister," she said as her party colleagues chanted "Shame, Shame" in unison.

Banerjee added, "There is no place for mafia in Bengal. We do not harbour terrorists or rioters. It's better to die

than to be accused of having ties with terrorists."

The Bengal CM's comments during the motion of thanks were in response to allegations made by leader of opposition Suwendu Adhikari outside the House on Monday after his 30-day suspension. A privilege motion was moved in the assembly against Adhikari for his comments on Tuesday even as BJP boycotted the session.

Banerjee said she was hurt by how some BJP politicians accused her of demeaning the Hindu religion.

# 'Court treated rape of minor as heinous offence'

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**DCP (west) Vishwajeet Srivastava** said the case was registered on May 6, 2019, by Kakori police, based on a complaint by the survivor's grandmother. The perpetrator, a neighbour, assaulted the girl in his house.

Lucknow district govt counsel (criminal) Manoj Tripathi told TOI that the Juvenile Justice Act, 2015, created classification of offences to enable courts to try minors in the age group 16-18 as adults for "heinous" crimes. "In this case, the court treated rape of minor as a heinous offence," he said.

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CIN: U45200TN2006PTC060909

Notice is hereby given to the public in general under the provisions of Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 read with IBBI (Liquidation Process) Regulations, 2016 that the bids are invited from the interested parties for the purchase of immovable and moveable properties (Refer Note). This sale is being proposed to be sold on "AS IS WHERE IS AND WHATEVER THERE IS AND NO RECOURSE BASIS", through an e-auction platform: eBkay on March 17, 2025. Details of the terms and conditions of e-auction including important timelines, eligibility criteria etc. are available at <https://ibbi.banknet.com/eauction-ibbi> or interested investors may directly write an email to [jbmsheltersliq@gmail.com](mailto:jbmsheltersliq@gmail.com) to obtain the same.

Sl No.	Brief Description	Reserve Price (INR)	EMD (INR)	Incremental Bid (INR)
1)	Land@ Agaram Village, Varanavasi, Freehold land held by the Company. Vacant Land measuring Acre 1.24 Cents comprised in Survey No. 173/1 & 173/2 at Agaram Village, Varanavasi.	32,86,000	1,00,000	3,28,000
2)	Land@ Sumathiammal Nagar, Freehold Land held by the Company. Vacant Land measuring 2775 sq.ft comprised in Survey No. 13/5 at Sumathiammal Nagar, Alavur.	14,91,563	50,000	1,49,000
3)	Land@ Sumathiammal Nagar, Freehold Land held by the Company. Vacant Land measuring 2940 sq.ft comprised in Survey No. 14/1 at Sumathiammal Nagar, Alavur.	15,80,150	50,000	1,58,000
4)	Land@ Karanaipuducherry, 1 Vacant plot measuring 2844 sq.ft comprised in Survey No. 379/1.2 at Karanaipuducherry, Guduvancherry.	55,80,750	1,00,000	5,58,000
5)	Land@ Karanaipuducherry, 1 Vacant plot measuring 3104 sq.ft comprised in Survey No. 378/7A & 379/2.3 at Karanaipuducherry, Guduvancherry.	60,90,650	1,00,000	6,09,000
6)	Land@ Karanaipuducherry, 1 Vacant plot measuring 3245 sq.ft comprised in Survey No. 378/7A at Karanaipuducherry, Guduvancherry.	63,67,600	1,00,000	6,36,000
7)	Land@ Karanaipuducherry, 1 Vacant plot measuring 2520 sq.ft comprised in Survey No. 378/7A at Karanaipuducherry, Guduvancherry.	46,32,500	1,00,000	4,63,000
8)	Land@ Karanaipuducherry, 1 Vacant plot measuring 2560 sq.ft comprised in Survey No. 378/7A & 379/2.3 at Karanaipuducherry, Guduvancherry.	47,06,000	1,00,000	4,70,000
9)	Land@ Karanaipuducherry, 1 Vacant plot measuring 2560 sq.ft comprised in Survey No. 379/1.2 at Karanaipuducherry, Guduvancherry.	47,06,000	1,00,000	4,70,000
10)	Movable asset i.e., Car being Maruti Suzuki - CIAZ LMV Car	2,04,000	10,000	20,000

**Note:**

1. The Prospective Bidders shall be eligible to participate in the bidding process subject to their participation and submission of bid in the auction of assets of the corporate debtor as detailed in the Process Memorandum.
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Sd/-  
Anil Kumar Khicha  
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Place: Chennai  
Date: February 19, 2025

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- Contact Mr. Mansoor Katiyar, Regional Manager, Kanpur, Mob No. 8707503785

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