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THE RECENT ACQUISITION by the Adani Group of cement maker Holcim's India businesses is expected to add another ₹40,000 crore to the Group's debt...

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THE SECURITIES APPELLATE Tribunal on Friday rejected the appeals filed by the shareholders of Tamilnad Merchantile Bank...

CBIC eases norms for prosecution for GST evasion

AVAILABILITY OF ADEQUATE evidence of tax evasion of over ₹5 crore will trigger criminal prosecution against offenders...

Forex reserves continue to slide, down over \$3 bn

THE NATION'S FOREIGN exchange reserves saw a decline of \$3,007 billion in the week ended August 26 to reach \$561.046 billion...

Google brings third-party billing pilot to India

GOOGLE ON FRIDAY announced that third-party 'in app' billing system pilot will be extended to India...

STUDYING REASONS FOR DEVIATION FROM RBI'S Q1 FORECAST: DAS RBI to minimise growth sacrifice

Banks should raise more capital as the global situation is very volatile, says governor

FE BUREAU Mumbai, September 2

THE RESERVE BANK of India (RBI) will focus on minimising the growth sacrifice resulting from the tightening of monetary policy...

In an interview with a business channel, Das said, "Our focus will be to minimise the growth sacrifice. Under the present circumstances, global factors will be responsible to a greater extent in the context of both inflation and growth."



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In any crisis situation, we are better placed. The reserves that we have built up have allowed us to maintain stability in the exchange rate

—SHAKTIKANTA DAS, GOVERNOR, RBI

India because exports have an important role to play in the country's growth. Similarly, imports could affect inflation, he added.

The governor said that on the domestic front, the agriculture sector is doing well, and monsoon rainfall is now in excess. The shortfall in the net sowing area has also been closed to some extent and now

stands around 1-1.5%. Other sectors like industry and services have also been performing well and credit growth is strong.

However, he acknowledged that the 13.5% gross domestic product (GDP) growth for Q1FY23 was lower than the central bank's estimate of 16.2%.

Das said the RBI is studying the reasons for the deviation from the forecast and has identified a few areas, but declined to share further details.

India's strong forex reserves are a solid backbone for the domestic economy, Das said, adding that the reserves provide comfort to markets as well as foreign investors.

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TCS newcomers out of salary increments

Those completing first year on April 1 or thereafter will not receive salary hikes; company says increment cycles unaffected

FE BUREAU Bengaluru, September 2

MUMBAI-BASED IT SERVICES major Tata Consultancy Services (TCS) will be handing out appraisals only to their experienced staff and the newcomers who have just completed a year in office will not be eligible.

A letter sent to TCS employees states that those who have completed their first year on April 1 or thereafter will not receive an increment. The company, however, said its increment cycles were unaffected in a statement on Friday.

"We have always had increments in line with industry benchmarks. Even during the pandemic, we ensured our increment cycles were unaffected. It is incorrect to suggest otherwise. All experienced hires will be given an increase as part of the annual salary appraisal that follows their one-year anniversary," TCS said in a statement.

The development comes at a time when IT services companies are looking to cut costs due to margin erosion on account of higher employee costs, low graduate uptake, limited increase in pricing, travel expenses, and high onsite inflation.

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TIGHTENING SPEND

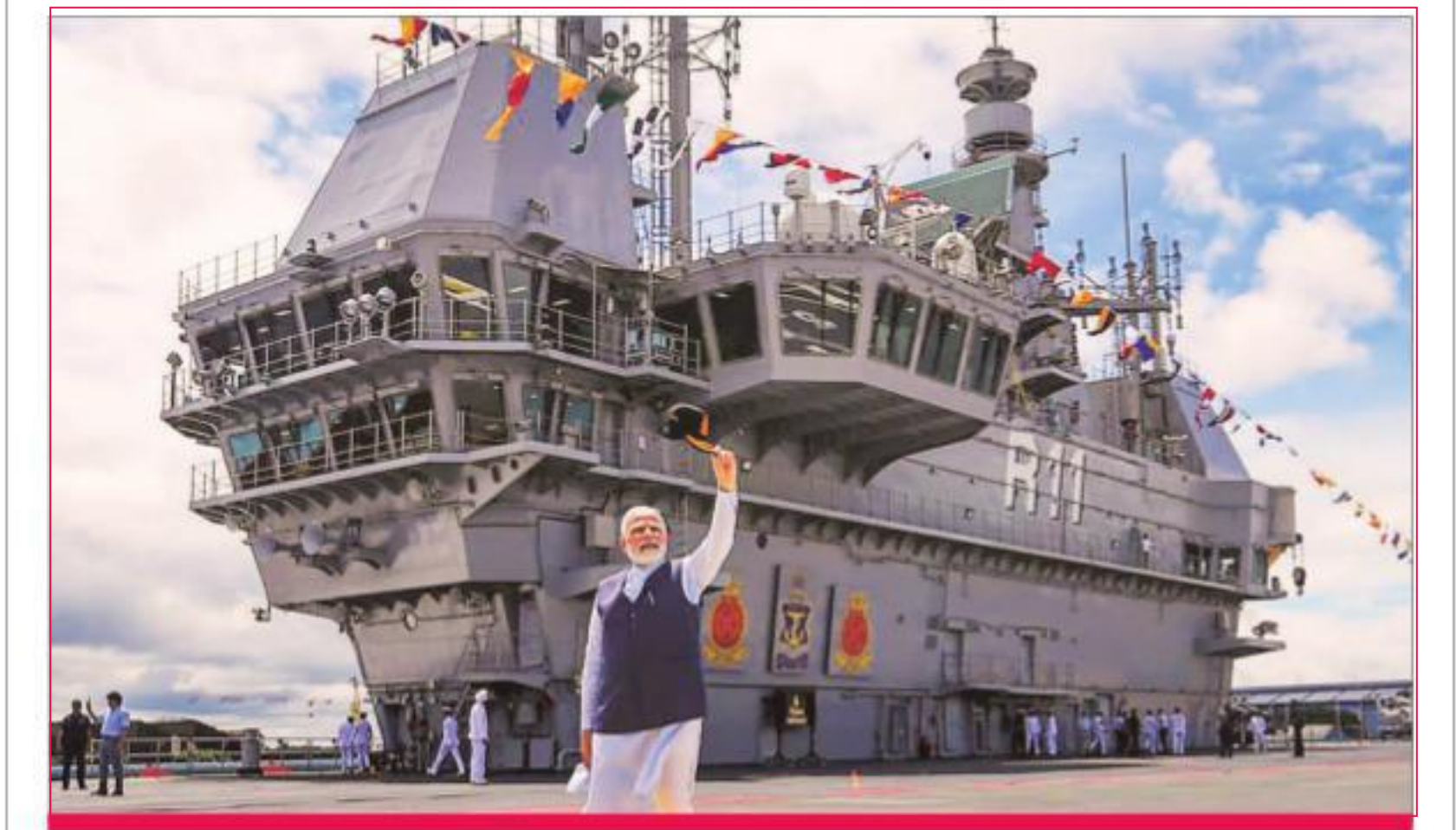
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Of late, many IT companies have either deferred or cut the variable pay for the employees

account for about 50-60% of the total costs in IT companies. Higher costs of onboarding and training new employees due to high attrition rates have been impacting margins at most of the IT services companies.

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READY TO SAIL



Prime Minister Narendra Modi during the commissioning ceremony of the first indigenously designed and built aircraft carrier INS Vikrant in Kochi on Friday.

Govt links funds release to usage

PRASANTA SAHU New Delhi, September 2

THE CENTRE HAS rolled out a new expenditure management scheme, under which monies will be released from the Consolidated Fund of India (CFI) directly to the bank accounts of implementing agencies 'just in time' for use.

The scheme, which initially covered all centrally sponsored schemes and autonomous bodies, has now been extended to expenditure routed through Centre-sector schemes as well, a move that will result in significant fiscal savings.

The benefit to the Centre's finances from the move arises

STRIKING BALANCE ₹2 trillion Additional spending on fertiliser, food and fuel subsidies in FY23

₹1.3 trillion Extra net tax collections likely due to buoyancy

₹30,000-40,000 crore Expected from windfall taxes on petroleum items



Implementation of just-in-time release of funds for schemes

from the fact that expenditures would be budgeted only when funds are actually spent in the real economy.

In the earlier system, large funds used to float with govern-

ment accounts other than CFI, including state treasuries, even as the expenditures have been accounted for.

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NEW CEO TO LEAD COFFEE CHAIN'S BID TO 'REINVENT BRAND STARBUCKS'

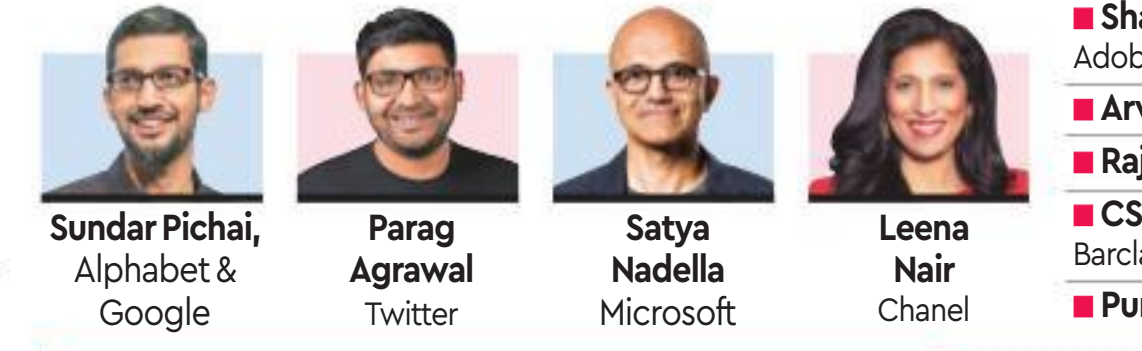
Another Indian enters America Inc's corner office

Within hours of stepping down from Reckitt, Laxman Narasimhan appointed Starbucks CEO

FE BUREAU Mumbai, September 2

ANOTHER INDIAN HAS made it to the corner room of an American multinational corporation. Laxman Narasimhan has been named the next chief executive officer (CEO) of US-based coffee chain Starbucks.

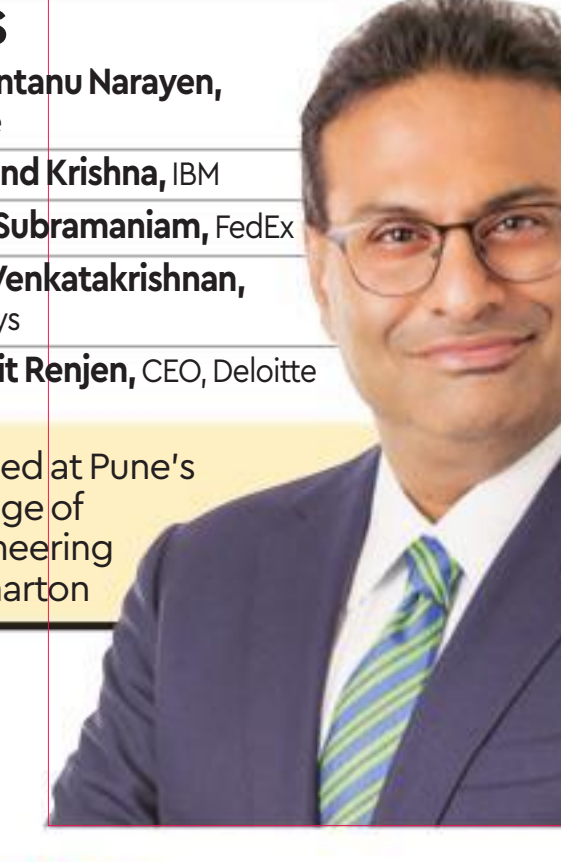
INDIANS ON TOP IN GLOBAL CORPORATE GIANTS



LAXMAN NARASIMHAN, CEO designate, Starbucks Studied at Pune's College of Engineering & Wharton

coffee houses chain on October 1. Narasimhan joins a long list of Indians who are leading global corporations including Sundar Pichai at

Alphabet, Satya Nadella at Microsoft, Shantanu Narayen at Adobe, Parag Agrawal at Twitter, Lal Karsanbhai at Emerson, CS Venkatakrishnan at



Barclays and Sanjeev Lamba at Linde. Ahead of these appointments, Indra Nooyi was selected to be CEO of PepsiCo in 2006, Vikram Pandit became CEO of Citigroup in 2007, while Ajay Banga was named President and CEO of Mastercard in 2010.

Mahindra & Mahindra Group chairman, Anand Mahindra tweeted: "What was initially a trickle of water has turned into a tsunami. The appointment of Indian-origin CEOs at the world's most iconic companies is now an unstoppable trend. Inter-

The man who turned around Reckitt Benckiser

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national boardrooms consider them to be almost 'safe' leadership bets." By one estimate, in 2021, Indian-American CEOs collectively employed more than 3.6 million people worldwide and accounted for \$1 trillion in revenue and \$5 trillion in market capitalisation.

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NOTICE INVITING E-AUCTION
Date : 31.08.2022
E-Auction is invited by Senior Divisional Commercial Manager, Eastern Railway,

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Date: 03.09.2022 Place: Krishnagar STATUTORY 15 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER RULE 8(G) OF THE SARFAESI ACT, 2002





