



A road leading to the police station where protesters resorted to vandalism in Kaliaganj. Picture by Kousik Sen

## I watched as mob torched my home: Cop

KOUSIK SEN

Raiganj: A sub-inspector posted in North Dinajpur Kaliaganj and some residents of Thanpara, where the police station is located, on Wednesday recalled Tuesday's horror when a mob attacked the police station, damaged quarters and other homes and mercilessly beat up cops.

The charred remains of the sub-inspector's residential quarters and nearby vandalised houses bear testimony to the violence Kaliaganj saw on Tuesday over the death of a 17-year-old girl whose body was found last Friday.

Nefazul Haque, the sub-inspector who helplessly watched his quarters go up in flames, said all their belongings were burnt.

"I stayed in the quarters (next to the main building of the police station) with my wife. A few days back, my married daughter and her four-year-old son came to visit us. They were all at the quarters while I was working at the police station on Tuesday," said Haque.

Around 2:30pm that day, he heard a commotion and saw a group of around 250 people breaking the boundary wall.

"They vandalised and torched the bikes and a car parked nearby. Suddenly, a group ran towards my quarters. They entered inside and ransacked the furniture. My wife, daughter and grandson fled through a backdoor as the attackers torched the quarters. I could do nothing," said the police officer.

When the flames were doused, Haque saw everything was gutted.

"I don't have any clothes other than the uniform I am wearing. I spent the night in police barracks while my family stayed at the home of one of my colleagues. The attack has shocked my grandson. He is gone silent," he added.

Some residents recalled that cops were outnumbered.

Sukdep Pal, who stays near the police station, said around 3pm on Tuesday, he heard hundreds shouting.

"I saw 30 to 35 policemen running towards my house, chased by a mob of around 200 people. Attackers beat up cops mercilessly. When we tried to dissuade them, they ransacked my house," said Pal, who fled with his wife and son.

"It was a horrific scene. The policemen rolled on the ground, pleading for mercy, as attackers hit them with sticks and bricks," he recalled.

Dipesh Sarkar, Pal's neighbour and an employee at the court in Raiganj, was attacked when he tried to save a civic volunteer.

"The mob caught hold of a civic volunteer. An attacker snatched a gun used to fire teargas shells and started hitting him with it," said Sarkar, adding he ran to save the civic volunteer but someone in the mob slashed him in the back with a sharp weapon.

Residents said the mob carried daggers, sickles, bows and arrows, sticks and axes.

## Mamata: Police should have been more proactive to stop violence

# CM's glare on cops at Kaliaganj



Mamata Banerjee at Nabanna on Wednesday

PRANESH SARKAR AND KOUSIK SEN

Calcutta/Raiganj: Mamata Banerjee on Wednesday apparently expressed displeasure over the way police had handled the violence at Kaliaganj in North Dinajpur district on Tuesday and questioned the intelligence's alleged inability to foresee the riot in which law enforcers had been chased away and the local police station torched.

The chief minister also instructed Bengal police chief Manoj Malaviya to take stern action against the perpetrators of the violence. A mob of around 2,000 people who brought out a march over the death of a 17-year-old girl last week rampaged through Kaliaganj on Tuesday.

At an administrative review meeting in Nabanna,

the Bengal secretary, on Wednesday, Mamata said the police should have handled the situation more efficiently.

"What were they (police) doing? Why didn't they use batons to disperse the mob? Police have to be more proactive to deal with such situations," the chief minister was quoted to have said at the meeting by an official.

She wondered what the intelligence wing had been doing prior to the violence. "It was an announced event (march). Why did the intelligence wing not get the information that the gathering could turn so violent," Mamata said apparently.

Talking to journalists later, Mamata asserted that the police would take stringent steps against the perpetrators of the violence.

"Government property was vandalised and burnt down yesterday. We will attack the properties of all those who were involved in the attack. This step is necessary to prevent such hoodlumism (in future). The BJP is behind the violence and brought in goons from Bihar," she said.

The mob that mostly comprised Rajbanshis and Advashis had organised the march, alleging that the minor girl had been raped and murdered. But the autopsy pointed out poisoning as the possible cause of the death. The agitators turned the CBI to probe the death.

"The police are investigating the death of the girl. The autopsy was video-graphed and a doctor concerned said it was a case of suicide. The investigation is on and I must not say anything in advance," said Mamata.



Workers clean up the premises of Kaliaganj police station on Wednesday. Picture by Kousik Sen

The North Dinajpur district administration clamped prohibitory orders in five municipal wards surrounding the police station to prevent any gathering in the area.

The police's preliminary investigation showed that youths from neighbouring blocks like Bahar and Karandighi had joined the march with a plan to attack the law enforcers.

"We were taking out the march peacefully but police attacked us with batons, teargas, rubber bullets and water cannon. This agitated a section of the marchers who retaliated. After the incident, the police are making indiscriminate arrests. Rabindranath Ghosh, the president of the forum, has been arrested. If such high-handedness doesn't stop, we will launch a movement," said Kailpada Barman, secretary of the forum.

"They were carrying kerosene and could easily set fire to the police station," said a source.

The special operation group of the district police has been engaged to identify the attackers. Sam Akhtar, the superintendent of police of North Dinajpur, said 32 persons had been arrested so far in connection with the violence. "We are in search of some others," he said.

## ED arrests Anubrata's daughter

KINSUK BASU

Calcutta: The Enforcement Directorate (ED) on Wednesday arrested Sukanya, daughter of imprisoned Trinamul Congress heavyweight Anubrata Mondal, in the cattle smuggling case.

Sukanya had gone to the ED headquarters in New Delhi with her lawyer in tow to face questioning around 10.30am on Wednesday. While the lawyer was denied entry, Sukanya was escorted inside by force interrogators who had summoned her several times in the past one-and-a-half months.

Sukanya was arrested after close to six hours of interrogation, almost eight months after the CBI had rounded up Anubrata for his alleged involvement in the alleged cattle smuggling. A Delhi court later sent the veteran leader from Birbhum to the ED's custody.

On Wednesday, senior ED officials said Sukanya was not cooperating with the central investigating agency during the interrogation and was allegedly trying to evade questions, saying Anubrata and Kothari knew all those things.

"We are trying to trace the path that several cores of rupees collected from the alleged smuggling had travelled. Sukanya appears to be completely aware of the dealings," the official said.

"The investigators said they had been tracing transactions made through foreign banks by two companies in which Sukanya was one of the joint directors.

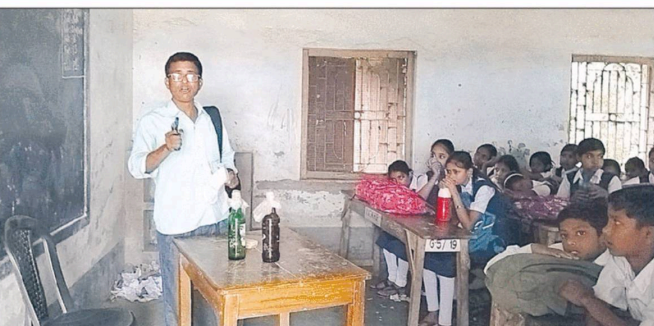
Sukanya is a teacher at a primary school in Birbhum.

Reacting to her arrest, a senior Trinamul Congress leader said: "The law will take its own course."



Sukanya Mondal. File picture

## DIDI SMELLS DELHI CONSPIRACY TO MALIGN BENGAL



The person with a gun and petrol bottles in the classroom of Muchia Anchal Chandramohan High School, Malda, on Wednesday. Picture by Soumya De Sarkar

Sources said his wife is a Maina police member, but she and their son stay separately from Dev.

"My wife and my son were kidnapped. I lodged several complaints with the police and administration. But no action was taken. Even the media neglected my pleas... If I do not get my wife and son back, I will empty the laps of many mothers," Dev said, placing two bottles of petrol on the teacher's table.

Soon, the news spread, and guardians and journalists started coming to the school. Police had reached but proceeded with caution as Dev threatened to kill students. Dev, however, kept talking to journalists.

The police then hatched a plan. Azharuddin Khan, the deputy superintendent of police (discipline and training), approached Dev in plain clothes, posing as a journalist, and spoke to him. Suddenly, Khan jumped on him and overpowered him. Other policemen also held him. The students were asked to walk out of the class. Then, Dev was brought outside.

Two firearms, one of which was loaded, a dagger, and bottles of petrol were found on him.

SP Pradeep Kumar Yadav: "He has some family problems. He earlier made a hit show on social media and threatened to kill students if he did not get his wife and son back. Many teachers said they had heard about gunmen in US schools but not here.

## CM rebukes 4 ministers at review meeting

PRANESH SARKAR

Calcutta: Mamata Banerjee apparently pulled up four ministers during an administrative review meeting at Nabanna on Wednesday.

Sources present at the meeting said the chief minister was unhappy with certain projects in tourism, transport and public health engineering (PHE) departments, headed by Babul Supriyo, Snehasis Chakraborty and Pulak Roy, respectively. Mamata was also reportedly unhappy that irrigation minister Partha Bhowmik publicly promised to repair the Ganga erosion without consulting her, as it is the Centre's job.

"The chief minister said that she visited the tourism bungalow at Baroghuri in Barisal and saw snakes there. She said it clearly indicated the department was not being run properly," said a senior official present in the meeting.

Sources said Mamata also advised Supriyo to consult junior minister for information and cultural affairs Indranil Sen who had been handling the tourism department earlier, rebuked transport minister Chakraborty for not finishing on time a bus terminus at Tarapith in Birbhum and also asked PHE minister Pulak Roy to speed up time-based water supply project.

## Gunman enters Malda school

Malda/Calcutta: Students and teachers of Muchia Anchal Chandramohan High School in Malda held their breath for nearly two hours on Wednesday as a man in his mid-40s entered a classroom with two firearms, a dagger and two bottles of petrol, threatening to kill the students if his demands were not met.

The incident, rare in Bengal, has caused a statewide stir.

Eventually, a quick-witted police officer posing as a journalist overpowered Dev Ballav, a 44-year-old resident of Nemta, Malda, and took him into custody. Investigations have started.

Around Wednesday noon, Dev entered the school and walked straight into the classroom of his seventh standard which had a teacher and 71 students, took out a gun and brandished it at the teacher.

"I will not hesitate to kill students if I don't get my son and wife back," eyewitnesses quoted him as saying.

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Appendix IV  
Refer: (Rule 8.11) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002  
Possession Notice  
(For Immovable Property)

**DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY**

All that the premises No. 10 Lake Terrace now at present 10, Jadunath Sarkar Road, P.S. Tollygunge, Kolkata 700029 within South 24 Parganas comprising an area, measuring 446sq. Cotahs 8 (sq. ft. more or less) TOGETHER WITH (B) Three stoled old residential building comprising old constructed area measuring 1200 sq. ft. more or less on the Ground Floor, together with 1000 sq. ft. more or less on the first floor together with 500 sq. ft. more or less on the Second Floor, lying situated and falling under P.S. Tollygunge, Kolkata 700 029, Dist. South 24 - Parganas formerly under Scheme No. XXVIII of CIP of plot of land known as S. Lake Terrace I, Lansdowne Road Extn. within the jurisdiction of Ward No.87 of the Calcutta Municipal Corporation butted and bounded by:- On the North by 5, Satyendra Dutta Road (Back Portion); On the South by 49'-0" West Corporation Meters Road known as Jadunath Sarkar Road; On the East by: Premises 14, Jadunath Sarkar Road; On the West by: Premises 18, Jadunath Sarkar Road.

Date: 25.04.2023  
Place: Kolkata  
Authorised Officer  
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**DEAR WEEKLY LOTTERY**

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Lottery in the draw held on 08.02.2023. His winning ticket number is 50K 89464. He has submitted his prize winning ticket along with the prize claim form to the Nodal Officer, Nagaland State Lotteries located at Kolkata. "I have become a Crorepati. I would like to thank Dear Lottery and Nagaland State Lotteries for this wonderful opportunity," said the winner. Dear Lottery draws are shown on live.

## NOTICE

This is to inform all concerned that State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Govt. of West Bengal, vide its EC Identification No. EC23B03WB171187 & File No. EN/T-II-1/073/2022, date of issue of EC- 20/04/2023 has accorded environmental clearance to M/s. RDB Anekan Orbit Properties Pvt. Ltd. for the proposed Residential Cum Commercial Complex "ITITES & Residential Building" at Action Area -2F, Premises No. 03-0370, Registered as Plot No. AA-11F/5, Dist - North 24 Parganas, West Bengal.

[Proposal No.: SIA/WB/INFRA2/407812/2022, dated 24.11.2022]

Copy of the environmental clearance is available with the office of West Bengal Pollution Control Board, Kolkata and may also be seen at the website of MoEF-CC/SEIAA, where it is displayed.

M/s. RDB Anekan Orbit Properties Pvt. Ltd., 8/1, Lalbazar Street, 1st floor, Room No 10, Kolkata- 700001.

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Appendix IV-A  
Refer: proviso to rule 8 (6)  
SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

E Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization 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) that below-described, immovable property (mortgagee/discharged) to the Secured Creditor, the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Aditya Birla Finance Limited, the secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on 2nd June, 2023 for recovery of Rs. 6,39,44,652.46 (Rupees Six Crores Thirty Nine Laks Forty Four Thousand Eight Hundred Fifty Two and forty six paise) due as on 31.05.2022 to Aditya Birla Finance Limited, the Secured Creditor, TIL LIMITED (Borrower) through its directors. The reserve price will be Rs. 5,48,43,750/- (Rupees Five Crores Fifty Eight Laks Forty Three Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty only) and the earnest money deposit will be Rs. 65,84,276/- (Rupees Sixty Five Laks Eighty Four Thousand Three Hundred Seventy Five only).

**DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY**

ALL THAT Office Space bearing No. 1-5, measuring approx. 6125 sq. ft. super built-up area which includes classroom area, wall area and proportionate shares of service area in the Seventh Floor of the multi-storied building "Shaver Plaza" together with 1951 sq. ft. undivided share in land measuring 9 grounds 1600 sq. ft., comprised in R.S. No. 1562 of Plot No. 22 in Nungambakkam Village (within the city limits) bearing Door No. 1A, Nungambakkam High Road with the registered Sub District of South Madras and Registration District of Madras Central District and the land being bound by the North by: Title belonging to M. Ananthachandran, South by: Kodambakkam High Road; East by: Nungambakkam High Road; West by: Pista belonging to S. Palani and others. For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in the website of Aditya Birla Finance Limited - <https://mortgagefinance.adityabirlacapital.com/Pages/Individual/Auction-Under-SARFESI-Act.aspx> where it is displayed.

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Date: 26.04.2023  
Place: Chennai/ Kolkata  
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Whereas, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of Aditya Birla Finance Limited under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (of 2002) and in the exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated 07.06.2022 calling upon the borrower: 1. Arvay Logistics Private Limited (Borrower) Through its Directors 2. Shakti Roadlines (Co-Borrower) Through its Director 3. GM Mishra Private Limited (Co-Borrower), Through its Directors 4. Sujit Mishra (Guarantor) 4. Sarita Mishra (Guarantor) to repay the amount mentioned in the Notice being Rs. 2,25,27,209.38/ (Rupees Two Crore Twenty Five Lakh Twenty Seven Thousand Two Hundred Nine and thirty Nine Paise Only) due as on 26.05.2022 within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice. The borrowers and guarantors having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Physical Possession of the property described herein below in exercise of the powers conferred on him/her under Sub Section (4) of Section 13 of Act read with rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this 24th day of April of the year 2023. The borrowers and guarantors' attention are invited to provisions of Sub-section (4) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of the time available, to redeem the secured assets.

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ALL THAT PIECE AND PARCEL OF Revenue paying land Rayeti Sall Land measuring 03 (Three) Cotahs 2 (Two) Chittahs and 34 (Thirty-Four) Sq. ft. i.e. 2284 sq. ft. be the same a title more or less in the District of North 24 Parganas are situated and bounded as follows:- On the North: Plot No. 17, On the South: 16' 8" wide Road, On the East: 16' 8" wide Road, On the West: Plot No. 14-1.

Date: 24.04.2023  
Place: Kolkata  
Authorised Officer  
Aditya Birla Finance Limited