Gadkari to give away As women turn power hitters, big Ramnath Goenka awards for journalism

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FROM A STORY on how unplanned development can potentially lead to ecological damage in the higher reaches of the Himalayas to the relationship that Bastar tribals have with the State, from exposing a recruitment scam to highlighting the hardships faced by healthcare workers during the Covid pandemic — each of the winners of the Ramnath Goenka Awards for Excellence in Journalism Awards exemplify a basic tenet of journalism: the need to tell a story that touches lives.

Union Minister for Road Transport and Highways Nitin Gadkari will give away the awards for stories done in 2021 and 2022 — when the country stepped out of the shadow of a pandemic — at a ceremony in New Delhi on Tuesday.

Instituted by the Ramnath Goenka Foundation, the awards acknowledge and honour th best of journalism while showcasing 37 outstanding contributions from both print, digital and broadcast journalists across 13 categories, including investigative journalism, sports, politics & government, books, feature writing and regional

The jury for the 17th edition of the excellence awards included Justice B N Srikrishna, jurist and former judge, Supreme Court of India; Prof. (Dr) C Raj Kumar, Founding Dean, Jindal Global Law School (JGLS) and Director, International Institute for Higher Education Research and Capacity Building (IIHEd); Dr SY Quraishi, former Chief Election Commissioner of India; and KG Suresh, Vice Chancellor of Makhanlal Chaturvedi National University of Journalism and Communication, Bhopal.

"Some of the stories we



Nitin Gadkari, Union Minister for Road Transport and Highways



received were exceptionally good. They were interesting and topical. We also got stories that intended to raise the awareness of citizens' rights. In this day and age, when the print medium is dying and people are scared, it was heartening to see these brave souls coming up and speaking truth to power. When it came to judging which stories were good, it was a close margin," said Justice Srikrishna.

The jury had to choose from a wide range of stories. "This

year, we received different kinds of stories dealing with various issues. People sent their best stories and as always, there was a lot of competition. It was difficult to choose the best stories among the entries we received. Though we tried to be as objective as possible, subjectivity crept in, nonetheless. But we judged the stories on three major criteria the story's novelty, challenges faced while reporting and the impact it had," Quraishi said.

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WHILE DELHI CAPITALS lost

their second successive

Women's Premier League

(WPL) final, there was one

undeniable bright spot. India

opener Shafali Verma, 20, lit up

Delhi's Ferozshah Kotla Sta-

dium with her 27-ball 44 that

included three cleanly struck sixes. Two of these landed just

in front of the stands, comfort-

ably clearing the boundary

ter, coached by her father to

smash cricket balls since she

was eight, topped this WPL's

list of those hitting the maxi-

mum sixes. Shafali, known for

her power game, finished with

20 sixes, far ahead of Smriti

Mandhana and Richa Ghosh,

Gujarat Giants, Shafali struck

a 91-metre six. The other bat-

ter to breach the 90-metre

mark was Harmanpreet Kaur

who struck big during a sensa-

tional run-chase against

Guiarat Giants. The two were

among four Indian batters to

were a common feature across

Bengaluru's M Chinnaswamy

Stadium and Delhi's Kotla -

Sixes flying into the stands

clear the 80-metre mark.

During the match against

who ended up with 10 each.

The Rohtak-born hard-hit-

The award-winning journalists pursued their stories in the face of tremendous pressure.

"There's a perception that journalism is dead. But that's not the case. Perhaps we are not reading the right kind of stories... Alternative media and regional news outlets are doing some of the finest stories. To sustain good journalism, we need to recognise good stories. Some of the journalists who sent in their entries worked in the face of pressure to pursue their stories. We received a good crop of stories. By recognising them through this platform (RNG Awards), we can encourage future journalists to reinstate their faith in the profession. I would encourage more journalists, especially from rural areas and regional news outlets, to apply for the awards," said Suresh.

Past chief guests at the Ramnath Goenka Excellence in Journalism Awards have included Prime Minister Narendra Modi, Chief Justice of India DY Chandrachud, former Presidents Pratibha Patil, APJ Abdul Kalam and Ramnath Kovind and former Vice President Venkaiah Naidu, among others.

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LONGEST SIXES OF **WPL 2024**

METRES: Shafali Verma, DC v GG

87 METRES: Richa Ghosh. RCB v Ghosh, RCB v **UPW**

87 METRES:
Sophie Devine, RCB v DC

Sophie Devine, RCB v DC

two of the venues for the just concluded tournament - leading to questions on whether the boundary rope needs to be pushed out for the women's game from the next season of the WPL.

Though cricket grounds don't have uniform dimensions, usually, for women's games, the boundary ropes are brought in by 5 to 10 metres. At Kotla, for instance, the square boundary was 10 metres shorter for the WPL than it

usually is for men's games.

Meg Lanning, captain of the Delhi Capitals team who formerly captained the Australian national women's team, said, "We could look at potentially having slightly bigger boundaries. There's so much more power and strength in the game now that people are clearing the ropes pretty easily. It is entertaining and is the same for both sides, so you can't complain too much."

It was an aspect that was highlighted by Australia's Rachael Haynes last year, when she was coaching Gujarat Giants. "At this level, perhaps in seasons to come, it would be nice to see the boundaries pushed out a few metres. The nature of players at this level and what they are capable of means that they are able to clear the boundaries easily," Haynes had said.

As the power-hitting aspect in women's cricket keeps improving, perhaps the biggest takeaway from the season that concluded on Sunday is how Indians have dominated the six-hitting stats. While Shafali led the way, seven of the top 10 six-hitters were Indians.

Of the 168 sixes hit in WPL 2024, 98 or close to 60% were by Indian batters. That number stood at around 35% in the first season.

We stuck together as a team: RCB's Asha Shobana

question: Time for bigger fields?

New Delhi , March 18

With Royal Challengers Bangalore clinching Women's Premier League to register their maiden triumph across the premier league format in both men's and women's categories in India, RCB spinner Asha Shobana said they stuck together as a team throughout the tournament and attained success.

Richa Ghosh and Ellyse Perry formed the winning

partnership that took RCB through while chasing a target of 114 in a keenly contested final against Delhi Capitals here on Sunday. RCB spinners, particularly Shreyanka Patil also contributed as did Sophie Devine and skipper Smriti Mandhana with the bat.

Shobana ended the tournament as the second-highest wicket-taker with 12 scalps in 10 matches at an average of 15.41, including a five-wicket



"Throughout our wins and losses, we stuck together as a team. When Richa cried (after

losing to DC by 1 run in the spinners. Also, our spinners league stage) we all cried. When Shreyanka took four wickets in the final, we were all overjoyed. That was our secret," Shreyanka told ANI.

"The dream has finally come true," she remarked.

Shobana revealed that the wicket was helping the spinners and RCB backed its inform spinners to make inroads into the Delhi Capitals line-up no matter what the situation.

"Wickets were helping the

were in great form, be it Sophie Molineux, Shreyanka Patil or me. We knew we had quality in our spinners to make a comeback. Smriti (Mandhana, the skipper) was telling us that we were in the game." Shobana said she cannot wait to go to Bengaluru and celebrate the win with the fans, who had been waiting for the franchise to lift a trophy since the inception of IPL back in 2008.

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The undersigned Liquidator of Turning Point Estates Private Limited (In Liquidation) ("Corporate Debtor'), appointed by the Hon'ble NCLT, Mumbai, vide order dated 09.02,2023, intends to sell the following properties forming part of the liquidation estate of Corporate Debtor through eauction as per the provisions of the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 ("Code") and Regulations thereunder including IBBI (Liquidation Process) Regulations 2016 and thus forming part of the Liquidation Estate of Corporate Debtor through e-auction on "as is where is basis" as is what is basis", "whatever there is basis" and "without recourse basis". Sale will be done by the undersigned through E-Auction service provider National E-Governance Services Ltd (NeSL) (website: https://nbid.nesl.co.in/app/login). The important particulars of the Sale rocess are as under

Friday, 19th April, 2024, 3 PM to 5 PM Last Date and Time for submission of Bid Up to Saturday, 6th April, 2024 by 5 PM Form, Declaration forms and of KYC Date of declaration of Qualified Bidder(s) By Monday, 8th April, 2024 Date and Time for Inspection or due Up to Tuesday, 16th April, 2024 (with one-day diligence of the Corporate Debtor prior intimation to Mr. Sudhanshu Pandey -Mob. - 9821916190 11:00 am - 3.30 pm (except Sundays and State Holidays). Last date and Time for submission of Up to Tuesday, 16th April, 2024, by 3 PM

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