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State News

17 TREES POISONED FOR A CLEAR VIEW OF HOARDING ON ORR

Over 17 trees were poisoned and another 13 were pruned and irregularly chopped to ensure a clear view of a hoarding placed beside between Marathahalli and Chinnappannahalli on the Outer Ring Road.

*All the trees are of the *Tespesia Papulenia* (Behandi) variety. They were anywhere between 4 to 7 metres tall.*

HOARDING

a large board in a public place, used to display advertisements.

a temporary board fence erected round a building site.

PRUNED

cut away (a branch or stem) from a tree, shrub, etc.

"prune back the branches"

Inter-National News

TRUMP ADMINISTRATION WOULD BE GOOD FOR INDIA: USIBC

"The Trump administration would be good for India as Washington sees New Delhi as a stabilising factor in the region, a top US industry body has said.

"I think US needs India for its presence in the region itself," Mukesh Agni, president of US India Business Council (USIBC), a representative body of top American businesses having a footprint in India, told PTI.

Noting that geopolitically as India sits in a very turmoil arena, New Delhi needs Washington more.

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STABILISING

make or become unlikely to change, fail, or decline.

"an emergency program designed to stabilize the economy"

FOOTPRINT

the area covered by something, in particular. synonyms: track, print, mark, spoor, trace, impression

National News

JAT AGITATION FOR QUOTA REACHES DELHI

The Jat agitation for quota in jobs and education reached Delhi on Thursday with thousands of community members from northern States descending on Jantar Mantar here to extend support to the movement in Haryana.

Roads leading to the protest hub were packed with Jat agitators from Uttar Pradesh, Haryana, Uttarakhand, Delhi and Punjab.

AGITATION

a state of anxiety or nervous excitement.

"she was wringing her hands in agitation" synonyms: anxiety, perturbation, disquiet

DESCENDING

move or fall downwards.

"the aircraft began to descend"

synonyms: go down, come down

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