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HC relief for Tatas in investor plea

Business News

In a reprieve for the Tata group, the Bombay High Court overturned its order and ruled it cannot hear a suit filed by minority shareholders of the group seeking 41,000 crore in damages as a representative suit on behalf of all non-promoter shareholders. The suit, filed by shareholders Pramod Shah and five others, challenged Cyrus Mistry's removal as chairman of the Tata group, terming it "illegal, motivated and malafide."

reprieve

cancel or postpone the punishment of someone, especially someone condemned to death

malafide

in bad faith

International News

U.K. court hearing begins for terminally ill baby

Parents want to take him to U.S. for experimental treatment

A British court on Monday began re-examining the case of a terminally ill baby whose life support is due to be withdrawn at a London hospital, after Pope Francis and U.S. President Donald Trump intervened in the case. Great Ormond Street Hospital last week said it had received "claims of new evidence" that 11-month-old Charlie Gard could be treated for his disease and has asked a court to rule on how to proceed. Gard's parents, who submitted a petition of over 350,000 signatures demanding that they be allowed to take him to the U.S. for treatment, attended the hearing at the High Court in London.

terminally

In a way that is predicted to lead to death

intervened

Take part in something so as to prevent or alter a result or course of events

State News

7 Amarnath pilgrims killed in terror attack

Hospital sources say six pilgrims were killed in the attack and one died of injuries in hospital

Seven Amarnath pilgrims were killed and 12 injured when terrorists opened fire at a patrol vehicle on the Srinagar-Jammu Highway on Monday night. A police official said the vehicle came under fire at Anantnag's Batengo area around 8.30 p.m. The attack took place when quick response teams of the Army had withdrawn from the highway around sunset, making the vehicle vulnerable. "A mini-bus carrying Amarnath pilgrims also got hit in the militant fire," said the police official. Batengo is a small stopover at Khanabal with sparse population and large swathes of fields.

pilgrims

A person who journeys to sacred place for religious reasons

Deprive

Take away from, prevent from using