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We won't allow terrorists dictate cricket: Clarke

PTI, London

England and Wales Cricket Board (ECB) chairman Giles Clarke has indicated that Kevin Pietersen and his men will be back in India for next week's Test series, insisting he would not let terrorists dictate cricket.

"Under no circumstances will we allow our cricket to be dictated to by terrorists. India is an enormous country and there are large parts of it that have never seen terrorist activity. In 2005 the Aussies were sensible and we are doing the same here," Clarke was quoted as saying by the Press Association.

Traumatised by the mayhem in Mumbai, top players like Andrew Flintoff and Steve Harmison are unwilling to return to India after abandoning the last two one-dayers last month.

The England Cricket Board has sent security expert Reg Dickason to take stock of the arrangements for the twomatch Test series to be held in Chennai and Mohali. Dickason has okayed Chennai and will soon visit Mohali before submitting a report to ECB.

Clarke said he was happy with the BCCI's efforts at tightening the security.

"A lot of progress has been made and some extremely good and constructive meetings have taken place," Clarke said.

"The Board of Control for Cricket in India are doing all it can to facilitate the tour but we must do what we have to do properly and thoroughly. It is what every England player wants and deserves," he added.

The ECB has also demanded that a 20-man commando force be put on duty at every venue.

Fine win

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all out.

(Faruque 66, Imran 50, Arafat 49*, Talha 30; Roy 3-67, Nabil 2-77).

DHAKA: First innings 142 and second innings 251-7 in 96.5 overs (Riyad 105, Shamsur 49; Delwar 3-55, Shuvo 2-81). RAJSHAHI: First innings 283

KHULNA: First innings 301-9 dec. and second innings 54 all out in 34.1 overs (Kamrul 5-21, Younus 2-5, Tariq 2-15).

CHITTAGONG: First innings 121 all out and second innings 199 all out in 51.2 overs (Faisal 79. Kamrul 29, Dollar 4-57, Ziaur 2-35).

Result: Khulna won by 35 runs.

Man-of-the-match: Ziaur Rahman.

BCB-GP sign

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match Test series between Bangladesh and Sri Lanka. The Grameenphone Tri-nation Cup involves hosts Bangladesh, Sri Lanka and Zimbabwe and there will be an ODI series between Bangladesh and Zimbabwe.

Grameenphone, a patron of sports since its inception, has been the official sponsors for the national cricket team since 2003.

The first Test between Sri Lanka and Bangladesh will be held at the Sher-e-Bangla National Stadium in Mirpur from December 26 while the second Test will be held at the Chittagong Divisional Stadium from January 3.

The tri-nation series will begin on January 10 while the Zimbabwe ODI series will start on January 19.

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senior player," he said. "I have

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players and also to make a big

Tests, five ODIs and two

Twenty20 internationals on

this tour, will begin with a

three-day game against

Auckland on December 5, and

Gayle hopes the team will

make use of the warm-up.

"The build-up has been good

I am hitting the ball very well

We have a match coming up

against Auckland where we

will look to use to get fully

been keeping a watch on the

opposition. "We have been

looking at New Zealand in

Australia," he said. "We

watched the matches and also

looked at clips to see what the

New Zealand players are all

about. Australia beat them,

but they will be coming back

here, on home soil, and will be

looking to hit back at us. We

will have to counter that. We

have a good idea what will be

required."

Gayle said the team had

ready for the Test matches."

West Indies, who play two

contribution to the team."

Members of the Ferdous-Kiran panel show v-signs after yesterday's sweeping victory in the Bangladesh Women's Sports Federation election at the National Sports Council.

Gayle ready for Kiwis

Cricket

CRICINFO, undated

Chris Gayle, the West Indies captain, says he's ready to play a "big part" during the upcoming Test series against New Zealand. Gayle, who leads a 15-man squad with four players vet to make their Test debut, has said he expects a closely-fought series.

very competitive one. New 2005-06, he scored 235 runs at Zealand have some inexperi- 47.00 an took six wickets at enced batsmen who will be 21.16 in the three Tests. But he looking to prove a point," he managed only 51 runs in the said. "We have some new players who will be looking

for opportunities to make a name on the international stage. I'm feeling confident. Whenever the first match comes we will be ready for the main assignment." Gayle was the leading run-

getter during West Indies' recent assignment, the three-ODI series against Pakistan in Abu Dhabi. He scored 235 runs, including two centuries, but West Indies failed to win a single game, On West Indies' "The battle is going to be a last tour of New Zealand, in five ODIs.

"I have a big part to play as a

Yuvraj primed

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two in an Under-22 tournament. It would have helped the duo if the ECB had not scrapped England's lone practice game.

The bowling unit is likely to be retained, with Zaheer Khan and Ishant Sharma sharing the new ball and Harbhajan Singh and Amit Mishra being the two specialist spinners. Munaf Patel will continue to be the third seamer, but the fate of his partner, RP Singh, is not so clear. There were Dhoni and the selection panel over RP's selection ahead of the ODI series against England and it boiled over into a conit to a member of the press.

If the selectors opt for a 15man squad, there is a strong likelihood of a third spinner being picked. Piyush Chawla is the leading candidate, especially after the shoulder injury Pragyan Ojha suffered while fielding in the Cuttack game against England.

PROBABLE SQUAD

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BCCI confident

FROM PAGE 17 good and constructive meet-

ings have taken place," ECB chairman Giles Clarke said on Tuesday.

receiving has not changed and we are getting a lot of help and co-operation from everyone in India.

"The BCCI is doing all it can to facilitate the tour but we mustn't let the terrorists win', must do what we have to do but what about the grieving properly and thoroughly. It is families who have lost loved what every England player ones. wants and deserves."

considering travelling to Abu essentially fun. But I don't Dhabi to set up a base camp and train there before resuming their journey to Chennai.

Reports from Abu Dhabi terror. claimed England will train and play a warm-up game at the Abu Dhabi Cricket Club later by pressing ahead with all this week before flying to these meetings and security Chennai.

England great Geoff is just too raw."

Boycott said they were not in favour of the series taking place.

"Given what has just happened in India, it is monstrous "The security advice we are for the ECB even to be thinking about sending the team back out again," Boycott wrote in his column in The Daily Telegraph.

"It's all very well to say 'We

"Sport is supposed to be England, meanwhile, are enjoyable, entertaining and know how any of that can be possible when India is burying more than 200 victims of

"In fact, the ECB are showing a lack of moral judgment inspections. The whole thing

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Kiron beats Dana in **BWSF** polls

SPORTS REPORTER

The Ferdous-Kiron panel recorded a sweeping victory in the election of the Bangladesh Women's Sports Federation (BWSF) yesterday.

The panel, backed by the so-called Forum and also supported by the present Bangladesh Olympic Association leadership, won all the 29 posts including 19 members.

The president and a member will be later nominated for the 31-member executive committee.

Ferdous Ara Khan was elected senior vice-president beating Rawshan Akhter while Mahfuza Akhter Kiron stunned former badminton ace Kamrunnahar Dana by 53-43 votes in the most talked about battle for the general secretary.

The other office bearers are: Kamrunnahar Aziz, Anjuman Ara Aksir, Rasheda Rahman, Naznin Shamim, Dolly Cruz (vice-presidents), Zobera Rahman Linu, Farhad Jasmine Liti (joint secretaries) and Mahfuza Nazrul (treasurer).

BSWA award ceremony cancelled

UNB, Dhaka

Bangladesh Sports Writers Association (BSWA) has suspended its tomorrow's awardgiving programme due to unavoidable circumstances.

The BSWA regretted for the temporary suspension of the programme scheduled to be held at the newly built NSC Tower. It, however, hoped that they would soon be able to hand over the awards for the years 2005, 2006 and 2007 to the nominees through a formal ceremony.

Mahtab holds FROM PAGE 17

FM Mehdi Hasan Parag, Abdul Momin, Sharif Hossain and Nahid Parvez. Both Mahtab and Obaidul

won their respective sixth round matches.

PCB in favour of England return

Cricket

CRICINFO, undated

The Pakistan Cricket Board (PCB) is in favour of England resuming its tour of India after the terrorist attacks in Mumbai, believing the move will send out a "positive signal for cricket in the subcontinent"

"If England returns despite the carnage caused by the Mumbai attacks it would give out positive signals for cricket in the subcontinent. We feel it will also go a long way in India playing us," Saleem Altaf, the Pakistan's board's chief operating officer, told PTI. "I fully support the statement of England captain Kevin Pietersen that we can't let cowards run cricket. These terrorists who caused so much carnage in Mumbai have to be given out a clear message that people in the region want to live a normal life."

England were five matches into their ODI series against India when the attacks took place last month. The teams were due to play the second Test in Mumbai starting December 19, and were slated to stay at the Taj Mahal hotel, one of the locations targeted. In the wake of the attacks, the final two ODIs of the seven-match series were called off, and the England squad headed back home.

Reg Dickason, their security expert, who is assessing the situation in Chennai and Mohali, the new venues for the two Tests instead of Mumbai and Ahmedabad. However, there are doubts whether all of England's first-choice squad are go to India if the tour does proceed as planned; the board has maintained it will leave thing for us."

the decision to the individuals concerned.

Giles Clarke, the ECB chairman, said the board would make a sensible choice. "Underno circumstances will we allow our cricket to be dictated to by terrorists," he said. "India is an enormous country and there are large parts of it that have never seen terrorist activity. In 2005 [when terrorists attacked parts of London], the Aussies were sensible and we are doing the same here." Clarke's statements came after the ICC chief executive, Haroon Lorgat, urged England to tour India if the security situation is deemed safe.

The Pakistan board is also expecting a decision on India's visit to the country next year. There have been reports the tour would be cancelled as the Indian government take a tough stance on ties with Pakistan after the attacks.

"So far the Indian board has just told us that they are waiting for directives from their government and that is the present status quo," Altaf said. "Our [PCB] chairman Ijaz Butt will meet with his Indian counterpart in Colombo this week during the Asian Cricket Council meeting to discuss things while I am also going to attend the ICC chief executives meeting and we hope to make some headway on the Indian's tour."

Altaf was hopeful the tour goes ahead; the The ECB is now awaiting a report from their PCB in the past has said neutral venues would be considered if India are wary about the security situation in Pakistan. "Cricket has to resume in the subcontinent," he said. "We know that the Indian board wants to support us. Hopefully, the series will be played on schedule right now that is the most important

Cricket's orphans: Abbas

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"We are placed at No. 6 in the ICC Test rankings and the only way to improve is if we play more Test matches." Pakistan is the only one of

the nine active Test playing nations which did not play a Test match in 2008. Abbas, who scored 12

centuries and 5,062 runs in 78 Tests, said it was high time that Pakistan started taking its own decisions. "Look, we have banned all

the players who are competing in the Indian Cricket League and our cricket is almost stuck with this security scenario," he said.

Pakistan has suspended all 19 players including present cricketers -- Rana Naved, Imran Farhat, Imran Nazir and Abdul Razzaq -- for joining the unsanctioned, rebel ICL in

"We should start taking our own decisions and lift suspension on ICL players," Abbas added.

"By doing so we will make our team more strong in international cricket." The Board of Control for

Cricket in India has sought its government clearance over sending its team to neighbouring Pakistan and is still waiting for the response,

Imran warns Eng cricketers

PTI, Karachi

Former Pakistan captain Imran Khan has cautioned England's cricketers against returning to India for the two-Test series in the wake of terror strikes in Mumbai

"I would advise them to be very cautious in taking a decision and I think if an individual player decides not to go to India others will also follow him," the former Pakistan captain was quoted as saying by the London-based 'Express' newspaper. Imran said since the terrorists

had specifically targetted foreign tourists in the Mumbai attacks, England players need to be very careful if they return to India.

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সিডিউল এয়ের নুলা আবেদন শত্রের সাথে একং দরশাত্র দাঝিলের সময়ে প্রয়োজনীয় সিকিউরিটি মানি পল্লী বিদ্যুতায়ন বোর্ড,ঢাকা এর অনুকূলে বাংলাদেশের যে কোন তথ্যসিলী বাংক হইতে পেবিবো কর্তৃক কালো তালিকাছও বাংক ব্যতীত) শে-অর্ডার/ব্যাংক ড্রাফট দরণত্র দলিলের সহিত ভ্রমা দিতে হইবে । কোন অবস্হাতেই প্রয়োজনীয় টেন্ডার সিকিউরিটি মানি ছাডা দরপত্র বৈধ বলিয়া গ্রহন্যোগ্য ইইবে না।

গ) উদ্বস্ত দর সরকারী বিধান মোতাবেক প্রদেয় মূলা সংযোজন কর সহ উদ্বস্ত বলিয়া বিবেচিত হইবে। প্রথক ভাবে মূলা সংযোজন কর উল্লেখ করা কোন দরশত্র शहन कवा इदेख ना।

প্রতিটি দরপত্তের বিপরীতে দক্ষ লোকবল প্রয়োজনীয় টুলস/যন্ত্রপাতির তালিকা ফরম পুরন করিতে হইবে। দরপত্তে অংশগ্রহনকারী প্রতিষ্ঠানের অবশ্যই পর্যাপ্ত সংখ্যক পবিবোর্টের প্রশিক্ষনপ্রাপ্ত সুপায়তাইজার ও লাইনয়ান সহ প্রয়োজনীয় লোকবল থাকিতে হইবে।যাহতে পবিবোর্টের অন্যান্য চালু কার্যাচলশের অগ্রগতি বাহত ছাড়াই আলোচা কাজের প্রয়োজনীয় সংখ্যক আ নিয়োজিত করা ঘাইতে পারে।

দরশত্র এয়ের সময় হালনাগাদ নবায়নকৃত এবিসি ঠিকাদারী ও সুশারভাইজারী নাইসেপ্সেম্থ অথবা নবায়নের জন্ম নাইসেপ্সিপ্সিং বের্ডের নিকট জমা প্রদানের কাগজ পরের সত্যায়িত কপি প্রদর্শন করিতে হইবে।

ডাক্যোগে অথবা ক্রিয়ার সার্ভিসের মাধামে দরশত্র শ্রেরন করা যাইবে । তবে নির্ধারিত তারিখ ও সময়ের পর প্রাপ্ত দরশত্র সমূহ না খুনিয়াই ফেরত প্রদান করা ठठाव । চুক্তিশত্র স্বাক্ষরের পূর্বে সফল দরদাতাকে উদ্বস্ত দরের ১০% হারে পারফরম্যাম্স চিকিউরিটি " বাংক গ্যারাশ্টি/শে-অর্ডার " আকারে অত্ত দন্তরে জমা নিতে

र्रेख । কাজের স্থান্ বিবরন্। উজাইন ইত্যাদি সংগৃহীত ষ্টেকিংশীট ২৯/১২/২০০৮ ইং তারিখ আফস চলাকালীন সময় শখন্ত অত্ত দপ্তর হইতে দেখা যাইবে।

দরপত্র গ্রহন/খোলার দিন যদি দুটি য়োষিত হয়, তবে শরবতী অফিস খোলার দিন নির্ধারিত সময়ে দরপত্র গ্রহন/খোলা হইবে। কার্যাদেশ পদান ও চুক্তি সম্পাদনের পর বা দরশতের ভালিডিটি সময়ের ২৮ দিন পর্যন্ত আন্ট্রেমানি সংরক্ষিত থাকিবে।

কর্তৃশব্দ কোন কারন প্রদর্শন বাতিরেকেই যে কোন দরশত্র গ্রহন অম্বরা বাতিল করার অধিকার সংরক্ষন করেন।

্যে কোন বিষয়ে স্পট্টায়নের ক্ষেত্রে পিশিআর ২০০৮ এর বিধান প্রয়োজা হইবে।



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