

Pakistan military aircraft crashes in training sortie

Two pilots killed

AFP, Islamabad

A Pakistani military aircraft crashed in the northwest of the country yesterday, killing both pilots, officials said.

The crash, near the city of Mardan, was the second deadly military air disaster in less than a week after an army helicopter crashed in Pakistan-administered Kashmir on Wednesday, killing all on board.

“Pakistan Air Force trainer aircraft on a routine training sortie has crashed near Mardan today,” the military’s media wing said in a statement.

Two pilots on board -- one from the Air Force and the other from the Navy -- were killed, the statement said, without specifying the type of aircraft.

"A board of inquiry has been constituted by Air Headquarters to ascertain the cause of accident," it added.

Pakistan's military is also investigating the helicopter crash near the capital of Pakistan-administered Kashmir, saying it was due to a technical fault.

Officials have not said how many were onboard when it went down.

Pakistan has a chequered military and civilian aviation safety record, with frequent plane and helicopter crashes over the years especially in its mountainous areas to the north.

UK PM bans social media for children under-16s

AFP, London

British Prime Minister Keir Starmer yesterday announced a forthcoming total ban on social media for children under 16, saying that such platforms are “making children unhappy”.

Starmer said that the government “will ban access to social media for all children under the age of 16”, warning that these platforms are “exposing them to content that is dangerous” and “designed to be addictive”.

The government said the ban will “include platforms like Snapchat, TikTok, YouTube, Instagram, Facebook and X” but not messaging services such as WhatsApp.

He added he hoped to pass the regulation by late December and for the ban to come into force in spring next year. The prime minister also said the government would go further and take "world-leading action on gaming services and live streaming platforms".

The government said in a statement it would also be considering overnight curfews and breaks in infinite scrolling for under 18s, and would announce more detail in July.

Starmer said the upcoming ban was influenced by the experience of Australia, which in December became the first nation to ban people under 16 from social media. The announcement follows a government-led consultation where British teenagers trialled social media bans and time limits on apps.

RAPE, OTHER OFFENCES

Norway crown princess's son gets four-year sentence

AFP, Oslo

An Oslo court yesterday sentenced Norwegian Crown Princess Mette-Marit's son to four years in prison on two counts of rape and other offences, in a high-profile scandal that has rocked the monarchy.

Marius Borg Hoiby, 29, Mette-Marit's son from a relationship prior to her 2001 marriage to Crown Prince Haakon, was accused of 40 charges, from rape to traffic violations, carrying a maximum possible sentence of 16 years in prison.

One of the rapes for which he was convicted took place at the crown prince couple's official residence in 2018. Hoiby, who is not formally part of the royal household and has no steady job, was acquitted of two other counts of rape, and convicted of repeated domestic abuse against an ex-girlfriend, traffic violations, issuing threats and other offences.

The prosecution had asked for a seven-year jail term. Hoiby had denied the most serious allegations, including the rape charges which the prosecution said took place while the women were asleep or unconscious, and the domestic abuse charge.

His defence team had called for him to serve 18 months for the other charges to which he pleaded guilty, including transporting 3.5 kilos of marijuana, physical assaults and threats.

Hoiiby, who has been in custody since February 1, was not present in court yesterday for unspecified medical reasons, but appeared by video link.

The only rape victim present in the courtroom shed tears when the judge read out a guilty verdict in her case. The trial, held February 3 to March 19, laid bare the life of excess lived by Hoiby, who was thrust into the public eye at the age of three when his mother's romance with the crown prince began.

Six killed in Israeli attacks in Gaza

Several others injured; Israeli settlers torch West Bank vehicles, mosque

AFP, Gaza City

Gaza's civil defence service and hospitals said Israeli attacks killed at least six people on Sunday evening, in the latest violence to hit the Palestinian territory despite a months-old ceasefire.

Israel and Hamas trade near-daily accusations of truce violations and the Gaza Strip remains gripped by bloodshed as progress on permanently ending the war remains stalled.

An Israeli airstrike on the Jabalia refugee camp in northern Gaza killed four people and wounded several others, said the civil defence agency, a rescue service that operates under Hamas authority.

Gaza's Al-Shifa hospital said it received four bodies from the strike and treated five injured people. An Israeli military spokesman told AFP that the Jabalia attack had "struck Hamas terrorists".

Two other people were killed by Israeli gunfire in separate incidents in

the southern Khan Yunis area, the civil defence said.

The Israeli military did not comment on those two incidents. At least 986 Palestinians have been killed in Gaza since the ceasefire took effect on October 10 last year, according to Gaza's health ministry, which operates under Hamas authority and whose figures are considered reliable by the UN. Israeli settlers torched vehicles and attempted to set fire to a mosque in the occupied West Bank Sunday.

Palestinian news agency reported, as the Israeli military deployed troops to quell what it described as violent riots by “Israeli civilians.”

According to the official Palestinian news agency Wafa, settlers carried out two attacks in the West Bank late on Sunday. In the village of Burqa, east of Ramallah, a group of settlers set fire to a car, broke down the door of a mosque and set its entrance alight before fleeing, Wafa reported.

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1	1295923 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.890	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (DINAJPUR CSD, DINAJPUR-2,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
2	1295924 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.891	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (PULHAT LSD, DINAJPUR-2,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
3	1295925 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.892	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (SETABGANJ LSD, DINAJPUR-2,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
4	1295926 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.893	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (BIROL LSD, DINAJPUR-1,00,000, CHIRIRBANDAR LSD, DINAJPUR-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
5	1295927 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.894	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (CHARKAI LSD, DINAJPUR-1,00,000, FULBARI LSD, DINAJPUR-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
6	1295928 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.895	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (AMBARI LSD, DINAJPUR-1,00,000, DAUDPUR LSD, DINAJPUR-50,000, BIRGANJ LSD, DINAJPUR-50,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
7	1295929 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.896	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (DINAJPUR CSD, DINAJPUR-1,00,000, PULHAT LSD, DINAJPUR-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
8	1295930 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.897	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (THAKURGAON SADAR LSD, THAKURGAON-2,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
9	1295931 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.898	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (PIRGANJ LSD, THAKURGAON-72,000, RUHIA LSD, THAKURGAON-72,000, BALIADANGI LSD, THAKURGAON-56,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
10	1295932 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.899	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (PANCHAGARH SADAR LSD, PANCHAGARH-1,00,000, DEBIGANJ LSD, PANCHAGARH-50,000, ADITMARI LSD, LALMONIRHAT-50,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
11	1295987 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.900	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (LALMONIRHAT SADAR LSD, LALMONIRHAT-1,00,000, JALDHAKA LSD, NILPHAMARI-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
12	1295988 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.901	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (NILPHAMARI SADAR LSD, NILPHAMARI-1,28,000, SYEDPUR LSD, NILPHAMARI-72,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
13	1295989 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.902	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (RANGPUR SADAR LSD, RANGPUR-1,50,000, SOTHIBARI LSD, RANGPUR-50,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
14	1295990 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.903	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (PIRGANJ LSD, RANGPUR-1,00,000, TARAGANJ LSD, RANGPUR-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
15	1295991 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.904	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (KURIGRAM SADAR LSD, KURIGRAM-1,00,000, JOYMONIRHAT LSD, KURIGRAM-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
16	1295992 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.905	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (GOLAPBAG LSD, GAIBANDHA-1,00,000, MOHIAGANJ LSD, GAIBANDHA-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
17	1295993 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.906	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (GAIBANDHA SADAR LSD, GAIBANDHA-50,000, SADULLAPUR LSD, GAIBANDHA-50,000, SAGHATA LSD, GAIBANDHA-50,000, NAGESHWARI LSD, KURIGRAM-50,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
18	1295994 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.907	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (SETABGANJ LSD, DINAJPUR-1,00,000, PANCHIBI LSD, JOYPUHAT-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
19	1295995 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.908	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (JOYPUHAT SADAR LSD, JOYPUHAT-50,000, MULAMGARI LSD, JOYPUHAT-50,000, KHETLAL LSD, JOYPUHAT-50,000, SHIBGANJ LSD, BOGURA-50,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
20	1295996 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.909	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (BOGURA SADAR LSD, BOGURA-1,00,000, TALORA LSD, BOGURA-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026

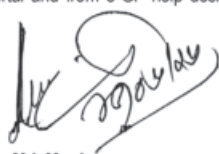
21	1296006 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.910	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (SHERPUR LSD, BOGURA-1,00,000, SANTAHAR LSD, BOGURA-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
22	1296007 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.911	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (MIRZAPUR LSD, BOGURA-1,00,000, DUPCHACHIA LSD, BOGURA-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
23	1296008 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.912	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (SANTAHAR CSD, BOGURA-50,000, KAHALU LSD, BOGURA-50,000, BANPARA LSD, NATORE-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
24	1296009 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.913	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (NATORE SADAR LSD, NATORE-50,000, MOHADEBPUR LSD, NAOGAON-1,00,000, SORASHOTI LSD, NAOGAON-50,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
25	1296010 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.914	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (NAOGAON SADAR LSD, NAOGAON-2,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
26	1296011 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.915	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (MOHISHBATHAN LSD, NAOGAON-1,00,000, MATAJIHAT LSD, NAOGAON-50,000, NAOHATA LSD, RAJSHAHI-50,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
27	1296012 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.916	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (GODAGARI LSD, RAJSHAHI-50,000, RAJSHAHI SADAR LSD, RAJSHAHI-50,000, AMNURA LSD, CHAPAINAWABGANJ-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
28	1296013 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.917	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (ROHONPUR LSD, CHAPAINAWABGANJ-1,00,000, CHAPAINAWABGANJ SADAR LSD, CHAPAINAWABGANJ-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
29	1296014 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.918	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (PABNA SADAR LSD, PABNA-72,000, ISHWARDI LSD, PABNA-72,000, NURPUR LSD, PABNA-56,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
30	1296015 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.919	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (MULADULI CSD, PABNA-1,00,000, SIRAJGANJ SADAR LSD, SIRAJGANJ-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
31	1296016 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.920	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (CHANDAİKONA LSD, SIRAJGANJ-1,00,000, ULLAPARA LSD, SIRAJGANJ-50,000, MEHERPUR SADAR LSD, MEHERPUR-50,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
32	1296017 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.921	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (KUSHTIA SADAR LSD, KUSHTIA-2,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
33	1296018 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.922	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (JAGOTI LSD, KUSHTIA-2,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
34	1296019 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.923	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (JIBANAGAR LSD, CHUADANGA-1,00,000, LOHAGORA LSD, NORAIL-50,000, MAGURA SADAR LSD, MAGURA-50,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
35	1296020 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.924	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (JHINAIDAH SADAR LSD, JHINAIDAH-1,00,000, HATGOPALPUR LSD, JHINAIDAH-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
36	1296021 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.925	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (JASHORE SADAR LSD, JASHORE-1,00,000, NAVARON LSD, JASHORE-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
37	1296022 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.927	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (NAOPARA LSD, JASHORE-1,00,000, SATKHIRA SADAR LSD, SATKHIRA-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
38	1296023 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.928	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (PATKELGHATA LSD, SATKHIRA-1,00,000, BAGERHAT SADAR LSD, BAGERHAT-50,000, CHITOLMARI LSD, BAGERHAT-50,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
39	1296024 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.926	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (MAHESHWARPASA CSD, KHULNA-2,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026
40	1296025 (Goods-OTM)	13.01.0000.091.47.128.26.930	Procurement of 2,00,000 (Two lakh) Pieces 30 kg Capacity Hessian new Gunnies made in the year 2026 or latest. (FULPUR LSD, KHULNA-1,00,000, MATHBARIA LSD, PIROJPUR-1,00,000 PCS.).	Selling Up to 17:00PM/ 28 June 2026; Opening 16:00PM/ 29 June 2026

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2. To submit e-Tender, registration in the e-GP system portal (<http://www.eprocure.gov.bd>) is required.

3. The fees for downloading the e-Tender Documents from the National e-GP System Portal have to be deposited online through any registered Bank branches.

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