

NITISH KUMAR RESIGNS AS CHIEF MINISTER AFTER A TWO-DECADE TENURE

Bihar set to get first BJP CM, both deputy CMs from JD(U)

SANTOSH SINGH
Patna, April 14

MARKING THE END of a political era in Bihar, Nitish Kumar resigned as the state's Chief Minister on Tuesday, paving the way for BJP leader Samrat Choudhary to succeed him. Choudhary was first elected the BJP legislature party leader and then the leader of the NDA legislature party, clearing the decks for him to become the first Bihar CM from the BJP. He met Governor Syed Ata Hasnain to stake claim to form the government and is scheduled to be sworn in at the Lok Bhavan on Wednesday, alongside Deputy CMs from the JD(U), Bijendra Prasad Yadav and Vijay Kumar Choudhary. "PM Narendra Modi and our mentor Nitish Kumar will continue to guide us toward the

continued progress of Bihar. Our goal is to realise the motto of Viksit Bihar," Choudhary told reporters. Expressing gratitude for his party's leadership, he posted on X earlier in the day, "For me, this is not merely a position, but an opportunity to serve the people of Bihar and to fulfil their trust and aspirations. I resolve to live up to the expectations of every citizen with complete dedication, commitment, and integrity." For the BJP, this transition represents the crossing of a "final frontier" in Bihar as the party installs its own CM in the state for the first time. The Bharatiya Jana Sangh, the BJP's precursor that had three ministers in the 1967 Sanyukt Socialist Party (SSP) government led by Mahamaya Prasad Sinha, has traversed a 59-year journey to finally secure the



JD(U) national president Nitish Kumar (right) greets Bihar Deputy Chief Minister Samrat Choudhary during the meeting of National Democratic Alliance legislators, in Patna on Tuesday

top post. This also marks the culmination of Choudhary's meteoric rise in the party since he moved there from the JD(U) in 2018. Choudhary had started his political journey as a founding member of the Samata Party alongside

veterans George Fernandes and Nitish. Earlier in the day, Nitish walked the 70 yards from the official CM residence to Lok Bhavan to tender his resignation. Accompanied by Samrat Choudhary and Deputy CM-

elect Vijay Kumar Choudhary, one of his trusted aides, the outgoing CM greeted the crowd that was waiting for him outside. He had resigned as an MLC on March 30 and was sworn in as a Rajya Sabha MP on April 10. Hours later, Union Agriculture Minister Shivraj Singh Chouhan, the BJP's central observer, chaired the legislature party meeting where Vijay Kumar Sinha proposed Choudhary's name as their leader. Following a round of applause and chants of "Samrat Choudhary Jindabad," the action shifted to the NDA meeting, where Nitish announced Samrat as the NDA leader and CM-designate. As Nitish garlanded him, Samrat bowed to touch his predecessor's feet. Following the JD(U) leader's request, all the NDA MLAs stood up to welcome Choudhary.

Delimitation: Tamil Nadu CM alleges 'Centre trying to enact conspiracy as law'

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Vellore (Tamil Nadu), April 14

FIRING YET ANOTHER salvo on the BJP-led Centre over the proposed delimitation exercise, Tamil Nadu Chief Minister MK Stalin on Tuesday alleged that the Union government was trying to punish southern states that implemented population control initiatives.

Referring to the upcoming special session of Parliament commencing on April 16, the chief minister said, during the sitting, the Centre planned to "enact as law its conspiracy in the matter". Addressing an election rally here, the DMK President said: "When we try to speak on the threats (in respect of delimitation and connected matters) faced by Tamil Nadu and on the fascist work of the BJP government at the Centre, the so-called learned people, for example, Piyush Goyal speaks arrogantly, and I tell him to speak with restraint." Stalin alleged that Goyal has rejected such criticisms — against his government at the Centre on this issue — as those from "the uneducated." Hitting out at the union minister, Stalin said, hence, Goyal must control his tongue.



MK Stalin being felicitated during a public meeting ahead of the Assembly elections, in Vellore on Tuesday

He said: "Piyush Goyal, you are in charge only for Tamil Nadu BJP. Forgetting that you are talking inappropriately with arrogance. You will get respect only if you give respect. The BJP has made a wrong assessment of Tamil Nadu." Citing population control programmes of the central government, he said southern states, including Tamil Nadu complied with it and started marching towards a prosperous future.

"However, what the Centre is now going to do? they are trying to punish us for controlling the population and moving towards growth." In the upcoming Parliamentary session commencing on April 16, "they have planned to enact as law their conspiracy." The Chief Minister asserted that till his last breath, he would fight for the sake of the rights of the Tamil race and Tamil Nadu state. Stalin recalled that hours ago, he released a video warning PM Modi on delimitation. "Do not play with fire." Tamil Nadu must not be viewed only as a state or landscape alone. He said: "Tamil Nadu is the voice of the rights and sentiments of 8-crore Tamil people. We must not remain quiet when they try to throttle the voice of TN... Tamils are knowledgeable and have self-respect." He lashed out at AIADMK chief Edappadi K Palaniswami for supporting the BJP and alleged he does not understand Dravidian ideology or Dravidian icon CN Annadurai. The CM said every vote favouring AIADMK denoted a vote for the BJP, that would push Tamil Nadu 100 years backward and people understand this well.

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LEAPFROG ENGINEERING SERVICES LIMITED

(formerly Leapfrog Engineering Services Private Limited)

CIN: U74210KA2005PLC036274

Our Company was originally incorporated as a Private Limited Company in the name of "Leapfrog Informatics Private Limited" on May 09, 2005 under the provisions of Companies Act, 1956 bearing Corporate Identification Number U74210KA2005PTC036274 issued by Registrar of Companies - Karnataka. Subsequently, the name of our company was changed to "Leapfrog Engineering Services Private Limited" vide a fresh Certificate of Incorporation consequent upon Change of Name dated January 23, 2009 bearing Corporate Identification Number U74210KA2005PTC036274 issued by Registrar of Companies - Karnataka. Subsequently, our company was converted into Public Limited Company under the Companies Act, 2013 and the name of our Company was changed to "Leapfrog Engineering Services Limited" vide a fresh Certificate of Incorporation consequent upon conversion from Private Company to Public Company dated June 21, 2024 bearing Corporate Identification Number U74210KA2005PLC036274 issued by Registrar of Companies - Central Processing Centre (CPC). For further details of change in name and registered office of our company, please refer to section titled "Our History and Certain Corporate Matters" beginning on page no 183 of the Red Herring Prospectus.

Registered Office: No 496, Chaitanya Dhriti Rudresh, 6th Main, 8th Cross, Vijaya Bank Layout, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore, Bangalore South, Karnataka, India, 560076

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OUR PROMOTERS: (i) Mr. Prabhav Narasimha Rao and (ii) Mrs. Priyashaila Prabhav Rao

INITIAL PUBLIC OFFER UP TO 3,84,84,000 EQUITY SHARES OF FACE VALUE OF ₹1/- EACH ("EQUITY SHARES") OF LEAPFROG ENGINEERING SERVICES LIMITED (THE "COMPANY" OR THE "ISSUER") FOR CASH AT A PRICE OF ₹[●]/- PER EQUITY SHARE, INCLUDING A SHARE PREMIUM OF ₹[●]/- PER EQUITY SHARE (THE "ISSUE PRICE"), AGGREGATING TO ₹ [●] LAKHS ("THE ISSUE"), COMPRISING OF A FRESH ISSUE OF UP TO 3,46,08,000 EQUITY SHARES AGGREGATING TO ₹ [●] LAKHS (THE "FRESH ISSUE") AND AN OFFER FOR SALE OF UP TO 38,76,000 EQUITY SHARES BY THE PROMOTER SELLING SHAREHOLDER, PRABHAV NARASIMHA RAO ("OFFER FOR SALE") AGGREGATING TO ₹ [●] LAKHS, (HEREINAFTER REFERRED AS "PROMOTER SELLING SHAREHOLDER") OUT OF WHICH 19,26,000 EQUITY SHARES OF FACE VALUE OF ₹1/- EACH FOR CASH AT A PRICE OF ₹ [●]/- PER EQUITY SHARE, AGGREGATING TO ₹ [●] LAKHS WILL BE RESERVED FOR SUBSCRIPTIONS BY THE MARKET MAKER TO THE ISSUE (THE "MARKET MAKER RESERVATION PORTION"). THE ISSUE LESS MARKET MAKER RESERVATION PORTION I.E. ISSUE OF 3,65,58,000 EQUITY SHARES OF FACE VALUE OF ₹1/- EACH FOR CASH AT A PRICE OF ₹ [●]/- PER EQUITY SHARE, AGGREGATING TO ₹ [●] LAKHS IS HEREAFTER REFERRED TO AS THE "NET ISSUE". THE ISSUE AND THE NET ISSUE WILL CONSTITUTE 27.14% AND 25.78% RESPECTIVELY OF THE POST ISSUE PAIDUP EQUITY SHARE CAPITAL OF THE COMPANY. THE FACE VALUE OF THE EQUITY SHARES IS ₹1/- EACH.

CORRIGENDUM TO THE DRAFT RED HERRING PROSPECTUS DATED APRIL 08, 2026: NOTICE TO INVESTORS (THE "CORRIGENDUM")

This is with reference to the RHP filed with the RoC on April 08, 2026 in connection with the proposed Offer of the Company. The attention of investors is drawn to the following:

1. Statement showing the revised allocation structure, including reallocation among investor categories, as compared with the details disclosed in the Red Herring Prospectus filed in accordance with Regulation 253 of the SEBI ICDR Regulations.

Particulars	Details as per RHP Filed	Revised Structure
Allocation to Qualified Institutional Buyers	Not more than 18,24,000 Equity Shares of ₹1/- each at an Issue Price of ₹ [●] per Equity Share each aggregating to ₹ [●] Lakhs.	Not more than 3,78,000 Equity Shares of ₹1/- each at an Issue Price of ₹ [●] per Equity Share each aggregating to ₹ [●] Lakhs.
Out of which:		
i) Anchor Investor Portion	Up to [●] Equity Shares of ₹1/- each fully paid-up of our Company for cash at a price of ₹ [●] per Equity Share aggregating to ₹ [●] Lakhs.	Up to Nil Equity Shares of ₹1/- each fully paid-up of our Company for cash at a price of ₹ [●] per Equity Share aggregating to ₹ [●] Lakhs.
ii) Net QIB Portion (assuming the anchor Investor Portion is fully subscribed)	Up to [●] Equity Shares of ₹1/- each fully paid-up of our Company for cash at a price of ₹ [●] per Equity Share aggregating to ₹ [●] Lakhs.	Up to 3,78,000 Equity Shares of ₹1/- each fully paid-up of our Company for cash at a price of ₹ [●] per Equity Share aggregating to ₹ [●] Lakhs.
Allocation to Individual Investors	Not less than 1,83,00,000 Equity Shares of ₹1/- each fully paid-up of our Company for cash at a price of ₹ [●] per Equity Share aggregating to ₹ [●] Lakhs.	Not less than 1,82,88,000 Equity Shares of ₹1/- each fully paid-up of our Company for cash at a price of ₹ [●] per Equity Share aggregating to ₹ [●] Lakhs.
Allocation to Non-Institutional Investors	Not less than 1,64,34,000 Equity Shares of ₹1/- each fully paid-up of our Company for cash at a price of ₹ [●] per Equity Share aggregating to ₹ [●] Lakhs.	Not less than 1,78,92,000 Equity Shares of ₹1/- each fully paid-up of our Company for cash at a price of ₹ [●] per Equity Share aggregating to ₹ [●] Lakhs.

Note: Please note that while there is a reallocation among certain investor categories, the total issue size and overall structure remain unchanged.

2. The inadvertent typing errors in mentioning the names of some public shareholders in the table showing the shareholding of promoter(s) / promoter group and additional top 10 shareholders of the Company as at allotment in the public category under Section II – Summary of the Red Herring Prospectus on page 20 of the RHP are being rectified and inserted as mentioned below:

F (A) SHAREHOLDING OF PROMOTER(S) / PROMOTER GROUP AND ADDITIONAL TOP 10 SHAREHOLDERS OF THE COMPANY AS AT ALLOTMENT

Sl. No.	Pre-Issue Shareholding as at the date of Advertisement			Post-Issue Shareholding as at Allotment			
	Shareholders	No. of Equity Shares	Shareholding (in %)	At the lower end of the price band (₹ [●])		At the upper end of the price band (₹ [●])	
				No. of Equity Shares	Shareholding (in %)	No. of Equity Shares	Shareholding (in %)
	Public						
8.	Sapna Raghavendra	17,64,000	1.65%	17,64,000	1.24%	17,64,000	1.24%
14.	Bhavesah Pravinchandra Shah*	2,16,000	0.20%	2,16,000	0.15%	2,16,000	0.15%
19.	Shivananda Rajagopala Koteswar	2,10,000	0.20%	2,10,000	0.15%	2,10,000	0.15%
	Total**	10,52,40,000	98.19%	10,13,64,000	71.49%	10,13,64,000	71.49%

* Swati Abhay Lakhani is being replaced by Bhavesah Pravinchandra Shah.

** The row comprising the total shall be modified as set out above, which includes shares held by the Promoters, Promoter Group and Additional Top 10 Shareholders of the Company.

BOOK RUNNING LEAD MANAGER TO THE ISSUE	REGISTRAR TO THE ISSUE	ISSUER COMPANY
<p>FINSHORE MANAGEMENT SERVICES LIMITED Anandlok Building, Block-A, 2nd Floor, Room No. 207, 227 A.J.C Bose Road, Kolkata-700020, West Bengal, India Contact Person: Mr. S. Ramakrishna Iyengar Telephone: 033 – 2289 5101 / 4603 2561 Email: info@finshoregroup.com</p>	<p>INTEGRATED REGISTRY MANAGEMENT SERVICES (P) LIMITED No. 30 Ramana Residency-4th Cross Sampige Road Malleswaram Bengaluru – 560003, Karnataka, India Contact Person: Mr. S. Giridhar Telephone: 080-23460815-819 Email: smeipo@integratedindia.in</p>	<p>LEAPFROG ENGINEERING SERVICES LIMITED No 496, Chaitanya Dhriti Rudresh, 6th Main, 8th Cross, Vijaya Bank Layout, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore, Bangalore South, Karnataka, India, 560076. Contact Person: Ms. Sneha Hegde Telephone: +91 78994 81340 Email: cs@lesgroup.in</p>

The above is to be read in conjunction with the Red Herring Prospectus and accordingly their references in the Red Herring Prospectus stand amended pursuant to this Corrigendum. Please note that the changes pursuant to this Corrigendum will be appropriately included in the Prospectus, as and when filed with the ROC, the SEBI and the Stock Exchange. All capitalized terms used in this Corrigendum shall, unless the context otherwise requires, have the meaning ascribed to them in the Red Herring Prospectus.

For and behalf of Leapfrog Engineering Services Limited
Sd/-
Sneha Hegde
Compliance Officer

Disclaimer: Leapfrog Engineering Services Limited is proposing, subject to applicable statutory and regulatory requirements, receipt of requisite approvals, market conditions and other considerations, to make an initial public offering of its Equity Shares and has filed the RHP with RoC on April 08, 2026. The RHP is available on the website of the Company at www.lesgroup.in; and on the websites of the BRLMs, i.e. Finshore Management Services Limited at www.finshoregroup.com. Any potential investors should note that investment in equity shares involves a high degree of risk and for details relating to such risk, see "Risk Factors" on page 25 of the RHP filed with RoC. Potential investors should not rely on the DRHP for making any investment decision but should only rely on the information included in the RHP filed by the Company with the RoC. This announcement is not an offer of securities for sale in the United States or elsewhere. This announcement has been prepared for publication in India only and is not for publication or distribution, directly or indirectly, in or into the United States. The Equity Shares have not been, and will not be, registered under the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "U.S. Securities Act") and may not be offered or sold within the United States, except pursuant to an exemption from, or in a transaction not subject to, the registration requirements of the U.S. Securities Act and applicable state securities laws. Accordingly, the Equity Shares are only being offered and sold (a) within the United States solely to persons who are reasonably believed to be "qualified institutional buyers" (as defined in Rule 144A under the U.S. Securities Act) in transactions exempt from, or not subject to, the registration requirements of the U.S. Securities Act, and (b) outside the United States in "offshore transactions" (as defined in and in reliance on Regulations under the U.S. Securities Act and the applicable laws of the jurisdiction where those offers and sales occur. There will be no public offering in the United States.

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Bill circulated for women's quota

THE CONSTITUTION (ONE Hundred and Thirty-First Amendment) Bill, 2026 seeks to amend Article 81 of the Constitution, which pertains to the composition of Lok Sabha. The amendment proposes to increase the total strength to 850, up from the current limit of 550. As of date, Article 81 (2) and (3), freeze Lok Sabha seats as per the 1971 Census and Assembly seats as per the 2001 Census, "until the relevant figures for the first Census taken after the year 2026 have been published". In normal course, this would have meant the 2031 Census. But the 2021 Census was delayed. The Bill also amends the marginal heading of Article 82 from "Readjustment after each Census" to "Readjustment of

constituencies", and removes the requirement of readjusting the number of Lok Sabha seats in states after every Census. Similarly, it makes amendments to the Articles pertaining to state Assemblies and reservation for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes, changing the basis from the 2001 Census to "such Census" that Parliament decides by law to use. The accompanying Delimitation Bill lays down the institutional framework for this exercise. It provides for a Delimitation Commission headed by a Supreme Court judge, with the Chief Election Commissioner and State Election Commissioners as members, and gives it powers equivalent to a civil court. The Commission will be tasked with allocating seats across States,

redrawing constituency boundaries, and determining reservation for SCs, STs and women. Apart from the latest Census figures, the Delimitation Commission, like in the past, is required to ensure, as much as possible, that all constituencies are geographically compact areas. The "physical features, existing boundaries of administrative units, facilities of communication and public convenience" are also to be taken into account. Crucially, the exercise will also trigger the implementation of the women's reservation law passed in 2023. One-third of seats in the Lok Sabha and state Assemblies, including within SC and ST quotas, will be reserved for women, with constituencies to be rotated after each delimitation cycle.

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NOTICE

SPECIAL WINDOW FOR TRANSFER AND DEMATERIALIZATION OF PHYSICAL SHARES

Pursuant to the SEBI's Circular No. HO/38/13/11(2)2026-MIRSD-POD/I/3750/2026 dated January 30, 2026, the Shareholders of Kajaria Ceramics Limited ("Company") are hereby informed that a Special Window is opened for a period of one year from **February 5, 2026 to February 4, 2027** to facilitate transfer and dematerialization ("demat") of physical shares. The Special Window is available for transfer and demat of physical shares which were sold/purchased prior to April 1, 2019. The Special Window is also available for such transfer requests which were submitted earlier and were rejected/returned/not attended to due to deficiency in the documents/process/ or otherwise.

For clarity with regard to applicability of this Special Window to transfer deed(s) executed before April 1, 2019, below matrix may be referred:

Lodged for transfer before April 1, 2019?	Is the original share certificate available?	Whether eligible to lodge in the Special Window?
No - It is fresh lodgement	Yes	Yes
Yes - It was rejected/ returned earlier	Yes	Yes
	No	No
	No	No

Kindly note that request(s) which are accompanied by original share certificate(s) alongwith transfer deed(s) and other supporting documents will only be considered under the Special Window.

To avail of this Special Window, please contact to the Company's Registrar and Transfer Agent ("RTA") i.e. MCS Share Transfer Agent Limited at 179-180, DSIDC Shed, 3rd Floor, Okhla Industrial Area, Phase-1, New Delhi -110020. For further details, please refer the above said SEBI's circular available at <https://www.kajariaceramics.com/storage/pdf/special-window-for-transfer-and-dematerialisation-of-physical-securities-31jan26.pdf?t=1770966792>

Shareholders of the Company are also requested to update KYC details including PAN, Email ID, Address, Mobile No. and Bank Account details with the Depository Participant(s) [If shares are held in demat form] or with the RTA [if shares are held in physical form], to ensure ease of communication and seamless payment of dividend (if any). Shareholders of the Company holding shares in physical form are requested to demat their shares by submitting share certificate of face value of Re. 1/- to their Depository Participant(s).

For Kajaria Ceramics Limited

Sd/-
Vinit Kumar
General Counsel & Company Secretary
Place: New Delhi
Date: April 14, 2026

