Death Toll Rises to 78 in 78 in China Chemical Plant Explosion

XIANSHUI - The death toll from an explosion at a chemical plant in China's Jiangsu Province has risen to 78 as authorities work to contain the accident. Rescuers worked discovery 14 more bodies after searching in 20 companies with 8,000 workers in the area surrounding the blast site, raising the total death toll to 78, Xinhua News Agency said, a day after a previous report mentioned 59.

Caesar said Saturday that the people who had been identified as the cause of the blast had already been taken to the hospital. According to Xinhua, the blast occurred due to a gas leak at a company in Xiantao city, which had been operating since 1990. The accident has raised concerns about safety standards in the chemical industry, which is a major contributor to China's economy.

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India's Air Jets Receives 217.6 Mn USD Funding as Lenders Take Control

MUMBAI - India's beleaguered aviation sector has scored a major win as a consortium of banks has agreed to fund the airline industry. The banks, which include ICICI Bank, Axis Bank, and Kotak Mahindra Bank, have agreed to lend a total of $2.6 billion to airlines in the country. The agreement is expected to help airlines refinance their debt and reduce their financial burden.

Boeing to Brief on 737 MAX Updates with Ethiopian Backs Planelaker

ADDIS ABABA/SINGAPORE - Boeing has received orders from airlines to return to service its 737 MAX airplane, which was grounded following two crashes that killed 346 people. The deals are expected to amount to $3.3 billion and include 50 planes for American Airlines and 130 planes for India's IndiGo.

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Neighborhood News

World Bank Approves 200-Mln-USD Loan to Support Urban Areas in Uzbekistan

TASHKENT - The World Bank has approved a $200 million USD project to help Uzbekistan's urban areas. The loan will support the country's Tashkent, Namangan, and Fergana regions.

Pakistan, A Powerful but Peace-loving Nation

PM Arif Alvi speaks to the nation on Independence Day, Pakistan's 70th anniversary. He highlighted the importance of maintaining peace and stability in the region.

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