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INDIAN PM WELCOMED



Prime Minister Stephen Harper will welcome Indian Pm Dr. Manmohan Singh for a bilateral visit following the G-20 Summit

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The promoters and artists of the A R Rahman's Journey Home World Tour,' announced new dates for the Toronto show

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ITALY ELIMINATED



Reigning champions Italy were eliminated with a 2-3 loss to Slovakia, who used their first World Cup victory to advance to the Round of 16

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Harper Apologizes For Air India Bombing

Toronto: The Canadian prime minister apologised for "the institutional failings" that led to the bombing of an Air India flight, in "the single worst act of terrorism in Canadian history".

Stephen Harper told families of victims in a ceremony in Toronto on Wednesday that, "we are sorry" for the years "during which your legitimate need for answers ... were treated with administrative disdain".

The bombing of Air India Flight 182 in 1985 killed all 329 passengers onboard, when the passenger jet exploded and crashed off the coast of Ireland.

The apology comes after John

Major, a retired judge, issued a scathing 4,000-page report about Canada's handling of the attack.

Harper called the report's findings "deeply disturbing".

Major's report said a "cascading series of errors contributed to the failure of our police and security forces to prevent this atrocity" and made 64 recommendations, including reforms to Canada's security services.

Perviz Madon, who lost her husband in the attack, has said she hopes that Major's recommendations become law.

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