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SANJIV GOENKA / NEW

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IN A SWEET SPOT

Because 2016 was a year of turnarounds and expansion for the Rs 17,000 crore RP-Sanjiv Goenka group. Retail business (Spencers) is in the black and power utility business CESC has expanded from Kolkata to Bikaner, Greater Noida, Kota and Bharatpur

Because he is the bridge between the government in Delhi and West Bengal chief minister Mamata Banerjee. Always beside Banerjee at state meetings, he played a key role in her supporting the GST Bill



PITCH PERFECT

Admires cricketer-friend **Virat Kohli** for his ability to reinvent himself constantly

POCKET RITUAL

The **Lord Balaji** picture in his front pocket which he has had for 30 years

GENERATION NEXT

Avarna Jain, 30, runs the Au Bon Pain cafe chain; son **Shashwat Goenka**, 27, runs Spencers Retail