

### **Sibal to meet Tata, Mittal, Ambani on telecom issues: (Economic Times)**

Telecom Minister Kapil Sibal is meeting Tata group chairman Ratan Tata, Anil Dhirubhai Ambani group (ADAG) chairman Anil Ambani and Bharti group chairman Sunil Mittal, in an attempt to thrash out a solution on a slew of controversies that have plagued the sector recently, it is learnt. "The minister will seek their views on what went wrong in the past, as well as their vision for the sector. The attempt is also to start a dialogue with the big players," a source said.

### **CBI to interrogate Radia on Tuesday: (Economic Times)**

Former telecom minister A Raja, who was served notice by the CBI to appear before it for questioning in the 2G spectrum allocation, has sought additional time on "health" grounds. But corporate lobbyist Niira Radia will present herself for questioning before the investigative agency on Tuesday. Raja has, it is learnt, assured the investigative agency that he will be ready for questioning by this weekend. The summons to the former telecom minister and the corporate lobbyist are likely to put the investigations into the scam on the fast track. The CBI is expected to follow it up by making its first arrests in the case soon.

### **Indian PM: 'I have nothing to hide': (CNN International)**

The Prime Minister of India, Mr. Manmohan Singh said he has nothing to hide and would be "happy" to appear before a parliamentary panel looking into a multi-billion dollar telecom scandal. Opposition parties have stepped up their attacks on Singh, since the country's main auditor reported in November that a sale of a second-generation wireless spectrum two years ago had been carried out at below-market prices.