

Action Plan to Expand Vegetable, Fruit and Millet Cultivation: CS Sanjay Jaju

Nathari Venkatesh State Bureau Chief Hyderabad September 8: Chief Secretary Sanjay Jaju directed officials to formulate a comprehensive action plan to significantly expand the area under cultivation of vegetables, fruit orchards and millets in the State. A meeting was held today at the Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Telangana State Secretariat under the chairmanship of Chief Secretary Sanjay Jaju to review measures for promoting vegetable cultivation, fruit orchards and alternative crops in Telangana. Secretary, Agriculture Department Surendra Mohan, Vice-Chancellor of Professor Jayashankar Telangana Agricultural University Prof. Althas Janayya, Vice-Chancellor of P.V. Narasimha Rao Telangana Veterinary University Prof. M. Gnan Prakash, and Vice-Chan-



cellor of the Horticulture University Dr. Danda Raji Reddy attended the meeting. "Speaking on the occasion, the Chief Secretary emphasised the need to promote remunerative vegetable cultivation on a larger scale to enhance farmers' incomes. He directed officials to identify suitable areas and crops and take coordinated measures to increase the area under vegetables, fruit crops, millets and other alternative crops." CS Sanjay Jaju

also instructed officials to leverage the support and cooperation of NABARD and all other relevant agencies for providing necessary technical, financial and other support to farmers and for strengthening the value chain and market linkages. In view of the likely impact of El Niño, the Chief Secretary stressed the need to promote drip irrigation and other water-efficient irrigation practices on a wider scale,

particularly in horticultural and alternative crops, to ensure efficient utilisation of water resources. He called for close coordination among the Agriculture and Horticulture Departments and the agricultural and veterinary universities to provide appropriate technical guidance to farmers and promote sustainable and climate-resilient agriculture across the State.

Little Nishira Earns a Place in Telugu Book of Records Rare Recognition for Her Exceptional Ability to Recite Various Subjects with Ease

Direct Voice Bureau Chief Peddapalli September 8: Little Somidi Nishira, a resident of Peddapalli town, has earned a place in the Telugu Book of Records and received a prestigious award for her exceptional talent. At a very young age, Nishira impressed everyone by clearly and confidently reciting Sanskrit shlokas, Telugu and English rhymes, names of human body parts, and several other subjects with remarkable ease. In recognition of her outstanding talent, the Telugu Book of Records registered her name and honoured her

with an award. On this occasion, Peddapalli District Collector Koya Sriharsha and District Marketing Officer Praveen Reddy presented the award to little Nishira and congratulated her for her remarkable achievement. Nishira's family members expressed immense happiness over her earning a place in such a prestigious record at a very young age. They wished her many more successes and achievements in the future. Her mother Somidi Shalini Nataraj, grandmother Maheshwari, grandfather, and maternal grandparents Akka paka



Tirupati and Mamatha, along with relatives and friends, congratulated the little girl on her achievement. The family members said that this rare recognition of Nishira's talent would serve as a great encouragement for her to achieve many more milestones and create new records in the future.



Anantha Sai Secures MBBS Seat at Gandhi Medical College Anantha Sai Secures Medical Seat at Gandhi Medical College

Jagtial District Bureau, Kyasa Gangadhar Pegadapalli, September 8: Anantha Sai, son of Lingampalli Sudhakar and Shobharani of Namapur village in Pegadapalli Mandal, has secured an MBBS seat at the prestigious Gandhi Medical College, Hyderabad, through NEET. "Anantha Sai completed his Intermediate education at Alphores College in

Karimnagar. He recently appeared for the NEET examination conducted for medical admissions and successfully secured a seat at Gandhi Medical College. "The residents of Namapur village congratulated Anantha Sai and his parents on his achievement and expressed their happiness over his success.



Telangana Aims to Boost Rice Exports and Trade with the Philippines: Uttam

Nathari Venkatesh Bureau Chief New Delhi September 8: Telangana's Minister for Irrigation and Food & Civil Supplies, Captain N. Uttam Kumar Reddy, met with Mr. Francisco P. Tiu Laurel Jr. the Philippines' Secretary of Agriculture and a member of the country's Cabinet in New Delhi on Tuesday. The position held by Mr. Francisco P. Tiu Laurel Jr. in the Philippines is equivalent in rank to a Union Cabinet Minister in India overseeing the portfolios of irrigation, agriculture, and food. The two leaders held detailed discussions on opportunities to boost rice exports from Telangana and further expand trade between Telangana and the Philippines. Uttam Kumar Reddy explained that Telangana has emerged as one of the leading rice-producing states in India. He highlighted that the state possesses the production capacity to supply high-quality rice in large volumes, a modern rice milling infrastructure, and the requisite expertise. Secretary Laurel responded positively to the proposal to import rice from Telangana, stating that they would explore the possibilities of purchasing larger quantities. Discussions were also held on the modalities of taking this proposal forward through the involvement of relevant government agencies, authorized importers and exporters, and rice millers. These discussions assumed special significance given the Philippines' substantial rice import requirements

and its ongoing efforts to diversify its list of international rice suppliers. Uttam Kumar Reddy

highlighted Telangana's robust capabilities in seed production, food processing, and allied



emphasized that Telangana could serve as a long-term partner, offering competitive prices, reliable quality, and the capability for timely delivery. Topics covered included rice varieties, pricing, quality standards, procurement procedures, logistics, certification processes, and sanitary and phytosanitary measures. The two sides also discussed the terms and conditions. It was decided that relevant officials and industry representatives would examine these aspects and formulate a clear action plan to translate trade opportunities into reality. Secretary Laurel expressed interest in sourcing meat products and high-quality seeds from Telangana. Welcoming this, Uttam Kumar Reddy

agricultural sectors. He stated that relevant government agencies and private sector representatives would review export-ready products, quality standards, permits, and regulatory requirements. The Minister noted that creating opportunities for Telangana's agricultural products in international markets would greatly benefit farmers, rice millers, seed companies, food processing industries, and other segments of the rural economy. "Our goal is to create stable and profitable international markets for Telangana's farmers and agricultural industries. Telangana possesses the production capacity, infrastructure, and industrial expertise to reliably supply rice, seeds, and other agricul-

tural products to the Philippines over the long term," Uttam Kumar Reddy said. The two sides also held extensive discussions on India-Philippines relations, food security, agricultural cooperation, and opportunities to boost direct trade between Telangana and the Philippines. Within the evolving strategic partnership between India and the Philippines, agriculture and food... They expressed the view that trade could play a pivotal role. Uttam Kumar Reddy and Secretary Laurel extended mutual invitations to visit each other's regions. Uttam Kumar Reddy formally invited Secretary Laurel to Hyderabad to participate in the 'Telangana Rising Summit' scheduled for December 2026. Building on their discussions, both parties decided to further strengthen cooperation in agriculture, the trade of rice and food products, seed development, and allied sectors. Uttam Kumar Reddy stated that the Telangana government would coordinate with the central government, the Embassy of the Philippines, relevant Philippine agencies, and private sector representatives to take these proposals forward.



District Collector Diwakara TS and Police Commissioner Sunil Dutt paid a courtesy call on Union Minister of State for Home Affairs Bandi Sanjay who arrived at the Khammam NSP Guest House on Tuesday night as part of his tour of the erstwhile Khammam district and presented him with a flowering plant.



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A New Test For The Konda Family!

The delicate equations between power and personal political power in Telangana politics have once again come to the fore. It is not right to see the removal of Konda Surekha from the cabinet as a consequence of one person's political future alone. Several factors such as internal equations in the Congress, leadership competition in the united Warangal district, the upcoming election strategy, and social equations have led to these developments. The Konda family has a long experience in Warangal politics. Surekha has earned a special political identity for herself by serving as an MLA and minister in the past. However, with a total of 119 seats in the Telangana Assembly, the political strength of no single family or leader is decisive for the entire state. The personal influence at the local level is influenced by factors such as the party leadership, constituency equations, social class calculations, and the selection of candidates. This is the real test that the Konda family is now facing. Although the immediate cause of the controversy was the public comments made by daughter Sushmita Patel, it cannot be ignored that there are various political equations behind it. Signs of continuing the sitting MLA Revuri Prakash Reddy, on the other hand, the interest of the Konda family in the others, these two aspects have become symbols of conflicting political aspirations. However, with the elections still ahead, it would be premature to assume that the final decision on the ticket has been made. A disagreement over a ticket in one constituency does not necessarily mean a break with the entire party. But if there is open criticism, questions about party discipline, or challenges to leadership decisions, the high command will naturally react harshly. In a large national party like the Congress, it is natural for organizational discipline to be prioritized over individual political power. Surekha's allegations that there was a conspiracy against her and that she was deliberately sidelined politically have further intensified this controversy. Her allegations against CM Revanth Reddy's brothers, Ponguleti Srinivasaddi and others have also led to political debate. However, allegations are different and confirmed facts are different. Until official evidence on the relevant issues emerges, they should be viewed as political allegations. At the same time, it is not good for politics to promote the allegations of money distribution and corruption made by BJP MLAs Rajasingh and Ramachandra Rao as facts without any basis. Rather than accepting the allegations of political opponents without any consideration, it should be examined whether there is any basis for them and whether any investigation has been conducted by the relevant institutions. The fact that BC women are getting priority in key positions after Surekha's removal is also a politically interesting development. The appointment of Gadwal Vijayalakshmi, Nerella Sharada, and Gundu Sudharani can be seen as a sign of the government's focus on social representation. Losing the ministerial post may not be the political end for the Konda family. The Congress won 64 seats in the 2023 assembly elections in Telangana and formed the government. Regional leadership, social equations, and the influence of local candidates played a key role in those results. Therefore, there is a chance for the Konda family to rebuild politically until the next elections. But will that rebuild take place within the Congress? Or will it move towards another political path? The key question is. There are instances in Telangana's political history where Tatikonda Rajaiah left the cabinet in 2015 and Etala Rajender left in 2021. However, the reasons and political circumstances of those incidents were different. There fore, it is not right to compare them with the Konda Surekha affair. Ultimately, the loss of Konda Surekha's ministerial post may be the end of a ministerial post. But it is not the end of politics for the entire Konda family. Their long political experience, political connections in the war ds, and personal following give them some strength. At the same time, the

Free Coaching for Students from Govt schools and aided schools, and Players participated from District level and above; Athletes' Welfare Remains Top Priority: SATG

Kesaraju Devender State Bureau Chief Hyderabad September 8: Free Coaching for Eligible Students and Meritorious Sportspersons Sports Authority of Telangana (SATG) has clarified that the ongoing campaign in certain sections regarding the revision of sports coaching fees does not fully reflect the facts and circumstances behind the decision. The Authority reiterated that its objective is to make sports training accessible to the public and emphasised that free coaching will be given to the students from govt and aided schools and meritorious sports persons representing the districts and above. With the new GO, more than 42 % of the students will get free coaching and access to the facilities. SATG stated that the coaching fees have been revised after a gap of 14 years, taking into account the increasing expenditure on sports infrastructure, stadium and ground maintenance, sports equipment, coaches' re-



muneration, electricity, security and other operational costs. Also the govt wants to impart free coaching to students depending on their economic status, which was not there in the earlier GO. Committee constituted to review Taking note of the feedback received from athletes and parents, SATG has decided in principle to constitute a committee to undertake a comprehensive review of the revised fee structure and recommend rationalisation wherever necessary. The decision was taken during a review meeting held at LB Stadium on Monday by SATG Chairman Sri K. Shiva Sena Reddy and Vice Chairperson & Managing Director Dr. A. Sonibala Devi with stadium administrators, coaches and Deputy Directors from across Hyderabad. The proposed committee will examine the issues in detail and submit report. Addressing the meeting, Sri Shiva Sena Reddy said that economic constraints should never become a barrier to sporting talent. "The welfare of athletes remains our foremost priority. Keeping sports training accessible to all

sections of society is the core objective of the Sports Authority of Telangana," he said. He pointed out that sports coaching will be provided completely free of cost to students studying in Government and aided educational institutions. Students studying in private schools with annual tuition fees of up to ₹35,000 are also eligible for free coaching. "Further, sportspersons who have represented the State at recognised competitions and above will continue to be entitled to free access to practice facilities in their respective disciplines during the relevant calendar year. Large Number of Trainees will be Receive Free Coaching. SATG Chairman stated that under the revised Government Order, a substantial proportion of trainees enrolled at Sports Authority centres are already eligible for free coaching. At KVBR Indoor Stadium, 57% trainees across 10 sporting disciplines will receive free coaching. At Gymkhana Grounds, 65% will be eligible for free coaching. At the Hussain Sagar Water Sports Training Centre, 88% will receive coaching free of cost. 100% trainees enrolled in Kayaking and Canoeing will benefit free coaching. At the Osmania University Cycling Velodrome, 57% will now avail free coaching. At LB Stadium and GMC Balayogi Stadium, around 42% and 35% trainees respectively are eligible for free coaching under the new G.O. He said these figures clearly demonstrate SATG's commitment to ensuring that sports training remains accessible to a large section of aspiring athletes. Sports Development, Not Profit, Is the Objective. Shiva Sena Reddy emphasised that the Sports Authority of Telangana is a public institution dedicated to sports development and not a profit-making organisation. "He stated that SATG remains committed to talent identification, quality coaching, athlete welfare and strengthening sports infrastructure across Telangana. The Authority provides training opportunities to thousands of young athletes every year through coaching programmes, summer camps and talent identification initiatives conducted in Hyderabad as well as district headquarters and other towns across the State. The Chairman reiterated that every decision of SATG is guided by the objective of expanding access to sports, nurturing talent and creating a stronger sporting ecosystem for Telangana's youth.

Kaloji University's Negligence: PG Medical Students Face Ordeal Over Certificates

Ch Abhinay Bureau Chief Warangal September 8 : Slot system cancelled without prior notice; officials promise to send certificates to colleges within ten days; students anxious as NEET-PG results and admissions approach. "Students staged a protest at the Kaloji Narayana Rao University of Health Sciences (KNRUHS) campus in Warangal to retrieve their original certificates." About 30 PG medical students had arrived from various states, including Delhi, Bengaluru, Chhattisgarh, Bihar, and Andhra Pradesh. The university administration

had issued no prior newspaper announcements or personal messages (SMS) to students regarding the cancellation of the slot system. This lack of communication caused severe inconvenience to the students. Those who had traveled thousands of kilometers expressed their anguish, stating that officials were responding irresponsibly by saying, "There is no slot today; just leave your details and we will send the certificates to your colleges within 10 days." Results and internships have already been delayed by six

months. With NEET-PG results expected by September 30, the admission process is set to begin immediately thereafter. Students are anxious about their future, fearing the consequences of even a ten-day delay at this critical juncture; they have reportedly implored the Vice-Chancellor of Kaloji University to ensure that original certificates are handed over directly and immediately to students who have traveled from afar, without any bureaucratic delay.



Youth Need Awareness About Democracy "Vishnu Reddy at VAGMUN and Telangana State Mock Assembly

Yamsani Sai, Bureau Chief (Warangal), September 8. Youth leader Vishnu Reddy attended the VAGMUN Vaagdevi Model United Nations and Telangana State Mock Assembly event held at Vaagdevi College, Bollikunta, at the invitation of the organizers. Addressing the students, he stated that events like Model United Nations and Mock Assemblies not only foster leadership qualities but also create awareness about the democratic system. He advised students to cultivate habits such as studying public issues, discussing them

responsibly, and respecting diverse viewpoints. "He urged students to develop an understanding of societal issues and a mindset focused on finding solutions from their student days onwards. He emphasized the need for youth to remain conscious and informed about matters such as education, healthcare, employment, environmental protection, women's empowerment, and opportunities for the youth. He expressed the hope that the youth would play a pivotal role in the country's future development. The college management, faculty, students, and others participated in the event.



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Gudur Rajaram Elected President of Vengalaipet Padmashali Association

Jagtial Bureau, Kyasa Gangadhar "Pegadapalli, September 8: The new executive committee of the Vengalaipet Village Padmashali Association was elected unanimously. Gudur Rajaram was elected as the new president, while Gudur Narsiah, son of Ramai ah, was elected as the vice-president. Adigoppula Mahesh was elected as the general secretary, and Kokkula Raju was elected as the treasurer. On the occasion, leaders of the Mandal Padma shali Seva



Sangham felicitated the newly elected committee members by presenting them with shawls. Speaking on the occasion, the association leaders expressed their hope that the new committee would work continuously for strengthening the organization and promoting the welfare of the Padmashali community. Mandal Padma shali Seva Sangham president Gajula Ganga Mallesham, vice-president Gali Pelli Satyaiah, general secretary Ande Venkatesham, treasurer Bhoga Gopi Krishna, along with Padmashali community members and others, participated in the programme.

Dismiss Tata Madhu for Insulting Dalit Speaker: Pegadapalli Congress

Jagtial bureau kyasa gangadhar Pegadapalli, September 8: The Pegadapalli Mandal Congress Party has demanded the immediate dismissal of BRS MLC Tata Madhu, alleging that he used derogatory and insulting language against the Telangana Legislative Assembly Speaker. Congress leaders said that during the ongoing Assembly sessions, BRS MLAs and MLCs staged a protest at the Assembly premises. Police personnel reportedly stopped them from entering the Assembly wearing black T-shirts carrying written messages, following which some BRS leaders allegedly behaved aggressively with the police and pushed police officials. "The Congress leaders further alleged that some BRS legislators removed their T-shirts and used objectionable language in the presence of women police personnel, thereby insulting the dignity of the police force." They alleged that BRS MLC Tata Madhu used highly objection-



able and derogatory language against the Assembly Speaker while questioning the police about preventing them from entering the Assembly. The Congress leaders condemned the alleged remarks, stating that they amounted to an insult to the entire Dalit community. "As a mark of protest, the Pegadapalli Mandal Congress organized the burning of an effigy of BRS chief K. Chandrashekar Rao at the Mandal headquarters. They also lodged a complaint against Tata Madhu at the Pegadapalli Police Station, demanding legal action and his dismissal from the Legislative Council. Mandal Congress president Kadari Tirupathi, Market Committee Chairman Burra Ramulu Goud, sarpanches Orugala Aruna Srinivas, Bandari Manema-Srinivas, Sandhi Rajamani-Malla Reddy, Ramesh Naik, Makala Anjamma-Mallaiah, Maka Srivani-Sudhakar Reddy, and Kashaveni Kumar, along with deputy sarpanches, Market Committee directors, former sarpanches, former MPTCs, SC Cell president Dikonda Mahender, and several Congress leaders and activists participated in the programme. "Among those present were Shyam Sundar Reddy, Chetla Kishan, Chatla

Vijay Bhaskar, Lingampelli Mahesh, Balusani Srinivas Goud, Manne Gangarajam, Sri Ram Anjaiah, Ajmeera Anji Naik, Islavath Ravi Naik, Kotha Srinivas, Elagonda Krishna Hari, Mandapelli Anjaiah, Chatla Prashanth, Vadluri Praveen, Tadagonda Raju, Mule Ram Reddy, Tadagonda Kumar, Tadagonda Tirupathi, Jitender Goud, Tadagonda Laxman, Kothuri Vishnu, Atmakuri Ashok, Bale Shekhar, Thota Vishnu, Sunke Durga Prasad, Muduganti Pavan Reddy, Santosh Reddy, Lingampelli Sattaiah, Davula Mahesh, Medapattla Rajayya and Malyala Ellaiah, among others.

Supporting Street Vendors: City Mayor Kolagani Srinivas Distributes Free Egg Carts

Dayyala Rakesh Bhanu Direct Voice Bureau Chief Karimnagar September 8: A program for the free distribution of egg carts was organized under the aegis of MEPMA, with the aim of encouraging street vendors in the city and creating better livelihood opportunities for them. City Mayor Kolagani Srinivas inaugurated the event and unveiled the egg carts at the Municipal Corporation office premises. Under the auspices of the National Egg Coordination Committee, eligible street vendors—specifically those who prepare and sell various egg-based food items—were identified, and Mayor Kolagani Srinivas distributed the



government-sanctioned egg carts to them free of cost. On this occasion, the beneficiaries displayed various food items prepared using eggs. Public representatives and officials noted that these modern egg carts would not only provide better employment opportunities for street vendors but also offer a significant boost to their

business activities. Speaking at the event, Mayor Kolagani Srinivas remarked that street vendors are a vital part of the city's economy. He commended the efforts to make them financially self-reliant by providing necessary support through government schemes. He assured that the Municipal Corporation would extend all required assistance to provide better facilities and employment opportunities for street vendors. Deputy Mayor Y. [text cuts off] District Collector Sunil Rao, Municipal Corporation Commissioner Prafull Desai, the Additional Commissioner, honorable corporators, MEPMA TMCs, COs, MEPMA staff, egg cart beneficiaries, and others participated.

Persons with Disabilities Should Make Good Use of Welfare Schemes: DLSA Secretary P. Devi Manasa

Direct Voice Bureau Chief Khammam September 8:

A legal awareness program for persons with disabilities was held at the Government Hostel for Differently-abled Boys under the aegis of the District Legal Services Authority (DLSA), Khammam. DLSA Secretary Smt. P. Devi Manasa participated in the event and explained the legal rights, government welfare schemes, and employment opportunities available to persons with disabilities. Speaking on the occasion, she advised them to utilize skill development opportunities through the Central Government's 'Divyangjan Kaushal Vikas Yojana' and employment avenues through 'Divyan



gjan Rozgar Setu' to achieve self-reliance. She also elaborated on the rights, protections, and equal opportunities guaranteed to persons with disabilities under the Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016, and raised awareness about various welfare schemes implemented by the Central and State governments regarding education, employment, skill development, and social security. She urged eligible individuals to understand their rights and avail themselves of the benefits of these welfare schemes. She advised them to contact the District Legal Services Authority if they face any legal issues, noting that free legal aid and advice are provided to eligible persons. District Welfare Officer Smt. A. Pramila, DLSA panel lawyers, staff from relevant departments, and persons with disabilities attended the program.

Viksit Bharat@2047 in Presence of Hon'ble Prime Minister

Dayyala Rakesh Bhanu Direct Voice State Bureau Chief Hyderabad September 8:

The Viksit Bharat Young Leaders Dialogue (VBYLD) 2027, an initiative of MY Bharat, Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports, Government of India, is being organized to provide young people across the country an opportunity to contribute their ideas, perspectives and innovative solutions towards building a Viksit Bharat by 2047. The programme is being organized to commemorate the birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda and is open to youth in the age group of 15–29 years as on 17 August 2026. Selected youth will get an opportunity to present their ideas before domain experts, Union Ministers and the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India. Briefing the media in Hyderabad, Shri Anvesh Chinthala, State Director, MY Bharat, Telangana, outlined the objectives, participation process and various tracks of VBYLD 2027. He encouraged youth across Telangana to actively participate and use the platform to present innovative and practical solutions to issues affecting society and the nation. Venu Gopal Rao, Joint Director, Youth Services, also briefed the media on the opportunities available to youth through the programme and urged young people to participate in large numbers. Telangana under Technology and Innovation Region Telangana is part of Region 9 – Southern Gateway Technology & Innovation Region, along with Andhra Pradesh and Karnataka. The regional theme is Technology, Innovation & Future Readiness. The key question under the theme is How can India lead the next wave of frontier technologies



while ensuring inclusive and responsible growth? The theme seeks to encourage young people to develop innovative, practical and responsible solutions that can contribute to India's technological advancement and inclusive development. Six Tracks for Youth Participation VBYLD 2027 will provide opportunities to participate through six major tracks: 1. Viksit Bharat Challenge "2. Cultural Track – Folk Song/ Dance, Declamation, Painting and Poetry 3. Design for Bharat "4. Hack for Social Cause "5. Youth Entrepreneur Challenge "6. Youth Parliament Multi-stage Selection Process The selection process will be conducted through multiple stages: "Digital Quiz " Essay Writing " District-Level PPT Presentation " State VBYLD " National Grand Finale At the district level, participants will be encouraged to identify local challenges and develop technology-driven and innovative solutions. Selected participants will progress to the State-level VBYLD, where they will present their ideas through a five-minute PPT presentation before the State Jury. The National Grand Finale of VBYLD 2027 will be held in New

Delhi from 10 to 12 January 2027. "Opportunities at the National Level Youth selected at the State level will get an opportunity to represent Telangana at the National VBYLD in New Delhi. "In the Cultural Track, the State may be represented by: " Folk Song – 10 participants " Folk Dance – 10 participants " Declamation – 1 participant " Painting – 2 participants " Poetry – 1 participant " Total: 24 participants " In the other tracks, up to 15 teams, comprising three participants each, may represent Telangana at the National VBYLD, totalling approximately 45 participants. "All the winners of Telangana participants will have an opportunity to present their proposal directly before the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India. "Registration through MY Bharat Portal Registration, the Viksit Bharat Quiz and other VBYLD activities will be conducted through the official MY Bharat digital portal mybharat.gov.in.

Youth who are already registered with MY Bharat do not need to register again. Eligible youth can register by visiting the MY Bharat portal, clicking on "Register Now", verifying their mobile number or email through OTP, entering the required details and submitting the registration form. After successful registration, the MY Bharat ID will be available on the dashboard. Participants can subsequently access the Viksit Bharat Quiz, participate in relevant tracks, track their participation and access certificates. "Smt Snehal Basutkar, DD Shashank Ravula, DYO, G Rajesh, AD MY Bharat also attended in the press conference. MY Bharat calls upon all youth across Telangana to participate actively in VBYLD 2027 and contribute their ideas, innovations and solutions towards building a Viksit Bharat by 2047. Youth Ideas – Strong Foundation for Viksit Bharat."



Lays foundation stones, inaugurates and dedicates to the Nation development projects worth more than 35,000 Crore In Vadodara, Gujarat - Prime Minister Narendra Modi

Dayyala Rakesh Bhanu Direct Voice NATIONAL Bureau Chief Gujarat September 8: We are strengthening India's infrastructure to move people and goods faster, create new opportunities and power economic growth: PM "The Dedicated Freight Corridor is the lifeline of a rapidly developing India: PM From chips to ships, India is now building a new manufacturing future: PM "Prime Minister Narendra Modi laid foundation stones, inaugurated and dedicated to the Nation development projects worth more than 35,000 Crore in Vadodara, Gujarat. Extending warm greetings to the esteemed dignitaries, the Prime Minister commenced his address. He welcomed the citizens joining the monumental occasion both physically and via online mediums. "I welcome my brothers and sisters of Gujarat," remarked Modi. Highlighting the vibrant atmosphere at the Maharaja Sayajirao University ground, the Prime Minister celebrated the unique convergence of professionals from diverse fields gathering for a shared festival of progress. He expressed immense joy at witnessing such a unified celebration of development. "Everything is happening here simultaneously," noted Modi. Dedicating infrastructure projects worth thousands of crores to accelerate national progress, the Prime Minister expressed deep appreciation for the exceptional cleanliness drive organized by the citizens of Vadodara to welcome

him. He thanked the local population for their profound spirit of service during this festival of development. "Today I have come among you to give further momentum to the journey of a Viksit Bharat," asserted Modi. Outlining the 'Saptadhara' (seven streams) resolution announced at the Red Fort, the Prime Minister emphasized the critical need for rapid connectivity through the Gati Shakti initiative, marking the historic completion of the 2800-kilometer Dedicated Freight Corridor. He praised Vadodara as the true city of Gati Shakti University where the final links of this massive project were connected. "This historic task for 21st-century India has been accomplished," affirmed Modi. Showcasing the accelerated momentum post-2014, the Prime Minister celebrated the successful execution of the Eastern and Western Dedicated Freight Corridors which are now fundamentally transforming the commercial landscape. He noted that these networks are rapidly becoming the bedrock of the nation's commerce. "We gave it momentum and demonstrated it by completing the work of the 2800-kilometer corridor," asserted Modi. Elaborating on the transformative impact of this new national lifeline, the Prime Minister detailed how separating passenger and freight traffic allows over 430 cargo trains to run daily, slashing a 30-hour truck journey to just 10-12 hours. He explained that covering 100 kilometers now takes less than half the previ-

ous time, saving fuel, reducing freight charges, and protecting the environment. "The invest-



ment was made on one track, but it yielded numerous benefits," noted Modi. Highlighting the profound agricultural benefits of the expanded logistics network, the Prime Minister explained how farmers across Eastern and Western India can now swiftly transport perishable goods to larger markets. He emphasized that sensitive items like seasonal flowers, vegetables, and fruits are finally reaching consumers and mandis right on time. "This has immensely benefited the farmers," remarked Modi. Sharing a remarkable operational milestone on the new corridor, the Prime Minister praised the successful deployment of a double-stack container freight train from JNPT Port to Vadodara. He pointed out that this single train journey efficiently transported cargo equivalent to more than 250 trucks straight from Mumbai. "Large quantities of goods will now be able to reach from one corner of the country to another rapidly," observed Modi. "The Prime

Minister underscored his administration's continuous rollout of new rail services that are fi-



nally penetrating isolated tribal regions across Gujarat, Madhya Pradesh, and Maharashtra. He celebrated a newly launched train that will immensely benefit commuters traveling to Chhota Udepur and Alirajpur. "Rail is now reaching those parts of

of employment opportunities. He explained that building houses for the poor and expanding



ports naturally incubates new industries and businesses in the surrounding areas. The expenditure happening on the modernization of the railways is creating thousands upon thousands of new jobs," affirmed Modi. Transitioning to the manufacturing pillar

transport aircraft. "The first flight of the C-295 aircraft has already seen the sky here," remarked Modi. Illustrating the country's surging industrial capacity over the past decade, the Prime Minister presented robust statistics showcasing India's transformation into a major global manufacturer of modern railway coaches, wagons, and locomotive engines. He specified that since 2014, the nation has successfully produced 50,000 modern coaches and introduced nearly 2.5 lakh wagons to the railway network. "India has become a major manufacturer of rail coaches, metro coaches, and rail engines," noted Modi. Championing the drive toward total self-reliance across critical supply chains, the Prime Minister highlighted the domestic production of

generate immense local employment. "India is now writing a new saga of manufacturing from chip to ship," asserted Modi. Dismissing the echoes of lies propagated by detractors, the Prime Minister expressed deep faith in the youth who witnessed the government's intense focus across solar, wind, hydro, and nuclear sectors. He praised the younger generation for recognizing the massive strides being made in national development. "The youth of India walks with the roar of truth," affirmed Modi. 'Emphasizing the strategic necessity of a robust electric ecosystem to power emerging technologies like data centers and artificial intelligence, the Prime Minister confirmed that international agreements for uranium, critical minerals, and rare earth elements are being actively secured. He stated that creating this essential infrastructure is critical if the nation is to become a global superpower in AI. "All this hard work is being done solely to secure the future of the country's youth," asserted Modi. Addressing the shifting paradigms of the modern global economy, the Prime Minister stressed that traditional degrees are no longer sufficient, prompting a comprehensive restructuring of the National Education Policy to prioritize continuous skill enhancement. He noted that teaching and training institutions are being entirely remodeled to meet the evolving demands of the world. "It has become a massive necessity for the youth

to possess skills and for those skills to be upgraded," observed Modi. Fulfilling a crucial commitment made from the Red Fort, the Prime Minister announced a landmark initiative to provide free coaching for competitive exams, aiming to alleviate the immense financial strain on poor and middle-class households. He assured that the administration will take direct responsibility for supporting the aspirations of students preparing for their careers. "The government itself will take care of the coaching of our youth," affirmed Modi. Recognizing artificial intelligence as a foundational capability transcending the IT sector, the Prime Minister unveiled plans for a massive national campaign to cultivate AI-proficient youth capable of driving innovations in agriculture, healthcare, and robotics. He emphasized that mastering these cutting-edge tools will boost manufacturing productivity and spark innovative startups. "We want our younger generation to be ready for AI," asserted Modi. Concluding with a powerful call to action, the Prime Minister urged the nation to capitalize on this unprecedented demographic dividend, maintaining an unwavering focus on transforming the country by 2047. He ended his address by offering his best wishes for the ongoing development works. "We must relentlessly ensure India becomes developed," affirmed Modi.

Robust Security for Ganesh Festivities "CCTV cameras mandatory at pandals No permission for DJs "Mandatory registration of pandals on the Ganesh Portal-2026" "District SP Mahesh B. Githe

Direct Voice Bureau Chief Vemulawada, September 08 : Rajanna Sircilla District SP Mahesh B. Githe advised Ganesh pandal organizers to conduct the Ganesh Navaratri festivities with devotion and in a peaceful atmosphere. A coordination meeting was held at the Mahalingeshwara Function Hall in Vemulawada with Ganesh festival committee members, pandal organizers, and councilors from the Vemulawada subdivision. "Speaking on the occasion, the SP noted that the public had cooperated well with the police during last year's Ganesh immersion.

However, eight cases were registered against individuals who caused disturbances in the district. Keeping past experiences in mind, robust security arrangements have been put in place this year. He instructed every Ganesh pandal organizer to mandatorily register their pandal details on the 'Ganesh Portal-2026'. He emphasized that pandals should be set up without obstructing public transport or the movement of emergency vehicles. CCTV cameras must be installed at every pandal. He added that pandals would be geo-tagged and registered on the TG-COP portal, enabling

the respective SHOs to monitor the situation effectively. "No Permission for DJs" The SP directed that organizers must strictly adhere to police guidelines and regulations throughout the process, from the installation of idols to their immersion. The route map prepared by the police department for the procession must be strictly followed. It was clarified that the use of DJ systems at pandals, during the procession, or at the immersion ceremony is strictly prohibited under any circumstances; cases will be registered against organizers if DJs are used without authorization. In

accordance with Supreme Court guidelines, permission is granted only for the use of two small speakers until 10 PM. Regarding social media, the SP stated that there is special surveillance to monitor posts that incite hatred or the forwarding of unverified information; criminal cases will be registered against those who violate these regulations. Instructions were given to obtain mandatory clearance from the Electricity Department and to take precautionary measures to prevent short circuits and fire accidents. Fire extinguishers, fire balls, and water buckets must be kept



available at necessary locations. Robust police security arrangements will be made to ensure the festivities proceed peacefully, and the public was advised to dial 112 or contact local police in case of an emergency. DSP Srinivasulu, Municipal Chairman Pulkam Raju, CIs Veeraprasad and Srinivas, SIs, and organizers of Ganesh pandals attended the meeting.

Singareni Assures Reliable Power Supply to Telangana“90% of Coal Supply to Meet Telangana’s Power Requirements

Yamsani Srinivas State Bureau Chief Hyderabad
September 8: Requests Pour In from Across the Country for Singareni Coal... Yet Telangana’s Needs Remain the Top Priority 40.51 Lakh Tonnes Supplied to the Power Sector in August 36.26 Lakh Tonnes to Telangana Alone At a time when electricity consumption is increasing across the country and coal requirements of thermal power stations are rising, Singareni is standing firmly by its home state, Telangana. Against the backdrop of increased power demand due to El Niño conditions, several power utilities across the country are looking towards Singareni and requesting coal supplies. Despite such strong demand for Singareni coal, the company continues to accord first priority to Telangana’s power requirements. In accordance with the directions of Hon’ble Chief Minister Shri A. Revanth Reddy and Hon’ble Deputy Chief Minister and Energy Minister Shri Bhatti Vikramarka to ensure uninterrupted power supply in the State, Singareni has been continuously supplying coal to thermal power stations in Telangana. By supporting the power sector at crucial times, the company is also contributing significantly to the State’s industrial and economic growth.” Although supplying coal to other states offers commercial opportunities, Singareni is following the policy of “the inter-

ests of the home state take precedence over the company’s commercial interests.” Accordingly, the lion’s share of its coal



production is being allocated to Telangana’s requirements, thereby strengthening the State’s power sector. Nine Tonnes Out of Every Ten Tonnes Go to Telangana. Singareni supplies the coal it produces to public-sector power utilities with which it has long-term Fuel Supply Agree-



ments (FSAs). As part of these arrangements, the company has been supplying coal for several decades to various power utilities in Telangana,

Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Maharashtra and Tamil Nadu, thereby helping meet their energy require-

power sector are reaching their thermal power stations located in Telangana. During August, Singareni supplied 40,51,312 tonnes of coal to power utilities across the country. Of this, as much as 36,25,937 tonnes was transported to power utilities located in Telangana. This means that nearly 90% of the coal supplied to power utilities went to generating stations located in Telangana. On average,

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power stations in Telangana, thereby meeting the State’s energy requirements. “TGGE NCO Receives the Highest Share 50% of Coal Supply” During the previous month, 6,99,661 tonnes of coal was supplied to the Kothagudem Thermal Power Station through 179 railway rakes. This translates into an average supply of 22,570 tonnes per day, transported through an average of about six rakes per day. Similarly, 7,99,017 tonnes of coal was supplied to the Yadadri Thermal Power Station through 203 railway rakes. This works out to an average supply of 25,775 tonnes per day, transported through an average of about seven rakes per day. Singareni also transported 1,02,959 tonnes of coal to the Kakatiya Thermal Power Plant at Bhupalpally. The Bhadradi Thermal Power Plant received 4,14,719 tonnes of coal, at an average of 13,378 tonnes per day. Overall, Singareni transported 20,16,356 tonnes of coal to Telangana GENCO (TGGENCO) during the previous month through 382 railway rakes. Significantly, this constituted 50% of the total coal supplied to power stations in the State. “In addition, Singareni supplied 7,28,164 tonnes of coal to the Ramagundam NTPC plants, which contribute to Telangana’s energy requirements, and another 4,15,839 tonnes to the NTPC Telangana plant. “The Singareni Thermal Power Plant at Jaipur was supplied

with 4,65,579 tonnes of coal. “Other States Seek Singareni Coal” With electricity consumption rising across the country, uninterrupted coal supply to coal-based thermal power stations has become increasingly critical. Under these circumstances, demand for Singareni coal from other states is also increasing. Several power utilities have approached Singareni seeking coal



supplies. These include: Damodar Valley Corporation (DVC), West Bengal 1 million tonnes NT ECL, Durgapur 1.2 million tonnes NSPCL-Jhajjar (Aravali) 1 million tonnes “NTECL, Tamil Nadu 2 million tonnes Other power utilities have also requested Singareni to supply coal to their generating stations. Despite such intense demand, which presents significant commercial opportunities for Singareni, the company is keeping the State’s electricity requirements foremost in mind. Accordingly, it is prioritising coal supplies to thermal power stations in Telangana over additional demand from other states. “Naini Coal in Odisha Also Being Utilised for Telangana’s Requirements Coal from

Singareni’s Naini coal mine in Odisha, where production has commenced, is also being transported to the home state. “Singareni has already supplied one railway rake each from Naini to the Singareni Thermal Power Plant and the Yadadri Thermal Power Station. Despite transportation-related constraints in Odisha, the company is prepared to supply more coal in



the coming days. At present, around 15 lakh tonnes of coal at Naini is ready for extraction. However, transportation of coal from the mine to the railway siding is permitted only during night hours, making it difficult to increase coal dispatches substantially. Nevertheless, it is noteworthy that coal being produced at Naini is also being utilised in the interests of Telangana. Special Officers Appointed to Ensure Uninterrupted Coal Transportation “Keeping Telangana’s electricity requirements in view, Hon’ble Deputy Chief Minister and Energy Minister Shri Bhatti Vikramarka has been holding high-level coordination meetings with Singareni and other en-

ergy organisations over the past few months and has issued necessary directions to ensure adequate coal supplies. Against this backdrop, the Singareni management has been steadily increasing coal production and transportation across all its areas. To ensure that quality coal reaches thermal power stations on time, Singareni Chairman and Managing Di-



rector Dr. Buddha Prakash Jyothi has appointed five Special Officers to oversee coal production and transportation. As a result, adequate coal production is being achieved and coal is being dispatched on time to thermal power stations through Coal Handling Plants (CHPs). The company is also coordinating the availability of sufficient railway rakes to facilitate timely transportation. With electricity demand in Telangana increasing compared to previous levels due to the impact of El Niño, Singareni has reduced supplies to other states in order to safeguard the interests and power requirements of Telangana.

Complaint to register a case and take legal action against the program organized under the name of “Shuddhi/Purification” at the venue where Mallikarjun Kharge’s speech was held - Dr. Mallu Ravi“ Member of Parliament Lok Sabha

YAMSANI SAI National Bureau Chief New Delhi
September 8 The Honorable Mallikarjun Kharge, National President of the Congress Party, Leader of Opposition in the Rajya Sabha, participated in a public meeting organized by the Congress Party at Ramlila Maidan in Haldwani city, Nainital district, Uttarakhand. Two days after that public meeting, i.e. on 10.08.2026, Girish Chandra Pandey, President Ram Dharmartha Seva Nyas, along with 15 other persons, whose names and addresses are not known, committed a criminal conspiracy and deliberately insulted the Constitution of India, which guarantees to the citizens of India in the Preamble of the Constitution social, economic and political justice; freedom of thought, expression, belief and religion; equal

status and opportunities; They deliberately violated the values of individual dignity, brotherhood that guarantees the unity and integrity of the country. They conducted a shameful and condemnable “purification” program by sprinkling Ganga water and performing a yagna with the intention of “purifying” the same Ramlila Maidan where Mallikarjun Kharge addressed a public meeting. I have seen and read the news about this incident on television news channels and in newspapers. This incident has deeply hurt my feelings, as well as the feelings of the people of my community. Many people have also called me expressing their deep concern and anger over this incident. Such a public display of untouchability and caste discrimination is a matter of deep concern. This act has deeply hurt the feel-

ings of me, the complainant, the Scheduled Caste community, as well as everyone who believes in social unity and the integrity of the country. Girish Chandra Pandey and 15 other unidentified persons, with the intention of humiliating the people belonging to Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes in the presence of the public, and publicly insulting them, performed a yagna, sprinkled Ganga water and “purified” the Ramlila Maidan. In a public place like Ramlila Maidan, which is accessible to all the people of the country, a Rajya Sabha member belonging to the Scheduled Caste, Leader of the Opposition, and a person holding the highest constitutional post participated in the program and addressed the people and then stated that the place was

“defiled”. The act of sprinkling the yagna/Ganga water, making a video of it and making it viral on social media, is considered an offence of publicly insulting the people belonging to Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes in India. These acts are against the unity of the country and apart from being disruptive to the integrity, they are also likely to promote social discrimination. Article 17 of the Constitution These acts are seen as spreading the idea of looking down upon and impure people belonging to the Scheduled Castes. This is completely against the spirit of the abolition of untouchability enshrined in Article 17 of the Constitution of India. When the facts and legal provisions are examined, these acts fall within the ambit of offences punishable under

the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989. Persons who condone, encourage or protect such offences are also liable for the relevant offence. Girish Chandra Pandey and 15 other persons have been convicted of the offence of attempting to create hatred, enmity and ill-feelings against people belonging to the Scheduled Castes/Scheduled Tribes. The Leader of the Opposition raised this issue vehemently in the Rajya Sabha on 13.08.2026. It was unfortunate that caste-based mentality continues in the country even in the 21st century. A Member of Parliament, one of the leading opposition leaders in the country, said that after a Dalit community member addressed a public meeting, he directly promoted un-

touchability by “purifying” the place, which is a clear violation of Articles 14 and 17 of the Constitution of India. On the same day, on 13.08.2026, Union Minister Shri J.P. Nadda, former National President of the Bharatiya Janata Party, distanced himself from the incident. He said that if any organization had organized a havan or other religious program there, it was their personal matter and the party had nothing to do with it. However, on 26.08.2026, Uttarakhand Bharatiya Janata Party State President Maheendra Bhatt commented that there was nothing wrong in cleaning or “purification” of the place. By stating this, it is as if he is justifying this shameful act of “purification” which is against the Constitution and the SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989. Therefore, it is



clear that the Uttarakhand and Bharatiya Janata Party is involved in this shameful act. In relation to the crime mentioned in the complaint against the police, the Kotwali Haldwani Police Station House Officer and the Senior Superintendent of Police, Nainital District have failed to discharge their public duties to register a case against the culprits. Action should be taken under the applicable provisions of the

Constitution of India, SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act, 1989, Prevention of Insults to National Honour Act, 1971, as well as BNS. These crimes fall under the ambit of offences punishable under the SC/ST Act, 1989. Request to the police. Therefore, I request you to register a case/FIR in this matter immediately, arrest the responsible persons and take the strictest legal action against them.

High priority given to the preservation of Ramappa Borkhade Hemant Sahadevrao

Dayyala Meena Bureau Chief Mulugu September 8: Stated that a decision would be taken only after a comprehensive review of scientific studies and safety standards. District Collector Borkhade Hemant Sahadevrao emphasized the utmost importance of preserving the Ramappa Temple, which has been recognized as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Committee members held detailed discussions regarding the measures needed to ensure no harm comes to the temple and deliberated on the issuance of a No Objection Certificate (NOC) for the proposed open-cast mining project. The District Col-



lector stated that the views expressed by officials from relevant departments and committee members were recorded, and a decision regarding further action would be taken after a thorough examination of all aspects. Participants included Deven der; P. Saidulu (GM, Environment); Pankaj Kula shreshtha (GM, Exploration); R. Sunitha (Assistant Commissioner, En-

downments); B. Ganga devi (Assistant Director, Archaeology); Ajith M.S. and Vamsikrishna Jyothi (Senior Conservation Assistants, Archaeological Survey of India); J. Sridhar Rao



and Prof. M. Panduranga Rao (Representatives, Kakatiya Heritage Trust); Ch. Raju (Sarpanch, Palam pet); K. Venkayya (District Panchayat Officer); Rajani (District Fisheries Officer); M. Shivaji (District Tourism Officer); Narayana (Irrigation EE); Giribabu (Tahsildar, Venkata pur); D. Raju (MPDO); and other relevant officials and committee members.

Land survey must be conducted transparently and accurately

District Collector Sneha Sabarish

Dayyala Meena Bureau Chief, Mahabubabad September 8: District Collector Sneha Sabarish inspected the ongoing comprehensive land survey process at Cheruvumundu Thanda in Upparapalli village, Kesamudram Mandal, Mahabubabad district. During the visit, she closely examined the use of rovers, the identification of boundaries, and the digital mapping process carried out by the survey teams. The Collector directed that precise measurements be taken in the presence of landowners to avoid any boundary disputes. She emphasized the need to utilize technology effectively to ensure that records are maintained accurately and transparently. Tahsildar Vivek, surveyors, GPO Narmada, Gram Panchayat staff, and local farmers participated in the program.



BRS 'Samarabheri' Call to Battle at Dharmasagar Mandal Headquarters

Report by Boddu Sarath Kumar Dharmasagar September 8: A protest dharna was held as part of the 'Samarabheri' program organized by the BRS party at the Dharmasagar Mandal headquarters. We strongly condemn the illegal arrest and subsequent transfer to Hanamkonda of former Deputy Chief Minister Dr. Tatikonda Rajaiah while he was peacefully protesting against public issues. Resorting to the illegal arrest of BRS leader thereby trampling upon the democratic right to protest is a testament to the Congress government's dictatorial attitude. We vehemently condemn the illegal arrest of Dr. Tatikonda Rajaiah. "If there are attempts to suppress the voice of the people, BRS cadres will intensify their struggle. It was criticized that the Congress government has failed to implement the promises made during the elections; Revanth Reddy came to power by misleading the public with "420" (deceptive) promises but has since forgotten them. Speakers noted that the government is ignoring the issues faced by students and employees, which is why KCR is sounding the bugle for battle. Participants in this program included BRS Mandal In-charge



Karra Somi Reddy, Corporator Avala Radhika Reddy, former Mallakapalli Sarpanch Munigala Raju, former Mandal In-charge Sompelli Karunakar, Boddu Prabhudas, Raghotham Reddy, senior leader Prabhakar Rao, as well as various village Sarpanches, village in-charges, party activists, and local residents.

Mahabubabad Appointment of Gandhi Saibabu Goud as Vice President of Mahabubabad District Telangana Goud Welfare Association

Bureau Chief, Mahabubabad, September 8: Gandhi Saibabu Goud has been appointed as the Vice President of the Mahabubabad District Telangana Goud Welfare Association. He received his appointment letter today from the founding president, Gattu Ramachandraiah Goud, at the association's central office in Hyderabad. Speaking after receiving the appointment letter, Saibabu Goud pledged to discharge the responsibilities entrusted to him and to strive for the upliftment and welfare of the Goud community. He stated that he would bring the community's issues to the attention of the concerned officials and work towards resolving them. He also expressed his commitment to creating educational and employment opportunities for Goud youth and to working towards the social and economic development of the community. He extended special thanks to the association's leadership—



Founding President Gattu Ramachandraiah Goud, State President Gundala Mallesh, Youth Wing State President Molkapuri Srikanth Goud, and District President Gandhi Veerender Goud—for entrusting him with this responsibility.

New Chola Gold Loan Branch Inaugurated

Direct Voice Reporter Karimabad, Warangal September 8: A new Chola Gold Loan branch was inaugurated on Monday near the SBI Bank at the Shivanagar underpass in Warangal city. Regional Manager Dumbala Venkat Reddy presided over the event as the chief guest. Speaking on the occasion, the Regional Manager announced the opening of the new branch and highlighted that gold loans would be offered to the public at low interest rates with complete security, urging everyone to make the most of this opportunity. ARBM Samala Ravinder, BM Anumandla Thirupathi, and office staff members Vinod and Dileep, among others, participated in the event.



400 'Bullet' Motorcycle Silencers Causing Noise Pollution Destroyed Traffic Police Crush Silencers Using a Road Roller Additional DCP Ramanujam

Direct Voice Bureau Chief Khammam September 8: Additional DCP Ramanujam stated that special measures are being taken against the silencers of 'Bullet' motorcycles that cause noise pollution and public inconvenience. Traffic police had seized these high-decibel silencers installed in violation of regulations and subsequently destroyed them by crushing them with a road roller at the police headquarters. He advised motorists to use only the original silencers prescribed by the manufacturer and urged them not to install loud silencers that disturb the public. Police warned that legal action would be taken against those who drive vehicles creating excessive noise or modify silencers in violation of rules. They affirmed that police efforts to control noise pollution would continue, prioritizing public peace and health. It was noted that 1,654 'Bullet' silencers had previously been removed and destroyed. Traffic ACP Srinivasulu, AR ACP Sushil Singh, and Inspectors Satyanarayana and Appalanaidu participated in the event.



What is the traffic control in Warangal? Small businesses on both sides of the road occupying it

Ch. Abhinay Bureau Chief

Warangal September 8 : Main roads turned into parking stands for vehicles. Pedestrians and motorists facing severe difficulties. Traffic police only have to issue DDs and fines. Relevant officials in a state of intoxication. Warangal city roads, which were once planned in Warangal city, are now auto rickshaws, random parking of vehicles on the roads, and encroachments by small traders, and the city of Warangal has become chaotic due to lack of traffic control. Due to the negligence of the traffic police and Greater Warangal Municipal Corporation officials, the main intersections and roads in the city are being completely occupied. Autos parking on main roads - traffic jam. Autos are parked haphazardly on the roads at Warangal Bus Stand, Railway Station, Under Bridge Road, Post Office, Pochamma Maidan Junction on both sides. Kashibuga, Warangal Chowrasta, MGM, blocking traffic, causing serious problems for motorists and pedestrians. Moreover, since there are business complexes on both sides of the main roads in the city, they are not parking properly or occupying half the roads. Due to this, motorists and pedestrians coming and going are facing serious problems. Motorists say

that parking on the roads in the heart of the city is completely blocking traffic during the morning and evening peak hours. "This is normal," said an auto driver. "Small traders occupying footpaths and roads. Warangal city's RNT Road, CKM Maternity Hospital Line, Under bridge Road, Kasibugga Junction Siddaiah Hotel Road, and Char Bowli Road Tiffin Center have all become obstacles to traffic disruption. Especially in Mandi Bazaar, more than half of the road is occupied on both sides of the road and vehicles are parked haphazardly. Traffic police officers and officials patrol Mandi Bazaar, but no action is taken against vehicle parking, and motorists, along with the city's residents, are angry that they do not even try to control traffic. Mandi Bazaar is crowded from 6 pm to 2 am. This is because biryani hotels, tea shops, paan shops, and tiffin centers in this area are open almost until midnight. Many crimes and gruesome murders have occurred here. There are criticisms that the police who were present are being negligent and that patrolling is also being done only to a limited extent. All the public roads in the city are completely occupied by people selling fruits, vegetables, clothes and plastic goods. Due to this, pedestrians have to walk in the middle of the



road. Difficulties of pedestrians and motorists. School children, office workers and patients going to hospitals are facing severe problems due to road encroachment along with illegal parking. When ambulances come to MGM Hospital from their respective areas as emergencies, they are also getting stuck in traffic due to poor traffic control. There is no place for footpaths to walk on the road. Parents of students have complained that they are facing problems while going to school and college in the morning. No attention even after complaints made to the traffic police and the Baidia about this problem, there is no result. Traffic officers conduct drunk and drive checks every day, register cases and issue challans. Their work is completed only after the imposition of fines. Occasionally, they come in the name of special drives and fine autos and vehicles. The next day, everything is the same again. The GWMC encroachment staff also come once a month and take away the goods of the traders, making up for it. Are the officials getting bribed? Allegations are being heard strongly among the local traffic staff that small traders and owners of business complexes in the city are paying huge bribes to the Warangal traffic officer on a monthly or annual basis. Locals are openly saying that no business is done without paying bribes to the police and municipal staff, and not a single auto stands on the road. Demand of the people of the city. People are demanding that all auto rickshaws in Warangal city be regularized and shifted to designated areas, and that encroachments on roads and footpaths be removed. The people of the city are demanding that strict action be taken against encroachments without succumbing to political pressures and bowing to leaders, and that the traffic officer should monitor traffic control on a daily basis.

Telangana language and dialect, a blend of multilingual words“Yamsani Srinivas Senior journalist “On the auspicious occasion of “Telangana Language Day” on 09 September“

Bureau Chiet Hanum akonda September 08: The language that gave life.. Telangana dialect Telugu is the sweetest language in the countr y. Telugu dialects are musical tones, the regional earthy aromas in Telugu language, and various dialects have emerged with the spiritual combination of the work ing people. The Telangana region has been ruled by various prince ly states for centuries, especially under the Nizam rule, and the Telugu language of the people here has been mixed with Urdu, Hindi, Persian, Kannada, and Marathi words, giving this langu age a distinctive form. Telangana Telugu is not just a language, it is soaked in the sweat of the rural working people and exudes distinctive word aromas. Telangana Telugu language, dialect, and unfamiliar dialects have merged with the lifestyle of the people here and have acquired

sweetn ess and innocence. The culture, heritage, historical glory, and foreign language words of the people of this region have given Telangana Telugu a special flavor. Telangana proverbs, auspicious stories, and nationalities reflect the humorous qualities and satirical styles of the people here.“Telangana Language Day 2026“After the formation of the separ ate Telangana state, it has become a wonderful tradition to celebra te the Telangana Language Day every year on 9th September on the occasion of the birth anniversary of the famous Telangana pub lic poet Kaloji Narayana Rao Since 2014, on the occasion of Kaloji's 100th birth anniversary Telangan a Language Day has been celebra ted on his birth anniversary. We know that "Telugu Language Day" is celebrated in Andhra Pradesh on 29th August on the occa-

sion of the birth anniversary of Godu gu Ramamurthy Pantulu. state, and we Ranga succeeded.Telangana Ramabayamma, is a living Telangana Telugu Sunrise Our Kaloji The



Our language played a major role in the achievement of Telangana state. During the time of the Seemandhra rulers, we saw the Telangana language being insulted and neglected in the united state, and we shouted the slogan "Jai Telangana". We alsoWith the mockery, our blood boiled, we clenched our fists, prepared for the achievement of the contribution of Kaloji, the founder of Telangana, to the existence of the Telangana Telugu language is unforgettable. Kaloji, who hails from Karnataka, settled in Warangal and enjoyed the aroma of the Telangana soil, recognized its superiority and made immense efforts to develop that language. Kaloji Narayana Rao, born in Karnataka on 09 September 1914 to

the tyrannical rule of the Nizam. A partisan of the working people of Telangana, a great advocate of our college. A free dom fighter. T e l a n g a n a activist.“Multilingual public poet Kaloji If injustice is faced, my quarrel is satisfied."If injustice ends, my struggle will be freed," Kaloji's pen inspired passion in the letters. Our Kaloji is a multilingual man who is proficient in Telugu, Urdu, Hindi, Marathi, Kannada and English. Kaloji, who is a political satirist, a critic of the Telangana people, their feelings, their customs, their anger, and their opposition to foreign rulers, has proven himself to be adept at using his writings as weapons. Hyderabad?. After studying in Hanamkonda and graduating from Osmania, he played an active role in He was raised by his elder brother, the Urdu poet Kaloji Rameshwara Rao.

He participated in the Satyagraha movement and was imprisoned. He married Rukminibai in 1940. He had close relations with P. V. Narasimha Rao. He protested against the Nizam's rule and the atrocities of the Razakars. After the death of his mother, he was raised by his elder brother, the Urdu poet Kaloji Rameshwara Rao. In 1958, he was elected to the Legislative Council from the Teachers' Constituency.“A garland of distinguished awards:Kalanna's many works as a writer include Godava, Idi Naa Godava, Jeevan Geeta, Final Victory Manadi. Telangana Movement Poems, Babu Babu, Kakoji Stories, etc. Kaloji Narayana Rao's life is dedicated to the people of Telangana. In recognition of his outstanding contribution, he received the Padma Vibhushan of the Government of India (1992), Tamrapatri Award (1972),

AP Government Translation Award (1969), Burgula Ramakrishna Rao Memorial Award (1981), the title of Praja Kavi for the love of the people of Telangana, awards from various literary societies, Kakatiya University Honorary Doctorate (1992), Ramineni, Gadicharla Foundation Award, Gurajada Award (1996), Madras Kalasagar Award (1996), etc.“Violence is wrong - state violence is very wrong." Kaloji, who said, "The common man is my God," breathed his last on 13 November 2002. As per his wish, his mortal remains were handed over to Kakatiya Medical College and he was a great man who served the people even after his death. In recognition of his distinguished services, the government named the Warangal Health University as Kaloji Health University and the conference hall in Hanumak onda as Kaloji Kalakshetram.

Kadiyam, have some shame!“Did KCR do nothing for Dalits?“Wasn’t it KCR who gave you a political lifeline after NTR? Former MLA Vinay Bhaskar lashes out at MLA Kadiyam Srihari

Ch.abhinay Bureau Chief Warangal September 8.: Who took you from the local level ('galli') to the national stage ('Delhi')? “Wasn't it KCR who gave you recognition and a position within the party?“Are you defending Revanth Reddy just for the sake of positions?“If you are truly a champion of Dalits, go sit in protest before the Speaker's podium.“ Former MLA Vinay Bhaskar lashed out at MLA Kadiyam Srihari, calling it shameful for him to claim that KCR did nothing for Dalits. He questioned how Kadiyam could criticize KCR now, having forgotten the support KCR provided for his political growth. He demanded to know if it wasn't KCR who elevated Kadiyam who had faded from the political scene after NTR's tenurefrom the local level to the national stage. He also asked if it wasn't KCR who granted him recog-

nition and the opportunity to rise politically. On Tuesday, BRS leaders staged a protest at the Ambedkar Centre in Hanamkonda, demanding an apology from CM Revanth Reddy and protesting against the filing of cases against BRS public representatives. Former MLA Vinay Bhaskar spoke on this occasion and leveled severe criticism against Kadiyam Srihari. Vinay Bhaskar questioned whether it was not KCR who restored political recognition to Kadiyam Srihariwho had faded into obscurity after NTR gave him an initial opportunityand elevated him from a local-level figure to the national stage (Delhi). He challenged the notion, asking if taking someone from a local setting to the national level was somehow a mistake on KCR's part. He asked if it was not KCR who gave him a political lifeline and a prominent position

within the party. He re- leader who had once ported him simply for the spoke in a manner that



marked that it is highly inappropriate for Kadiyam Srihari to now accuse KCRthe very person who supported himof lacking concern for Dalits. He criticized Kadiyam for his ingratitude in leveling allegations against the

stood by him during his political career. Vinay Bhaskar alleged that Kadiyam Srihari is siding with Revanth Reddy out of greed for money and political posts. He stated that it is wrong to criticize KCRwho once sup-

Reddy and reflect on the facts after reviewing those records.““If you are truly a champion of Dalits, sit before the Speaker's podium." Vinay Bhaskar demanded that if Kadiyam Srihari truly cares about Dalits, he should speak out against the humiliations Dalits are facing under the Congress government. He suggested focusing on Dalit issues rather than talking about the party or other leaders. He challenged the individual to sit before the Speaker's podium and register a protest on behalf of Dalits if they truly championed the Dalit cause. He urged them to stand by the Dalitswho had helped them secure political officeand to fight for Dalit issues. He emphasized the need to respect everyone, the Constitution, and democracy, while also stressing the importance of respecting constitutional offices and legislative traditi

ons.“KCR's Many Schemes for Dalits “Vinay Bhaskar stated that claiming KCR lacks affection for Dalits is a distortion of the facts. He noted that the KCR government introduced initiatives like 'Dalit Bandhu' with the aim of economically empowering Dalits. He credited the KCR government with implementing numerous welfare schemes for Dalits and Backward Classes (BCs). He highlighted that KCR, who secured statehood for Telangana, undertook many programs for the upliftment of Dalits and BCs. Vinay Bhaskar expressed anger, calling it shameful for Kadiyam Srihari to allege that such a leader lacks concern for Dalits. He advised against disregarding history and making such statements merely for political gain.

Chandrayan Motion Poster: Rocket to Moon

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The makers of Chandrayan have unveiled an intriguing motion poster that introduces a hilarious adventure with an unmistakably local soul. Presented by Venu Udugula, the film is positioned as an entertaining follow-up to the success of Raju Weds Rambai. Produced by Praveen Molaka under the Simba Screen Stories banner, the movie is written and directed by Srinath Chandrasekhar.

The announcement video, showcases the journey of Mandamarri to Chandrayan that begins with a rocket heading towards space, accompanied by a Telangana-rooted song that adds a distinctive cultural flavour. The premise revolves around an ordinary man and his dream of seeing the moon, eventually transforming that simple aspiration into an unbelievable mission. The combination of rural innocence, ambition and humour makes the concept instantly engaging.

Their decision to undertake a Chandrayan



mission raises plenty of questions about their purpose and capabilities. Whether these unlikely astronauts can pull off their mission or find themselves in a series of hilarious complications is something the film promises to reveal. The ensemble cast includes Sivakumar Dheekonda, Swapna Priyadarshini, Ravi Sivateja, Vamsidhar, Lokesh and Balagam Satyanarayana.



Aarti Chikara Looks Radiant in Vibrant Saree and Jhumkas

In this charming photograph captured by pixelpassionphotography, Aarti Chikara sits gracefully on a rooftop ledge against a city skyline. Draped in a vibrant magenta polka-dotted saree paired with a simple white sleeveless blouse, she accessorizes with large silver jhumka earrings, stacked bangles, and a subtle bindi. Her warm smile and soft, flowing hair create an effortlessly elegant and joyful look that highlights her natural beauty.

Aarti Chikara is a rising Indian model, influencer, and actress primarily active in Telugu cinema. She built a strong following through lifestyle and fashion content on Instagram before transitioning to acting. Her Telugu film debut came with Ichata Vahanamulu Niluparadu, where her girl-next-door charm and screen presence earned early praise. She has since appeared in projects such as 30 Rojullo Preminchadam Ela and contributed to the successful Hanuman universe.

She has also featured in Telugu daily soaps like Prema Entha Madhura and various short films in Tamil and Kannada. As of 2026, Aarti continues expanding her presence in South Indian cinema with several projects in the pipeline, balancing modeling, digital content, and selective film roles while showcasing authentic performances and modern appeal.

"No Gender Is Safe in Tollywood"

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Actress Kamakshi Bhaskarla has spoken openly about some serious problems that exist in the film industry. During a recent podcast, she discussed casting couch, exploitation and the way the word "commitment" is sometimes used in the wrong manner in Tollywood.

Kamakshi said that the film industry attracts many people who want to become producers because they see cinema as a business. However, not everyone who enters production has a real understanding of filmmaking. Some may mainly look at movies as an investment opportunity.

According to Kamakshi, problems can arise when people with money and influence use their position in the wrong way. She explained that some people may offer acting opportunities but later expect something personal in return.

She pointed to the way the word "commitment" is sometimes used in such situations. She said some people may indirectly ask actresses for personal favors after offering them work. Describing this attitude, Kamakshi said, "Inkenti... Inkenti mari? What else?"

Her comments have once again brought attention to the difficult side of the entertainment industry. New actors and actresses often depend on opportunities to build their careers. Because of this, people with power can sometimes put them in uncomfortable situations.

Kamakshi also made an important point that such exploitation should not be seen as an issue affecting only women. According to her, people from different genders can face manipulation and harassment when there is a major difference in power.

She strongly summed up her view by saying, "No gender is safe here, everybody in the industry is screwed."

Her statement has attracted attention because it highlights a wider problem rather than focusing on only one section of the industry. The film industry is a place where talent, money, fame and influence often work together. When power is misused, newcomers can find it difficult to protect their personal boundaries.

Mahendragiri Varahi has divine blessings of Varahi - Sumanth

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Sumanth starrer Mahendragiri Varahi film has good audiences traction and great buzz. The movie is directed by Santossh Jagralapudi and produced by Madhu Kalipu, Laxman on a huge budget. The makers have become talk of the industry after installing Goddess Varahi idols at theatres for promotions and now, they held a huge pre-release event in front of a big crowd. Akhil Akkineni and Siddhu Jonnalagadda attended as special guests for the event.

Siddhu Jonnalagadda said, "I did a cameo in the film for producer Madhu. I am thankful to director Santossh for designing it brilliantly. Sumanth has designed his career in such a way that he can star in any film and I wish Mahendragiri Varahi will be a big blockbuster for everyone involved."

Akhil Akkineni said, "My intuition is that the movie will be a grand



success at the box office. Sumanth has a passion towards the film and I am sure they all have pulled off a solid film. I loved the music, trailers and I am waiting for 11th September to watch movie in theatres."

Sumanth said, "I worked with Santossh on the script but we waited for producers. Finally, Madhu and Laxman took it to next level. They saw the first half and are super happy with it. Second half will be even better. I am confident that this film will be a huge success as we all divine intervention of Goddess Varahi during the making. Please watch it in theatres, it will be an experience you'll never forget."

Why Is This Negligence Happening in Tollywood?

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In Tollywood, release dates are announced months in advance. But in many cases, the actual shooting of the films is still not complete. This has become a common problem in the Telugu film industry. Movies like Varanasi, Spirit, and The Paradise are reportedly facing delays, with their release plans said to be changing once again.

Normally, a movie team announces a release date only after checking the shooting schedule and post-production plans. But these days, filmmakers are often announcing dates very early. This creates pressure when the shoot does not move according to the original plan.

One major reason is the large scale of present-day Telugu movies. Big stars are working on films with huge budgets, multiple locations and heavy action sequences. Such scenes need more time than expected. If one important schedule gets delayed, the entire production plan can change.

Another issue is the busy schedules of star heroes and directors. Many leading actors are working on more than one project. Directors also have several commitments. Finding dates for the entire team can become difficult. Even a small change in one person's schedule can affect the shooting of a movie.

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scenes and other technical work can also take additional time.

However, repeatedly changing release dates can create problems. It can affect audience expectations and also create confusion among distributors and exhibitors. When several big movies change their dates, the entire release calendar can get disturbed.

The current situation with Varanasi, Spirit and The Paradise shows how difficult it has become to balance production schedules with announced release dates. Of course, the final release plans depend on the respective filmmakers, and official announcements are important before reaching any conclusion.