

Officials Prepared Notices to Govt Land Encroachers in Erravalli

Siddipet:Revenue officials began issuing notices to some persons who had allegedly encroached on government land near former chief minister K. Chandrashekar Rao's farmhouse in Erravalli of Siddipet's Markook mandal. Sources said around 180 notices had been drafted and 25 were issued to those cultivating on the government land in Survey No. 325 in the village.

The cultivators claimed that they were assigned the land by previous governments, some as far back as in the 1970s and 1980s. The notices asked the farmers to show documents to back their claims. Officials have not yet surveyed the former chief minister's farmhouse, which is in the centre of the controversy.

Survey No. 325 in Erravalli is spread across



388 acres and five guntas of government land. Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy had announced in the Assembly that an inquiry would be conducted into encroachment of government land in the village, where Chandrashekar Rao has developed a farmhouse. Grabbed land would be taken over and assigned to Dalits who

had staged a protest outside Chandrashekar Rao's farmhouse recently. Land and survey department used Differential Global Positioning System (DGPS) to mark the government land holding. Land and survey department assistant director Rathod Sudarshan, Gajwel revenue divisional

officer V.V.L. Chandrakala have been coordinating the survey for three days now. Markook tahsildar Saritha and her staff were preparing the notices to be issued to alleged landgrabbers. The exercise was almost complete at Erravalli, with officials finalising the boundaries of Survey No. 325. Based on the DGPS reports, the

officials will verify the possession of government land. On the other hand, a few farmers said they were worried as they did not have documents to prove their claim. Speaking to Deccan Chronicle, a senior officer said on condition of anonymity that anyone encroaching on even one square yard of government land would be served notice, and action initiated after analysing their reply. Siddipet collector K. Haimavathi confirmed to Deccan Chronicle that officials had prepared notices, and about 25 notices would be issued daily to farmers who were cultivating on government land in Survey No. 325. The notices would be served after tallying the details of survey and position, she explained. "Within 10 days, the process of issuing notices will be completed," she said.

Trump Signs Russia Sanctions Bill Allowing 100% Tariffs on India

WASHINGTON: US President Donald Trump signed a bill Friday authorizing new sanctions designed to pressure Russia over its war in Ukraine, shortly after it received congressional approval this week. The legislation takes aim at Russia's energy and defense sectors, alongside President Vladimir Putin and other senior officials. It also targets Moscow's so-called shadow fleet of tankers used to evade Western sanctions, and allows Trump the authority to impose tariffs of up to 100 percent on major buyers of Russian oil and gas. This could potentially cover China and India, and furthers efforts to cut off



revenue financing Moscow's war. The Republican-led House of Representatives passed the package by a 262-159 vote on Wednesday. The bill would also target companies and foreign

actors supporting Russia's military, and extend sanctions involving Iran. But the broad powers to impose tariffs sparked an unusual split among Democrats, who largely support Ukraine but have resisted handing Trump wider authority over trade. Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelensky earlier said the legislation's passage was symbolic and thanked US lawmakers. India said on Thursday it would continue buying oil "through diversified sourcing." Trump's signing of the bill also comes a week before he is due to meet with Chinese President Xi Jinping in Washington.

Modi: Rich Nations Emit 6X More

New Delhi: Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Saturday said India's development was both rapid and sustainable as he highlighted the country's progress in renewable energy, nuclear power and environmental protection.

Inaugurating a two-day international conference on environment and climate in New Delhi, Modi flagged global climate inequality, saying developed countries produced six times more carbon emissions per capita than India, though developing nations were often unfairly blamed for climate

change. "India's per capita carbon emissions are less than half the global average," Modi told the gathering of environmental experts, Supreme Court judges, legal experts and senior government officials. He said India consistently presented this fact at international forums and urged citizens to highlight it as well.

Modi said India was the only G20 country to have met its Paris Agreement commitments ahead of schedule. Its performance in expanding non-fossil-fuel and solar energy capacity and preventing car-

bon emissions was being discussed worldwide, he added.

The Prime Minister said India was rapidly expanding nuclear power generation and opening the sector to private participation. He criticised environmental campaigners who, he said, approached courts to halt nuclear projects despite advocating clean energy.

India's non-fossil energy capacity had increased by 400 per cent, he said. Solar power capacity had risen from 2 GW about 12 years ago to more than 160 GW,

while wind energy capacity had tripled and hydro-power capacity had also recorded strong growth.

Under the PM Surya Ghar Muft Bijli Yojana, more than 50 lakh houses had installed rooftop solar panels, Modi said. The government had provided assistance of nearly ₹80,000 to each participating household.

Highlighting advances in clean mobility, Modi said India had recently launched its first hydrogen-powered train, which he described as the world's longest, marking the beginning of a new era

in green transport.

Annual electric vehicle sales had risen from about 3,000 before 2014 to nearly 25 lakh last year, he said. FASTag had reduced waiting time and fuel wastage at toll plazas.

Modi said the country's Metro network had expanded from less than 250 km across five cities before 2014 to more than 1,000 km in 20 cities. The complete electrification of the railway network had also saved crores of litres of diesel, he added.

Referring to conservation initiatives, Modi said

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Ponguleti Says Orders on Section 22A Issues to Be Issued Within a Week



Hyderabad: Revenue minister Ponguleti Srinivas Reddy on Saturday said the state government would issue orders within a week to address long-pending Section 22A land and registration issues, facilitating an early resolution to problems affecting several colonies in Hyderabad and neighboring districts.

He said the government had issued GO 118 for regularization of houses in certain colonies and GO 76 for regularisation of house sites in the Singareni areas, out of the 12 land-related issues identified by Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy.

Srinivas Reddy said the government was working on the remaining issues in phases and that the Chief Minister would soon announce further measures.

He was speaking at a programme at the Saroornagar Indoor Stadium where he distributed regularisation certificates to beneficiaries from 44 colonies in the LB Nagar Assembly constituency.

He said the government had resolved the issues concerning 44 of the 64 colonies in the constituency and assured residents that their houses would not be demolished.

The remaining cases would be addressed within a month, he said.

GO 118 would also help resolve similar issues in parts of Medchal and Rangareddy districts within a month.

He said many of the colonies had remained under the Section 22A prohibited list for a long time and reiterated that the government would soon announce a solution.

Srinivas Reddy said the proposed orders would cover registration-related problems and cases involving people who had not submitted applications for regularization.

Section 22A had been in force since the erstwhile united Andhra Pradesh and needed to be reviewed, he said.

On the Singareni region, he said GO 76 on regularization of house sites would be implemented and a three-member committee had been constituted.

The process would be completed within 45 days, he said.



more than 70,000 Amrit Sarovars had been constructed. Natural farming clusters had been created across 12.5 lakh hectares, while about 3,000 climate-resilient crop varieties had been developed.

He said India was also reducing its carbon footprint through agroforestry and that its very dense for-

est cover had increased by 22 per cent over the past 12 years.

Describing plastic waste as a major environmental challenge, Modi said India had banned single-use plastic and was promoting a circular economy based on the principle of "reduce, reuse and recycle".

INDIA’S DIPLOMATIC
SUCCESS AT 18TH
BRICS SUMMIT

The achievement of the latest summit is not that it resolved the world’s conflicts; it is that it prevented those conflicts from destroying BRICS’ ability to talk to one another

The unanimous New Delhi Declaration at the 18th BRICS Summit marks a diplomatic success for India, given the 11-member grouping’s divergent interests and fractured internal politics. Bringing together widely conflicting strategic interests and crafting a carefully worded, mutually agreeable document is a commendable task in itself. The context was complicated: Iran-UAE tensions over the West Asia conflict, the Russia-Ukraine war, and, more importantly, the United States—the elephant in the room—created formidable obstacles to consensus building. India’s diplomacy was the decisive factor in holding the text together. It used its strong ties with all members and worked behind the scenes to overcome the biggest hurdle—convincing the UAE and Iran, which sit on opposite sides of the West Asia conflict, to sign on. The outcome serves as evidence that BRICS can still function as a forum even amid real fractures among its members. However, one should not lose sight of the inherent limitations of the bloc. A key limitation is that, though BRICS can keep difficult conversations alive and affirm broad principles, it struggles to assign responsibility or organise collective action when interests occasionally collide. The document does not attempt to solve the world’s most intractable conflicts overnight, nor does it establish an immediate replacement for Western financial supremacy. It is still a long way to go for it to become a unified geopolitical bloc capable of collective action on the conflicts it discusses.

The Delhi summit proved that BRICS can survive its geopolitical contradictions, but survival cannot be taken as a strategic transformation. After demonstrating its capability to hold together a highly heterogeneous grouping at a moment when consensus appeared particularly difficult, a much harder test for India is to use that consensus to produce concrete economic and diplomatic outcomes. The achievement of the latest summit was not that it resolved the world’s conflicts; it was that it prevented the world’s conflicts from destroying the bloc’s ability to talk to one another. That is no small achievement in the present geopolitical environment. But the next stage will determine whether BRICS becomes more than a forum for carefully negotiated communiqués. The real test will be whether it can convert multipolarity into institutional reform, AI cooperation into actual technological partnerships and Global South solidarity into development finance. The declaration was unambiguously strong on the issue of terrorism. The 2025 Pahalgam attack, which killed 26 people, was condemned in the strongest terms, with leaders calling all terrorism “criminal and unjustifiable” regardless of motivation, and pledging zero tolerance. However, the document’s careful omissions were as revealing as its assertions. It avoided naming the US over the strikes on Iran and also did not condemn Iranian attacks on Gulf Arab states. Nor did it criticise Russia for waging a war against Ukraine. Instead, the declaration relied on broad principles — restraint, sovereignty, civilian protection, dialogue and diplomacy.

Telangana parties gear up for Warangal-Khammam-Nalgonda Graduates’ MLC election

Political parties have begun preparations for the Warangal-Khammam-Nalgonda Graduates’ MLC election after Telangana issued the electoral roll schedule. Jana Sena has named Gadala Srinivas Rao, while Congress and BJP are yet to announce candidates for the March 2027 election.

Khammam: With Telangana Chief Electoral Officer (CEO) C Sudharshan Reddy issuing the schedule for preparation of electoral rolls for Warangal-Khammam-Nalgonda Graduates’ Constituency MLC elections, the political parties are gearing up to finalise their candidates.

The term of sitting MLC Chintapandu Naveen (Teenmar Mallanna) is set to expire in March 2027. As per the schedule released on September 17, a public notice for voter registration would be issued on September 28 for de novo (anew) preparation of electoral rolls with final publication of the same on December 30.

It might be recalled that in the biennial election held on May 27, 2024, Congress candidate Mallanna defeated the BRS candidate A Rakesh Reddy in the results announced on June 8. The seat had fallen vacant after the resignation of sitting MLC Dr. Palla Rajeshwar Reddy of the BRS after he won the Jangaon n Assembly seat in 2023.

Rakesh Reddy, whose candidature is yet to be announced officially, has already started campaigning. He has been meeting graduates across the constituency for the past few months, besides organising different activities to garner voters’ support.

He hopes to win the election this time as the graduates and unemployed youth are upset with the Con-



gress government. The graduates’ opinion on the administration; issues concerning government jobs, lack of recruitment and education are likely to play a pivotal role in the election.

Meanwhile, Jana Sena Party has named former Health Director Gadala Srinivas Rao as its candidate for the election and he hit the ground running. The Congress and BJP parties are to decide the names of their candidates.

According to sources there is a long list of aspirants in the Congress party to contest the election. State Tourism Corporation Chairman Patel Ramesh Reddy, Vijaya Dairy Chairman Gutta Amith Reddy, OU JAC leader Lokesh Yadav, Singapuram Indira, Ramireddy Sarvothama Reddy-the son of former Minister Damodar Reddy, Ponguleti Prasad Reddy- brother of Minister Ponguleti Srinivasa Reddy, Nalgonda DCC president Punna Kailash Neta, RTI Commissioner PV Srinivas and others’ names are doing rounds in the party circles as the potential candidates.

On the other hand, Deputy Chief Minister Bhatti Vikramarka held a meeting in Hyderabad in the first week of September with key leaders from the three combined districts to discuss the strategy for the Graduate’s MLC election. He was said to have told the leaders to abide by the party high command decision regarding the candidate and work for the party victory.

Heavy Weekend Rush at Khairatabad
Ganesh Idol

Devotees are expected to flock in large numbers to visit the Ganesh idol on Saturday and Sunday

Hyderabad: The Hyderabad police geared up to deal with the weekend rush at the towering Khairatabad Ganesh idol on Saturday and Sunday.

Devotees are expected to flock in large numbers to visit the Ganesh idol on Saturday and Sunday. Since it is the weekend, the rush of devotees has been continuing in surrounding areas of Khairatabad since morning.

It is estimated that more than one and a half lakh devotees are likely to visit Ganesh on Saturday. This year, the 69-foot-tall Panchamukha Sankatahara Maha Ganapati is being worshipped at Khairatabad.

Along with Ganesh idol, the idols of Kalika Mata, Somnath Jyotirlingam, Vishwakarma, and Vishnu Murthy became a major attraction. The government has made elaborate arrangements for the devotees. Queues have been set up on all sides and heavy police deployment has been made to prevent any untoward incidents.



Continuous monitoring is being carried out through CCTV cameras. As it is the weekend, a large number of devotees are expected to visit the temple, and the crowd is likely to increase as the day progresses. Accordingly, the authorities are making additional arrangements.

Telangana HC directs police not to arrest BRS
social media convenor Manne Krishank

Hyderabad: The Telangana High Court on Friday granted relief to BRS social media convenor Manne Krishank, directing the police not to arrest him in connection with a case registered over a social media post. Justice T Madhavi Devi directed the police not to arrest Krishank and made it clear that a notice under Section 35(3) of the Bharatiya Nagarik Suraksha Sanhita (BNSS) should be issued to him and the procedure prescribed for offences punishable with imprisonment of less than seven years should be followed. The court also directed Krishank to fully cooperate with the investigation.

The case against Krishank relates to a social media post concerning the questioning of Mahender Reddy, PA to BRS working president K T Rama Rao (KTR), and PRO Mahesh Manikya by the police at the Saifabad Police Station. Police registered a case against Krishank in connection with the post. Against the alleged highhanded action of the police, Krishank approached the High Court by way of a lunch-motion petition seeking directions restraining the police from arresting him.



Counsel for Krishank submitted that all the offences invoked in the FIR carried a maximum punishment of only three years’ imprisonment and warranted no arrest. However, the Home Government Pleader for the Home Department informed the court that Krishank had already been arrested. The petitioner’s counsel disputed the submission and told the court that Krishank had not been arrested as of 4.20 p.m. on Friday and that he was before the Magistrate’s Court. After hearing both sides, the judge directed the police not to arrest Krishank and ordered that the procedure prescribed under Section 35(3) of the BNSS be followed.

Trump, Xi Set for High-
Stakes White House Talks



Washington: The first state visit by the leader of China in more than a decade takes place next week when President Xi Jinping arrives in Washington for high-stakes talks - and a little schmoozing - at the White House with President Donald Trump. When Xi’s plan lands at Joint Base Andrews just outside Washington on Wednesday, Trump will be there to welcome Xi for the state visit, senior administration officials told reporters. That’s unusual -- Trump typically meets foreign leaders at the White House.

The heart of the visit comes Thursday when Trump and first lady Melania Trump welcome Xi and his wife Peng Liyuan at an arrival ceremony held indoors on the State Floor of the White House. Trump and Xi will also participate in a review of troops in the Rose Garden before they retreat behind closed doors for their talks. The first lady and Peng Liyuan will hold a separate engagement while their spouses get down to business. Details were not released during a call the officials held Friday to brief reporters on Xi’s visit.

Xi and his wife will also be the guests of honor Thursday as Trump and the first lady host the Chinese delegation for a state dinner in the East Room. Trump described the dinner as an event everyone wants to attend. Both leaders will deliver remarks. "Thousands of people would love to be at that dinner," Trump told reporters Friday in the Oval Office. He appeared to lament that the 1,000-person ballroom he is adding onto the White House will not be available for the soiree because it is still under construction. "This is a very tough ticket for me."

"I've told a lot of very good friends of mine, you just can't come," Trump said. White House shares some names on the state dinner guest list But some of the Republican president's tech industry friends have been invited. Among the executives scheduled to attend the state dinner are Amazon founder Jeff Bezos, Tesla and SpaceX's Elon Musk, Sundar Pichai of Google and Michael Dell, the CEO of Dell Technologies, the White House said.

Also on the guest list are Nvidia's Jensen Huang, OpenAI's Sam Altman, Jane Fraser, the CEO of Citigroup, and Tim Cook, who recently stepped down as the CEO of Apple. Next Friday, Xi and Peng Liyuan are scheduled to return to the White House for a private tea with the Trumps, who will then take them on a tour of the National Archives, the home of some of the United States' most important founding documents as the nation celebrates its 250th anniversary. Xi will head for Joint Base Andrews after the tour. Tariffs, artificial intelligence, rare earths on the agenda As for other substantive parts of the visit, US officials said Washington and Beijing may be ready to ease some tariffs on some nonstrategic goods. Discussing the visit during a call with reporters, senior US officials said such a move might affect a narrow band of goods that would advantage both sides. The officials, who spoke on condition of anonymity under ground rules set by the White House, did not elaborate. But they said they did not expect the United States would be ready to ease export controls to allow for a greater flow of rare earth minerals, critical components in a wide range of products, into the global market. The officials said China maintaining an acceptable flow of such minerals would be discussed, but there was unlikely to be an exchange involving reduced US export controls. Separately, Treasury Secretary Bessent will meet over the weekend in New York with Chinese Vice Premier He Lifeng to discuss a range of economic issues, according to a person familiar with the plans who spoke on condition of anonymity because they were not authorized to discuss the details publicly. Artificial intelligence will be a focus of the talks, the person said. In Beijing, China's commerce ministry announced that He would lead a delegation to the US from Saturday to Wednesday for economic and trade consultations. Also on the agenda will be China's stockpiles of rare earth minerals, essential to everything from smartphones to fighter jets. Beijing has used its near-monopoly on the minerals to bring the United States to the negotiating table in a trade war started by Trump's tariffs and other sanctions on China. The talks might continue at the working level into Monday, the person said. US Trade Representative Jamieson Greer will join Bessent on Sunday for the meeting with He, Greer's office announced Friday evening. Trump visited China in May, as well as in his first term, for talks with Xi, who rolled out the red carpet for his American counterpart. Xi was last in the United States for a state visit in September 2015 during the administration of Democrat Barack Obama.

Revanth Reddy invites suggestions for naming Mamnoor Airport



Hyderabad: Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy on Saturday invited suggestions from the public for a name for the long-pending Mamnoor airport in Warangal. Revanth Reddy said the project had moved closer to reality after the completion of land acquisition and its handover to the Airports Authority of India (AAI).

In a post on X, Revanth Reddy said the Telangana government allocated ₹295 crore for land acquisition for the airport. He described the handing over of the land to the AAI as a major step towards fulfilling the long-pending demand for an airport in Warangal.

The Chief Minister said the proposed airport would serve as a gateway for industry, tourism, education, employment and investment in the Warangal region. He said improved air connectivity would contribute to the region's economic

development and help create new growth opportunities beyond Hyderabad.

Revanth Reddy said the airport project was now taking shape on the ground and expressed hope of flying from Mamnoor airport in the future. He also asked people to suggest a suitable name for the airport as part of its new identity.

The Chief Minister, while highlighting the progress made by the Congress government, also criticised the previous BRS government over the delay in realising the airport project. He said the project remained pending despite the BRS being in power for a decade.

New Delhi: Telangana is ready to play a key role in achieving the Viksit Bharat-2047 goal, Deputy Chief Minister and Finance Minister Mallu Bhatti Vikramarka said.

He stated that Telangana views the ambitious economic targets set by the country not as distant aspirations, but as an immediate responsibility requiring concrete action.

The Deputy Chief Minister addressed the conference on "Mobilising Financial Resources for India's Journey Towards Viksit Bharat", held in New Delhi on Saturday under the leadership of Union Finance and Corporate Affairs Minister Nirmala Sitharaman.

The Chief Ministers and Finance Ministers of various states, senior officials of the Union and state finance departments, and economic experts participated in the conference.

From Telangana, the Deputy Chief Minister was accompanied by Dr. Gaurav Uppal, Secretary, Finance and Planning Department.

Bhatti Vikramarka said that the major challenge was to mobilise the financial resources required to achieve unprecedented levels of development while maintaining fiscal stability, enhancing productivity, and ensuring that the benefits of development reach every citizen and every region.

He said that the goal of building Viksit Bharat cannot be achieved by the Centre or the states independently and stressed the need for the Centre and states to move forward together in the spirit of cooperative federalism.

He emphasised the need for effective mobilisation of both public and private resources, along with strong institutions and

Telangana to Play Key Role in Achieving Viksit Bharat Goal: Bhatti



policies based on mutual cooperation. He said Telangana was participating in the discussion not merely to seek funds, but with a clear development plan, a defined strategy for mobilising financial resources, and a long-term vision.

Target is a \$3 Trillion Economy

The Deputy Chief Minister said Telangana was ready for the next phase of growth with strong economic foundations. He stated that the state's Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP) reached ₹17.82 lakh crore in 2025-26, registering 10.7 per cent growth at current prices. At constant prices, real GSDP growth was estimated at 8.5 per cent.

He said Telangana's per capita income had risen to ₹4,18,931, nearly twice the national average of ₹2,19,575. The services sector recorded growth of 13.5 per cent, while the secondary sector grew by 9.4 per cent, he said.

At the current growth trajectory, Telangana's economy is estimated to reach \$1.21 trillion by 2047, he said. However, the state government has set a much more ambitious target of transforming Telangana into a \$3 trillion economy by 2047.

He said the objective was also to increase Telangana's share in the national economy from the

present level of around five per cent to 10 per cent.

Focus on Mobilising Private Investments

To build a \$3 trillion economy, Telangana needs to change the way infrastructure is financed, Bhatti Vikramarka said. He stressed the need to gradually move away from excessive dependence on government borrowing to finance roads, bridges and other infrastructure.

He said Telangana was moving towards a model that would mobilise larger investments from private investors, institutional funds and sovereign funds, while using government resources strategically.

The Government funding would play a key role in reducing investor risk, bridging viability gaps and building confidence among private investors, he said. To achieve this, the state was strengthening mechanisms such as Public-Private Partnerships (PPPs), green bonds and blended finance, he added.

Statewide Development Through CURE-PURE-RARE

Development should not be confined to a single city, while rural areas should not be left behind, the Deputy Chief Minister said.

With this objective, Telangana has developed a distinctive development model based on three

interconnected economic regions — CURE, PURE and RARE.

The CURE (Core Urban Region), centred around Greater Hyderabad, is being developed as a hub for high-end services, artificial intelligence, global capability centres, fintech, life sciences and knowledge-based industries, he said.

The PURE (Peri-Urban Region) along major transportation corridors will be developed as a hub for industrial and manufacturing activities, he said.

Through RARE (Rural Agricultural and Resource Economy), the state aims to provide a new impetus to the rural economy. Digital technology in agriculture, expansion of food-processing clusters and development of cold-chain infrastructure will connect rural producers with domestic and international markets that offer higher-value opportunities, he said.

Bharat Future City Spread Across More Than 30,000 Acres

Bhatti Vikramarka said Bharat Future City, spread across more than 30,000 acres, was being developed as a model for the cities of the future in India.

He said the city was being envisioned as the country's first net-zero, AI-enabled green megacity. It would include world-class universities, international research

centres, clean technology parks and environmentally sustainable residential areas, he explained.

The Regional Ring Road (RRR) would be one of the key infrastructure projects connecting the CURE, PURE and RARE regions, he said.

Youth Are Telangana's Greatest Strength

The Deputy Chief Minister said that along with infrastructure and investments, human resources are the real foundation of a \$3 trillion economy. Telangana's youth are the state's greatest strength, he said.

To bridge the gap between higher education and the requirements of industry, the government has established the Young India Skill University in partnership with leading international organisations, he said.

Bhatti Vikramarka stressed that the benefits of economic growth should reach every family and that inclusive development was the government's objective. He said the government was committed to ensuring that everyone becomes a participant in the development process through social security, accessible healthcare, quality housing, and support for women entrepreneurs and self-help groups.

He stated that Telangana's goal of becoming a \$3 trillion economy is not merely a target for the state, but its contribution towards building a prosperous and self-reliant Viksit Bharat by 2047.

If the financial systems of the Union and state governments work in coordination, with priority given to investments, sustainable financial resources and human capital, the goal of Viksit Bharat can be achieved, Deputy Chief Minister Bhatti Vikramarka said.

Telangana: Character, Integrity Key To Success, Says TI India MD



WARANGAL: Character, integrity and credibility are as important as technical skills in shaping a career, Texas Instruments India managing director Santhosh Kumar told students at the 24th convocation of NIT Warangal on Friday.

He urged students to remember the principle of "Character is Fate" throughout their lives.

The two-day convocation began at the Ambedkar Learning Centre, with 930 undergraduate and 22 exit-degree students receiving their degrees on the first day. Postgraduate and PhD students will receive their degrees on Saturday.

Santhosh Kumar was the chief guest, while NIT Warangal Board of Governors chairperson Dr B.V.R. Mohan Reddy was the guest of honour. NIT Warangal director Prof. Bidyadhar Subudhi presented the institute's annual report.

Dr Mohan Reddy, speaking on "The Role of the Engineer in the AI Era", stressed the need for engineers to develop expertise in their fields while cultivating lifelong learning. He urged them to use technology to address real-world problems and emphasised trust, values and learning from failures.

Prof. Subudhi said the institute had prioritised research and innovation. It had secured around ₹53.63 crore for 162 research projects and published 1,771 research papers, 617 conference papers and 123 book chapters during 2025-26. Thirty-six patents were granted and 98 were filed, he said.

Infrastructure projects worth around ₹900 crore are under way, including new hostels, lecture hall complexes, an academic block, a 2,500-seat open-air amphitheatre, a 500-seat cafeteria and a north-south underpass. Subudhi said 93.94 per cent of undergraduate and 80.78 per cent of postgraduate students secured placements. The average salary for undergraduate students was ₹18.54 lakh, while the highest domestic package was ₹1.27 crore.

From the 2026-27 academic year, the institute introduced M.Tech programmes in Quantum Technology, Artificial Intelligence, Electric Vehicles and Materials Science and Technology. B.Tech in Electric Mobility and an MA in English Language and Literature were also launched. AI and Machine Learning have been made compulsory for B.Tech students, he said.

Siddhi Barpute, a Chemical Engineering student, received the Director's Gold Medal for outstanding undergraduate performance. Roll of Honour Gold Medals were also presented to toppers from various B.Tech programmes.

The Best B.Tech Project Award went to Mechanical Engineering student Budda Jeshwanthi for her project on a compact dual-cell passive DMFC and stack design for power generation.

Two honorary degrees were also conferred. Dr P.K. Menon received an honorary Doctor of Science for his contributions to the use of automatic control technologies in aviation and aerospace engineering. Anand Ramamurthy, managing director of Micron India, received an honorary Doctor of Philosophy for his contribution to India's semiconductor sector.

Santhosh Kumar urged students to learn from failures and develop technology-based solutions to social challenges, including microgrids, agricultural sensors and safe drinking water.

He said graduation marked the beginning of a lifelong journey of learning and growth. The first day concluded with graduates taking the pledge led by the gold medallist. Postgraduate and PhD students will receive their degrees and awards on September 20.

KTR comments on Danam Nagender's disqualification

BRS Working President KT Rama Rao urged the Congress government to make all MLAs who defected from the BRS resign and face elections, citing the Telangana High Court's judgment disqualifying Danam Nagender and calling for the same legal principle to be applied.



Wanaparthi: BRS Working President KT Rama Rao on Saturday urged the Congress government to take note of the Telangana High Court's judgment disqualifying Khairatabad MLA Danam Nagender and apply the same legal principle to the remaining MLAs who defected from the BRS to the Congress.

He demanded that all MLAs who defected from the BRS to the Congress resign and face the people's verdict. If the Congress government was confident of people's support, it should ask the defected MLAs to resign and seek a fresh mandate, he said.

Speaking to media persons at Pebbair here on Saturday, the BRS working president said the High Court had set aside the Speaker's decision in Nagender's case. The same legal principle should be applied to the remaining cases, he stressed.

"We challenge the Congress government to make the remaining defected MLAs resign and face elections," Rama Rao said.

Karnataka raising Almatti height by five metres, could impact Palamuru in future: KTR

BRS working president KT Rama Rao alleged that the Congress government had failed to safeguard Telangana's Krishna water interests and accused it of neglecting farmers' power and irrigation needs. He raised concerns over Almatti, Jurala and Kalwakurthy projects

Wanaparthi: BRS working president KT Rama Rao alleged that the Congress government had failed to safeguard Telangana's interests in Krishna waters, allowing Karnataka to consider raising the height of the Almatti Dam, which he said could affect water availability to Palamuru in the future.

Taking advantage of what he described as the Congress government's lack of planning to safeguard Telangana's interests in Krishna waters, the Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh governments were drawing up plans accordingly, he alleged.

The Karnataka government was spending ₹1 lakh crore to raise the height of the Almatti Dam by five metres. "Why is Chief Minister Revanth Reddy not questioning Karnataka and protecting Telangana's interests?" he asked at Pebbair on Saturday.

While Karnataka was spending such a huge amount on one project, Congress leaders in Telangana were finding fault with BRS chief K Chandrashekhara Rao for spending ₹88,000 crore on the Kaleshwaram Lift Irrigation Project and misleading people, he said.

Rama Rao visited the Gummadam and



Pebbair power stations. While officials claimed that 12 hours of power were being supplied, farmers complained that they were not receiving a steady supply for even five or six hours a day. On some days, power supply was disrupted 10 to 12 times, he charged.

"This is the plight of farmers in Chief Minister A Revanth Reddy's native district. Farmers are taking to the streets due to the lack of electricity," he said, alleging that farmers were suffering because of the government's failure to ensure uninterrupted power supply.

Expressing concern over the Jurala project's command area being on the verge of ruin, the BRS working president said 248 TMC of water had flowed into the Krishna river. Andhra Pradesh was siphoning off Krishna water, while only 18 TMC had been released to the Jurala ayacut during the entire season, he alleged.

Similarly, the Kalwakurthy pumps had not been operated properly and the Congress government had failed to operate even three pumps, he said. Less than 10 TMC of water had been supplied to the Kalwakurthy command area, he added.

"There is about 150 TMC of water in the Almatti and Narayanpur dams in Karnataka. Why cannot the Congress government in Telangana seek 5 TMC for farmers in our State?" Rama Rao asked, alleging that Revanth Reddy was offering Guru Dakshina to Chandrababu Naidu in the form of Krishna water.

Nearly 10,000 acres were under the Jurala ayacut and the Congress government would not be spared even if crops on a single acre withered, he warned.

A rally was conducted from the Pebbair town substation to Subhash Crossroads. Along with the BRS working president, former ministers Niranjan Reddy, Laxma Reddy and Srinivas Goud and others participated in the rally.

"Revanth Reddy is an honest politician. He promised to bring back the old days and has delivered exactly that, with farmers struggling for water and power to save their crops," he said.

Rama Rao charged that the Congress government had failed to implement its promises on Rythu Bandhu and had caused hardship to farmers by not paying the Rythu Bima premium on time.

The BRS working president said the Palamuru-Rangareddy Lift Irrigation Scheme was nearly 90 per cent complete under the previous BRS government. The balance works were being delayed because the Congress government did not want BRS chief K Chandrashekhara Rao to get credit for the project, he alleged.

Cong Govt Engineered Drought In State, Not El Nino: Harish

HYDERABAD: Former irrigation minister and senior BRS leader T. Harish Rao slammed the Congress government for blaming El Nino for the crisis that he said Telangana was facing on the irrigation and power supply fronts. The debate on Friday in the Legislative Assembly on El Nino conditions "made one thing clear," he said, that the Congress government "is trying to blame nature for its own failures."

Speaking to mediapersons, Harish Rao said: "This is not a drought brought by nature. It is a drought created by the Congress government and the failures of Chief Minister Revanth Reddy. Instead of accepting responsibility for the shortage of water and power, the government is blaming El Nino."

Harish Rao demanded that the government start operating the Kannepalli pumps and use available Godavari water, lift water from Medigadda towards Yellampalli wherever technically and legally permissible, operate available pumps at Kalwakurthy, Palamuru, Nettampadu, Bhima, Koilsagar and other irrigation projects so standing crops could be protected.

He also demanded that the government provide uninterrupted power to farmers and protect standing crops.

On power shortages, Harish Rao said, "Farmers are being forced to use diesel generators and spend around ₹1,500 a day to protect their crops." Generation at the Yadadri Thermal Power Station was only around 1,500 MW against its 4,000 MW capacity because of coal shortages, while output at the thermal plant at Bhadradi was down by 540 MW due to technical problems. Another 800 MW at Kothagudem was also not being generated, he said.

Harish Rao also criticised irrigation minister Uttam



Kumar Reddy's statement in the Assembly that Telangana had used 84 tmc ft of water from Srisailem this year. Telangana, Harish Rao said, drew from the Krishna River from Srisailem, and the Kalwakurthy and Palamuru-Rangareddy lift irrigation schemes. The facts were that while Andhra Pradesh had utilised around 83 tmc ft, Telangana, including the needs of Hyderabad's drinking water, had used only around 43 tmc ft from Krishna, he added.

He said crops in nearly 3 lakh acres of ayacut under Nettampadu, Bhima, Koilsagar and Jurala were at risk. "The Revanth Reddy government could have requested the Congress government in Karnataka to release water from Almatti for a month and save the crops, but it has not done so," he said.

FTAs Opening New Career Doors: Modi

New Delhi: Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Saturday said the free trade agreements (FTAs) signed by India with various countries were opening new career opportunities for the youth.

Addressing a Rozgar Mela virtually, Modi said the talent and skills of India's youth had earned global trust and that the world had high expectations of the country's innovators, entrepreneurs and young workforce.

"India has signed 40 free trade agreements. These FTAs are opening new doors of opportunity for our youth. Such agreements create new partnerships for entrepreneurs, provide access to new markets and generate new career opportunities for young people," he said.

At the event, Modi virtually distributed more than 51,000 appointment letters to newly recruited candidates joining various government departments and organisations.

Referring to the recently concluded BRICS Summit, the Prime Minister said India was working to ensure that cooperation among member countries was not confined to governments.

"Our entrepreneurs, farmers, women and youth should all become active partners in



this cooperation," he said.

Highlighting India's startup ecosystem, Modi said it reflected the strength of the country's youth and was no longer confined to major cities.

"India is now the world's third-largest startup ecosystem. Its startup story is no longer restricted to big cities. Nearly half of the recognised startups are in Tier-II and Tier-III cities," he said.

Modi said India was working towards the major goal of becoming a developed nation by 2047 and that young people had a crucial role in achieving it.

"While serving in the government, you must ensure that every decision strengthens the campaign for a developed and self-reliant India. As young people, you have a special responsibility, particularly towards other youngsters," he told the recruits.

The Prime Minister said Nagrik Devo Bhava — citizens are like gods — should be the guiding principle of public service.

As many as 45 Rozgar Melas were organised across the country. The recruits will join several Union government ministries and departments, including revenue, railways, home affairs, health and family welfare, financial services and defence, according to the Prime Minister's Office.

An official statement said the Rozgar Mela reflected the government's continued focus on creating employment opportunities for the youth and increasing their participation in the country's development.

With the 20th Rozgar Mela, 12.75 lakh young people have received appointment letters to various government departments and organisations, it added.

Danam Nagender seeks SC stay on Telangana HC disqualification order

Khairtabad MLA Danam Nagender has reportedly approached the Supreme Court seeking a stay on the Telangana High Court order disqualifying him from the Assembly. The High Court had declared his disqualification effective from April 23, 2024

Hyderabad: Khairtabad MLA Danam Nagender on Saturday reportedly filed a Special Leave Petition (SLP) in the Supreme Court, seeking a stay on the Telangana High Court judgment delivered on Friday disqualifying him from the Assembly. He urged the apex court to grant him time to appeal against the High Court judgment. He also sought a stay on the High Court order declaring the Khairtabad Assembly constituency vacant, according to reports.

However, BRS MLA from Huzurabad Padi Kaushik Reddy and BJP Floor Leader Aleti Maheswar Reddy are learnt to have already filed caveat petitions in connection with the Khairtabad MLA case. They had earlier approached the High Court over Danam Nagender filing his nomination as the Congress candidate from Secunderabad in the 2024



Lok Sabha elections while continuing as the BRS MLA from Khairtabad.

After hearing the arguments, the High Court declared that his disqualification would take effect from April 23, 2024. It directed that copies of the order be sent to the Election Commission of India and the Telangana Speaker's office.

Interestingly, after the High Court judgment on Friday, Danam Nagender had said he had not considered approaching the Supreme Court. The MLA had also categorically said he welcomed the High Court judgment. The High Court had rejected an appeal by Danam Nagender's counsel seeking time to approach the apex court against the judgment.

Srihari Questions KCR Family's Assets

STATION GHANPUR: Former deputy chief minister and Station Ghanpur MLA Kadiyam Srihari questioned the assets of the KCR family, alleging that BRS leaders had amassed properties worth thousands of crores by exploiting Telangana's resources.

Speaking at a programme at the Rythu Vedika in Dharmasagar mandal on Friday, where Kalyana Lakshmi, Shaadi Mubarak and Chief Minister's Relief Fund cheques were distributed, Srihari demanded that the Kalvakuntla family disclose the value of its assets before 2014 and their current value.

Referring to election affidavits, he questioned how those who had declared that they did not own even an acre of land in 2014 had subsequently acquired hundreds of acres.

Srihari alleged that BRS leaders were launching counterattacks instead of explaining how assets worth thousands of crores were



accumulated during their decade in power. He also questioned whether the BRS government had provided even an acre of land or a single job to activists who had spearheaded the Telangana movement.

He said Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy had disclosed details of BRS leaders' assets on the Assembly floor and said those facing allegations over their assets had a responsibility to respond.

HCP Task Force nabs notorious criminal gang with multi state operations. Cracks 17 cases involving property worth 22 Lacs, including cattle and high value electronics

AMEER HUSSAIN,, CRIME BEURO CHIEF

The sleuths of the Commissioner's Task Force, Jubilee Hills Zone Team, along with Khammam Police, acting on credible information, apprehended a gang involved in cattle theft and subsequent shutter-lifting thefts at mobile-phone shops. The accused were allegedly involved in 13 cattle-theft cases across Telangana and subsequent mobile-shop thefts in Khammam and Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh. The stolen mobile phones were allegedly disposed of through an organised network extending to Mumbai and Bangladesh. During the operation, cash suspected to be proceeds of the stolen property was also seized.

ACCUSED DETAILS:

CATTLE THEFT ACCUSED:

1. Md. Tabrez, S/o Late Dawood Shaikh, Age: 40 yrs, Occ: Driver, R/o Talah Masjid, Moti Darwaza, Langer House, Hyderabad. (INVOLVED IN BOTH)
2. Mohd. Rafeeq, S/o Abdul Nabi, Age: 54 yrs, Occ: Auto Driver, R/o Near Garden, Golconda Khila, Hyderabad. (INVOLVED IN BOTH)
3. Mohammed Zubair Akthar, S/o Late Mohammed Akthar Ali, Age: 30 yrs, Occ: Horse Riding, R/o Opp. Alpha Hospital, Moghalpur, Hyderabad.
4. Mohammed Naveed, S/o Mohammed Mahboob, Age: 24 yrs, Occ: Butcher, R/o Near Anwar Masjid, Najam Nagar, Kishan Bagh, Hyderabad.
5. P. Sai Reddy S/o Late. P. Pandu Ranga Reddy, Age: 35 Yrs, Occ: worker in Medical Shop, R/o: Langar Houze, Hyderabad. (XYLAZINE INJECTION SUPPLIER)

CELL PHONE SHOP SHUTTER-LIFTING THEFT ACCUSED:

6. Farahan Shaikh, S/o Mumtaz Shaikh, Age: 37 yrs, Occ: Labour, R/o Mumbai, Maharashtra.
7. Mubeen Shaikh, S/o Hassan Shaikh, Age: 45 yrs, Occ: Switching, R/o Mumbai, Maharashtra. (RECEIVER)
8. Mehboob Shaikh @ Papa, S/o Abdul Fazal Shaikh, Age: 32 yrs, Occ: Car Driver, R/o Kurla West, Mumbai, Maharashtra. (RECEIVER)
9. Mohd. Zahed Khan @ Raja Bhai, S/o Late Mohd. Ahmed, Age: 34 yrs, Occ: Business, R/o Navi Mumbai, Maharashtra. (RECEIVER)
10. Abu @ Afzal Absconding
11. Kalu native of Mumbai Absconding
12. Zsaim native of Dhaka, Bangladesh absconding

SEIZED PROPERTY:

1. Mobile phones – 15
2. Four Wheeler car - 03
3. Cash – Rs.22,00,000/-
4. Number Plate - 01

MODUS OPERANDI – CATTLE THEFT:

During the enquiry, Md. Tabrez disclosed that he, Mohd. Rafeeq and their associates were allegedly involved in cattle-theft offences, particularly during Ramzan and Bakrid, when there was increased demand for cattle. Tabrez and Rafeeq allegedly identified cattle sheds located in isolated areas during late-night hours. They allegedly administered Xylazine injections, a sedative, to make the cattle drowsy and less active, after which the cattle were loaded into vehicles and transported away. The stolen cattle were allegedly taken to cattle markets and sold at lower prices. Tabrez was also found to have previous involvement in several cases relating to house-breaking and shutter-lifting thefts. After the cattle-theft offences, he allegedly reverted to his earlier pattern of targeting commercial establishments, particularly mobile-phone shops, through shutter-lifting thefts.

Tabrez and Rafeeq were allegedly involved in all 13 cattle-theft offences, while Zubair and Naveed participated in selected offences. The accused were allegedly involved in 13 cattle-theft offences across Nagarkurnool, Mahbubnagar and Nalgonda Districts, including the Future City area.



ASSOCIATION AND VEHICLE FACILITATION:

Investigation further revealed that Tabrez came in contact with Abu @ Afzal, who had earlier been lodged in Chanchalguda Central Prison in an NDPS case, came into contact with Tabrez, Zubair and Rafeeq during their incarceration. After their release, Abu allegedly facilitated self-drive vehicles, including Innova Crysta, Innova, Ertiga and Baleno, for their activities. His role was limited to arranging vehicles and he did not allegedly participate in the actual thefts.

Abu @ Afzal also allegedly arranged a Baleno car for Tabrez, Rafeeq and Zubair when they travelled to Bangalore with an intention to commit a theft at a gold shop. However, the offence was not committed.

SHIFT FROM CATTLE THEFT TO SHUTTER-LIFTING:

After Ramzan and Bakrid, the accused allegedly observed reduced demand for cattle and shifted their focus to their earlier criminal activity of shutter-lifting thefts targeting mobile-phone shops. After 28-05-2026, Tabrez contacted his old associate Farahan, who suggested targeting mobile-phone shops and informed the group about persons who could facilitate disposal of stolen property. Abu @ Afzal allegedly arranged an Ertiga vehicle for their use.

ATTEMPTED THEFT AT VIJAYAWADA:

Before the Khammam offence, Tabrez, Rafeeq and Farahan allegedly attempted to commit a shutter-lifting theft at a Big C store in Vijayawada. However, the attempt was unsuccessful and they subsequently moved towards their next target.

KHAMMAM MOBILE-SHOP THEFT:

On 11-06-2026, Tabrez, Farahan and Rafeeq allegedly committed a shutter-lifting theft at Sonovision mobile-phone shop, Khammam. Farahan, having close contacts in Mumbai for disposal of stolen mobile phones, allegedly facilitated the disposal through middlemen/facilitators Mehboob Shaikh @ Papa and Mubeen Shaikh, who connected the stolen phones to Mohd. Zahed Khan @ Raja Bhai allegedly procured the stolen mobile phones for approximately ?20 lakh, and the amount received from the disposal of the stolen phones was allegedly shared among the persons involved and used for their personal expenses. After coming to know that the Khammam Police were pursuing them, the accused allegedly fled to Mumbai from Hyderabad. Subsequently, in the month of July again they procured a Swift Dzire vehicle and proceeded to Madhya Pradesh, where they allegedly committed further mobile-shop thefts.

TWO MOBILE-SHOP THEFTS IN UJJAIN:

In July 2026, Tabrez and Rafeeq travelled to Madhya Pradesh along with Mukesh in a Swift Dzire. On 10-07-2026, they allegedly committed two shutter-lifting thefts at mobile-phone shops in the Freeganj area of Ujjain, with Mukesh participating in both offences. The stolen mobile phones from the Ujjain offences were allegedly disposed of through Mubeen, who arranged their disposal through Kalu, a Mumbai-based associate.

ATTEMPT TO COMMIT FURTHER OFFENCE IN GUJARAT:

After committing the two offences in Ujjain, the accused allegedly planned to commit another shutter-lifting theft in Gujarat. They conducted recce of potential targets and identified a suitable location for committing the offence. While attempting to proceed with the offence, they allegedly noticed police patrolling in the area. In an attempt to evade the police, they panicked and allegedly met with a road accident. During the accident, Farahan sustained a fracture to his hand. The accused allegedly abandoned the vehicle at the spot after the accident, as it was

being used with a fake registration number, two additional duplicate number plates to evade identification and iron rod was present vehicle, allegedly intended for use in the planned shutter-lifting offence.

STOLEN MOBILE-PHONE DISPOSAL NETWORK – ROLE OF MOHD. ZAHED KHAN @ RAJA BHAI:

Investigation further revealed that , Mohd. Zahed Khan @ Raja Bhai engaged in the mobile-phone business for several years. He initially worked as a mobile-phone mechanic around 2010 and entered the used-mobile-phone business around 2016. Subsequently, he allegedly started dealing in stolen mobile phones. Zahed allegedly procured mobile phones from different States, including Telangana and Karnataka, through various intermediaries. The investigation revealed that he allegedly received stolen mobile phones from mediators, who sourced them from pickpockets and other persons involved in mobile-phone thefts in different locations.

He allegedly dealt in new, used, reused and second-hand mobile phones, including stolen and damaged devices and spare parts, and handled approximately 400–500 mobile phones per month. He also allegedly maintained contacts in Mumbai, including Chor Bazaar and Madanpura, for the procurement and disposal of such phones. Zahed allegedly acted as a receiver and disposer of stolen mobile phones, procuring them through intermediaries and subsequently routing them through his network for onward disposal in Bangladesh through Kasim.

INTERNATIONAL DISPOSAL CHANNEL

The further enquiry revealed that Kasim, a native of Dhaka, Bangladesh, was allegedly involved in the transportation and onward movement of stolen mobile phones towards Bangladesh on a commission basis. After the stolen phones were collected by Zahed in Mumbai, they were allegedly packed into parcels and transported by road/bus towards Kolkata. From Kolkata, the phones were allegedly smuggled through waterways into Bangladesh through unauthorised channels for disposal in the international market. Kasim allegedly facilitated the onward movement of the phones and received commission for the transportation/disposal arrangements.

In some instances, persons associated with Kasim allegedly collected the mobile phones directly from Zahed in Mumbai and arranged their onward transportation. Kalu, a Mumbai-based associate, is also allegedly involved in the movement and disposal of stolen mobile phones. The investigation also revealed alleged financial transactions connected with the disposal network, including suspected Hawala transactions, which are being further verified. The stolen mobile phones were allegedly disposed of through channels where the devices were difficult to trace or track through their IMEI numbers.

APPREHENSION:

After committing the above offences, the accused allegedly procured a new Volkswagen Vento car for committing further thefts in Hyderabad City. On 17-08-2026, the accused were apprehended in Hyderabad City while allegedly planning to commit another offence using the said vehicle. The apprehension was made before they could execute the planned offence. The above apprehension was made under the supervision of Sri. Gaikwad Vaibhav Raghunath, IPS, Deputy Commissioner of Police, Commissioner's Task Force, Hyderabad, with the active participation of Ch. Yadender, Inspector of Police, Jubilee Hills Zone Task Force, along with SI D. Ravi Raj, SI G. Sandeep Reddy and the staff of Commissioner's Task Force, Jubilee Hills Zone Team, Hyderabad, in coordination with Khammam Police.

COMMISSIONER OF POLICE, HYDERABAD CITY

District SP Dr. G. Janaki Sharmila, IPS Visits Hazrat Ibrahim Daula Urs Sharif

Nirmal District : District SP Dr. G. Janaki Sharmila, IPS, participated in the special prayers held as part of the sacred Sandal ceremony at Masjid-e-Quba in the Sharath Mahal area of Nirmal on the occasion of Hazrat Ibrahim Daula Urs Sharif. On the occasion, members of the mosque committee felicitated the SP with a shawl.

The SP stated that the Sandal celebrations symbolize religious harmony and unity in diversity. She said that elaborate police security and traffic arrangements had been made to ensure that devotees faced no inconvenience. She appealed to everyone to celebrate the occasion peacefully and in a spirit of brotherhood.

DSP P. Srinivas, CIs Krishna, Sammaiah and Govardhan, SIs Ganesh, Srikanth, Limbadri and Gopi, RSI Ravi Kumar, mosque committee representatives and devotees participated in the prayers.



SENIOR CIVIL JUDGE cum SECRETARY DISTRICT LEGAL SERVICES AUTHORITY Smt A SRIDEVI AS CHIEF GUEST On Orientation Program at P.G. Law College

AMEER HUSSAIN CRIME BEURO CHIEF : Hyderabad, Bashirbagh: An orientation program was held at the P.G. Law College in Bashirbagh. Smt. A. Sridevi, Secretary of the District Legal Services Authority (Sessions Division, Nampally, Hyderabad), attended the event as the chief guest.

Addressing the students on this occasion, Smt. A. Sridevi stated that legal education is not merely about acquiring knowledge of the law; it also entails the responsibility of upholding justice, equality, and constitutional values ??within society.

She advised every law student to continuously stay informed about fundamental legal principles, as well as ongoing changes in the legal system, new laws, and legal developments. She emphasized that honesty, ethical values, discipline, and social responsibility are crucial in the legal profession.

Students were apprised of various initiatives undertaken by the District Legal Services Authority, such as free legal aid for eligible individuals, legal awareness programs, legal service camps, Lok Adalats, mediation, and pre-litigation services.

She urged law students and aspiring lawyers to contribute their support in providing legal assistance to economically disadvantaged sections of society, women, children, the elderly, and other eligible individuals. Law students were urged to engage with the public right from their academic days, understand legal issues, and strive to raise awareness among people about their rights and legal services.

They were also advised to enhance their professional skills by



gaining practical insight into court procedures, legal processes, and alternative dispute resolution mechanisms.

Ms. Aparna (Principal, PG Law College), Ms. Vijayalakshmi (Law CET Convener), Professor Vijaya Bhaskar Reddy, along with faculty members and students, participated in the event.

Through this orientation program, law students gained an understanding of their responsibilities toward society alongside their legal education, as well as the importance of legal services and their own role in making justice accessible to the public.

Traffic restrictions in the Tri-City area on the day of Vinayaka immersion

Motorists should cooperate with the traffic police
Warangal Police Commissioner N Shwetha IPS



Warangal, Bureau : Traffic restrictions will continue in the Warangal Tri-City area from 10:00 am on 23 September 2026 to 5:00 pm on 25 September 2026 on the occasion of Vinayaka immersion, Warangal Police Commissioner N Shwetha IPS said.

A procession will be organized from all sides of the city in the Warangal, Hanumakonda and Kazipet Tri-City areas on the occasion of Vinayaka immersion. Therefore, the Warangal Police Commissioner revealed that traffic restrictions are being imposed on vehicles in the Tri-City area to avoid any traffic disruption on the routes used to transport idols for the large-scale immersion in the city. As part of the traffic restrictions, the Police Commissioner stated in a statement that traffic restrictions will continue from 10:00 am on 23 September 2026 to 5:00 pm on 25 September 2026. In addition, traffic restrictions will be in force on the routes indicated by the police, including heavy vehicles. In particular, on the day of immersion, vehicles should not be parked on the way to the Shobha Yatra, on the way to the immersion site and at the place where the immersion will take place. All the people can cooperate with the traffic police.

Timely Treatment Can Save Snakebite Victims: Assistant Professor Dr Priyanka

Nagarkurnool : An awareness programme on snakebite prevention, immediate medical care and snake conservation was organised for degree students at Government Science Degree College in Nagarkurnool on Saturday to mark World Snakebite Awareness Day. The programme was conducted by the Department of Zoology under the guidance of Principal Madan Mohan. Government Medical College Assistant Professor Dr Priyanka and Vamsi, a snake catcher from the International Snake Conservation Society, attended as chief guests and provided practical guidance to the students.

Dr Priyanka said snakebites claim many lives worldwide, with lack of awareness



and delays in treatment being major factors behind fatalities. She advised people not to panic after a snakebite and to immediately take the victim to the nearest government hospital. Timely medical treatment can significantly improve the chances of survival, she said. She also urged people not to approach faith healers or rely on superstitious practices, warning that delays in treatment for venomous snakebites could prove fatal.

Snake catcher Vamsi advised people to maintain a safe distance from snakes and not harm them when they are spotted. He said snakes play an important role in agriculture by controlling rats and other small animals that damage crops. He appealed to people to contact trained snake catchers if snakes enter houses instead of killing them, so they can be safely rescued and released in suitable forest areas.

Academic Coordinator M. Anjaiah, IQAC Coordinator Vanitha, Women Empowerment Coordinator Uma Devi, Kodandaramaulu, Naresh, Ramakrishna and other faculty members participated in the programme.

Special prayers to Lord Ganesha, the remover of obstacles

Baldia Special Officer, District Collector Chahat Bajpai
District Collector, Baldia Commissioner who launched Maha Anna prasadam

Hanumakonda : Baldia Special Officer Hanumakonda District Collector Chahat Bajpai believes that Lord Ganesha is the remover of obstacles.

On Saturday, Collector and Commissioner T. Venkanna performed special prayers at Lord Ganesha installed at the Nakkalagutta Circle Office and jointly launched the Maha Annadanam program organized by the engineering officers and staff.

Speaking on the occasion, the District Collector said that Lord Ganesha is the remover of obstacles and it is believed that worshipping Lord Ganesha will fulfill one's wishes. It is commendable that Lord Ganesha is installed every



year at the Nakkalagutta Circle Office and a Maha Annadanam program is organized. The Collector congratulated the organizers on this occasion. Superintendent Engineer Raj Kumar, Deputy Commissioner Birru Srinivas, E.E. Ravi Kumar, Mahender Madhavi Latha, D.E. Raj Kumar, Karthik Reddy, A.E. Hari Kumar, office staff Krishna Murthy and others participated in this program.

Free Police Job Training for Youth in Nirmal Training Classes to Begin from September 28

Nirmal District : Programme Conducted with the Support of District Collector Bhavesh Mishra

– District SP Dr. G. Janaki Sharmila, IPS

District Superintendent of Police Dr. G. Janaki Sharmila, IPS, said that the Police Department, with the support of District Collector Bhavesh Mishra, will conduct a free pre-recruitment training programme for unemployed youth preparing for competitive examinations for police jobs.

The SP said that the training classes will commence in Nirmal from Monday, September 28. Candidates who have applied for Police Con-



stable and Sub-Inspector (SI) posts will be provided training in various subjects related to the competitive examinations, along with guidance on the examination pattern and preparation methods.

Interested candidates who have applied for police jobs

are advised to contact the SHO of their respective police station, submit their biodata and enroll in the training programme. The complete details regarding the training can be obtained from the concerned police station, she said.

The training classes will be conducted from 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM.

The District SP urged the youth of Nirmal district who are aspiring to secure police jobs to make the most of this free training opportunity, undergo the training with discipline and dedication, and achieve the best possible results in the competitive examinations.

Strong arrangements should be completed for immersion

Baldia Commissioner T. Venkanna

All departments instructed to work in coordination

Warangal, Bureau; Greater Warangal Municipal Corporation Commissioner T. Venkanna has instructed the officials to complete all the necessary arrangements by Sunday to conduct the upcoming Vinayaka immersion peacefully, safely and with devotion.

On Saturday, the Commissioner inspected the immersion areas within the city limits, including Madikonda Cheruvu, Bandham Cheruvu, Siddheshwar Gundam, Ursugutta Cheruvu, Basetham Cheruvu, Agartala Cheruvu, Kattamalanna Cheruvu, Chinnavaddepalli Cheruvu, Mucharla Cheruvu, Hasanparthi, Bhimaram Cheruvu and other places at the field level. He made several suggestions to the concerned officials on the infrastructure, sanitation measures and security arrangements to be taken in the respective areas.

Speaking on the occasion, the Commissioner said that since the immersion of the Ganesha idols is likely to start from the fifth day, it is advisable to prepare advance measures to avoid any disruptions. He ordered the removal of the remaining horse hooves in the ponds and the completion of the silting work expeditiously. He said that the necessary personnel should be allocated in advance in the immersion areas and that there should be no shortcomings in the performance of duties.

He suggested that the necessary fuel should be provided in advance for the cranes used for the immersion of the idols and that sanitation should be maintained continuously. He ordered that all neces-



sary arrangements be made at the immersion centers in coordination with the departments of Engineering, R&B, DRF, Mining, Fisheries and others.

The Commissioner suggested that rafts and swimmers be made available at the ponds, and that medical camps be set up under the auspices of the Medical and Health Department to provide immediate medical services in emergency situations. He said that the officials should regularly monitor the crowding of people, vehicle traffic and security conditions at the immersion centers.

The Commissioner ordered that drinking water, sanitation, electricity, lighting and other facilities should be made available so that devotees, Ganesh festival committees and organizers do not face any inconvenience. He clarified that all departments should work in coordination with each other to ensure that the immersion program runs smoothly, giving priority to environmental protection.

During this inspection, the Commissioner was accompanied by Superintendent Engineer Rajkumar, Health Officer Dr. Rajesh, Executive Engineers Ravikumar, Sanjaykumar, Mahender, Santosh Babu, Madhavilatha, DE Rajkumar, Sanitary Supervisor Golkonda Srinu, AE Harikumar, Sanitary Inspector Bheemayya and others participated.

M.A. SAMAD HONOURS GRAND MASTER M.M. MUJAHED FOR ADVANCING MARTIAL ARTS EXCELLENCE:

Hyderabad September 19, 2026 :

In a gesture symbolising mutual respect and professional fraternity within the martial-arts community, M.A. Samad, State Correspondent , Today Freedom English Daily, Hyderabad, felicitated Grand Master Md. Mohiuddin Mujahed, Founder, Technical Director, Chief Examiner and International Referee of I Warrior Martial Arts Academy, Muay Thai, Hyderabad.

M.A. Samad, one of the Senior Black Belts of the 1991 batch of Star Karate Club, affiliated with Karate Budokan International, Malaysia, and serving as Chief Instructor and Examiner and Government Coach for Self-Defence Training, congratulated Grand Master M.M. Mujahed on his achievements and the continued expansion of I Warrior Martial Arts Academy and its branches at national and international levels.

Samad appreciated the Grand Master's sustained efforts in promoting martial arts as a discipline that



combines physical fitness, technical precision, mental strength, self-confidence and personal responsibility. He noted that the true spirit of martial arts lies not merely in mastering techniques, but in cultivating discipline, respect, perseverance and character.

As a mark of honour and appreciation, M.A. Samad presented a shawl and flower bouquet to Grand Master M.M. Mujahed, conveying his warm wishes for the academy's continued growth and for the success of its instructors, Black Belts and students in India and abroad.

Mr. Mohammed Sufiyan Samad, along

with several Black Belts representing different Dojos, was also present. They joined in extending greetings and congratulations to Grand Master Mujahed and acknowledged his contribution to the development and promotion of martial-arts training.

The meeting brought together practitioners representing different martial-arts backgrounds and generations, reflecting the bonds of respect, discipline and camaraderie that form the foundation of the martial-arts fraternity.

The occasion also underlined the enduring values shared by accomplished martial artists—discipline, dedication, respect, technical excellence, physical fitness and the relentless pursuit of self-improvement—while highlighting the importance of carrying these principles forward to future generations.

The felicitation concluded with best wishes for the continued success and wider development of I Warrior Martial Arts Academy and its students across India and the international martial-arts community.

PM Narendra Modi Inaugurates SEMICON® India 2026

THE WORLD IS LOOKING FOR NEW AND TRUSTED MANUFACTURING DESTINATIONS; INDIA IS STEADILY PREPARING ITSELF TO MEET THIS NEED: PM MODI

Ashok Chandak says India moves from credibility to Capability with Policy Continuity and Commitments

The three-day flagship event which runs till September 19th at Yashobhoomi, New Delhi, is tracking toward 40,000+ visitors with involvement of 400+ executives and over 150 speakers, 600+ participating companies with representatives from 52 countries - metrics that reflect India's repositioning within global semiconductor supply chains

NEW DELHI, Sep 19, 2026: Prime Minister Narendra Modi inaugurated SEMICON India 2026 at New Delhi, underscoring the government's commitment to establishing India as a semiconductor powerhouse. Against the backdrop of Semicon 2.0 moving into its next phase through six strategic pillars - Design, Machines and Materials, Setting up more Fabs, Strengthening the ATMP/OSAT industry, Research & Development, and Talent Development with expanded budget of Rs 1,27,500 crore, the flagship event marks a watershed moment for the country's chip manufacturing ambitions.

Addressing the inauguration, PM Modi drew parallels between India's semiconductor trajectory and the semiconductor industry's concept of "tape-out"—not an endpoint, but the genesis of the next generation. "No nation builds a semiconductor ecosystem overnight; it takes decades of capability-building," PM Modi said. "Yet with the partnership of industry leaders, India has compressed that timeline into something remarkable."

Addressing the media during SEMICON India 2026, Union Minister for Electronics and Information Technology, Shri Ashwini Vaishnaw said that investment commitments of around ₹1 lakh crore (approximately USD 11–12 billion) have already been received under the Semicon 2.0 ecosystem. These commitments are expected to translate into significant economic activity and employment, with close to 1 lakh new employment opportunities expected to be created across the semiconductor ecosystem. The investments are expected to materialize over the next two to three years, with companies announcing their respective investments as and when they receive the required board and shareholder approvals.

Ajit Manocha, President and CEO, SEMI said, "The \$1 trillion semiconductor target for 2030 is now tracking at more than \$2 trillion. India's con-



sumption is doubling annually while global markets grow at 60 percent—that pace is real. As domestic manufacturing scales under Semicon 2.0, India is poised to realize significant economic growth over time. And in the AI era, the global semiconductor value chain needs to extend its geographical footprint to enable new technology breakthroughs, strengthen its resilience, and develop a deeper talent pipeline. India's strategic focus to establish a recognized hub and critical ecosystem for the global semiconductor industry builds on its existing strengths while developing new ones for the benefit of India and the world. The word for 2026 is indispensability. That's India's path forward."

Ashok Chandak, President, SEMI India and IESA said, "The successful two days of SEMICON India 2026 have demonstrated the growing confidence, commitment and momentum behind

India's semiconductor journey. The inauguration by Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi ji has given this journey an even stronger national and global dimension. With 50+ MoUs and major announcements, more than \$7 billion in investment commitments, commercial launches, global CxO participation and strong industry engagement, SEMICON India 2026 has showcased the scale at which the ecosystem is now taking shape. And this is only the beginning—more investments, partnerships and opportunities are in the pipeline. India is moving from building credibility to building capability, and steadily positioning itself as a trusted and competitive player across the global semiconductor value chain."

First two days of SEMICON India 2026 brought together a total of 28,000 on ground participants

including policymakers, global semiconductor leaders, Indian industry, researchers, startups, academia and students for deliberations spanning manufacturing, supply chains, Research and Development (R&D), international partnerships, chip design, advanced packaging, materials and talent, reflecting India's progress towards an integrated and globally competitive "Silicon to Systems" ecosystem.

Reinforcing the strong momentum that is reflected in the event over first two days Mr. Ashok Chandak, President, SEMI India and IESA said: "The energy at SEMICON India this year speaks for itself — from the exhibition floor to the hackathon, the startup pavilion to the country roundtables and a series of strategic collaborations across semiconductor materials, manufacturing, power electronics, advanced packaging, logistics, design and skilling involving Indian and global ecosystem partners ,it's clear — this is a movement, not a moment, and India's semiconductor journey is accelerating."

The MoU press briefing on day 1 and day 2 of SEMICON India 2026 witnessed a milestone moment with Union Minister for Electronics and Information Technology Shri Ashwini Vaishnaw witnessing several MOU's and products marking a significant step forward for India's semiconductor ecosystem.

Major Investments and Commitments at SEMICON India 2026:

- Applied Materials: Announced a \$5 billion investment over the next decade covering research, supply chain development, and workforce expansion.
- Lam Research: Committed approximately ₹10,000 crore for its first silicon component manufacturing and vertical ingot processing facility in India.
- Micron stated the company will assemble and test tens of millions of chips at Sanand this year, scaling to hundreds of millions next year.

BIRKENSTOCK EXPANDS ITS HIGH-STREET PRESENCE IN INDIA WITH NEW CONCEPT STORE IN HYDERABAD



BIRKENSTOCK brings its tradition, function and quality to Hyderabad – celebrating craftsmanship and introducing its Autumn/Winter 2026 collection – to excite footbed lovers across the city. The global zeitgeist and purpose brand - and inventor of the footbed, has stood for a tradition in shoemaking, with roots dating back to 1774.

The brand is pleased to announce the opening of its new store in Banjara Hills, Hyderabad, continuing to deepen its retail footprint across India's key markets. Banjara Hills, one of Hyderabad's prominent high-street destinations, marks the brand's latest step in that journey. Known for its vibrant retail and lifestyle scene, Banjara Hills brings together the city's most recognised fashion and design addresses, making it a natural home for BIRKENSTOCK's newest store.

Spanning 3216 sq.ft., the new store brings together BIRKENSTOCK's signature silhouettes, including ARIZONA, GIZEH, MADRID, BOSTON and MAYARI, alongside its diverse clog universe and closed shoe offering. The store also marks the first BIRKENSTOCK store in Hyderabad to feature the 1774 Collection display, bringing the brand's premium line to the

city.

For the Autumn/Winter season, familiar styles are being re-imagined with new colours, materials and finishes, enhanced with embellishments such as rivets, braided leather elements or an extended buckle collection – adding diversity to the functional element. Animal prints and textured leathers, along with closed-toe styles, built on BIRKENSTOCK's focus on quality and function while staying true to the brand's DNA.

Consumers visiting the Banjara Hills store can experience BIRKENSTOCK's signature footbed first-hand, alongside the product excellence and craftsmanship the brand is known for. The store offers visitors the opportunity to experience the sensation of walking as nature intended, second only to walking barefoot on natural ground, reflecting the brand's mission to bring



the footbed to as many people as possible, no matter their age, background, gender or taste.

The opening reflects BIRKENSTOCK's continued confidence in Hyderabad as a growing market for the brand in India and invited footbed lovers and new fans to explore the world of BIRKENSTOCK.

From Tourism Potential to Economic Powerhouse: 7th HAI Hotelier's Conclave Charts the Road to 2047

- Union Tourism & Culture Minister Shri Gajendra Singh Shekhawat inaugurates HAI's conclave
- HAI lauds MoT & NITI Aayog 's push for Hospitality Deregulation to boost hotel sector
- Reiterates push for infrastructure status, development of new destinations with industry incentives, and ease of doing business to accelerate India's Viksit Bharat 2047 tourism ambitions

Hyderabad, 19th September 2026: The Hotel Association of India (HAI) today hosted the 7th HAI Hoteliers' Conclave at Taj Palace, New Delhi. The event brought together policymakers, tourism authorities, hospitality leaders and industry stakeholders to deliberate on how India can re-engineer tourism and hospitality to make a larger contribution to the country's Vision 2047. Shri Gajendra Singh Shekhawat, Union Minister for Tourism and Cul-

ture, inaugurated the Conclave.

Held under the theme 'Re-Engineering Hospitality', the Conclave examined the structural changes required to enable the hospitality sector to scale sustainably and play a larger role in India's Vision 2047, with discussions spanning investment, infrastructure, employment, regional development and policy reform.

The Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi has sent greetings

to the Hotel Association of India on its 7th Hoteliers' Conclave in New Delhi, noting that the industry carries forward India's tradition of hospitality rooted in "Atithi Devo Bhava." The Prime Minister highlighted the rapid transformation of India's tourism landscape, with better connectivity and infrastructure opening up new destinations, and with religious and spiritual circuits, adventure, wellness and wedding tourism creating new op-

portunities for businesses, employment and economic activity. He added that the warmth of human emotions will always be at the heart of hospitality, and a professional who cares for a guest and understands their needs is the face of India's hospitality that guests will remember forever. Therefore, investing in the skills of our youth and other stakeholders is an important part of enhancing the tourism and hospitality sector. He extended best wishes to

HAI and the participants for the success of the 7th Hoteliers' Conclave.

Shri Gajendra Singh Shekhawat, Honourable Union Minister of Culture & Tourism, Government of India, said, "Indian hospitality is entering a new phase, moving beyond rooms and accommodation towards experience-led tourism. With over 400 crore domestic tourist visits in 2024 and a growing middle class increasingly prioritising travel and experiences,

India has immense potential to drive tourism-led growth. Our cultural heritage, technology and expanding infrastructure can together shape the next phase of tourism, but realising this opportunity will require scale, speed, confidence and transformation."

Speaking at the conclave, KB Kachru, President, Hotel Association of India (HAI) and Chairman – South Asia, Radisson Hotel Group, said, "Re-engineering hospitality must go beyond how we operate—it must reshape how we approach policy, investment, execution and tal-

ent. With around 225,000 hotel rooms, India has immense potential to create jobs, attract investment, generate foreign exchange and drive growth. The priority now is to move from policy intent to measurable execution by strengthening infrastructure, connectivity and destination-level delivery, while making India more competitive for global tourism, MICE and weddings. As our Prime Minister has rightly recognised, tourism is an important pillar of the economy. At HAI, we believe hospitality must be recognised as a national economic priority, with government and industry

working together to translate ambition into outcomes and turn India's demographic dividend into a sustained economic dividend."

At the Conclave, Amitabh Kant — Former G20 Sherpa of India & Former CEO, NITI Aayog, said, "India's tourism opportunity is immense, but unlocking it requires a renewed focus on global branding, job creation and destination development. Tourism has a powerful multiplier effect on employment and can be a major engine of growth as India moves towards its larger economic ambitions.



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Itllu Arjuna Teaser: Creative and Impressive Cut

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Director Venky Kudumula has turned producer with this creative love story and Mahesh Uppala is directing it. The makers have unveiled the teaser now and it is highly impressive. Using the premise of a mute person falling in love and then staying close to her to protect her is said in a matured manner.

People are not well equipped in sign language and his gestures are tough to catch on. But his love Keerthy catches on them quickly and he is delighted to be around her. As the couple get close, the problems around Keerthy multiply and Aniesh as Arjun needs to fight out his own Kurukshetra to win against all odds.

Aniesh is superb as Arjun and his body language,



dancing skills and expressions are spot on. He pulled off comedy, romance and action with very good ease even though it is his debut film. Anaswara Rajan is another highlight and Mahesh Uppala indicated a lot of comedy of errors and lively narrative. Thaman's BGM and production values are top notch too. The teaser increases excitement and curiosity to watch the film in theatres from 30th October.

Satyadev's Samavarthi teaser Promises A Wild Forest Actioner

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The teaser of Samavarthi has finally been unveiled, giving audiences their first complete glimpse into Satyadev Kancharana's next action-packed entertainer. In the teaser end, Satya Dev promises "Eesari Miss Avvadhu" dialogue says "This time blockbuster is guarantee."

Satyadev transforms into Mahadev, a fierce protector with an intense screen presence. The teaser stands out with powerful dialogues throughout the teaser, adding authenticity and emotional power. The teaser balances suspense, action, and mystery without revealing the complete storyline.

The narrative hints at a forest under attack through deforestation and dangerous predators, while a tribal community becomes the heart of the conflict. Mahadev's mission to protect the forest creates a gripping setup, and the tiger's final appearance adds another layer of mystery and excitement.

The teaser is visually spectacular, with real forests becoming one of its biggest strengths. Every location looks untouched and immersive, proving the effort the team invested while shooting across multiple forests. Samavarthi now looks like another powerful content-oriented action thriller in Satyadev's career.

Directed by Ajay Nag V. and produced by Shivacharan Reddy Jakkidi and Shashidhar Reddy Padamati, the multilingual thriller looks grand in both scale and execution.



Sigma Trailer: Sandeep excels in this all-round entertainer

IN THE TRAILER, WE SEE SANDEEP KISHAN AS A LOSER WHO IS REGARDED AS A COMPLETE FAILURE BY EVERYONE IN HIS LIFE.

Sigma starring Sandeep Kishan, Faria Abdullah in leading roles has generated good buzz with songs, teaser. The fact that TN CM Vijay's son Jason Sanjay, is debuting as a director with the film has enhanced the buzz and expectations further. Now, the makers have unveiled trailer for the movie releasing on 2nd October.

In the trailer, we see Sandeep Kishan



as a loser who is regarded as a complete failure by everyone in his life. Even his lady love, played by Faria Abdullah, thinks he is not thinking straight. But the emotion to cheat the person and teach them a lesson keeps him going.

Jason Sanjay blended the emotions and stylish action

heist drama elements in a perfect way for Indian Cinema. He added doses of humor, love, action and excitement to the proceedings and trailer does an apt job in presenting all the elements while holding back interesting story points. Sandeep Kishan is excellent in the role with his look and charm.

He is able to convey emotions with his eyes and maintain the balance with his smarts. Lyca Productions is producing the film with S Thaman scoring music for it and his BGM enhanced the trailer. Renowned production and distribution company Mythri Distributions is releasing the movie in Telugu States.



Payal Rajput's Traditional Portrait

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Payal Rajput turns heads once again with a captivating blend of festive elegance and radiant charm. Dressed in a striking yellow floral saree paired with an intricately embellished green blouse from @rsbfactoryoutlet, she effortlessly embodies grace. The look is complemented by a delicate pearl necklace set with emerald accents, matching earrings, and a waist belt that accentuates the ensemble. Her soft braid adorned with fresh jasmine flowers (gajra) adds a traditional, ethereal finish to the silhouette.

Captured in a warm, golden-hour glow, Payal radiates joy and poise, perfectly framed by photographer @photogola_. The flawlessly styled soft glam and classic hairstyle by @ramyashankar.makeupartist bring out her natural beauty.

Beyond her stunning fashion moments, Payal continues to make waves in the film industry. Known for her impactful performances in hits like RX 100 and the critically acclaimed Mangalavaaram, she has maintained a strong presence across South Indian and Punjabi cinema. Her recent and upcoming projects include the Telugu action drama Rakshana (2024), the Tamil feature Leader (2026), and upcoming ventures like Golmaal and Kirathaka.

Ayesha Khan Radiates Traditional Elegance in Red and Gold

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Actress Ayesha Khan recently shared a graceful portrait that perfectly captures traditional charm. Seated against a warm beige backdrop with a banana leaf, she wears a rich red velvet blouse featuring intricate gold embroidery and decorative tassels, paired with a gold-bordered saree. Classic jewelry including a nath, jhumkas, and red-and-gold bangles, along with an elegant updo and bindi, complete the look. She captioned it.

Born on September 13, 2002, in Mumbai, Ayesha began with television roles and gained nationwide attention as a contestant on Bigg Boss 17. She made her film debut in the Telugu movie Mukhachitram (2022) as Maya Fernandez. In 2024 she appeared in Om Bheem Bush, Manamey, and a special song in Gangs of Godavari.

She entered Hindi cinema in 2025 with a role as a police officer in Jaat, a special appearance in the song "Shararat" from Dhurandhar, and as Ruhi in Kapil Sharma's Kis Kisko Pyaar Karoon 2. With a growing presence across television, Telugu, and Hindi films, Ayesha continues to expand her versatile career.

