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09-09-2026
Total pilgrims: 77,670
Tonsures: 33,904
Handi karukulu: 3,95 CR
Laddu sale: 4,55 Lac
Annasprasadam: 3,04 Lac
Ashwin hospital: 3,932
Present Situation on 10-09-2026:
Waiting Compartments... Outsider line at Batta Gangamma Temple.

Approx. Darsan Time for Saravandhanam (with out SSD Tokens), 24 H.

INBRIEF

CM Vijay to leave for London today on his first overseas

Chennai, Sep 10: Tamil Nadu Chief Minister C. Joseph Vijay will leave for London on Thursday night on his first official overseas visit since the TVK government assumed office, as the state steps up efforts to attract fresh industrial investment. CM Vijay is scheduled to depart from Chennai at 10 p.m. and travel to London via Dubai. He will remain in the United Kingdom until September 16 and is expected to return to Chennai at 8 a.m. on September 17, again travelling through Dubai. A high-level delegation led by the Chief Minister will meet investors and representatives of major companies during the visit. CM Vijay will also take part in an investors' conference in London, where he is expected to present Tamil Nadu as a preferred destination for manufacturing, technology and other emerging industries. Senior officials from state departments have already travelled to London to make arrangements for the programme.

CM Revanth urges Congress MLAs to attend Assembly



■ Hyderabad (TSIT):

Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy has urged Congress legislators to ensure full attendance during the Assembly session, actively participate in debates and raise issues concerning their constituencies.

Addressing the Congress Legislature Party meeting, Revanth Reddy said the government was using the session to explain its major decisions, development initiatives and welfare programmes implemented during its first 1,000 days.

He accused the BRS of attempting to disrupt

Assembly proceedings and criticised the conduct of its leaders towards police officials, public representatives and the Speaker. He congratulated Congress MLAs for countering the Opposition's attempts and said an inquiry had been initiated into recent incidents.

The Chief Minister said legislators must effectively use the mandate given by voters and warned that their performance and conduct in the Assembly would influence their prospects of re-election.

Revanth Reddy also highlighted the State's

caste survey and called for pressure on the Centre to include caste enumeration in the national Census. He asked MLAs to closely monitor the Special Intensive Revision of electoral rolls, stressing the need to protect eligible voters' rights.

He also mentioned the newly inaugurated Central Hall named after former Speaker Duddilla Sripada Rao and said steps were being taken to improve facilities for legislators. He thanked CLP members for supporting the government's initiatives during its first 1,000 days.

El Niño threat prompts AP drought strategy: CM Naidu

■ Amaravati (TSIT): The threat of a worsening El Niño and a 54.9% rainfall deficit have prompted Andhra Pradesh to intensify drought-management measures, with Chief Minister N. Chandrababu Naidu directing officials to adopt alternative crops, modern technology and innovative farming strategies.

At the Collectors' Conference, Agriculture Department Special Chief Secretary B. Rajasekhar said the Pacific Ocean was witnessing unprecedented temperature increases and warned that El Niño conditions could persist into 2027. He said the rainfall



CM Naidu directing officials to adopt alternative crops, modern technology and innovative farming strategies.

deficit from June 1 to September 7 was particularly severe in Annamayya, Prakasam, Chittoor and Sri Sathya Sai districts.

Against the normal Kharif area of 30.84 lakh hectares, only 22.82 lakh hectares had been sown. Alternative crop

plans were prepared for 5.91 lakh hectares in Kharif and 2.46 lakh hectares in early Rabi, with an additional Rs.90 crore sanctioned. Naidu proposed minimum support prices and buy-back

guarantees for short-duration vegetables, pulses and millets. He also called for large-scale promotion of low-water crops, natural farming and multi-cropping. The Chief Minister directed officials to accelerate drone-based seed sowing and prepare an action plan with agricultural scientists.

He also reviewed record crop insurance coverage of 16.92 lakh hectares, fodder security, horticulture protection and water conservation. Naidu directed Ministers, MLAs and Collectors to visit drought-hit villages and inspect field conditions personally.

Greater Noida magistrate suspended over student notice

■ New Delhi (TSIT): The Greater Noida Executive Magistrate who issued a notice to law student and SFI leader Akshat Tripathi over his participation in a protest led by the Cockroach Janata Party (CJP) has been suspended, the Supreme Court was informed on Thursday. Solicitor General Tushar Mehta told the Supreme Court that the magistrate had been suspended following the court's strong objection to the notice. The development came



after the apex court questioned how the official could issue such a notice when it had earlier directed that no further action be taken against students associated with the protests. Tripathi, a second-year BA LLB student at Gautam Buddha University, had received a

notice seeking a personal bond in connection with his participation in the protest at Delhi's Jantar Mantar. The notice was subsequently withdrawn. The Supreme Court had expressed concern that the action appeared contrary to its earlier directions protecting students from further legal action in connection with the protests. The court also sought an explanation from the authorities over the circumstances in which the notice was issued.

Can't browbeat a child to drop criminal case: SC on harassment of CJP protester

■ New Delhi (TSIT):

Taking strong exception to allegations of harassment of a minor girl who participated in the CJP protests here in July, the Supreme Court on Thursday said nobody can be permitted to browbeat a victim or her family to force them to drop criminal proceedings. "Such matters cannot be taken lightly. Nobody should be protected. If violence against a child is involved... If there are anti-social elements who indulge in violence against a child, and they are roaming free... and are trying to browbeat the child, that may be a serious thing," a Bench led by Chief Justice of India Surya Kant said. "There cannot be any second



opinion about it. Such matters cannot be taken lightly. Nobody should be protected. If violence against a child is involved and persons are roaming free and trying to browbeat the child or the family so that they do not pursue the criminal proceedings, that may be a serious matter," noted the Bench which also included Justice Joymalya Bagchi and Justice V Mohana.

Xi Jinping to attend BRICS Summit in New Delhi, announces Chinese Foreign Ministry

■ Beijing (TSIT): Chinese President Xi Jinping will attend the 18th BRICS Summit in New Delhi over the weekend, the country's Foreign Ministry announced Thursday afternoon.

"At the invitation of Prime Minister of the Republic of India Narendra Modi, President Xi Jinping will attend the 18th BRICS Summit in New Delhi from September 12 to 13," the ministry announced in social media posts.

Earlier in the day, while addressing a regular media briefing in Beijing, Chinese



Foreign Ministry spokesperson Guo Jia-kun had refused to provide any confirmation on Xi Jinping's visit to New Delhi. "I have no information to provide regarding the question you raised," Guo Jia-kun replied to a question on if the

Chinese leader will be travelling to India this weekend to attend the BRICS leaders' meeting.

This will be the Chinese President's first visit to India in nearly seven years and takes place as both countries

work on stabilising bilateral ties following the deadly 2020 Galwan clashes. India has repeatedly highlighted the importance of maintaining peace and tranquillity in the India-China border areas for the continued development and progress of the bilateral relationship. Prime Minister Narendra Modi and Xi Jinping, who interacted briefly during the recent Shanghai Cooperation Organisation (SCO) Summit held in Bishkek, are expected to hold detailed bilateral discussions on the sidelines of the BRICS Summit in New Delhi this weekend.

Putin wants to make Ukraine deal, says Trump

■ Washington (TSIT): US President Donald Trump said that Russian President Vladimir Putin wanted an agreement to end the war in Ukraine and suggested that another bilateral meeting between the two leaders could take place.

Trump made the remarks while speaking to reporters before boarding Air Force One for a trip to Dallas on Wednesday (local time), according to a transcript provided by CQ.

"We had a great conversation," Trump said when asked about his latest discussion with Putin.

"He is wanting to make a deal. And if Zelensky is wanting to make a deal, that would be very nice," Trump said, referring to Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelensky.

Asked what was preventing an agreement, Trump attributed the impasse to the strained relationship between the Russian and Ukrainian leaders.

"The holdup is two people that hate each other," Trump said. "I think more than anything else, it's two people that hate each other," he added when pressed on the principal



obstacle confronting the peace effort. Trump did not disclose when the conversation with Putin took place. He also did not say how long it lasted or identify the proposals discussed by the two leaders.

When asked what had changed and why he believed progress might now be possible, Trump pointed to his experience dealing with people and negotiating agreements.

"I think that because I speak to people - that's all I do, is speak to people my whole life," he said. "I know about deals, and these are two people that are tired of fighting," Trump added. Trump said another bilateral meeting with Putin was possible. However, he did not provide a potential date or venue.

Minister Piyush Goyal pushes India-Russia trade ties

■ New Delhi (TSIT): Commerce and Industry Minister Piyush Goyal is pushing for stronger India-Russia trade ties, with both countries targeting bilateral trade of USD 100 billion by 2030.

Goyal is scheduled to hold discussions with Russian Trade and Industry Minister Anton Alikhanov during the BRICS meetings, with talks expected to focus on expanding economic



cooperation and advancing negotiations for a trade agreement between India

India seeks stronger exports and two-way investment with Russia to meet ambitious 2030 economic targets

and the Eurasian Economic Union (EAEU). The two sides are also look-

ing to diversify trade beyond traditional areas and expand cooperation in investment, technology, energy and other sectors. India is seeking greater market access for its exports while working to address the existing trade imbalance with Russia.

The proposed USD 100-billion target reflects the effort to deepen bilateral economic engagement and create new opportunities for Indian busi-

nesses. Strengthening trade ties with Russia is also part of India's broader strategy to expand export markets and build resilient international supply chains.

Goyal's discussions come ahead of the BRICS Summit in New Delhi, where India is seeking greater economic cooperation among member countries and practical measures to boost trade and investment.

Uppal–Narapally Elevated Corridor to Open by Next June Minister Komatireddy

Hyderabad TSIT: Roads & Buildings and Cinematography Minister Komatireddy Venkat Reddy on Thursday assured the Legislative Council that the long-pending Uppal–Narapally Elevated Corridor would be completed and opened to traffic by June next year.

Responding to questions raised by Leader of the Opposition Sirikonda Madhusudhana Chary and members Teenmar Mallanna and Pingili Sripal Reddy, the Minister said the project, launched in 2017–18, had suffered prolonged delays due to several operational and contractual hurdles.

He said the original contractor had approached



the National Company Law Tribunal (NCLT), while another agency subsequently engaged for the works also failed to make the required progress. Following the intervention of Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy, the State

government coordinated with Gayatri Projects to resume and expedite construction.

“This is not an ordinary flyover. It is a major elevated corridor and a vital lifeline connecting Hyderabad with Warangal,

AIIMS Bibinagar, Bhongir and Jangaon,” Komatireddy said.

The Minister said BT road renewals and surface repairs beneath the corridor had been completed and construction was now progressing round the clock. A high-level review was held three days ago with the Chief Engineer and National Highways Regional Office officials to address logistical issues and ensure timely payments to the contractor.

Acknowledging that the earlier Dasara completion target could not be met, Komatireddy assured the House that the government was determined to complete the corridor and open it to the public by June.

Madhu Yaskhi Goud Expresses Solidarity with Speaker Gaddam Prasad Kumar

Hyderabad: All India Professionals' Congress Chairperson and former MP Madhu Yaskhi Goud paid a courtesy visit to Telangana Legislative Assembly Speaker Gaddam Prasad Kumar at the Assembly on Thursday.

During the meeting, Madhu Yaskhi Goud discussed the recent



developments at the Assembly and expressed his solidarity with the Speaker in the wake of the alleged objectionable remarks made against him. He conveyed his support to Prasad Kumar and stressed the importance of upholding the dignity and decorum of the Speaker's constitutional office.

Mahesh Goud Raises Alarm Over SIR, Urges MLAs to Safeguard Voters

Hyderabad: Telangana Pradesh Congress Committee (TPCC) President and MLC Bomma Mahesh Kumar Goud on Thursday expressed serious concern over the ongoing Special Intensive Revision (SIR) of electoral rolls, alleging that a large number of genuine voters were being removed from the lists.

Speaking at the Congress Legislature Party (CLP), Mahesh Kumar Goud alleged that votes perceived as unfavourable were being systematically deleted and claimed that Dalit and tribal voters were particularly affected.

He said Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy had reviewed the SIR process several times and stressed the need for Congress legislators to closely monitor the exercise in their respective constituencies.

“MLAs must focus seriously on the SIR process. A large number of votes are being deleted and every effort should be made to ensure that genuine voters are not deprived of their voting rights,” he said.

Referring to the Congress government's performance, Mahesh Kumar Goud said



Telangana was implementing development and welfare programmes on a scale unmatched elsewhere in the country. He said the State government was also committed to ensuring social justice for all sections.

He praised Chief Minister Revanth Reddy for taking the initiative to secure enhanced reservations for Backward Classes, despite not belonging to the BC community himself. He alleged that the Centre had failed to extend the necessary cooperation on BC reservations.

Mahesh Kumar Goud said the next two-and-a-half years would be crucial for the Congress government and party organisation and urged elected representatives to remain focused on governance, welfare programmes and strengthening their connect with the people.

TOMCOM Targets 10,000 Overseas Jobs for Telangana Youth

Hyderabad, TSIT: Chief Secretary Sanjay Jaju has directed the Telangana Overseas Manpower Company (TOMCOM) to prepare a comprehensive action plan to facilitate 10,000 overseas job placements for Telangana youth this year.

Reviewing TOMCOM's activities at the Secretariat on Thursday, Jaju asked officials to identify countries, sectors and occupations with high demand for skilled manpower and develop placement-oriented training programmes accordingly. He also called for partner-



ships with reputed private recruitment and skill-development agencies to expand overseas employment opportunities while ensuring transparency and credibility. Secretary for Skill, Human

Capital and Knowledge Training Initiatives Dasari Harichandana informed the meeting that TOMCOM has so far facilitated 14,509 placements across 16 countries.

COLLECTOR DR PRIYANKA ALA URGES BC WOMEN TO APPLY FOR SEWING MACHINES



Hyderabad TSIT: District Collector Dr. Priyanka Ala has urged eligible Backward Classes (BC) women to apply for the Telangana Government's 'Intinta Indiramma Kutthu Mission' scheme by September 13.

In a statement, the Collector said the scheme aims to promote self-employment and strengthen the economic empowerment of BC women by providing sewing machines to eligible beneficiaries. The machines would enable women to undertake tailoring work from their homes and supplement their family income.

Dr. Priyanka Ala said online applications are being accepted until September 13, 2026, and advised eligible women to apply without delay.

Applicants should submit their applications through the TGOBMS portal and ensure that all required details are entered correctly.

The Collector appealed to eligible BC women to make full use of the government initiative, which would help them secure self-employment opportunities and improve their economic independence.

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Whereas
The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of ICICI Home Finance Company Limited under the Securitisation, Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) rules 2002, issued demand notices upon the borrowers mentioned below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.
As the borrower failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said rules on the below-mentioned dates. The borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of ICICI Home Finance Company Limited.
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1.	Rojender Tamble (Borrower), Lakshmi Tamble (Co-Borrower), NHXZA0000844812.	Plot No 34 Allipur Zaheerabad Sangareddy Sy No 59/AA Medak- 502220 (Ref. LAN No. NHXZA0000844812). Bounded By- North: Plot No 39, South: 20 Feet Wide Road, East: Plot No.35, West: 20 Feet Wide Road./ Date of Possession 06-09-2026	28-09-2021 Rs. 18,32,902/-	Hyderabad-Kukatpally-B

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.
Date : September 11, 2026
Place: Medak
Authorized Office,
ICI Home Finance Company Limited

Mahindra Home Finance
Registered office: Mahindra Towers, P. K. Kurne Chowk, Worli, Mumbai, Maharashtra – 400 018
CIN - U65922MH2007PLC169791.
Corporate Office: Unit No. 203, 2nd Floor, Agastya Corporate Park, Opposite Fire Brigade Station, Kamani Junction, LBS Main Road, Kurla West, Mumbai – 400070

General Notice for Merger of Branches
This is to notify the customers of Mahindra Rural Housing Finance Limited (MRHFL), and the public in general that due to operational convenience and to ensure continued customer services one of its branches within the state will be closed and merged with an existing branch of MMFSL/MRHFL in the nearby location in the State, after Three (3) months of this intimation

No	Closing Branch (Old Address)	Transfer Branch (New Address)	Effective Date
1.	MADHIRA : HOUSE NO: 2-13 GRD. FLOOR DIDUGUPADU NEAR SWARNA BAR & RESTURANT MADHIRA KHAMMAM 507203, TELANGANA	KHAMMAM : 1ST FLOOR, BUILDING AT KAVIRAJ NAGAR, ROAD NO.11, RV HEIGHTS , KHAMMAM - 507002, TELANGANA,	10-12-2026
2.	NALGONDA : 2ND FLOOR, DOOR NO: 5-4-134/A3, JB PLAZA, PRAKASAM BAZAR, NALGONDA, TELANGANA - 508001.	MIRYALAGUDA : 19-391 1ST FLOOR PAIDIMARRI TOWERS REDDY COLONY BESIDE SBI ATM SAGAR ROAD NALGONDA - 508207, TELANGANA	10-12-2026
3.	HUSNABAD : HOUSE NO: 11-33/5/C/2/1/1 1ST FLOOR RAO'S COLONY AKKANAPETA ROAD ABOVE GODAVARI URBAN BANK HUSNABAD SIDDIPET 505467, TELANGANA	SIDDIPET : HOUSE NO-19-29/2 2ND FLOOR ABOVE APTUS HOUSING FINANCE MAHASHAKTHI NAGAR OPPOSITE TO HOUSING BOARD COLONY SIDDIPET - 502103, TELANGANA	10-12-2026

All the customer accounts of the aforesaid closing branch will be automatically transferred to the respective branches, towards which no action is required on the customer's part. For further assistance, please visit our official website: www.mahindrahomefinance.com or Toll-free No : -1800-233-5333 or email us at MRHFL.CC@mahindrahomefinance.com or visit to your nearest Mahindra Rural Home Finance branch.
Date : 11-09-2026
Authorised officer, Mahindra Home Finance

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Registered Office: Sri Towers, Plot No 14A, South Phase, Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai-600032.
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SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE
Whereas, the undersigned being the authorised officer of Shriram Finance Limited, (Shriram City Union Finance Limited, amalgamated with Shriram Transport Finance Company Limited, subsequently Shriram Transport Company Limited name Changed as Shriram Finance Limited, by its Incorporation Certificate dt:13-11-2022) a corporate body registered and incorporated as a company under the Indian companies Act 1956, is doing Non-Banking financial activities, having its Registered Office: Sri Towers, Plot No.14A, South Phase, Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai – 600 032 and having its administrative office at 6th Floor (level 2), Building No.02, Aarun Q Park, Gen 4/1, TTC, Thane Belapur Road, Gansoli, Navi Mumbai-400710, under the provisions of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (said Act) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13 (12) of the said Act read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (said Rules) issued demand notices to the Borrowers details of which are mentioned in the table below to repay the amount mentioned in the said demand notice. The Borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Symbolic Possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said Rules, on the 10th day of September, 2026.

Borrower Name and Address	Amount due as per Demand Notice
1.MAHIPAL REDDY PABBATHI S/O. MALLAREDDY, AGE:41 YEARS, OCC: BUSI NESS: 1)W/S MAHIPAL REDDY POULTRY FARM AND 2)M/S MAHIPAL REDDY TRANSPORTS, H.NO:2-19, LAXMI NAGAR, MIRDODDI, MEDAK, CELL:960398161, PINCODE:502108 AND ALSO AT MAHIPAL REDDY PABBATHI S/O MALLAREDDY, AGE: 41 YEARS, OCC: BUSINESS: 1) M/S MAHIPAL REDDY POULTRY FARM AND 2)M/S MAHIPAL REDDY TRANSPORTS, OPEN PLOT NO.2, ADMEASURING TO AN EXTENT OF 800 SQ. YARDS OR 668.88 SQ. MTRS., OUT OF SY. NO. 301/EE1 AND 301/E3, SITUATED AT CHINNAGUNDAVELLY VILLAGE, SIDI PET Mandal, MEDAK DISTRICT, REGIS TRATION DISTRICT: MEDAK & SUB-DISTRICT: SIDDIPET.2.THOTA KAMALAKAR REDDY S/O.NARSA REDDY, AGE:41 YEARS, OCC: BUSINESS (M/S REDDY POULTRY FARMS), H.NO:12-43, MIRDODDI, MEDAK, CELL: 9912215460, PINCODE:502108.	Rs.54,03,107/- (Fifty Four Lakh Three Thousand One Hundred and Seven Rupees Only)

Description of Property :SIDP2T1409260001- DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY :i)Property holder Name is MAHIPAL REDDY PABBATHI Mortgage deed dated 24.09.2014 Registered as Document No 6408/2014 on the file of the office of Sub-Registrar at Siddipet Rural,Open Plot No.2, admeasuring to an extent of 800 Sq. Yards or 668.88 Sq. Mtrs., out of Sy. No. 301/EE1 and 301/E3, Situated at Chinna Gundavally Village, Siddipet Mandal, Medak District, Registration District: Medak & Sub-District: Siddipet, bounded as under:EAST -Agricultural land of Kolagiri Yelliahalli :18 Feet Road NORTH :Plot No.1 of T.Kamalakar Reddy,SOUTH: Plot No.3 of R. Ramulu
This notice is also hereby to caution the general public at large that the authorized officer of SFL is in the lawful Symbolic Possession of the immovable property mentioned herein above and the Borrowers or any person shall not after receipt of this notice transfer by way of sale, lease or otherwise deal with/ alienate any of the above mentioned secured assets referred to in this notice, without prior written consent of SFL.
Place: Siddipet,Date :10-09-2026
Sd/-Authorised officer, Shriram Finance Ltd.

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APPENDIX- IV-A [See proviso to rule 8 (6)] SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES
E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002
NOTICE is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Can Fin Homes Ltd., L.B. Nagar Branch, will be sold by holding e-auction on “As is where is”, “As is what is”, and “Whatever there is” on 16-10-2026, for recovery of amount mentioned hereinafter due to Can Fin Homes Ltd. from respective Borrowers and Guarantors as on the respective dates, together with further interest and other charges thereon.

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrowers and Guarantors	liabilities as on 31-08-2026	Reserve Price	Earnest Money Deposit	Type of Possession	Description of the property
1	Mr. KAMALLA PRAMOD KUMAR S/o. KAMALLA YADIAIAH and Mr. Mr. KAMALLA YADIAIAH S/o. Mr.Late KAMALLA PENTIAIAH,	Rs.34,99,913/- (Rupees Thirty Four Lakh Ninety Nine Hundred Nine Thousand Only)	Rs. 35,00,000/- (Rupees Thirty Five Lakh Only)	Rs. 3,50,000/- (Rupees Three Lakh Fifty Thousand Only)	Physical	All that the Property bearing House No.9-5-116/2/A, admeasuring 105.5 Square Yards equivalent to 88.19 Square Meters, Situated at Ramdev Guda, Hyderabad, Telangana, and bounded by Boundaries of Property: EAST: Road, WEST: Passage & Neighbour's House,NORTH: Neighbour's House No.9-5-116, SOUTH: Lane Encumbrances is NIL
2	Mr.TIRUMALA SATISH KUMAR, S/o.T KRISHNA REDDY and Mrs.KOTLA SWETHA, D/o K VENKAT REDDY	Rs.48,92,908/- (Rupees Forty Eight Lakh Ninety Two Thousand Nine Hundred Eight Only)	Rs. 47,40,000/- (Rupees Forty Seven Lakh Forty Thousand Only)	Rs. 4,74,000/- (Rupees Four Lakh Seventy Four Thousand Only)	Physical	All that the Semi-Finished Flat No.103,in First Floor of "GREEN TERRACE" having with plinth area 1553 SFT., including common areas and Car Parking Area,together with undivided share of land admeasuring 51.88 Sq.Yds., or 51.74 Sq.Mtrs., Out of total admeasuring 1187.55 Sq.Yds., Constructed in Survey Nos.21/EE and 22/EE, Situated at Pocharam Village and Municipality, Ghatkesar Mandal, Medchal-Malkajgiri District, Telangana , Under S.R.O Narapally and bounded by Boundaries of Land:EAST: Neighbour's Land,WEST: 30'Wide Road and Owners Land, NORTH: Neighbour's Land SOUTH: Neighbour's Land. Boundaries for Flat No.103,In First Floor: EAST: Corridor and Flat No.102, WEST: Open to Sky, NORTH: Open to Sky, SOUTH: Open to Sky Encumbrances is NIL

The detailed terms and conditions of the sale are provided in the official website of Can Fin Homes Ltd., (<https://www.canfinhomes.com/SearchAuction.aspx>).
Link for participating in e-auction : <https://bankauctions.in>
Date : 11-09-2026
Place: LB Nagar (Hyderabad)
Sd/- Authorised Officer,
Can Fin Homes Ltd

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The Borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub- section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

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1.	Srinivasa Rao Mamidipaka (Borrower), Nooli Sridhar Rao (Guarantor), 11 13 38 Prabhakar Reddy Nagar Fathe Nagar Balanagar Vtc Balanagar Po Sanathanagar Hyderabad 500018 Telangana, LHDSK00001611551	All That The Semi- Finished Flat No. 502, In Fifth Floor, of Lakshmi Arcade, Having Built Up Area of 1295 Sq.ft.s Including Common Area And Car Parking Along With An Undivided Share of Land Admeasuring 59.75 Sqyds Out of Total 1264 Sqyds In Sy Nos. 48, Situated At Nekkampur Village, Gandipet Mandal, (Previously Rajendranagar Md) Manikonda Municipality, Range Reddy District, Telangana- 500089 And Boundaries For Land, North: Part of S.No. 48, South: Apartment, East: Land Belongs To The First Part, West: Road And Neighbours Property. Boundaries For Flat, North: Open To Sky, South: Open To Sky, East 8 Wide Corridor & Staircase, West: Open To Sky, Bounded By./Date of Possession- 07-09-2026	16-02-2026 Rs. 1,70,413/-	Hyderabad-Dilsukhnagar
2.	Srinivasa Rao Mamidipaka (Borrower), Nooli Sridhar Rao (Guarantor), 11 13 38 Prabhakar Reddy Nagar Fathe Nagar Balanagar Vtc Balanagar Po Sanathanagar Hyderabad 500018 Telangana, LHDSK00001611553	All That The Semi- Finished Flat No. 502, In Fifth Floor, of Lakshmi Arcade, Having Built Up Area of 1295 Sq.ft.s Including Common Area And Car Parking Along With An Undivided Share of Land Admeasuring 59.75 Sqyds Out of Total 1264 Sqyds In Sy Nos. 48, Situated At Nekkampur Village, Gandipet Mandal, (Previously Rajendranagar Md) Manikonda Municipality, Range Reddy District, Telangana- 500089 And Boundaries For Land, North: Part of S.No. 48, South: Apartment, East: Land Belongs To The First Part, West: Road And Neighbours Property. Boundaries For Flat, North: Open To Sky, South: Open To Sky, East 8 Wide Corridor & Staircase, West: Open To Sky, Bounded By./Date of Possession- 07-09-2026	16-02-2026 Rs. 55,69,418.82/-	Hyderabad-Dilsukhnagar

The above-mentioned borrowers(s)/ guarantors(s) are hereby given a 30 day notice to repay the amount, else the mortgaged properties will be sold on the expiry of 30 days from the date of publication of this Notice, as per the provisions under the Rules 8 and 9 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002.
Date : September 11, 2026, Place: Rangareddy
Authorized Officer, ICICI Home Finance Company Limited

FOR ADVERTISMENT PLEASE CONTACT:
9948480279, 7330778889

BC LEADERS MEET CM REVANTH REDDY



Hyderabad: A delegation of BC organisations led by National BC Welfare Association president Jajula Srinivas Goud met Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy at the Telangana Legislative Assembly on Thursday and placed several demands concerning the welfare and representation of Backward Classes.

The delegation urged the Chief Minister to pass a resolution in the State Assembly seeking the inclusion of a separate OBC column in the national census. It also requested the State government to exert pressure on the Centre to adopt Telangana's caste survey as a model for conducting a comprehensive caste

census across the country. Leaders further appealed to the government to declare Denotified and Nomadic Tribes Liberation Day as a State festival and invited the Chief Minister to attend the Liberation Day celebrations scheduled to be held in Hyderabad later this month as the chief guest. The delegation also submitted its requests to BC Welfare Minister Ponnamm Prabhakar.

Vaddera Federation Chairperson Gunja Renuka, nomadic community leaders Katepally Veeraswamy and Tippirishetty Srinivas, and BC Caste Associations JAC Chairman Kundaram Ganesh Chary were among those present.

DGP C.V. Anand Urges Police Personnel to Stay Away From Online Betting

Hyderabad TSIT : Telangana Director General of Police C.V. Anand has appealed to police personnel to stay away from online betting, gaming and other addictions, stressing that financial problems should never lead anyone to take an extreme step. In a message on World Suicide Prevention Day, the DGP expressed concern over the suicide of two police personnel in the State during the past four months. He said inquiries indicated that debts arising from



online betting were a major factor in the incidents.

Anand advised police personnel facing financial difficulties to openly discuss them with their

spouses and family members instead of concealing debts. He also urged them to approach senior officers whenever they face serious personal or financial problems.

Making a special appeal to nearly 93,000 personnel of the Telangana Police, the DGP asked them to stay away from online betting, alcohol, drugs and other harmful addictions. "Think of your children, parents and family members who depend on you. Face problems with courage and seek help when needed. Suicide is never a solution," Anand said.

PRIORITISE VILLAGE DEVELOPMENT WORKS UNDER VBG-RAMJI

Nalgonda, September 10 (TSIT): District Collector B. Chandrasekhar directed officials to undertake only those works that directly contribute to village development under the VBG-MGNREGS (VBG-Ramji) scheme. Addressing a master trainer orientation pro-

gramme at Udayaditya Bhavan on Thursday, he instructed MPDOs, MPOs, APOs and Panchayat Raj engineering officials to increase worker participation under the scheme to raise average daily wages and secure a larger material component for villages.

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is informed to the general public that my Client **Smt. Nanavath Ravali** D/o. Nanavath Hanumanth informed that they had misplaced Original Regd. Sale Deed (Link) Doc. No.10077/1991, dated: 03-10-1991 at SRO, Hayathnagar by executed by **Sri. Singireddy Pratap Reddy** S/o. Chandra Reddy & others, Rep. by their GPA Holder: Sri. Singireddy Narendar Reddy S/o. Chandra Reddy S/o. K. Satekar Prakash S/o. K. Laxmi. In relation to the below mentioned Schedule of Properties. If anybody found the above Document same may be intimidated / hand over the same to the below mentioned office. My Client further states that he wants to avail loan by mortgaging the schedule mentioned property. If any person has any claim / interest / dispute over the said transaction, the same may be intimidated to the undersigned within 7 (seven) days from the date of this publication, failing which, no further claims / objections will be entertained and my client will proceed with the same.

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY
All that the piece and parcel of land bearing Plot No.62, admeasuring 200.0 Sq.Yds., or 167.23 Sq.Mtrs., in Survey No.756, situated at Nadergul Village, Sarooranagar Rev. Mandal, Rangla Reddy District, under Nadergul Grampanchayat and bounded by: **North:** Plot No.61, **South:** Plot No.63, **East:** Plot No.71, **West:** 25 Wide Road.
P. Santosh Kumar, Advocate
#1-8-506/2/A/1, Adnan Chambers, Prakashnagar, Begumpet, Secunderabad-500016.
Mobile: 09440067560

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is informed to the general public that my Client **Smt. JOGIPETA SWAPNA** W/o. Sri. Jogipeta Bhaskar informed that she had misplaced Original Regd. Sale Deed (Link) Doc. No. 44902019, dated: 24-05-2019, at SRO, Kukatapally executed by 1. S. Anil Kumar, 2. Mamidala Ravinder, rep. by AGPA Holders 1. Dodla Soundharya and 2. Smt. Dodla Sowjanya in favor of **Smt. Dodla Sowjanya** W/o. Sri. Dodla Ramakrishna Goud, pertaining to the below mentioned Schedule of Property. If anybody found the above Documents same may be intimidated / hand over the same to the below mentioned office. My Client further states that he wants to avail loan by mortgaging the schedule mentioned property. If any person has any claim / interest / dispute over the said transaction, the same may be intimidated to the undersigned within 7 (seven) days from the date of this publication, failing which, no further claims / objections will be entertained and my client will proceed with the same.

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY
All that the house bearing No. 2-1-1/46/ 28 & 27P, PTIN No. 1240200963, on Eastern Portion of Open Plot, in Survey No.46/Part, (Old Sy.No.206 of Kukatapally Village), total admeasuring 200.0 Sq. Yards, Out of 500 Sq. Yards, With constructed building area 200.0 Sq. Feet of ACC, Situated at Shamshiguda Village, Kukatapally Mandal, (Previously Balanagar Mandal), under GHMC, Kukatapally, Medchal- Malkajgiri District formerly known as Rangla Reddy District and bounded by: **East:** 25-0 Wide Road, **West:** Western Portion of Open Plot, **North:** Road, **South:** Survey No.46/P.
P. Santosh Kumar, Advocate
#1-8-506/2/A/1, Adnan Chambers, Prakashnagar, Begumpet, Secunderabad - 500016.
Mobile : 09440067560.

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is informed to the general public that my Client **Smt. JOGIPETA SWAPNA** W/o. Sri. Jogipeta Bhaskar informed that she had misplaced Original Regd. Sale Deed. No. 9890/2017, dated: 08-12-2017 at SRO, Kukatapally executed by Sri. A. Santosh Goud S/o. Babaiiah rep by his AGPA Holder M/s Silpa Homes & Developers rep by its Managing Partner Sri. S. Chakrapani Reddy in favor of **Smt. Jogipeta Swapna W/o. Jogipeta Bhaskar** pertaining to the below mentioned Schedule of Property. If anybody found the above Documents same may be intimidated / hand over the same to the below mentioned office. My Client further states that he wants to avail loan by mortgaging the schedule mentioned property. If any person has any claim / interest / dispute over the said transaction, the same may be intimidated to the undersigned within 7 (seven) days from the date of this publication, failing which, no further claims / objections will be entertained and my client will proceed with the same.

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY
All that the part and parcel of the Northern side open land in Sy. No. 38, admeasuring 600 Sq. Yards out of 1000 Sq. Yards, situated at Shamshiguda Village, Kukatapally Municipality and Mandal, Medchal-Malkajgiri District (Previously Balanagar Mandal, Rangla Reddy District) and bounded by: **East:** 30-0 Wide Road, **West:** Remaining Part of this land, **North:** 60 Wide Road, **South:** Neighbours Land.
P. Santosh Kumar, Advocate
#1-8-506/2/A/1, Adnan Chambers, Prakashnagar, Begumpet, Secunderabad - 500 016.
Mobile : 09440067560

Rice millers demand relief from government

Medak, September 10 (TSIT): Rice millers staged a mahadharma in front of the Medak District Collectorate on Thursday, demanding immediate steps to address their problems and protect the rice milling industry. Medak District Rice Millers Association president and Telangana State Welfare Association general secretary Ootkuri Veeresham, along with other leaders, urged the state government to stop what they described as pressure and attacks on



millers and provide relief from the financial burden faced by the sector. The millers demanded an immediate increase in milling charges and Out-Turn Ratio (OTR), besides permission for 15 to 20 per cent storage

arising from the use of sour texa in the milling process. They appealed to the government to relax rules in accordance with prevailing conditions. The association also demanded immediate release of around Rs

200 crore allegedly pending to rice millers in Medak district. They urged the government to prevent vigilance officials from taking over mills in the name of inspections and ensure that millers can operate with dignity. The protesters said thousands of workers, transport operators and other businesses depend on the rice milling sector. They appealed to the government to recognise their concerns and take immediate measures to ensure the survival of the industry.

CENTLE INDIA, KITS WARANGAL SIGN MOU TO PROMOTE AI INNOVATION AND STUDENT DEVELOPMENT Held at KITSW Campus

H a n u m a k o n d a , September 10, TSIT : On 09-09-2026, Centle India, an IIT-IIM alumni-led start-up, has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the Department of Computer Science and Engineering (Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning) of Kakatiya Institute of Technology & Science, Warangal (KITSW), to promote artificial intelligence innovation, experiential learning and student development said by the Additional Secretary and former MLA of Husnabad, V. Satish Kumar. It was held at committee hall, KITSW Warangal campus. He also highlighted that the collaboration aims to jointly develop an AI-based framework and a comprehensive Student Development Framework to equip students with future-ready skills, enhance industry readiness, and encourage innovation and entrepreneurship. The programme was



graced by Capt. V. Laxmikantha Rao, former Rajya Sabha Member and former Member of Parliament associated with KITSW Warangal; P. Narayana Reddy, Treasurer; and V. Sathesh Kumar, Additional Secretary and former MLA of Husnabad and also appreciated the department of CSM.

On this occasion the guest, Centle India, Hyderabad, Co-Founder, G. Sai Krishna said that the startup focuses on creating opportunities for students to gain exposure to emerging technologies

through practical learning, mentoring and industry-oriented experiences. The Centle India was founded by Gugulothu Vamshi, an alumnus of IIM Ranchi, and Gugulothu Sai, an alumnus of IIT Kolkata to inculcate the innovative and technological skills with start-up culture among the student community.

As part of the collaboration, the TriCity AI Hackathon is scheduled to be held on October 10 and 11, bringing together more than 1,000 students from Warangal, Hanamkonda and Kazipet.

COLLECTOR STRESSES ANAEMIA CARE FOR PREGNANT WOMEN



Wanaparthy, September 10 (TSIT): District Collector Adarsh Surabhi directed health officials to identify anaemia among pregnant women at an early stage and ensure better treatment and continuous monitoring. During a visit to Kadukuntla Primary Health Centre on Thursday, the Collector inspected medical services, facilities and medicine stocks. He specifically reviewed the availability of anti-snake venom (ASV) and enquired about the procedures followed in snakebite cases. He directed officials to maintain adequate stocks and ensure that victims receive immediate basic treatment at PHCs before being referred to higher-level hospitals when necessary.

SHRIRAM Finance

Registered Office: Sri Towers, Plot No.14A, South Phase, Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai-600032.
Administrative Office: 6th Floor(Level 2), Building No.Q2, Aarum Q Parc, Gen 4/1, TTC, Thane Belapur Road, Ghansoli, Navi Mumbai-400710

SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas, the undersigned being the authorised officer of Shriram Finance Limited, (Shriram City Union Finance Limited, amalgamated with Shriram Transport Finance Company Limited, subsequently Shriram Transport Company Limited name Changed as Shriram Finance Limited, by it's Incorporation Certificate dt.13-11-2022) a corporate body registered and incorporated as a company under the Indian companies Act 1956, is doing Non-Banking financial activities, having its Registered Office: Sri Towers, Plot No.14A, South Phase, Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai-600 032 and having its administrative office at 6th Floor (level 2), Building No.Q2, Aarum Q Parc, Gen 4/1, TTC, Thane Belapur Road, Ghansoli, Navi Mumbai-400710, under the provisions of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (said Act) and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) of the said Act read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (said Rules) issued demand notices to the Borrowers details of which are mentioned in the table below to repay the amount mentioned in the said demand notices. The Borrowers having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the Borrowers and the public in general that the undersigned has taken Symbolic Possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said Rules, on this **10th day of September, 2026.**

Borrower Name and Address	Amount due as per Demand Notice
1.RAMULU RANGANABOYINA S/O. MUTHAIAH, AGE:55 YEARS, OCC: BUSINESS, 1/M/S. RAMULU POULTRY FARM AND 2/M/S.BALAJI METAL MERCHANT, H.NO: 1-74, MIRDDODI, MEDAK, CELL: 9912840255, PINCODE:502108, AND AND ALSO AT RAMULU RANGANABOYINA S/O.MUTHAIAH, AGE: 55 YEARS, OCC: BUSINESS: 1) M/S. RAMULU POULTRY FARM AND 2) M/S.BALAJI METAL MERCHANT, OPEN PLOT NO.3, ADMEASURING TO AN EXTENT OF 800 SQ. YARDS OR 668.88 SQ. MTRS., OUT OF SY. NO. 301/EE1 AND 301/EE3, SITUATED AT CHINNAGUNDAVELLY VILLAGE, SIDDI PET MANDAL, MEDAK DISTRICT, REGIS TRATION DISTRICT: MEDAK & SUB-DIST RICT: SIDDI PET 2. KOLAMADDI BAIRA GOUD S/O.BALA GOUD, AGE: 64 YEARS, OCC: BUSINESS (DHABA&RESTAURANT), H.NO:16-1424, SRINAGAR COLONY, SIDDI PET, MEDAK, CELL: 9848646663, PINCODE: 502103.	Rs.53,95,907/- (Fifty Three Lakh Ninety Five Thousand Nine Hundred Seven Rupees Only)

Description of Property -SIDDPET1409290020- DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY (Property holder Name is **RAMULU RANGANABOYINA** Mortgage deed dated 29.09.2014 Registered as Document No.6513/2014 on the file of the office of Sub-Registrar at Siddipet. Open Plot No.3, admeasuring to an extent of 800 Sq. Yards or 668.88 Sq. Mtrs., out of Sy. No. 301/EE1 and 301/EE3, situated at ChinnaGUNDAVELLY village, Siddipet Mandal, Medak District, Registration District: Medak & Sub-District: Siddipet, bounded as under:EAST: Agricultural land of Kotagiri Yellaiah ,WEST: 18 Feet Road,NORTH : Plot No.2 of P. Mahipal Reddy,SOUTH : Agricultural land of M. Gundaiah and Others

This notice is also hereby to caution the general public at large that the authorized officer of SFL is in the lawful Symbolic Possession of the immovable property mentioned herein above and the Borrowers or any person shall not after receipt of this notice transfer by way of sale, lease or otherwise deal with/ alienate any of the above mentioned secured assets referred to in this notice, without prior written consent of SFL.

Place: Siddipet, Date :10-09-2026 Sd/-Authorised officer, Shriram Finance Ltd.

SHRIRAM Finance

Registered Office: Sri Towers, Plot No.14A, South Phase, Industrial Estate, Guindy, Chennai-600032.
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Borrower Name and Address	Amount due as per Demand Notice
1.SALMAN REDDY KATHA S/O.DEVADAS, AGE:39 YEARS, OCC:BUSINESS(PARADEISE POINT),H.NO:22-11, K.B.COLONY, HUSNA BAD, KARIMNAGAR, CELL: 9704334988, PINCODE:505467. 2.KATHA DEVA DAS S/O.ILAIHAH, AGE: 70 YEARS, OCC: BUSINESS, H.NO:22-11, KASTURIBA COLONY, HUSNABAD, KARIM NAGAR, CELL: 9440051977, PINCODE: 505467 AND ALSO AT KATHA DEVA DAS S/O. ILAIHAH, AGE: 70 YEARS, OCC: BUSINESS, OPEN TO AN EXTENT OF 242 SQ. YARDS OR 202.32 SQ. MTRS. IN SY. NO. 20 SITUATED AT HUSNABAD VILLAGE & MANDAL, SIDDI PET DISTRICT, REGISTRATION DISTRICT: KARIM NAGAR & SUB-DISTRICT: HUSNABAD. 3.BOBBAI PRADEEP KUMAR S/O KISHAN DAS, AGE: 43 YEARS, OCC: BUSINESS (BUILDING MATERIAL SUPPLYING), H.NO:6-4-80, KHARKHANAGADDA, KARIMNAGAR, CELL: 9953607828, PINCODE: 505001.	Rs.22,35,174/- (Twenty Two Lakh Thirty Five Thousand One Hundred and Seventy Four Rupees Only)

Description of Property -KMNZGT1706230005- DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY:(Property holder Name is **KATHA DEVADAS** Mortgage deed dated 03/07/2014 Registered as Document No.958/2017 on the file of the office of Sub-Registrar at Husnabad. Open to an extent of 242 Sq. yards or 202.32 Sq. Mtrs., in Sy. No. 20, situated at Husnabad Village & Mandal, Siddipet District, Registration District: Karimnagar & Sub-District: Husnabad, having the following boundaries:EAST :A.P. Gurukula Patashale, WEST : Plot of Manupaka Suvarna,NORTH : 18 feet Way,SOUTH : Land of Sampathi Raj Reddy

This notice is also hereby to caution the general public at large that the authorized officer of SFL is in the lawful Symbolic Possession of the immovable property mentioned herein above and the Borrowers or any person shall not after receipt of this notice transfer by way of sale, lease or otherwise deal with/ alienate any of the above mentioned secured assets referred to in this notice, without prior written consent of SFL.

Place: Husnabad , Date :10-09-2026 Sd/-Authorised officer, Shriram Finance Ltd.

Canara Bank

Regional Office : Hyderabad North
Recovery Section, Hyderabad, 1st Floor,
Opp. Shanti Theatre, Narayanaguda, Hyderabad-500029.

REGIONAL OFFICE : HYDERABAD NORTH

RECOVERY SECTION, HYDERABAD, 1ST FLOOR,
OPP. SHANTI THEATRE, NARAYANAGUDA, HYDERABAD-500029.

AUCTION SALE NOTICE

Date & Time of E-Auction : 28-09-2026, 11:30 A.M. to 12.30 P.M.
(With unlimited extension of 5 minutes duration each till the conclusion of the sale)
Last date of deposit of EMD is 25-09-2026 at 5:00 P.M. (through baanknet.com portal)

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Properties under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to rule 8(6), R/W 9(1) of the security interest (Enforcement Rules, 2002)

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) / Guarantor (s) and other Parties that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive/physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer of the Canara Bank will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" for recovery of dues to the Canara Bank plus unapplied interest and bank charges thereon are mentioned below.

Name of the Branch : Narayanpet Branch Ph. No. 8328848168

Name of the Borrower/Co-Borrower/Guarantor: Mr. LAXMAN CHARY, S/o. Mr. Narasimulu, H.No.1-6-74/13b, Ashok Nagar Colony, Naryanpet-509210, Mahabubnagar District, Telangana. Mr. NAGENDER, S/o. Mr. Narasimulu, H.No.1-6-74/13b, Ashok Nagar Colony, Naryanpet-509210, Mahabubnagar District, Telangana. Satyanarayana, T, S/o. T. Chandrappa, H.No. 4-3-11, Sicklagri, Naryanapet, Telangana-509210.

Total liabilities : Rs 22,21,847.41 (Rupees Twenty Two Lakh Twenty One Thousand Eight Hundred Forty Seven and Forty One paise) as on 07-09-2026 plus interest and bank charges there on.

DETAILS AND FULL DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY

All that RCC roofed residential building (ground floor) in part of Residential House No. 1-6-74/13/B on Plot No. 9 in Survey No. 259, situated at Ashok Nagar, Pallabuzurg, Naryanpet Town & Mandal, Mahabubnagar District Telangana 509210. **Bounded by: Boundaries of the property: North:** 4 Lane & House of Bheemappa Gajji, **South :** Plot No. 10 belong to Narayan Rao, **East :** 12 Wide Road, **West :** 12 Wide Road.

Property Can be inspected with Prior Appointment with Authorized Officer on 24-09-2026 before 5:00 PM.

Reserve Price: Rs. 36,88,000/-, EMD : 3,68,800/-, Bid Increment: Rs. 50,000/-

EMD amount of 10% of the Reserve Price is to be deposited in the banknet on or before **25-09-2026 at 6.00 PM.**

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link E-Auction provided in Canara Banks website (www.canarabank.com) or may Contact **Chief Manager, Naryanpet Branch, of Canara Bank, Ph. No. 08546-282527, Mobile : 8328848168** during office hours on any working day.

*** No Known Encumbrances to the Knowledge of the Bank. * The Property is under physical Possession of the Bank. Mode of Auction : Online Electronic Bidding.**

Intending bidders shall hold a valid digital signature certificate and e-mail address. For details with regard to digital signature please contact the service provider M/s.PSB Alliance (baanknet), **Mobile No. 8291220220, E-mail: support.baanknet@psballiance.com, Website: <https://baanknet.com>**

Date: 07-09-2026, Place: Hyderabad. Sd/- Authorised Officer, CANARA BANK

BHASKAR AGROCHEMICALS LIMITED

Registered Office: D. No.1-90/C, Office Unit-608,1T06, 6th Floor, Gowra Fountain Head, SY No-83P and 84P, Madhapur, Shaikpet, Hyderabad-500081, Telangana
CIN: L24219TG1988PLC008331
E-mail: bhaskaragro@yahoo.com, Website: www.bhaskaragro.com

NOTICE OF 38th ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AND REMOTE E-VOTING INFORMATION

Notice is hereby given that the 38th Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the members of Bhaskar Agrochemicals Limited will be held on Wednesday, 30th day of September, 2026 at 11:00 a.m. through Video Conferencing ("VC")/Other Audio-Visual Means ("OAVM") to transact the business as set out in the Notice of the AGM. In compliance with all the applicable provisions of the Companies Act, 2013 ("the Act") and Rules framed thereunder and the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 ("SEBI Listing Regulations") read with General Circular Nos. 20/2020 dated May 5, 2020, 03/2025 dated September 22, 2025 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) and Circulars issued by the Securities and Exchange Board of India ("SEBI") (hereinafter collectively referred to as "the Circulars"), the AGM of the Company will be held through VC/OAVM.

Electronic copies of the Notice of AGM and Annual Report is sent to all the shareholders on 08.09.2026 whose email IDs are registered with Company/Depositories in accordance with the SEBI Circular dated May 12, 2020. Members will be provided with a facility to attend the AGM through VC/OAVM through Central Depository Services Limited (CDSL). Members may access the same at www.evotingindia.com.

In terms of Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Regulation 44 of SEBI (LODR) Regulations, 2015, the company is providing the facility to cast their vote by electronic means on all the resolutions set forth in the Notice of the AGM through electronic voting system of Central Depository Services Limited (CDSL) (remote e-voting). The facility of casting votes by a member using remote e-voting as well as the e-voting system on the date of the AGM will be provided by CDSL. All the members are informed that:

- The business as set forth in the Notice of the 38th AGM may be transacted through voting by electronic means.
- The remote e-voting shall commence at 27.09.2026 at 9.00 a.m.
- The remote e-voting shall end on 29.09.2026 at 5.00 p.m.
- The cut-off date for determining the eligibility to vote by electronic means or at the AGM is 23.09.2026.
- Any person who acquires shares of the company and become member of the Company after dispatch of the notice of the AGM may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at helpdesk.evoting@cdslindia.com.
- Members may note that the facility for remote e-voting module will also be made available during the AGM and those members present in the AGM through VC facility, who have not cast their vote on the resolutions through remote e-voting or otherwise are eligible to vote through e-Voting system at AGM. The members who have cast their vote by remote e-Voting prior to AGM may also attend the AGM but shall not be entitled to cast the vote again.
- Members who have not registered their email address are requested to register their email address are requested to register their email address with the Depositories/ Company/ Registrar and Share transfer agent i.e. Xifotech Systems Limited to receive copies of Annual report 2025-26 along with notice of 38th Annual General Meeting.
- The Notice of AGM is available on the Company's website www.bhaskaragro.com and also on the CDSL's website <https://www.evotingindia.com/>.
- In case of queries, members may refer to the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for members and e-voting User Manual for Shareholders available at the downloads section of <https://www.evotingindia.co.in> or contact Mr. Praveen Kumar Posani, Joint Managing Director & CFO, D. No.1-90/C, Office Unit-608,1T06, 6th Floor, Gowra Fountain Head, SY No-83P and 84P, Madhapur, Shaikpet, Hyderabad- 500081, Telangana, e-mail id: bhaskaragro@yahoo.com, Ph: 040-23119403.

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For Bhaskar Agrochemicals Limited
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Joint Managing Director & CFO
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NOTICE TO THE BORROWER INFORMING ABOUT SALE (30 DAYS' NOTICE) & (6) OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002

To: 1) Mamillapalli Kiran Kumar, S/O: Prabhakar Mamillapally, Age: 32 Years, Occ: Self Employee, R/O: Address:- H No: 6-69/1, Kranthi Colony, Medipally, Ghatkesar-500068, 9502429957. Address:- II # C-29/5, Viharika Colony, Ghatkesar Mandal, Medipally, Medchal (Malkajgiri)-500098, B/O: Proprietor Of "Sairam Kirana General Store And Vegetables", At # Same As Residence Address:- I 2) Mamillapalli Swarupa, W/O: Prabhakar Mamillapally, Age: 53 Years, Occ: House Wife, R/O: C-29/5, Viharika Colony, Madipally (Village & Mandal), Medchal-Malkajgiri (D)-500098, 9704406359. 3) Susheela Ghosh, S/O: Subhashis Ghosh, Age: 54 Years, Occ: Pvt Employee, R/O: H No: 6-1, Srinivas Nagar Colony, Medipally, Ghatkesar, Rangla Reddy-500089, 9845567787.

Sub: Sale of property belonging to MAMILLAPALLI SWARUPA (Borrower/Guarantor) in the account of SBPBGTF211130003 for realization of amount due to Shriram Finance Limited under The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002. Shriram Finance Limited, BASHEERBAGH - Branch, the secured creditor caused a demand notice dated 05.03.2026 under section 13(2) of The Securitization And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, calling upon you to pay Rs.2596024/- (TWENTY FIVE LAKHS NINETY SIX THOUSAND AND TWENTY FOUR Rupees only) within the time stipulated period therein. Since you failed to comply the said notice within the stipulated period, the Authorized Officer, has taken symbolic procession of the immovable secured assets under Section 13(4) of the Act read with Rule 8 of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on 03.07.2026.

Therefore, if you pay the amount due to Shriram Finance Limited along with subsequent interest, costs, charges and expenses incurred by Shriram Finance Limited before the date of publication of sale notice, no further action shall be taken for sale of the property and you can redeem your property as stipulated in sec. 13(6) of the Act.

Schedule of Property: (Mortgaged under the Name of MAMILLAPALLI SWARUPA Mortgage deed dated 30.11.2021 Registered as Document No. 12584/2021 on the file of the office of Sub-Registrar at NARAPALLI) ALL THAT THE OLD HOUSE BEARING NO 4-185/PART, NEW HOUSE NO. 4-185/A, IN GRAMAKANTHAM, ADMEASURING 150 SQUARE YARDS, OR 125.41, SQUARE METERS, (OUT OF 325 SQUARE YARDS), SITUATED AT MEDIPALLY VILLAGE, AND MANDAL, UNDER PERZADIGUDA MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, MEDCHAL- MALKAJGIRI DISTRICT and Bounded as follows: TOWARDS EAST: HOUSE NO-4-185/PART, TOWARDS WEST: 20 WIDE ROAD, TOWARDS NORTH: 15 WIDE ROAD, TOWARDS SOUTH: OPEN LAND.

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Place: MEDIPALLY
Date: 10.09.2026

Sd/-Authorised officer,
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CM REVANTH REDDY CONGRATULATES MADHU YASKHI GOUD ON AIPC APPOINTMENT

Hyderabad TSIT : Chief Minister A.Revanth Reddy on Thursday congratulated senior Congress leader Madhu Yaskhi Goud on his appointment as Chairperson of the All India Professionals Congress (AIPC).

Chief Minister greeted Madhu Yaskhi Goud at the Assembly Committee Hall and wished him success in his new responsibility.



Deputy Chief Minister Mallu Bhatti Vikramarka, TPCC President B. Mahesh Kumar, and Madhu Yaskhi Goud.

Ministers, MLAs and MLCs also congratulated Madhu Yaskhi Goud on his appointment and extended their best wishes for a successful tenure.

The leaders expressed confidence that his experience and leadership would help strengthen the Professionals Congress and enhance the participation of professionals in the party's activities.

Congress government completely failed

Khammam (TSIT): The objectionable remarks made by Congress leaders against BRS chief and former Chief Minister K. Chandrashekar Rao and the suspension of BRS legislators were strongly condemned by BRS former Lok Sabha floor leader and former Khammam MP Nama Nageswara Rao. He said the remarks by a public representative wishing for the death of a political leader were highly irresponsible and demanded legal action against the MLA. Political differences were natural in a democracy, but personal attacks and provocative remarks had no place, he said.



Nama said suspending BRS MLAs for the remainder of the Assembly session was unjustified, as elected representatives must be given an opportunity to raise public issues. He alleged that the Congress government had completely failed to fulfil its election promises, including the 420 assurances and six guarantees, during its 1,000-day rule. Instead of targeting the Opposition, the government should focus on resolving the problems of farmers, unemployed youth, women, employees and the poor, he demanded.

Naveen Reddy Takes Charge as Mahabubnagar DFO



Mahabubnagar, Sept. 10 (TSIT Bureau):Mandadi Naveen Reddy took charge as the new District Forest Officer (DFO) of Mahabubnagar on Wednesday. He met District Collector Khushboo Gupta on Thursday and discussed forest conservation, wildlife protection and increasing green cover in the district.

A 2019-batch Indian Forest Service (IFS) officer, Reddy secured All India Rank 1 in the UPSC examination. He previously served in Amrabad Tiger Reserve, where he took initia-

tives to ensure drinking water for wildlife during summer by setting up solar borewells and water-saucer pits.

He also served as DFO in Wanaparthy, Jogulamba Gadwal and Jayashankar Bhupalpally districts. After assuming charge, Reddy reviewed departmental activities and directed officials to intensify field patrolling and take strict action against forest land encroachments and illegal tree felling. He also stressed on expanding plantation and green-cover programmes across the district.

Minister UttamKumar Announces Mega Job Mela at Kodad on Sept 19

Hyderabad: Irrigation and Civil Supplies Minister N.Uttam Kumar Reddy announced that a Mega Job Mela will be held at Kodad on September 19, with 200-250 companies expected to participate and offer employment opportunities to thousands of youth.Reviewing arrangements at the Secretariat, Uttam said special efforts would be made to mobilise engineering, poly-



technic, degree and ITI students from Suryapet, erstwhile Nalgonda and neighbouring Khammam districts. The C.C. Reddy Convent in Kodad has been finalised as the venue.Minister directed officials to ensure proper arrangements for registration, interviews, parking and food, and called for extensive publicity to ensure maximum participation by unemployed youth.

GOVERNMENT MUST IMMEDIATELY ADDRESS RICE MILLERS' ISSUES, STOP RAIDS: BADAM PRAVEEN



Mulugu, September 10 (TSIT): The state government should immediately address the problems faced by rice millers and stop the raids being conducted by officials, said Badam Praveen, president of the Mulugu District Rice Millers Association.

Protesting against the officials' raids and what they described as the government's negligent approach, rice millers took out a rally from the DLR Function Hall in the district headquarters to Dharna Chowk on Thursday, where they staged a protest.

Speaking at the protest, Praveen said rice millers in Mulugu district had been strictly following government directives and had supplied paddy to the full extent over the past few years. However, he alleged that mill owners were now being subjected to intimidation and harassment in the name of inspections and raids.

He said the millers had time until September 30 to complete the paddy supply, but prolonged storage of the grain for nearly nine months had resulted in significant weight loss, causing substantial financial losses to the millers.

Praveen urged the government to immediately lift the remaining paddy stocks and take steps to address the difficulties being faced by rice millers. He appealed to the authorities to consider their losses and provide appropriate relief.Association General Secretary Gurijala Sahodari Reddy, Treasurer Elagandula Mohan.

Vascular Diseases on the Rise Amid Changing Lifestyle, Says Specialist.

MANCHERIAL, sept 10,TSIT : Vascular diseases are increasingly being reported due to changing lifestyles, lack of physical activity, diabetes, hypertension and smoking, said Dr Vinay Kumar, vascular surgeon at Yashoda Hospitals, Secunderabad.

Addressing a press conference at a private hall in Mancherial on Wednesday, Dr Kumar stressed the need to create greater public awareness about vascular diseases and the advanced treatment options now available.

He said endovascular procedures have emerged as a minimally invasive option for treating several vascular conditions, offering treatment with smaller incisions and relatively less discomfort.

Explaining common vascular disorders, Dr Kumar said varicose veins may cause swelling and discoloration of the veins in the legs, severe pain and non-healing ulcers around the ankles.

In cases of peripheral artery disease (PAD), blockages in the arteries supplying blood to the legs can lead to pain and a pulling sensation while



walking. If left untreated, the condition could progress to gangrene and, in severe cases, may result in limb amputation, he cautioned.

He also highlighted the risks associated with diabetic foot, stating that reduced blood circulation in people with diabetes can cause even minor injuries to develop into serious wounds and infections. Diabetic patients should therefore take special care

of their feet and seek medical attention for persistent wounds or other abnormalities, he advised.

Dr Kumar urged people to recognise the early warning signs of vascular diseases and consult doctors without delay, stating that timely diagnosis and treatment can help prevent serious complications.

Yashoda Hospitals, Secunderabad PRO Ankam Mallesh was also present at the press conference.

Port Strengthens Air Quality Monitoring in Visakhapatnam

TSIT, Visakhapatnam.

As part of environmental protection and sustainable port operations, the Visakhapatnam Port Authority (VPA) has further strengthened its air quality monitoring system. Three new Continuous Ambient Air Quality Monitoring Stations (CAAQMS) have been established in Akkayyapalem, Pandurangapuram and Malkapuram areas. With this, the number of CAAQMS stations within the port limits has increased to six.



Three stations are already functioning at the GCB Gate Area, VPA Fire Station Road and R&D Yard areas. A 10-year Comprehensive Annual Maintenance Contract (CAMC) is being implemented for the maintenance of the new stations. These stations will continuously monitor air quality in real time in and around the port and provide reliable data to identify pollution levels and hotspots. Port officials stated that the system will help assess the effectiveness of dust and pollution control measures, take data-driven environmental decisions, increase public awareness and facilitate coordination with regulatory agencies. They stated that these measures have been taken to integrate port development with environmental sustainability through technology and scientific monitoring.

Mahatma Gandhi University to host 45th Annual Session of South Indian History Congress



Nalgonda, Sept 10 (TSIT): The Department of History and Tourism of Mahatma Gandhi University (MGU) is hosting the 45th Annual Session of the South Indian History Congress, an initiative aimed at highlighting and celebrating the distinct historical attributes of South India. During the release of the poster on Thursday, MGU Vice Chancellor Prof. Khaja Althaf Hussain announced that historians and faculty members from across South India will present their research papers during the Congress, scheduled for November 13 to 15. He emphasized that the gath-

ering offers an exceptional chance to showcase MGU's reputation and the rich historical background of Telangana. The Vice Chancellor encouraged all departments to actively participate and contribute their utmost efforts to ensure the success of the prestigious event. Dr. K Vijaya Babu, Chairman of the Board of Studies in History, mentioned that over 1,200 historians from across the nation are expected to attend the significant intellectual gathering. Registrar Prof Koppula Anji Reddy, Principal of the the University College of Arts and Social Sciences Dr.

Aruna Priya, Principal of the Science College Prof Vasantha, Engineering College Principal Dr. Harish Kumar, Management College Principal Dr. Sridevi, Dean of the Faculty of Commerce and Business Management Prof Aluvala Ravi, IQAC Coordinator Dr. Miriyala Ramesh, Controller of Examinations Dr. G. Upender Reddy, NSS Programme Coordinator Dr. Maram Venkataramana Reddy, Dr. Sivaram, Dr. Hyimavathi, teachers of the Department of History and Tourism Dr. Panasa Ramakrishna, Dr. Sharif, and Vivek were present.

Jagan Creating Ruckus Over DSC

ALLIANCE WILL CLEAN SWEEP LOCAL BODY POLLS
BJP STATE PRESIDENT PVN MADHAV



VIJAYAWADA (TSIT) BJP State President PVN Madhav launched a blistering attack on YSRCP chief YS Jagan Mohan Reddy, accusing him of creating an unnecessary ruckus over the DSC recruitment only because he cannot tolerate the current alliance government delivering on promises that the previous YSRCP regime failed to fulfill. Addressing a press conference at the BJP state office here on Thursday, Madhav expressed anger over the opposition's

attempts to stir up controversies around the DSC, which is highly beneficial to unemployed youth.He exuded confidence that the alliance would achieve a 100% strike rate in the upcoming local body elections by working with seamless coordination. While the seat-sharing formula among the three alliance partners (TDP, JSP, and BJP) is yet to be finalized, senior leaders from these parties will meet soon to deliberate on it. He added that the state is witnessing 'triple-engine

growth' under the double-engine government and the alliance's ultimate goal is to register a clean sweep in the upcoming polls. Lauding Prime Minister Narendra Modi's governance, Madhav announced that to mark the completion of 12 years of Modi's tenure as PM, the BJP, in collaboration with its alliance partners, will organize a month-long 'Seva Sankalp Abhiyan' across the state from September 17 to October 17.As part of this initiative, massive blood donation camps will be organized on September 17 aiming for a world record. This will be followed by 'Aashirwad Deep' lamp-lighting ceremonies in the evening. Various service-oriented yatras and creative competitions will also be held throughout the month.

TSIT, Visakhapatnam. Chief Minister N. Chandrababu Naidu directed district Collectors to prepare clear action plans and ensure time-bound implementation of development and welfare programmes. Speaking at the 8th District Collectors' Conference held in Amaravati on Thursday, he reviewed land management, housing, digital connectivity, governance and other key issues. The Chief Minister directed the Revenue Department to create a Structured Land Bank Portal under the CCLA, containing details of available government lands. Unutilised lands lying with various departments should be identified and brought under a common land bank so that land can be allotted quickly for industrial and development projects. He also directed officials to extend the benefits available to Scheduled Castes to Budaga Jangams and issue necessary orders immediately. Collectors should prepare action calendars and focus on results rather than merely discussing problems, the Chief Minister said. He stressed the need for proactive gover-

Collectors told to plan development works



nance and effective use of technology, AI and data for better administration.

Focus on housing and house-site pattas

The CM directed officials to ensure that every eligible person gets either a house or a house-site patta. Officials informed him that 1.43 lakh beneficiaries had been identified as eligible for house-site pattas, while another 1.26 lakh applications were under scrutiny. The verification should be completed by October

15. Land has been identified in 1,692 villages to provide pattas to around 18,000 beneficiaries. Chandrababu directed officials to complete the distribution of house-site pattas within a year and prepare a clear list of beneficiaries requiring new pattas and regularisation. So far, 5.92 lakh houses have been completed, while another 5.32 lakh houses are under construction at various stages. These houses should be completed by March next year. Officials were asked to sub-

mit a comprehensive action plan on housing and house-site pattas within 10 days.

100% mobile connectivity The Chief Minister also directed officials to ensure 100 per cent mobile connectivity across the State, including remote and tribal areas. Of the 1,023 telecom towers sanctioned under Central schemes, works have been completed at 143 locations and are underway at 428 locations. Land issues remain pending at 18 revenue and 11 forest locations. Revenue land should be handed over within seven days and forest clearances completed within 10 days. Minister for Revenue Anagani Satyaprasad said registration would be allowed for 9 lakh acres of pre-held land found to be in accordance with rules, while 4 lakh acres where irregularities were suspected would be decided after an inquiry. He said 28 lakh acres had already been removed from the 22-A prohibited list and that the government was implementing the 'Mee Bhoomi-Blockchain Technology' project for a permanent solution to land disputes.

Excise Shop Allotted Through Transparent Lottery Process Collector Priyanka Ala



Hyderabad TSIT: Hyderabad District Collector Dr.Priyanka Ala on Thursday said an excise shop under the Secunderabad Excise Unit was allotted through a transparent lottery process in the presence of applicants and officials.The lottery was conducted at the Collectorate Conference Hall for the excise shop bearing Gazette Serial No. HYD033. The Collector conducted the draw along with District Prohibition and Excise Officer G. Jeevan Kiran . Following Supplementary Notification No. 46 issued by the government on September 3, applications were received from September 3 to 9. A total of six applications were submitted by three applicants for the shop.

CENTRAL BANK LAUNCHES BHARAT CONNECT FOR BUSINESS



Mumbai, September 10: Central Bank of India has become the first public sector bank to launch 'Bharat Connect for Business' in partnership with NPCI Bharat BillPay Ltd. (NBBL), strengthening the country's digital B2B payments ecosystem.

The platform offers businesses an integrated digital system to generate invoices, make and receive payments, manage collections and settlements, and conduct secure transactions between buyers, sellers and banks. The initiative was launched at the NPCI

Pavilion during Global Fintech Fest 2026 in the presence of Central Bank of India MD and CEO Kalyan Kumar and NBBL MD and CEO Noopur Chaturvedi.

The new platform is expected to particularly benefit MSMEs and other businesses by simplifying digital transactions and improving operational efficiency through technology-driven financial solutions. Central Bank of India said the initiative reflects its commitment to strengthening India's digital payments infrastructure and supporting the broader vision of a digitally enabled and economically developed India.

TTD EO inspects SV Museum



Tirumala : In the wake of the inauguration of the SV Museum in Tirumala by the Honourable Chief Minister of the AP, Sri N Chandrababu Naidu during Brahmotsavams next week, TTD EO Sri Muddada Ravichandra along with the Additional EO Sri Ch. Venkaiah Chowdary, Tirupati SP Sri Subbarayudu, CVSO Sri Muralikrishna inspected the arrangements at the museum on Thursday. On this occasion, he inspected the galleries set up in the museum and made several suggestions to the officials concerned.

The EO said that all arrangements should be made in such a way that the devotees can enjoy the artworks in the museum completely and provide feedback easily.

Sudden brain bleeding needs early detection

Tirupati: Early detection of sudden bleeding in the brain is crucial, said SVIMS Director and Vice-Chancellor Dr. Gudaru Jagadeesh at the 7th Srinivas Neurosurgery Endowment Oration organised by the Department of Neurosurgery at SVIMS, Tirupati. Dr. Ashish Pathak, Director of Neurosurgery at Fortis Hospital, Mohali, delivered a special lecture on spontaneous subarachnoid haemorrhage (SAH), describing it as a serious neurosurgical emergency. He advised people not to ignore sudden severe headache, vomiting, altered consciousness or neck stiffness and urged immediate hospitalisation. Dr. Pathak said timely diagnosis, stabilisation, identification of the bleeding



source and appropriate neurosurgical or endovascular treatment can significantly improve the chances of survival. Dr. Jagadeesh said SVIMS was working to strengthen its Neurosurgery Department as a state-of-the-art medical centre and ensure advanced treatment reaches the com-

mon people. He stressed the importance of academic programmes in improving medical education, research and patient care.

He also highlighted the importance of coordination between neurosurgeons and orthopaedic surgeons, particularly in spine and polytrauma cases. Recalling his long association with SVIMS, he said multidisciplinary teamwork had helped doctors successfully manage complex trauma cases.

Dr. Jagadeesh also emphasised doctors' responsibility towards society and said academic symposiums and endowment orations help promote new ideas, research and improved medical services.

CARE Hospitals urges prostate cancer awareness

Hyderabad, September 10: CARE Hospitals has urged men, particularly those over 50, to remain alert to prostate cancer risk and discuss prostate health with doctors even in the absence of symptoms. During Prostate Cancer Awareness Month, doctors highlighted that prostate cancer can develop silently in its early stages. According to the International Agency for Research on Cancer, more than 1.5 million prostate cancer cases were diagnosed worldwide in 2024. ICMR-NCRP projections indicated that cases in India increased from 41,532 in



2020 to 47,068 in 2025. Dr. P. Vamsi Krishna, Clinical Director and Senior Consultant, Urology, CARE Hospitals, said age and family history are important risk factors. He cautioned that the absence of urinary symptoms

does not rule out early prostate cancer and advised men not to wait for symptoms before discussing appropriate evaluation with their doctors. Persistent urinary changes such as difficulty urinating, weak urine flow, frequent night-time

urination, incomplete bladder emptying, burning sensation or blood in urine or semen should be medically evaluated. Persistent lower back, hip or pelvic pain may also require attention. Dr. Ajay Chanakya Vallabhaneni, Senior Surgical Oncologist, said treatment depends on the cancer's stage and behaviour and may include active surveillance, surgery, radiation or systemic therapies. Doctors stressed that elevated PSA levels do not automatically indicate cancer and should be interpreted alongside individual risk factors and clinical findings.

Uniformity in RTI implementation essential: Governor Shiv Pratap Shukla



Hyderabad, Sept 10 (TSIT): "Effectiveness of the RTI regime should be assessed not merely by the number of applications and appeals disposed of, but by the extent to which it had enhanced transparency and accountability in governance," said Governor Shiv Pratap Shukla. Inaugurating a two-day national conference sponsored by the National Federation of Information Commissioners in India (NFICI), New Delhi, and jointly organised by the Telangana Information Commission (TGIC) and the Centre for Public Policy, Governance and Performance

(CPPGP), ASCI on "RTI: Operational Uniformity in Implementation - Challenges and Solutions" at the Administrative Staff College of India (ASCI), Hyderabad on Thursday, the Governor called for greater uniformity in the implementation of the Right to Information (RTI) Act across the country. Governor Shiv Pratap Shukla on Thursday urged Information Commissions and government departments to strengthen proactive disclosure, leverage technology and ensure faster and more effective access to information for citizens.

Emphasizing the need to give greater importance to proactive disclosure under Section 4 of the RTI Act, saying government departments should move from a system of providing information only on request to one in which relevant and updated information is routinely placed in the public domain, the Governor said, would reduce the need for citizens to file RTI applications for information that could otherwise be disclosed suo motu. The Governor said information held by government departments was, in essence, public information, and making it available to citizens in a timely, accessible and transparent manner was an important responsibility of the administration. He also called for greater use of Artificial Intelligence, data analytics and digital record management to improve transparency and efficiency in the handling of RTI matters. Technology, however, should remain citizen-centric and should facilitate access to information rather than create additional barriers, he said. Governor Shukla stressed the need to make the RTI mechanism more accessible to people in rural and remote areas, women, persons with disabilities and vulnerable sections of society.

Girl walks again after complex foot surgery



V i s a k h a p a t n a m , September 10: An eight-year-old girl, Lineesha, has regained the ability to walk after undergoing complex reconstructive surgery at KIMS Hospitals, Seethammadhara, following severe injuries sustained in a road accident. The girl suffered fractures and extensive damage to the soft tissues, muscles and tendons of her right foot while returning home from school. Significant tissue loss left the injured foot without adequate coverage, making reconstruction challenging.

formed a microsurgical tissue flap procedure, transferring healthy tissue from the child's left thigh to the injured foot. Using microsurgical techniques, the blood vessels of the transferred tissue were connected to vessels in the foot, restoring blood supply and providing durable coverage for the damaged bones and tendons. Following surgery, the child received specialised post-operative care and close monitoring. She recovered steadily and was able to walk normally within a month. Dr. Pavan Venkateswar said tissue flaps can offer better structural coverage and functional outcomes than conventional skin grafts in cases involving extensive tissue loss in weight-bearing areas.

AI enters Indian film screenwriting

New Delhi: Artificial intelligence is gradually finding a place in the Indian film industry, particularly in screenwriting, helping writers experiment with story ideas, plot twists, character development and dialogues. Screenwriters are increasingly using AI as a creative assistant to brainstorm alternative storylines, develop character sketches, structure scripts and

identify gaps in screenplays. The technology also allows filmmakers to visualise scenes and create mood boards, storyboards and visual references before production, helping directors communicate their creative vision more effectively. AI tools can help writers test different approaches and make corrections at an early stage, potentially saving time and production costs.

Digital bridge for persons with disabilities

New Delhi, September 10: The Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (DEPwD), ALIMCO and EkStep Foundation have signed an MoU to develop and scale the Purple Dots - UBI (Unified Benefits Interface) Initiative, aimed at improving access to services, opportunities and support for Persons with Disabilities (PwDs). The MoU establishes a framework for designing, implementing and scaling the digital initiative, which seeks to connect PwDs with government benefits, employment opportunities, skill development programmes, assistive devices and other support systems. Conceptualised by



DEPwD, Purple Dots will enable PwDs to create simple digital profiles indicating their needs, while employers, service providers, NGOs, philanthropic organisations and other institutions can create profiles highlighting the opportunities and ser-

vices they provide. The initiative aims to bring these profiles together through an open and interoperable digital infrastructure, allowing needs and opportunities to be discovered and connected more efficiently at the local level. An open

digital protocol will enable participating organisations to respond to identified requirements and improve access to available services. The partnership is intended to reduce fragmented access to disability-related schemes and strengthen coordination among government departments, private organisations and civil society groups. EkStep Foundation will contribute its experience in developing open and collaborative digital public infrastructure. DEPwD and ALIMCO will work with EkStep to build an ecosystem that helps connect PwDs with relevant opportunities, services and support available across the country.

Doctors to explore India's traditional medical heritage

Hyderabad, September 8: The Second Anniversary and Third Gathering of the association will be held from September 8 to 10, 2026, from 9 am to 5 pm, focusing on India's traditional Ayurvedic and Siddha medical systems. The three-day gathering, themed "Our Indian Heritage - Our Medical System," will bring together doctors and practitioners from across the country to discuss traditional medical practices, ancient texts and therapeutic experiences, with the objective of promoting effective remedies and preserving India's medical heritage. The organisers said the event will provide a common platform for

experienced practitioners with expertise in medicinal formulations and encourage knowledge sharing. Training programmes on traditional Ayurvedic and Siddha systems and proven treatment methods will also be conducted to enhance the skills of doctors. The association is planning to establish itself as a charitable organisation and collaborate with Central and State governments to seek appropriate recognition for the qualifications of traditional medicine practitioners. Efforts are also underway to establish a dedicated state office complex. Doctors attending the

Indofil launches Sophon for paddy farmers



Rajamahendravaram : Indofil Industries Limited has launched its new patented crop protection product, "Sophon", for farmers in Andhra Pradesh. The product was introduced at Hotel Shelton in Rajamahendravaram in the presence of dealers and company representatives. Company officials described Sophon as an advanced solution for controlling various diseases affecting paddy cultivation. The product combines three

active ingredients - Mancozeb, Picoxystrobin and Thifluzamide - and has been developed using modern technology. According to the company, Sophon is designed to provide effective disease management while supporting better crop quality and productivity. Officials said the product aims to offer farmers improved crop protection and help minimise losses caused by diseases in paddy fields. The launch programme

provided dealers and other stakeholders with information about the product's features, composition and potential benefits for paddy cultivation. Company representatives said the introduction of Sophon reflects Indofil's efforts to bring technology-driven crop protection solutions to the farming community. South India Divisional Lead Vidyasagar, Andhra Pradesh Zonal Head Anji Reddy, Fungicide Portfolio Lead Nagendra Kumar, Senior Product Development Manager Sarath Kumar, Fungicide Brand Manager Shikha Rai, AP and Telangana Zonal Demand Generation Manager Sreekanth, Godavari Regional Sales Manager K.V. Sessa Reddy and Regional Demand Generation Manager Venkata Sai attended the event along with territory managers, dealers and other representatives.

Monsoon infections can worsen respiratory problems

Hyderabad, September 10: Pulmonologists at Kamineni Hospitals have warned residents against ignoring persistent cough, wheezing and breathing difficulties during the monsoon, as seasonal infections, humidity, mould and allergens can aggravate respiratory conditions. Dr. Subhakar Kandli, Senior Consultant Pulmonologist, said monsoon conditions can trigger flare-ups of asthma and chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD). Patients experiencing increased symptoms or requiring reliever medication more frequently should seek medical assessment, he advised. Dr. E. Ravindra Reddy said a cough that persists or worsens after a viral infection should not automatically be dismissed as bronchitis. Fever, breathlessness, wheezing, chest



pain, low oxygen levels or blood in sputum require medical evaluation, he said, adding that antibiotics should not be used unnecessarily. Dr. Ravindranath stressed that older adults, children and people with asthma, COPD, heart disease or other chronic illnesses need closer monitoring. Breathlessness at rest, worsening wheezing, chest pain, falling oxygen saturation, coughing blood, persistent high fever, severe weakness or

confusion require prompt attention. Dr. D.S. Sowjanya advised patients with asthma or COPD to continue prescribed inhalers and medications. Dr. Bharath Janapati highlighted the role of damp environments, mould, dust and poor ventilation in worsening symptoms. Doctors recommended good ventilation, hygiene, indoor cleanliness and timely medical consultation for persistent or worsening respiratory symptoms.

STATE-LEVEL SENIOR BALL BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIP TO BE HELD IN BENGALURU ON SEPTEMBER 12 AND 13

Bengaluru: Bengaluru is all set to host the State-Level Senior Ball Badminton Championship 2026-27 on September 12 and 13, bringing together senior ball badminton players from various parts of Karnataka.

The championship is being jointly organised by Scalvi Higher Education and EuroKids, in association with the Ball Badminton Association of Karnataka, Bengaluru.

The two-day sporting event will be held opposite Capital School, RBI Layout, 7th Phase, JP Nagar, Bengaluru. Senior ball badminton players from various districts of the state are expected to participate and showcase



their talent, skill and competitive spirit.

The championship aims to further popularise ball badminton, provide senior players with a competitive platform to demonstrate their abilities, and encourage greater interest in sports among the younger generation. Players and teams delivering outstanding performances will be

recognised and encouraged as part of the event.

The two-day championship is expected to feature several exciting and closely contested matches, offering sports enthusiasts an opportunity to witness some of the best senior ball badminton talent in the state. The organisers have appealed to sports lovers to attend the event in large numbers and encourage the participating players.

As part of the preparations, a media pre-event programme/press conference will be held to brief media representatives about the objectives of the championship, arrangements, participating teams and the preparations being made for the event.

Samvaad distributes hearing aids to 250 needy people



Bengaluru: Samvaad Institute of Speech and Hearing distributed 250 hearing aids free of cost to needy and underprivileged individuals with hearing impairment as part of its 21st anniversary celebrations.

The week-long camp, held from August 11 to 18, 2026, at the institute's Hebbal centre, aimed to support economically disadvantaged benefi-

ciaries and help improve their quality of life through accessible hearing care.

Ms. Radhika Poovayya, Trustee, Samvaad Foundation, said the initiative reflects Samvaad Institute's continued commitment to supporting the hearing-impaired community through affordable and accessible assessment, treatment, rehabilitation, and hearing care services.

Free Flight Journey to Kashi-Prayagraj for 20 Quiz Winners

Bengaluru : Twenty winners of the special quiz competition organised as part of the grand Maha Shivaratri celebrations held in Vijayanagar have been provided with a free air journey to the holy destinations of Kashi and Prayagraj, fulfilling the promise made to them earlier.

The grand Maha Shivaratri celebration was organised throughout the night on February 15 this year in Vijayanagar. As part of the programme, a special quiz competition was conducted for the residents of the Vijayanagar and Govindarajanagar Assembly constituencies. It was announced that 20 quiz winners would be given an opportunity to undertake a free pilgrimage by air to the holy destinations of Kashi and Prayagraj.

Vijayanagar MLA M. Krishnappa distributed the flight tickets to all 20 quiz winners today and extended his best wishes for their pilgrimage. He expressed his hope that the winners would have a spiritually enriching experience by visiting the sacred temples and places of



religious significance in Kashi and Prayagraj.

Young leader of Vijayanagar Pradeep Krishna is providing complete guidance for the special pilgrimage and has made arrangements for the entire journey, from departure to return. The expenses related to the pilgrimage, including flight tickets, travel, accommodation and food, are being fully borne by M. Krishnappa.

Speaking on the occasion, the quiz winners expressed their happiness and gratitude to MLA M. Krishnappa for fulfilling the promise made to them. They also thanked Pradeep Krishna for taking complete responsibility for the pilgrimage and ensuring all necessary

arrangements.

Govindarajanagar MLA Priya Krishna, Neelakanthappa, artists Mimicry Gopi and Mimicry Dayananda, humour writer M.S. Narasimhamurthy, M. Uday and Prajwal, among other dignitaries, were present at the farewell programme. Speaking at the event organised by Bengaluru Jaanajaaneyaru Samsthe, organisation representative M. Uday said, "It is a matter of great happiness that the promise made to the quiz winners has been fulfilled. Providing them with a free air journey to sacred destinations such as Kashi and Prayagraj is a memorable and unique experience for all of us."

Bengaluru NGO "Hand in Hand India" Is Runner Up at Bridgestone India's Mobility Social Impact Awards 2026

Bengaluru : Bengaluru NGO "Hand in Hand India" was declared runner up at the 6th Edition of Bridgestone India's Mobility Social Impact Awards 2026. The NGOs Hygiene On Go (HOG) is the first such initiative for Traffic Police Personnel in our country, supported by the CSR of Renault Nissan Technology and Business Centre India Pvt. Ltd. (RNTBCI), and implemented by Hand in Hand India. This project has significantly improved the health, dignity, safety, and operational efficiency of Bengaluru Traffic Police personnel by bringing sanitation facilities directly to their duty locations. Since its inception in December 2025, three GPS-enabled



mobile sanitation vehicles have covered 103 traffic junction halts, recorded 20,466 service usages, and supported 2,012 personnel during special bandobust duties. The initiative has particularly strengthened inclusive access through separate facilities for men and women, benefiting women personnel with safe

and gender-sensitive sanitation. By reducing the need for officers to leave their posts in search of sanitation facilities, HOG minimizes duty interruptions and enables uninterrupted traffic regulation and emergency response. GPS tracking, QR-based feedback, and optimized routes further enhance service efficiency.

The model demonstrates strong potential for replication across cities, supporting healthier personnel and safer, more efficient urban mobility.

"Serving Society with Superior Quality is at the heart of Bridgestone's purpose, and the Mobility Social Impact Awards are dedicated towards honouring those who are using mobility to foster meaningful and lasting social impact. We are proud to recognize them and their endeavours towards making roads safer, empower communities and drive positive social change across India." Said Mr. Rajarshi Moitra, Managing Director, Bridgestone India.

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HARIVARHASANAM TEAM MEMBERS MET TRAVANCORE BOARD PRESIDENT IN TRIVENDRUM.....

Mowgli returns in new animated series



Mumbai: JioStar's Kids & Family portfolio is set to premiere its 16th local intellectual property, Jungle Tales with Mowgli, on JioHotstar and Disney Channel on September 12, 2026, at 2 pm.

The series presents a humorous, slapstick interpretation of the iconic Jungle Book character. It follows 10-year-old Mowgli and his mischievous adventures as he navigates life in the jungle and frequently finds himself in amusing situations.

The show features familiar characters including Baloo, Bagheera,

Sherkhan, Kaa and Tabagui. Through situational comedy, playful banter and energetic chases, the series aims to appeal to children while evoking nostalgia among parents who grew up with the characters.

Alok Jain, Head of Hindi and English Entertainment Business at JioStar, said Mowgli is an evergreen character capable of connecting with multiple generations. He said the new series reimagines the timeless Jungle Book world with contemporary humour and energy for today's children and families.

BJP reports Rs 1,473 crore receipts during election period

New Delhi, Sep 9: Expenditure statements filed with the Election Commission of India (ECI) have provided details of the receipts, expenditure and balances of major political parties during the recent round of Assembly elections held between March 15 and May 6. According to the statements, the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) reported net receipts of Rs 1,472.8 crore at its central headquarters alone during the period. The BJP's closing balance at its central headquarters stood at Rs 7,627.2 crore on May 6, compared with Rs 6,722.6 crore on March 15, marking an increase of Rs 904.6 crore during the election period. The party's expenditure statements for the Kerala and West Bengal Assembly elections are yet to be made public.

Burning Feet Are Not Just Sugar': Bangalore Doctor Flags Nerve Pain Amid India's Diabetes Surge

Bangalore : Burning feet, tingling soles, and a strange numbness at night: in Bangalore, these symptoms are often waved away as just part of 'diabetes'. This Pain Awareness Month, the city's doctors are reframing them for what they are: nerve signals that demand attention. A recent study found that 26.1% of people with type 2 diabetes in the city already had diabetic neuropathy, with the risk rising sharply with age, blood sugar levels and duration of diabetes. According to National Family Health Survey, the prevalence of diabetes in Karnataka is 14.8%.

The timing is significant. The International Association for the Study of Pain has declared 2026 the Global Year for Neuropathic Pain, spotlighting the millions worldwide who live with



nerve pain that is under-recognised, under-diagnosed and under-treated. In Bangalore, that under-recognition has a local vocabulary: the everyday tingling that patients rarely report to their physicians.

Dr Sneha P Shreyas, Director and Chief Consultant Pain Physician at PainX - Advanced Pain Management Centre, a

unit of Daradia Pain Clinic, Bangalore, says, "Patients monitor their blood sugar diligently but ignore the burning in their feet, assuming it will settle once the sugar does. Diabetic neuropathy is nerve damage, and once established, it can be irreversible. Burning, tingling or numbness in the feet should prompt a nerve assessment, not reassurance. Early screening protects both nerves and quality of life."

Where nerve pain or chronic pain is diagnosed, physicians can prescribe targeted therapies, including lidocaine for localised neuropathic pain and prescription-based medications for moderate to severe pain. Several of these are available as transdermal patches, a new-age delivery format that releases medicine steadily through the skin over days, offering consis-

tent relief under medical supervision. Unlike self-medication, patch therapy is prescription-only, dose-controlled and monitored by the treating doctor.

Ms Malavika Kaura Saxena, Chief Marketing Officer, Rusan Healthcare Pvt. Ltd, adds, "Nerve pain requires a targeted treatment strategy that standard approaches often cannot provide. The 2026 Global Year for Neuropathic Pain gives us a powerful platform to bridge this knowledge gap, ensuring both patients and stakeholders recognise these unique symptoms and connect with effective relief sooner." This Pain Awareness Month, if you live with diabetes and experience burning, tingling or numbness in your feet, ask your doctor for a neuropathy screening. Burning feet are not just sugar.

Kaftan Company expands into Middle East



Bengaluru: The Kaftan Company (TKC), India's first brand focused exclusively on kaftans, has announced plans to expand into multiple Middle Eastern markets as it marks 10 years in business. The company also launched its new "Homebody" night-wear collection targeting women aged 21-34.

Founded in 2016 by Prakruti Gupta Rao and Navin Rao, TKC has grown to offer more than 1,000 products across women's wear, maternity, kidswear and men's loungewear. The brand is available through Myntra, Nykaa Fashion, Tata CLiQ and Zivame, besides boutiques across India and its first physical store in Banjara Hills, Hyderabad.

The company said its growth has been supported by near-zero-waste production, proprietary digital printing techniques and a workforce comprising more than 80 per cent women. TKC also expanded internationally in 2018-19 through fulfilment operations in the US and UAE and export partnerships in Botswana. The Middle East will be a key focus for the company during 2026-27, leveraging the kaftan's cultural relevance in the region. Co-founder Navin Rao said the brand aims to offer a modern, print-led, made-in-India interpretation.

Trust seeks CSR support for government schools

Bengaluru: A delegation from the Bhavishya Belaku Charitable Trust met School Education and Literacy Minister Madhu Bangarappa and discussed using Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) funds for the development of government schools across Karnataka.

The delegation, led by Trust president Girish Nalkudri, briefed the Minister on various initiatives that could be implemented in government schools through CSR partnerships. Discussions focused particularly on improving infrastructure and educational facilities in rural and backward areas.

The proposed projects include digital education



facilities, well-equipped libraries, safe drinking water systems and modern toilet facilities. The Trust representatives expressed their willingness to work closely with the govern-

ment to strengthen infrastructure and improve the academic environment in government schools.

The delegation also discussed ways to mobilise CSR grants and ensure

their effective implementation for the benefit of students. The Trust stressed the importance of collaboration between government agencies, charitable organisations and socially responsible companies in addressing infrastructure gaps in government schools.

Minister Madhu Bangarappa appreciated the Trust's initiative and its interest in supporting government schools. He assured the delegation that the Education Department would extend necessary cooperation and support for socially beneficial CSR initiatives.

Several office-bearers and members of the Trust were present during the meeting.

100-day sprint for K'taka's development

Bengaluru: KPCC General Secretary S. Manohar said Chief Minister D.K. Shivakumar has been working tirelessly to accelerate Karnataka's overall development and implement welfare schemes for all sections of society.

Speaking during a programme marking the completion of 100 days of Shivakumar's tenure, Manohar said the government had earned appreciation for its people-oriented approach. He distributed free breakfast and sweets to the public at Indira Canteens in Rajajinagar and Mahalakshmi Layout.

Manohar said the administration had used the past 100 days to focus on development and welfare, with its



initiatives reaching various sections, including farmers. He said the programme was organised under the theme "A 100-Day Sprint of Development - A Vision for Karnataka's All-Round Growth" to highlight the government's efforts.

Congress workers also held celebrations near the

statue of Vishwaguru Basavanna, close to the Swathi Hotel bridge and Indira Canteen, to mark the occasion.

Manohar said the government's development initiatives had attracted attention across the country and reflected its commitment to Karnataka's progress. He praised party workers and supporters for their participation in the celebrations.

Mahalakshmi Layout Congress candidate Keshav, G. Janardhan, Block Presidents Apple Nagaraj and Sudhakar, Parisara Ramakrishna, Murali, Umesh, Puttaraju, Madhavahannur, Praveen, Sai Naveen, Kishore, Ajay and other Congress workers attended.

New airports, seaplanes to boost AP tourism

- FOCUS ON NEW AIRPORTS AND SEAPLANE SERVICES: UNION MINISTER RAM MOHAN NAIDU

Visakhapatnam (TSIT) : Union Civil Aviation Minister Kinjarapu Ram Mohan Naidu said that the Central Government is focusing on further strengthening air connectivity for the development of the tourism sector in Andhra Pradesh, besides bringing new airports and seaplane services into operation. He participated as the Chief Guest and inaugurated the three-day 41st IATO Annual Convention being held at Novotel, Visakhapatnam, on the theme 'India - The World's Next Tourism Opportunity'. Speaking on the occasion, he said that the state has immense natural, spiritual and cultural tourism resources and there is a need to bring them closer to domestic and international tourists. He stated that transportation, particularly air connectivity, is crucial for the development of the tourism sector. He said there is a need to expand air facilities to enable direct and convenient access to



Visakhapatnam as well as major tourist destinations in the state. He stated that the development of new airports and introduction of seaplane services would reduce travel time to tourist destinations and bring more places onto the tourism map. He assured that the Centre would extend the necessary support in line with the importance being given to tourism by the State Government.

Special Chief Secretary of the Tourism and Cultural Department S.S. Rawat said that the government is mov-

ing forward with a planned approach to comprehensively develop the state's tourism resources and attract domestic and international tourists. He said a comprehensive report has been prepared detailing the developments in the tourism sector, available infrastructure and investment opportunities. He said steps are being taken to encourage investors and tour operators through the Tourism Policy 2024-29. Rawat said special tourism packages are being developed by linking beach

tourism, Araku, Papikondalu and other destinations. He said several tourism circuits are being developed keeping the Godavari Pushkarams in view, with efforts being made to bring spiritual, cultural and nature tourism destinations together under a single package.

Tourism Minister Kandula Durgesh said that the government is moving forward with the objective of transforming the tourism sector into a growth engine for the state's economic development. He said steps have been taken to attract investments of around Rs.20,000 crore into the tourism sector over the next two years. He said the state's 1,058-kilometre-long coastline, along with nature tourism destinations such as Araku, Lambasingi and Maredumilli, would be developed to international standards. He said seven tourism circuits are being developed keeping the 2027 Godavari Pushkarams in view.

Monitoring must continue until people benefit

Vijayawada: Deputy Chief Minister Pawan Kalyan directed officials to continuously monitor development works in the Pithapuram Assembly constituency until projects are completed and their benefits reach the public. He reviewed the progress through a virtual meeting while undergoing treatment in Kerala.

Officials briefed him on school infrastructure, roads, drinking water, drainage, sanitation and welfare facilities. Works worth Rs.3.5 crore are being taken up for school development, while eight additional classrooms at Moolapeta ZP High School are proposed at Rs.1.34 crore.

Development works worth about Rs.300 crore are underway in Pithapuram Municipality and Rs.100 crore in Gollaprolu. Temple works worth Rs.30.66 crore, including renova-

tion of 24 temples and development of Bhajana Mandirs, were also reviewed.

Pawan Kalyan sought progress on the Rs.118-crore Pithapuram Road Over Bridge and utilisation of Rs.50 crore in PADA critical-gap funding. He also reviewed the proposed Rs.100-crore Ayush Medical College and Rs.15-crore Handloom Centre.

Fishermen welfare programmes worth Rs.26.32 crore, including relief, subsidies and safety measures, were discussed. He directed officials to ensure eligible beneficiaries receive assistance without delay.

The Deputy Chief Minister stressed that development should be measured not merely by completion of works, but by the actual benefits reaching people, calling for continuous monitoring and timely intervention.

Rally promotes suicide prevention awareness

Tirupati, September 10: An awareness rally was organised by the Tirupati District Medical and Health Department on Thursday to mark World Suicide



Prevention Day. District Medical and Health Officer Dr. V. Balakrishna Naik flagged off the rally. Speaking on the occasion, Dr. Balakrishna Naik said suicides can be prevented by listening empathetically to people facing mental stress, engaging with them and ensuring timely professional support. Referring to the 2026 theme, "Changing the Narrative on Suicide - Start the Conversation," he stressed the importance of creating an environment where people feel comfortable discussing mental health concerns. He urged people experiencing suicidal thoughts or severe mental distress to seek professional help without delay. He also appealed to family members and the wider community to support those facing emotional difficulties and help them access appropriate care.

National-Level Award for Photojournalist Kuncham Rajesh



TSIT, Visakhapatnam : Kuncham Rajesh, a senior photojournalist with the Telugu daily Prajasakti, has once again received a prestigious national-level award. He was selected for the 'Best Image of the Year' national-level photography exhibition competition organised by the Photography Academy of India, Vijayawada, as part of the 2026 Independence Day celebrations. The jury examined thousands of photographs submitted by photographers from various states across the country and selected 20 photographers for their outstanding work. Rajesh (Registration No. 70087-02) was selected from Andhra Pradesh. As part of the award, he will receive a cash prize of Rs.5,000, a gold medal and a certificate of appreciation. Rajesh, who has been serving journalism by capturing public issues and social realities through his camera, has now received a national-level photography award for the third time. Prajasakti Editor B. Tulasidas, General Manager M. Venkateswara Rao, desk and office staff congratulated Rajesh on the achievement. Several journalists, photojournalists, photographers and prominent personalities also conveyed their greetings to him.

Police probe possible Undavalli money trail

Tadepalli (TSIT): Police investigating the alleged Masha Allah Enterprises scam in Vijayawada are reportedly examining a possible financial trail leading to Undavalli in Tadepalli mandal of Guntur district.

The alleged scam involves purportedly collecting money from people in the name of dry-fruit packing-related business activities. As part of the probe, investigators are examining certain financial transactions reportedly linked to a liquor outlet at Undavalli Centre.

Police are seeking to establish the persons involved, the source and des-

tination of the funds and whether the transactions have any connection with the alleged scam. Investigators are reportedly examining transaction records, bank statements and CCTV footage related to the outlet. Officials may question individuals concerned if the financial records reveal relevant links. However, there is no official confirmation so far that any individual or business establishment in Undavalli has a direct connection with the alleged Masha Allah Enterprises case.

Chittoor set to gain railway gateway status

Chittoor, September 10: Chittoor is set to emerge as a strategic railway gateway between Andhra Pradesh and Tamil Nadu with the Central Cabinet's approval of the Arakkonam-Renigunta third and fourth railway lines, said TDP Politburo member and Chittoor MP Daggumalla Prasad Rao. The MP expressed gratitude to Prime Minister Narendra Modi, Union Railway Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw and Andhra Pradesh Chief Minister N. Chandrababu Naidu for approving the project. He said the initiative would strengthen connectivity



and support the development of Chittoor as a major growth corridor. The Arakkonam-Renigunta project, covering 77 km at an estimated cost of Rs.1,936 crore, is part of five multi-tracking projects approved nation-

wide with an investment of Rs.10,021 crore covering 540 km. The new lines will pass through Puttur in the Nagari Assembly Constituency.

According to Prasad Rao, the project will reduce railway congestion, improve train speeds and punctuality, and create opportunities for additional services on the Chennai-Renigunta-Tirupati-Chittoor route. Improved connectivity is expected to benefit farmers and industries dealing in mangoes, tomatoes, dairy products and granite by enabling faster and more economical trans-

portation. The MP also said better rail connectivity could encourage investments in logistics, warehouses and cold storage facilities.

He added that the project would support pilgrimage and tourism to Tirupati, Kanipakam and Horsley Hills, besides generating employment during construction and creating long-term opportunities in industry, logistics and services.

Prasad Rao said he would continue coordinating with the Centre and State governments to ensure early completion of the project.

INVESTMENTS IN DATA CENTRES, IT-GCCS AND ELECTRONICS TO BE ACCELERATED

ITE&C Secretary Katamneni Bhaskar

TSIT, Visakhapatnam.

At the 8th Collectors' Conference, ITE&C Department Secretary Katamneni Bhaskar reviewed the progress of investments in data centres, IT & GCCs, electronics and semiconductor sectors in the state. He said these sectors should be developed as major growth engines of the state economy and called for stronger coordination among district collectors, APIIC, CRDA, VMRDA, GVMC, Irrigation and Energy departments. He said the state aims to achieve 6.5 GW of data centre capacity by 2030 and directed the district administrations to speed up land acquisition for projects in Visakhapatnam, Anakapalli and Vizianagaram. He also

called for power and water grid master plans to ensure uninterrupted electricity and adequate water supply to approved projects. For IT and GCC development in Visakhapatnam, he said around 1,000 acres would be required and directed APIIC and the district administration to identify suitable land and develop IT Parks with 1-5 acre plots. He also called for the speedy transfer of Greyhounds land to APIIC and provision of around 100 acres to companies such as Embassy Group, Panchshil, DLF and Hiranandani for IT and GCC Parks.

Mr. Bhaskar said significant investments were also being attracted in electronics and semiconductor sectors across

Visakhapatnam, Tirupati, Chittoor, Kurnool, Kuppam, Naidupeta, Sri City, Amaravati and Sri Sathya Sai districts, and asked the concerned collectors to facilitate land, infrastructure, permissions and resolution of local issues. He said Nippon Koei had been appointed to prepare Economic Growth Master Plans for Visakhapatnam, Amaravati and Rayalaseema, focusing on data centres, IT/ITeS, GCCs and MedTech in Visakhapatnam; quantum computing, advanced technology, R&D, hardware manufacturing and AVGC in Amaravati; and electronics, semiconductors, automobile electronics, Space City and Drone City in Rayalaseema. He said steps

were also being accelerated to establish Andhra Pradesh as a national hub for quantum technology, with construction progressing at the AQV Central Building and the Quantum Computing Centre being readied to deploy an IBM machine by October 15, 2026. He directed officials to identify 250 acres in or around Amaravati for a Quantum Hardware Park and expedite the construction of Quantum Towers. District collectors were asked to ensure the availability of land, power, water, roads, connectivity, infrastructure and skilled manpower in advance to create a favourable environment for investment and accelerate project grounding.

First ZEISS Vision Centre in Visakhapatnam

SPECSBUNKER LAUNCHES AT INORBIT MALL



TSIT visakhapatnam : Expanding premium vision care services in Andhra Pradesh, SpecsBunker on Thursday launched its first ZEISS Vision Centre at Inorbit Mall in Visakhapatnam. Established in collaboration with ZEISS India, the centre will offer advanced eye examinations, precise optical technology, personalised vision care services, and premium international eyewear. This is the sixth ZEISS Vision Centre established by SpecsBunker after four centres in Bengaluru and one in Hyderabad, the organisers said. Speaking on the occasion, SpecsBunker Managing Director Mohit Agarwal said the ZEISS Vision Centre was established with the objective

of providing precise eye care and the finest eyewear under one roof. Along with ZEISS technology and world-class eye examination facilities, the centre will offer premium international eyewear and sunglasses from brands including Maybach, DITA, Gucci, Celine, Philipp Plein, Tom Ford, Cutler and Gross, among others. ZEISS India Vision Care Business Head Rohan Paul said they were further expanding their services in Andhra Pradesh by launching the first ZEISS Vision Centre in Visakhapatnam. The centre will provide lens solutions, personalised consultations and advanced technology tailored to customers' vision requirements and lifestyles.

DoT Appreciates 5G Use Case Lab at GITAM

TELECOM SPECIAL DIRECTOR GENERAL-LED TEAM VISITS THE FACILITY



TSIT, Visakhapatnam : A high-level delegation led by Telecom Special Director General Ms. Deepa Arora on FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2026 , visited the Department of Telecommunications (DoT)-sponsored 5G Use Case Lab at GITAM Deemed University to review its functioning and utilisation. The delegation interacted with faculty and students and explored opportunities to strengthen 5G-based education, research, innovation and awareness programmes. Ms. Deepa Arora said the Government had established 5G Use Case Labs in

100 educational institutions across the country, including GITAM, with the objective of providing advanced telecom testing facilities and promoting the development of 5G applications. She said the initiative would also help create a 6G-ready ecosystem of young professionals through hands-on experiments, live testing and prototype development.

Dr. Medara Rambabu, Supervisor of the GITAM 5G Use Case Lab, explained the ongoing activities, including edge MEC computing, AI and ML-based solutions, IoT, drone technology and research on

autonomous systems. Students demonstrated drone technology developed by them, which was examined and appreciated by the telecom officials. The delegation also interacted with Sanchar Mitras associated with GITAM, who shared their experiences in creating public awareness about safe digital services and Digital India initiatives. GITAM Dean Prof. Arun Kumar, Computer Director Prof. K. Tirupati Rao, Heads of Departments Prof. G.V.S. Raj Kumar and Dr. Naveen Kumar, along with students, participated in the programme.

Amulya Balyanni Matthuloki Jaranivvoddu

Teachers should increase friendly interactions with students

TSIT, Visakhapatnam: Andhra Pradesh State Commission for Protection of Child Rights (APSCPCR) member Challa Madhusudana Rao said that everyone has a responsibility to protect children from falling into drug addiction. Speaking at the concluding session of the state-level training programme for district-level master coaches under the School Education Department's "Drugs Vaddu Bro" campaign and the Nasha Mukta Bharat Abhiyan 2026-2029 action plan, held at Hi-Land, Chinakakani, he said teachers need to play the roles of parents, doctors, police personnel and friends to keep the menace of drugs away from educational institutions. He stressed the need for more friendly interactions between teachers and students and called for collective efforts by society to



provide children with a safe, healthy and happy future.

Master coaches from schools across the state presented their action plans for the "Drugs Vaddu Bro" campaign through games, songs and skits aimed at creating awareness among children. Challa Madhusudana Rao said the capacity of district-level teams was being strengthened to ensure drug prevention, awareness and necessary support for every school and

student in the state. He called upon parents, teachers and the entire community to work together to make Andhra Pradesh drug-free. Eagle Club members, "Drugs Vaddu Bro" Nodal Officer Vasireddy Vijaya Durga, resource persons Thota Purnachandra Rao, Durgarao and C.H. Dora, along with officials of Samagra Shiksha and the School Education Department and teachers participated in the programme.

Ayyanna Patrudu to Attend Commonwealth Parliamentary Conference

CONFERENCE TO BE HELD IN CAPE TOWN FROM SEPTEMBER 13 TO 18

Visakhapatnam (TSIT) Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly Speaker Chintakayala Ayyanna Patrudu will participate in the 69th Commonwealth Parliamentary Conference (CPC), to be held in Cape Town, South Africa, from September 13 to 18, 2026.

Representing the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly, he will participate in various discussions and meetings on parliamentary democracy, effective legislative functioning, good governance and strengthening democratic institutions.

The conference will also provide an opportunity to exchange views and experiences with Speakers and legislators from Commonwealth countries and showcase the rich parliamentary traditions, prac-



tices and functioning of the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly.

Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly Secretary General Prasanna Kumar Suryadevara will participate in the Conference of Secretaries held as part of the CPC.

Their participation is expected to further strengthen institutional and parliamentary relations between the Andhra Pradesh

Legislative Assembly and parliamentary institutions of Commonwealth countries and facilitate the exchange of best practices in legislative procedures and parliamentary administration. As per the four programme, the Speaker departed from Visakhapatnam on September 10 and will return to India on September 20 after attending the conference and related parliamentary programmes.

EDITORIAL

WHEN LIFE NEEDS A PAUSE, NOT A FULL STOP

Some days begin in a hurry, and end in the same hurry. By night, there is a strange feeling that the whole day has gone somewhere. Life has become a continuous routine for many people. Wake up, go to work, attend to responsibilities, come back home and start again the next morning. There may be nothing seriously wrong, but there may also be nothing that gives a person real satisfaction. A person keeps moving because there is no time to stop and ask whether the direction is right. Sometimes, sitting quietly for ten minutes can tell more than a whole day of running around. A little silence can make a person understand what a busy mind keeps hiding. A change in life does not always mean leaving a job, moving to another place or making a big decision. Sometimes it simply means changing a habit that has been draining energy for years. It can mean spending less time on unnecessary things, giving more time to family, sleeping properly, reading something useful or simply taking a walk without looking at the phone every few minutes. People often think that starting again means admitting that something went wrong. But there is nothing wrong in saying, “This is not working for me anymore.” A person may spend years trying to satisfy everyone around him. He may choose a career because others suggested it, live in a particular way because society expects it, and continue relationships only because he is afraid of what others may say. After some time, he may realise that he has been living according to everybody’s expectations except his own. At that point, a small change can feel like a big relief. Sometimes, the first step is simply being honest with oneself. Modern life has made many things easier, but it has also made life crowded. There are messages to answer, calls to attend, targets to complete, bills to pay and endless information to consume. Even when the body is resting, the mind continues running. This constant movement slowly makes a person forget what genuine rest actually feels like. A mobile phone can be switched off for a while. A tired mind also deserves the same kindness. There is also a difference between being busy and being useful. A person may remain busy throughout the day and still feel that nothing important was achieved. Hours can disappear in unnecessary conversations, endless scrolling, repeated worries and work that could have been planned better. The problem is not always a shortage of time; sometimes it is the way time is being spent. At the end of the day, the question is not only, “What did I do?” It is also, “Was it worth giving my time to?” A reset in life does not require erasing the past. Past mistakes, disappointments and failures have their own place in a person’s journey. They teach lessons that success sometimes cannot teach. The important thing is not to keep reopening old wounds and calling them memories. Some things are better learned from and left behind. Carrying every old burden will only make the next journey harder. There comes a stage when a person starts valuing peace more than appearance. Money remains important, success remains important and responsibilities cannot be ignored. But along with these things, there must also be space for health, family, friendship, personal interests and a little time for oneself. A life that looks successful from outside may still feel empty inside. Real success is also about feeling comfortable with the person one has become. Perhaps the best time for a reset is not after everything falls apart. It is before that happens. When the mind repeatedly says that something needs to change, that voice should not always be ignored. A small correction made at the right time can prevent a much bigger problem later. A road need not be abandoned just because it has a turn ahead. Sometimes, all that is needed is to slow down and choose the turn carefully. Life does not come with a reset button like a mobile phone or a computer. But a person can pause, think, change a habit, correct a mistake and begin again. There is no age limit for doing that. There is no perfect day waiting somewhere in the future. The right moment can simply be the moment when a person decides to take charge of his own life. A fresh beginning does not always need a new life. Sometimes, it only needs a new way of looking at the old one.

Edit GROWTH IS GOOD. GREED FOR 10% IS BETTER

In 1960, the average Japanese citizen earned \$519 a year. The average South Korean earned \$159 - poorer, per head, than much of sub-Saharan Africa. In 1978, the average Chinese citizen earned \$157. None of that is a typo. All three economies that are now held up as growth models in India and emerging economies started from poverty. India left poverty behind a long ago, but it has struggled to catch up with prosperity and high-income status because it has yet to deliver the momentum that provided escape velocity to Japan, Korea, and China. India's best performance in GDP growth is yet to match the best performance of the trio - in absolute height and in duration of momentum. India grew 7.8% in the April-June quarter of 2026, the fastest print in five quarters - the debate or the smell test on the data will probably continue all the way into the first quarter of 2027. Debates on growth are a testimony to the old proverb that goes, 'Jungle me Mor nacha kisne dekha'. India, by most estimates, is the fastest-growing large economy in this decade, averaging around 8% post the pandemic. That's worthy of applause. Neither is the number that actually made a poor country rich was achieved in one working lifetime. That number is 10%. Not for a quarter. For years, over and over, until it stopped being news. China hit 10%-plus growth in 16 separate years between 1978 and 2010 - a 33-year span. South Korea hit it in 16 years between 1966 and 1999, almost the same length of time. Japan hit it seven times through the 1960s alone, the tightest cluster of the three. Growth is good, but India needs greed for 10% momentum growth. The consequence of high growth momentum is best



illustrated in the rise in per capita income. In 1960, South Korea's income per person was lower than Kenya's - not folklore, literally true in the World Bank's own data. Korea's own double-digit run began in 1966 with the GDP at \$ 4.0 billion and per capita income at \$134 a head. In 1999, its GDP was at \$515 billion and per capita income at \$11,063. Today, it stands at \$36,227 a head, 228 times where it started. Japan's run began from a higher base at \$622 per person in 1961. By 1970, it was at \$2,145 a head, and today stands at \$35,951 - a near-70-fold rise from where it started. The China-India comparison has been narrated by this column often, but bears repetition. In 1991, China's per capita income was at \$334, and that of India was \$305. Both countries were in the throes of opening up their economies. Today,

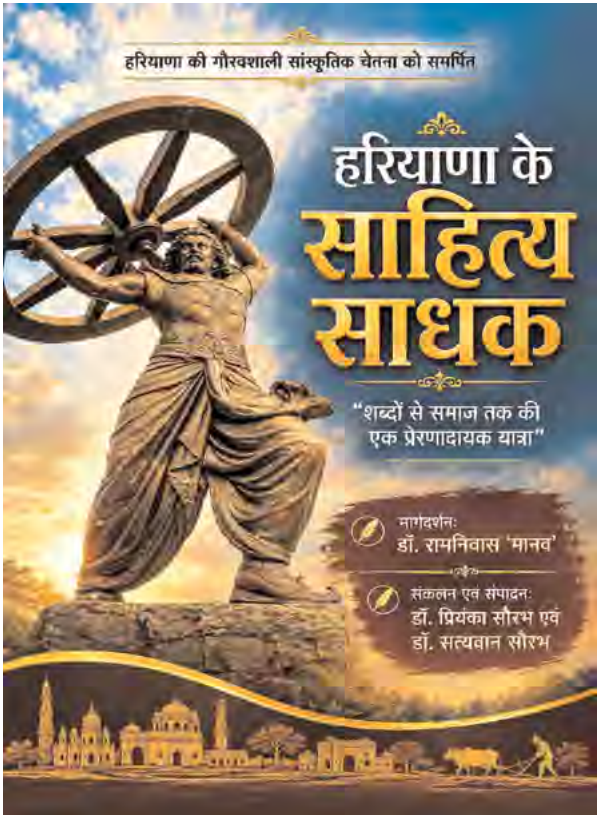
the per capita income of India hovers around \$ 2,810, and that of China stands at \$13,862. It is known that economies often accelerate beyond expectations in seasons. Growth spurts from a terms-of-trade windfall or a burst of capital inflows. Sustaining the high growth calls for structural change to lay the foundation, pave the path, and scaffold transition. India is a live paradox - growth is high, GDP ranks at 6th in the world, yet per capita income trails at the lower half of the table between smaller economies like Cambodia and Kenya. The crux of India's high-growth-low-per-capita -income paradox is where the workforce resides. Over 45% of the working population depends on agriculture, yielding 16% of the national income. The Niti Aayog tells us that 58.4% of the workforce self-certify

themselves as self-employed and 19.8% as casual workers. India's national average is Rs 2.35 lakh. The average really represents a notion - the geography of India's per capita economy stretches from Karnataka at Rs 3.80 lakh to Bihar at Rs 66,828, which is less than a sixth of Karnataka's and just over a fourth of the national average. Robert Lucas, the Nobel laureate who studied the question of why some nations grow while others don't, asked, in 1988: "Is there some action a government of India could take that would lead the Indian economy to grow like Indonesia's or Egypt's?" His answer outlived the paper it appeared in: "The consequences for human welfare involved in questions like these are simply staggering: once one starts to think about them, it is hard to think about any-

thing else." Structural change calls for sustained investment in human infrastructure. This week, the world observed International Literacy Day. In the 80th year of Independence, India's literacy rate stands at 81% - lower than the global average of 88%. Indonesia reached 82% in 1990 and is at 96% today; China, which has a comparable population size and complexities, reached 90% literacy in 2000 and is at 97%. Korea's elementary-school enrolment rose to 90% by 1964, an investment that built capacity for the heavy industry push. Taiwan, Singapore, and Hong Kong ran variants of the same playbook. It is the part that folks skip in debates on growth. The factories had somewhere to put the farmers only because the farmers could read the manual. NITI Aayog's report titled

Reimagining Skilling for Viksit Bharat@2047 reveals that 8.7 crore (87 million) young Indians aged 15 to 29 are classified as NEET - meaning they are not in education, employment, or training. Different countries approached the objective of structural change for sustained growth from different frameworks. No plan was identical. The World Bank's 1993 report on the East Asian Miracle and its 2008 Growth Report tracked economies and found 13 that grew at 7% or more for 25 years between 1950 and 2008. What did they do? Japan ran land reform, broke up the zaibatsu, and set up the MITI, which played a critical role in intra-firm competition and collaboration. Korea corrected an overvalued currency, freed deposit rates to pull in savings, supported export credit, and pushed investments in heavy industries. Taiwan financed private exporters off of state-owned steel and petrochemicals, with protection earned only for those expanding the global footprint. Tailoring of policy to guide private sector resource allocation was a common theme in Japan, Korea, and Taiwan. China freed its farmers first, priced light industry to the market while still planning heavy industry, and kept its Special Economic Zones contained until they had proved themselves - then waited two decades, until 2001, to join the WTO. Vietnam is trying to write itself into the same paragraph now: 8% growth in 2025, an official target of 10%-plus through 2030, and a Communist Party leadership that calls the number a "must-do". The 'must-do' list for India to lock onto a high-growth train is scarcely a secret - the diagnosis and the prescription have been written and rewritten for decades.

PEN PRACTITIONERS WILL GET RECOGNITION, A UNIQUE COMPILATION WILL BE PREPARED ON THE LIT- TERATEURS OF HARYANA



An appeal to submit information in the prescribed format by October 15th; Dr. Priyanka 'Saurabh' and Dr. Satyawani Saurabh are compiling and editing, and Dr. Ramniwas 'Manav' is providing guidance and inspiration. Hisar/ Bhiwani/ Narnaul. An important literary compilation, "Literary Seekers of Haryana," is being prepared to document Haryana's rich literary tradition and the creative contributions of contemporary writers. This compilation will include the introductions, literary

contributions, and photographs of current literary seekers from each district of the state. Under this initiative, all collaborators have been requested to prepare information on literary seekers in their respective districts in the prescribed format and send it via email by October 15. Information can be sent to satyawansaurabh333@gmail.com. According to the organizers, only those literary scholars who have published at least one book in any literary genre are currently being included in the compilation.

IS THE OPPOSITION REALLY A 'NARAAZ FUFA'?

Politics, like Indian family gatherings, has its customary characters. There is the enthusiastic cousin, the know-it-all uncle, and, occasionally, the eternally displeased uncle who asks, "But why is this necessary?" Prime Minister Narendra Modi has now given this familiar Indian family character a political identity - the 'naraaz fufa' (Fufaji is father's sister's husband) - the commonly attention-seeking uncle in most Indian weddings and functions. Speaking at the centenary celebrations of SRCC (Shri Ram College of Commerce), Delhi University recently, PM Modi contrasted those who convert social energy into nation-building with those who oppose every new initiative by asking: what is the need for this? As examples, PM Modi mentioned projects and initiatives ranging from the Statue of Unity and the bullet train to UPI, the new Parliament building, and a memorial for fallen soldiers, etc - all initiated by his government. Congress president Mallikarjun Kharge was clearly not humoured by PM Modi's remarks. He blamed Modi for using an important academic platform to attack political opponents instead of discussing education, employment, and the future of young Indians. Kharge also labelled 'naraaz fufa', 'dimagi naxal', 'urban naxal', 'Khan Market Gang', etc., as successive political brandings allegedly used to silence criticism. But is Kharge being unnecessarily touchy? Or does the 'naraaz fufa'



description actually capture something real about the Opposition? There are no clear-cut answers - perhaps a little of both. Interpreting The Metaphor There is no doubt that a democracy needs an Opposition that questions the government. In fact, questioning a government is not stonewalling - it is one of the Opposition's fundamental responsibilities. A bullet train, a new Parliament building, a massive statue, or a major infrastructure project should be examined for cost, utility, environmental consequences, financing, and priorities. The government of the day cannot demand applause merely because it has announced some ambitious plans and projects. But there is an equally important distinction between questioning a project and opposing it simply because the government proposed it. This is where PM Modi's 'naraaz fufa' metaphor strikes a political chord. Large national projects often

generate valid questions. Yet most of the time, opposition parties are critical of the project and found wanting in pinpointing legitimate errors with the said government initiative. If every government decision automatically becomes a subject of incompetence, corruption, or authoritarianism (without any substantial proof), criticism eventually loses credibility. The Opposition, therefore, cannot have it both ways. It cannot demand that the government listen to their criticism without valid explanations. Not every government achievement can be considered politically suspect - it will be a doomsday for development. PM Modi and his government, too, have to be mindful of the opportunities and platforms to connect with Gen Z. SRCC is an institution associated with finance, economics, commerce, and some of India's brightest young minds. It was definitely an occasion to speak directly to students

about jobs, entrepreneurship, education, India's economic ambitions, and the challenges facing Gen Z. Modi is not an ordinary political leader. He is the Prime Minister. His words carry enormous political weight, and a university platform gives them an additional significance. Political humour can make a speech memorable, but it can also overshadow the substantive message. The same criticism, however, applies to Kharge. Walking Into A Trap If the Congress president responds to every colourful political phrase with indignation, he risks walking straight into the trap. 'Naraaz fufa' is essentially a political caricature. It is not a constitutional doctrine or a policy argument. By treating it as though it were an assault on democratic institutions, the Opposition risks making itself appear exactly like the perpetually offended political relative PM Modi was describing.

Markets trade flat in early deals amid elevated crude oil prices

Mumbai: Market benchmark indices Sensex and Nifty were trading on a flat note in early deals on Thursday, September 10, as elevated crude oil prices above USD 100-per-barrel mark, amid persistent geopolitical tensions, kept risk appetite subdued. The 30-share BSE Sensex was marginally up 38.07 points to 74,809.95 in early trade. The 50-share NSE Nifty advanced 9.85 points to 23,439.20. Among the 30 Sensex firms, Tech Mahindra, Axis Bank, State Bank of India, Power Grid, ITC and Infosys were the winners. Mahindra & Mahindra, Adani Ports, Reliance Industries, Sun Pharma, InterGlobe Aviation and Bharat Electronics were among the laggards. Brent crude, the global oil benchmark, traded 0.20 per cent lower at USD 101-per-barrel. "Indian equities are expected to remain under pressure as elevated crude oil prices and rising US Treasury yields, amid persistent geopolitical ten-



sions, continue to cloud the global macroeconomic outlook," Ponnudi R, CEO of Enrich Money, an online trading and wealth-tech firm, . The combination of elevated energy prices and firming bond yields is likely to keep risk appetite subdued and weigh on emerging-market equities, including India, he added. "While US President Donald Trump said the conflict with Iran could end immediately after the midterm elections, the lack of clarity over the path to de-escalation is keeping investors cautious and the geopolitical risk premium firmly embedded in energy markets," Ponnudi added.

Looking ahead, investors will closely watch upcoming US inflation data for fresh clues on the Federal Reserve's policy trajectory, he noted. In Asian markets, South Korea's Kospi, Japan's Nikkei 225 index, Shanghai's SSE Composite index and Hong Kong's Hang Seng index traded lower. US markets in negative territory on Wednesday. Foreign Institutional Investors (FIIs) offloaded equities worth Rs 582.99 crore on Wednesday, according to exchange data. On Wednesday, the Sensex tanked 813.35 points, or 1.08 per cent, to settle at the day's low of 74,764.23.

APPLE'S NEW BOSS STARTS WITH BIG GAMBLE ON £1,999 FIRST FOLDING IPHONE

Apple has launched its most expensive iPhone ever - a foldable handheld that costs at least £1,999 and marks the first major iPhone design change in almost 20 years. The iPhone Duo is a gamble by new boss John Ternus, who took over from long-time chief executive Tim Cook this month. Apple is entering the foldable phone market comparatively late, following the likes of South Korea's Samsung and China's Huawei. Ternus told an audience at Apple's California headquarters: "Others have created foldables that just feel like two phones awkwardly stuck together." Apple's model, he claimed "redefine[s] the experience of using a foldable phone". In the US, prices start at \$1,999, but can go up to \$3,200. It has taken eight years to develop, something Ternus was directly involved in after spending many years as a top executive inside Apple's hardware division. When unfolded, it looks like a small iPad and a wider iPhone



when it is folded. Ternus said: "It's entirely new and at the same time remarkably familiar. A similar size to your passport, it feels familiar to hold and comfortable to use with one hand." But the product is facing established competitors. "The real fight is China, where Huawei owns nearly 80% of foldables," said Francisco Jeronimo, vice president for data and analytics, devices at IDC EMEA. Ben Wood, chief analyst at technology research firm

FDM CCS Insight, said it was likely Ternus's promotion was timed specifically "to coincide with what will be arguably one of the biggest iPhone launches for many years". "Nothing happens by accident at Apple," he said. Carolina Milanesi, an analyst at Creative Strategies who attended the Wednesday presentation, said the spotlight on Ternus made it feel "almost like he was a product himself." Altering the design of the iPhone may address

some criticism that Apple has yet to land a major product hit or truly exciting innovation since the first iPhone came out in 2007. "The foldable risks becoming a premium-priced ornament in the portfolio, imparting badge value but not meaningful growth," said Dipanjan Chatterjee, an analyst at Forrester. Previously, the highest starting price of the newest iPhone was \$900 (£664). Apple also revealed on Wednesday the new iPhone

18 Pro and 18 Pro Max, which in the US start at \$1,199 and \$1,299 respectively. Chatterjee said the foldable iPhone could go the way of Apple's Vision Pro headset, which the company priced at \$3,699 and has not been a hit with buyers. Or, he said, it could be the company's next Apple Watch which, while not as popular as the iPhone, is bought by millions of people each year. The way people have become accustomed to the way the iPhone operates is another potential hurdle to Apple seeing big sales of the new design. "Foldables are interesting devices", Milanesi noted. "A lot of people are intrigued by it, but the software and the learning curve that you have from moving from a traditional phone to a foldable is real." Wood noted that the current market for foldable smartphones from the likes of Samsung and Huawei make up only 2% of smartphone sales. Even with Apple's version likely driving interest and demand.

INDIA CAN BE TRUSTED GLOBAL FINANCE PARTNER: RBI GOVERNOR



Mumbai: Reserve Bank Governor Sanjay Malhotra on Thursday, September 10, asserted that India has the opportunity to become a trusted partner in shaping the future architecture of global finance. In his keynote address at the Global Fintech Fest 2026 here, the governor further said that the central bank is also working on building digital public infrastructure for next-generation financial services, and cited the example of the Unified Lending Interface (ULI). He said that India's fintech ecosystem ranks third globally and the country is home to 30 unicorns in the sector. Malhotra also announced that the RBI and along with market regulator SEBI, would be launching tokenisation of corporate bonds later on in the day. While stressing that

"trust" was central to success in the financial system, he also said that fintech should treat data as a fiduciary responsibility and not as business assets. The governor also announced that the RBI has approved United Fintech Forum as the second SRO for the financial sector. Earlier, Fintech Association for Consumer Empowerment (FACE) was recognised as a Self-Regulatory Organisation (SRO). He said that India's fintech ecosystem ranks third globally and the country is home to 30 unicorns in the sector. While stressing that "trust" was central to success in the financial system, he also said that fintech should treat data as a fiduciary responsibility and not as business assets. The governor also announced that the RBI has approved United Fintech Forum as the second SRO for the financial sector. Earlier, Fintech Association for Consumer Empowerment (FACE) was recognised as a Self-Regulatory Organisation (SRO). PTI AA DP NKD HVA This report is auto-generated from PTI news service. ThePrint holds no responsibility for its content.

From Need to Opportunity: DEPwD, ALIMCO and EkStep Join Hands to Build a Digital Bridge for Persons with Disabilities

New Delhi, September 10, 2026: A new digital architecture is set to bring Persons with Disabilities (PwDs) and the opportunities, services and support they need closer than ever. The Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (DEPwD), Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Artificial Limbs Manufacturing Corporation of India (ALIMCO) and EkStep Foundation, Bengaluru, today signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) in New Delhi to establish an institutional framework for the design, development, implementation and scaling of the Purple Dots - UBI (Unified Benefits Interface) Initiative. Conceptualised by DEPwD, the Purple Dots Initiative seeks to address a fundamental challenge in disability inclusion—not merely the availability of benefits and services, but the ability of a person to discover the right opportunity, service or support at the right time and place. At its core, a "Purple Dot" is a simple digital profile through which a Person with Disability can indicate who they are and what they need—whether it is employment, assistive technology such as a wheelchair, skill development,

training or any other support. Similarly, employers, service providers, NGOs, philanthropic organisations and other institutions can create their own "dots" to indicate the opportunities, services and resources they offer. By bringing these dots together through an open and interoperable digital infrastructure, the initiative seeks to create a connected ecosystem in which needs and opportunities can discover each other locally and efficiently. An open digital protocol will enable ecosystem stakeholders to interact and respond to identified needs in real time, helping move disability inclusion from fragmented access towards seamless discovery, linkage and participation. The MoU establishes a collaborative framework for taking the Purple Dots - UBI (Unified Benefits Interface) Initiative from concept to implementation and scale. It envisages enabling Persons with Disabilities to discover and connect with relevant government entitlements, services, employment opportunities, training programmes, assistive devices and support systems offered by Government Departments, private-sector entities, civil society organisations, NGOs, philanthropic institutions

and other ecosystem partners. The initiative represents a significant step towards strengthening accessibility and inclusion through digital public infrastructure. Rather than creating isolated systems for individual schemes or institutions, Purple Dots seeks to enable different actors in the disability ecosystem to connect and collaborate through an interoperable framework, thereby improving the visibility and reach of services and opportunities that are already available. EkStep Foundation, a philanthropy instrumental in conceiving and architecting Digital Public Infrastructure/ Digital Public Good initiatives for large-scale societal transformation, is partnering with DEPwD and ALIMCO to bring its experience of building open and collaborative digital ecosystems to the disability sector. The partnership seeks to strengthen the ability of local ecosystem players to discover one another and connect Persons with Disabilities with relevant services, opportunities and support, building on capabilities that already exist across the country. The collaboration brings together the mandate and nationwide reach of DEPwD, the experience and capabilities of

ALIMCO in the disability sector, and EkStep Foundation's experience in enabling ecosystem-led digital innovation at scale. Together, the partners seek to make support and services more accessible, discoverable and connected for Persons with Disabilities across districts, while strengthening the participation of Government, industry, civil society and other stakeholders in creating an inclusive ecosystem. The MoU-signing ceremony was attended by Ms. Manmeet Kaur Nanda, Additional Secretary; Shri Ashish Thakre, Director; Shri Pradeep A., Director; and Shri Sandeep Kumar, Deputy Secretary, from DEPwD. From ALIMCO, Shri Pankaj Dwivedi, Assistant Manager; and Ms. Priya Grover, Assistant Manager, were present. Shri Ikpreet Singh, Director; Shri Gaurav Gupta represented EkStep Foundation, Bengaluru. The Purple Dots Initiative envisages a future in which a person's need does not remain invisible and an available opportunity does not remain undiscovered—where digital connectivity becomes a practical bridge between Persons with Disabilities and the ecosystem of services, opportunities and support around them.

PEPSICO OPENS ITS FIRST FOOD FACTORY IN ASSAM FOR RS 778 CR



Nalbari: Leading food and beverage maker PepsiCo India on Thursday, September 10, opened its first food factory in Assam, set up with an investment of Rs 778 crore in Nalbari district. Inaugurated by Assam Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma, the unit is spread across 44.2 acres and has created 700 direct and indirect employment opportunities. "The inauguration of PepsiCo India's foods manufacturing facility in Nalbari is another important milestone in Assam's industrial growth story. This investment underscores the confidence that leading global companies have in Assam's business-friendly policies, infrastructure development

and skilled workforce," Sarma said. Beyond generating employment and economic activity, the project will strengthen the state's agricultural ecosystem and create new opportunities for farmers, women and local enterprises, he added. PepsiCo India & South Asia CEO Jagrut Kotecha said that with an investment of Rs 778 crore, the facility is the company's first plant in Assam and fifth in India. "Through this investment, we are strengthening our manufacturing footprint while creating a positive ripple effect across the value chain, from farmers and local businesses to women, young talent and communities," he said.

Care Health Insurance Emphasizes on Inadequate Health Cover as an Emerging Household Financial Risk

New Delhi, September 10, 2026: For millions of Indian families, a single serious illness can wipe out years of savings. While close to half of India's population is now covered under a health insurance or financing scheme, many families continue to remain underinsured, with coverage often falling short of the cost for medical treatment of a serious illness. Care Health Insurance urges families to view health insurance as an essential tool that secures them against financial impact of medical emergencies. For many Indians, health insurance is purchased once and rarely reviewed, or is limited to an employer-sponsored group policy. Meanwhile, medical costs continue to rise much faster than most incomes and can quickly outpace the coverage available under existing policies. A policy of ₹2-5 lakh that once seemed adequate can now be exhausted well before treatment for a serious illness is complete. When cover runs out, families often withdraw savings, sell assets or take on debt, turning a health crisis into a long-term financial burden.

These consequences, in fact, extend beyond individual households. High out-of-pocket healthcare expenditure remains one of the leading causes of financial distress in India, making wider health insurance coverage essential to strengthening household resilience and advancing India's goal of Universal Health Coverage. Recent government reports and national health assessments reflect the scale of the protection gap: According to the Union Health Ministry's National Health Accounts Estimates, Indian households still financed 43.4% of the country's total health expenditure out-of-pocket, highlighting the significant financial burden that medical emergencies continue to place on families. Financial protection remains inadequate: According to the National Statistical Office's Household Consumption Expenditure Survey: Health (2025), out-of-pocket spending continues to account for the bulk of hospitalisation costs for Indians, highlighting that insurance coverage alone does not always translate into adequate financial protection.

tion. Even insured families are frequently underinsured. Employer-sponsored group policies and entry-level family floater policies typically provide ₹3-5 lakh of cover, yet the cost of a single major hospitalisation can be several times higher. A liver transplant can cost ₹18-35 lakh, while advanced cancer treatment and complex cardiac procedures can also run into several lakhs. Today, the question is no longer, "Do I have health insurance?" but "Do I have enough?" Care Health Insurance recommends the following steps to strengthen financial security against rising healthcare costs: 1. Review your health insurance every year: Ensure your sum insured reflects your family's healthcare needs, city of residence and current medical treatment costs. A sum insured that seemed adequate a few years ago may no longer cover today's treatment costs. Understand your policy: Know your room-rent limits, co-payments, sub-limits, exclusions and value-added benefits such as automatic recharge and no-claim bonus

to avoid surprises during a claim. Don't rely on employer cover alone: Group insurance is a valuable benefit, but it is usually capped at ₹3-5 lakh, often excludes parents, and ends when you change or leave your job. Buying a personal policy early helps secure uninterrupted financial security, complete applicable waiting periods while younger and healthier, and lock in lower premiums. Consider a super top-up plan: Combining a base policy with a super top-up can substantially increase your safety net at a relatively low additional cost, helping cover high-cost medical treatments such as cancer, cardiac procedures and organ transplants. Coverage for parents and dependents: A family floater can be exhausted by a single member's illness. Ensure senior family members and dependents have adequate coverage. Adequate health insurance is no longer a discretionary purchase but an essential pillar of financial planning. Reviewing health insurance regularly and ensuring adequate cover can help families protect their savings.

SEVEN YEARS AFTER GALWAN, CHINESE PRESIDENT XI TO VISIT INDIA

New Delhi: In a strategic balancing act triggered by escalating global trade tensions, India is leveraging the two-day BRICS summit starting Saturday, September 11, to position the grouping as a complementary engine for economic growth while championing the Global South's core developmental priorities — most notably safeguarding food, energy, and supply chain security. With New Delhi putting the finishing touches on the summit, China has confirmed President Xi Jinping's attendance, marking his first trip to India after a seven-year gap. Iranian President Masoud Pezeshkian, Russian President Vladimir Putin and South African President Cyril Ramaphosa and his Indonesian counterpart Prabowo Subianto are among the top leaders attending the crucial meet in the national capital. We did not get a proper invitation: Bangladesh will not attend. However, Bangladesh has ruled out the possibility of Prime Minister Tarique Rahman's visit, saying he was not invited to the BRICS Summit and the invita-



tion was instead extended to the BIMSTEC Chair. Speaking to reporters, State Minister for Foreign Affairs Humaitun Kobir claimed that the Bangladesh Premier was not properly invited to the BRICS Summit. He added that the invitation was extended to Rahman not as a prime minister but as the chairman of the seven-nation South and East Asian BIMSTEC. "How shall we go? Has anyone from the Bangladesh government been invited? Our prime minister was not invited. Who told you that our prime minister was

invited?" Kobir posed a volley of questions when asked whether Rahman would join the summit. About BRICS India is steering the BRICS grouping as a vital complementary platform to champion the Global South's core developmental priorities, top Indian officials said on Thursday. As global trade disputes and geopolitical realignments create economic headwinds, we are looking at addressing critical vulnerabilities in food security, energy stability, and resilient supply chains, they said. The summit

in New Delhi is taking place against the backdrop of a global economy facing the adverse impacts of the Russia-Ukraine war, the West Asia crisis, especially the blockade of the Strait of Hormuz, and the Trump administration's trade and tariff policies. With just two days left before the summit, it remains unclear whether the member nations of the grouping reached consensus on a joint statement, as differences between Iran and the United Arab Emirates (UAE) over the West Asia crisis persist.



Five dead and 86 missing as 'heartbreaking' fire breaks out on Philippines ferry

TATE BROTHERS TO REMAIN IN US JAIL AS THEY FIGHT EXTRADITION TO UK

Andrew and Tristan Tate have lost their bid to be released from a Florida jail as they fight potential extradition to the UK to face charges of rape and trafficking. A federal judge in Miami denied them bail, saying the dual US-UK citizens' wealth and frequent international travel "constitute quintessential flight risks". The brothers have been held in US custody since their July arrest, after the UK's Crown Prosecution Service (CPS) unveiled new charges. The UK has until 16 September to submit a full extradition request, Reuters reported. They will "continue to defend themselves against the allegations" and "engage with the appropriate legal processes in each jurisdiction", their lawyers said. The two are facing a total of 59 charges in the UK, including rape and counts



relating to sex trafficking and indecent images of a child. CPS originally brought 21 charges, but added 38 more in July for alleged actions spanning between 2010 and 2017. US authorities took the men into custody in July after

the UK announced the new charges. Last weekend, Romanian prosecutors officially indicted the polarising social media influencers with a range of trafficking and sex offences. The former kickboxers had primarily been based

in Romania since 2017, drawing a large audience - primarily young men - through controversial messages about women and images of a luxury lifestyle. Self-proclaimed "misogynist" Andrew Tate first rose to fame after a 2016 appearance on the British version of reality TV show Big Brother. The brothers also faced sex-trafficking charges in Romania in 2022, and were under a travel ban until they were allowed to come to the US in 2025. Several prominent US politicians, including Florida's Republican Governor Ron DeSantis, objected to the Tate brothers' arrival in the US. The brothers have denied all charges and allegations. Wednesday's decision means the brothers will remain jailed during what could be a lengthy extradition process.

TRUMP SAYS EVERY ADULT AMERICAN WILL GET \$5,000 IF REPUBLICANS WIN MIDTERMS

US President Donald Trump says he would offer every adult American a \$5,000 (£3,700) payout if Republicans win both chambers of Congress in November's midterm elections - a plan that would cost more than a trillion dollars. The offer was made in a speech at the party's first-ever convention in the middle of a US presidential term. He gave no details on how it would work or be funded - saying only that the money would have to be spent in the US. Vice-President JD Vance has linked the plan to the revenue that Trump has raised from US tariffs on imported goods. Democrats labelled it an "empty promise" and others questioned whether such a pledge was legal or feasible. It may be the first time a US president offered such a payout to Americans, in the context of an election year plea to get out and vote. The idea drew raucous applause at the convention and Trump seemed to relish the moment. There are nearly 270 million American adults, meaning a \$5,000 payout would cost the US government some \$1.3 trillion. Questions have begun to be raised about whether his plan is feasible - especially as prices rise in the US, partially as a result of the war that the US and Israel started with Iran in February. Iran's retaliation has included attacks against US bases and allies in the Gulf - but crucially it has largely closed the Strait of Hormuz, through which about a fifth of the world's oil and liquefied natural gas



used to transit. The blockage has caused fluctuations in oil prices worldwide and Trump has faced pressure from his party to end the war. On Wednesday, the US president warned his supporters that the war would not end until after the midterms and that oil prices would not come down until then. He made the comments ahead of his speech in Texas, repeating it at the convention where he argued that short-term economic pain was worth it to prevent Tehran from developing nuclear weapons. Trump's long speech at the Republican convention in Dallas, Texas, touched on the core of the conflict - the impact on Americans' standard of living. His pledge to increase their spending power drew raucous applause in the hall. "If the Republicans win the House of Representatives and the United States Senate, both of them," Trump said, "I will issue a dividend to every adult citizen in the United

States of America for \$5,000." "We don't want you going to Canada to spend the money," he said. "We don't want you going to China, to Germany. You got to spend the money in the United States of America." It is not clear how the spending would be monitored. The BBC has asked the White House for further clarification on how Trump's plan would work. One former Republican strategist and pollster said the promise should be firmly seen in the context of an election that is now less than two months away. "It is an extraordinary promise, and I'm not sure where that money is going to come from - but it is campaign season," Robert Moran told the BBC World Service's Newsday programme. Moran described it as a "novel solution to an interesting problem", noting that the historical tendency was for the party of the president to lose seats in Congress during the midterm elections.

FOUR KEY TAKEAWAYS FROM REPUBLICAN MIDTERMS CONVENTION

The Republican Party's first midterms convention had all the trappings of the traditional presidential election-year gathering: supporters in sparkling costumes, a conveyor belt of candidate speeches, and vendors selling campaign merchandise. But unlike an ordinary convention, no official party business was conducted in Dallas, with the event instead serving as a rally for Republicans who are seeking to boost turnout and avoid losing control of Congress in November. President Donald Trump, whose grip over the party remains absolute, delivered a lengthy keynote speech on Wednesday during the opening night of the two-day event. He covered many of the subjects he has returned to time and again this year - with a few surprises thrown in. Here are the key takeaways from his address. 1. Preaching to the MAGA choir The vast arena was filled with diehard Trump

supporters sporting red MAGA gear from his past presidential campaigns. A decade after his first White House run, Trump is still beloved among his base and he has bent the party to his will in the years since. The old-style Republican establishment, or what's left of it in the Trump era, was nowhere to be seen. Senator Susan Collins of Maine and other Republicans running in competitive races chose to stay away. The absence of more moderate Republicans was glaring and offered a reminder of just how much the party has changed. It also raised questions about the effectiveness of holding an unprecedented midterm convention in the first place. The core audience, both in the arena and watching on television, appeared to be Trump loyalists, not the moderates and swing voters the Republican Party needs to turn out in large numbers in November.

Muted US response to UK's West Bank sanctions may reflect simmering frustration

As the UK unveiled sanctions against Israeli settlements in the occupied West Bank on Tuesday, Israel responded with fury, declaring it would shutter Britain's diplomatic mission to the Palestinians, kick out UK military staff from an international coordination base near Gaza and ban nearly a dozen left-wing British members of parliament from entering Israel. It was a blaring signal of defiance and a remarkable diplomatic escalation. The UK had taken the action arguing it had a moral imperative to stop the "destruction" of the two-state solution - a future independent Palestinian state - at the hands of the Israeli government. It accused Israel's government of turning a blind eye to the "ethnic cleansing" of Palestinians by settlers. The standoff, which by the afternoon extended to a further 11 mostly European countries set to join the settlement trade ban, raised a crucial question: When Israel becomes isolated, the US as its superpower backer often steps in to provide a diplo-



matic shield. Was the US, too, going to condemn Britain's policy? Such a reprimand had been previewed by some observers. It felt even more likely when the US ambassador to Israel, Mike Huckabee, appeared on the BBC before the UK announcement suggesting American "sanctions, repercussions or retaliations" could be coming for Britain, albeit that he didn't know what these were and hadn't spoken to President Trump. But as Tuesday wore on, Washington's response was notably muted. Secretary of State Marco Rubio, asked about the UK move by reporters on the

way to Colombia, said: "Obviously, we're not going to do what the UK did. We saw their announcement today but I don't have any comment on it right now." He added that Britain had notified the administration ahead of time (most likely during a phone call Trump had with UK Prime Minister Andy Burnham on Monday) and said the US shared "the goal of stability" at a tense time in the region and didn't "want to see some uptick in violence... in the West Bank". It was hardly a withering rebuke of the British move, let alone any kind of punishment. In fact, Washington

seemed to be sharing some of the concerns that motivated the move. Asked about it on Wednesday, Trump said he would be speaking to Israel to understand their thinking, adding: "I understand exactly what's going on, but I want to find out why all of a sudden has that happened." My understanding is that discussions about the US response were taking place at a high level within the administration on Tuesday. The baseline position appeared to be against any moves that could negatively impact American companies. Huckabee, who has longstanding views based on biblical justifications for Jewish settlement in the West Bank, appeared to be speaking off the cuff in some of his public remarks - a feature now common for some Trump-appointed ambassadors. Staunchly pro-Israel Republicans in Congress were very publicly arguing for actions against Britain; pointing out that US states like Florida have punitive laws against companies that boycott Israel.

Royal family rift after popular TV news presenter chosen to succeed Ugandan king

A bitter succession dispute has erupted in one of Uganda's traditional kingdoms, days before the burial of its late king, who until his death had been the world's youngest reigning monarch. King Oyo Nyimba Kabamba Iguru Rukidi IV, who ruled the Tooro Kingdom for more than three decades, was undergoing cancer treatment in the US when he died last month aged 34. Royal clan elders have named popular TV news presenter Prince Edward Rukidi Kijanjongoma, 56, as the next monarch, but this has been rejected by Oyo's close family. His sister, Princess Ruth Komuntale, said the late king had left a will written in 2022 naming his young son, whose identity has never been disclosed, as his successor. "My brother did leave behind an heir to the throne, and that was very clearly stated," she said, accusing those behind the announcement on Wednesday night of creating "confusion and turmoil" while the family was still grieving. Meanwhile the late king's mother, Queen



Best Kemigisa, has said royal guards have been withdrawn from the palace and soldiers deployed, restricting the royal family's movement and their ability to receive visitors, describing the situation as "house arrest". She appealed to the army's leadership and President Yoweri Museveni to allow the family to mourn and bury Oyo in peace on Saturday. "I appeal to those fighting over the throne: please, there will be time for all of that," she said. "Let us grieve and bury my son King Oyo." Thousands of mourners are expected to attend the burial at the royal tombs near the palace in Fort Portal in western Uganda.



Twenty-five dead after fire on cargo ship in eastern China

SPANISH INTELLIGENCE WARNED OF CEUTA MASS CROSSING PLANS BEFORE SURGE

Spanish intelligence services warned of social media calls for a mass migrant crossing into Ceuta the day before tens of thousands of people entered the territory, newly released government documents show. The revelations emerged in documents declassified by the Spanish government amid accusations it failed to give the full story of the migrant influx. On 29 July, Spain's National Intelligence Service (CNI) told Moroccan and Ceuta authorities that social media groups were encouraging migrants to cross the following day. Prime Minister Pedro Sánchez has insisted that the events of 30 July were impossible to predict, but opposition parties say the documents show the government misled Spaniards. Sánchez had previously told parliament that



there was "no information that conveyed the magnitude" of the "crisis we were going to suffer" on the last two days of July. At least 72,000 migrants crossed from Morocco into Ceuta on 30 and 31 July. Most swam around a border fence and at least 100 people died during the crossing, according to figures from Ceuta's mayor. Although most returned, as many as 5,000 remain in makeshift camps or

are sleeping on the city's streets and beaches, leading to unrest in the autonomous Spanish city in North Africa. Locals have expressed safety concerns and some have destroyed shelters and blocked aid being supplied to the migrants. In a note on 29 July, the CNI told Moroccan intelligence it had identified WhatsApp and Facebook groups promoting an attempt by migrants to reach the

Spanish exclave the following day, "both swimming and via the [border] fence". The CNI reported that around 180,000 people were receiving the messages, one of which read: "Whoever wants to cross has the last chance on Throne Day [30 July] at 8 the authorities will be distracted with the celebrations and parades." It also warned, via text message, the central government's representation in Ceuta and the civil guard about the social media activity. The messages are part of a tranche of more than 40 security documents linked to the Ceuta crossing that the government declassified following mounting pressure on Sánchez over his handling of the crisis and widespread allegations in Spain that Morocco had played a role in facilitating the crossings.

R MADHAVAN PREDICTS US OPEN 2026 MEN'S SINGLES WINNER

Indian movie star R Madhavan was in attendance at the US Open 2026, witnessing one of his favourite players, Alexander Zverev, breeze through to the men's singles semi-finals. Madhavan discussed what makes the US Open special, his prediction for the men's singles title winner, and the tennis player whose life he'd want to portray on screen. Speaking in an interview shared by JioStar, R Madhavan opened up about what sparked his interest in tennis: "My dad used to play tennis. We lived in a small town in India, Jamshedpur. The happy time with the family was when Dad took us to the tennis court and played. I would look at him and see a smile on my father's face that I had never seen before. He was the happiest when he was playing tennis, so I have great memories of that, and I think he'd be mighty proud of me, actually. Apart from all my



achievements, he'd be like, 'What, you went to the US Open? Fabulous.' It's been a great year for me because I was at the Masters earlier this year, and now I'm here." On what makes the US Open special: "The fact that it's obviously one of the Grand Slams, and there's an ease about the whole tournament. Everybody's dressed very cool. Winning

it in America is another deal altogether. US Open is fun, and I think winning here is more of a celebration." On the Carlos Alcaraz-Ben Shelton match and his prediction for the US Open 2026 men's singles winner: "I missed the match of matches; everybody's talking about it, but those guys were just monsters. I don't know how they man-

aged for five hours, and what a huge upset. The sheer grit that Shelton showed was extraordinary, which means there will be an American in the final. And I know the Americans don't want to hear it, but I think Zverev is going to win it." On who he considers the greatest tennis player: "Federer will be number one for me. I like his atti-

tude. But I'm also a huge fan of Alexander Zverev. He's diabetic, and he's made people with diabetes not look as uncool anymore, which is phenomenal. Hats off to him. He takes care of himself in the middle of the court, in the middle of the game, and I think that's phenomenal." On which tennis player he'd want to star as in a biopic and whom he'd like as a co-star in a film: "The fun of them all, John McEnroe. I think he is fully movie material. A tennis player as a co-star? Steffi Graf. There is a video of a fan asking her, 'Will you marry me?' and she says, 'How much money do you have?' in the middle of the match. It was phenomenal. Great presence of mind!" Indian movie star R Madhavan was in attendance at the US Open 2026, witnessing one of his favourite players, Alexander Zverev, breeze through to the men's singles semi-finals.

HARSHIT RANA RULED OUT OF AFGHANISTAN T20IS, ASIAN GAMES; BCCI NAMES REPLACEMENT

Pacer Harshit Rana has been ruled out of India's squad for the upcoming T20Is against Afghanistan and the Asian Games 2026. According to a release by the BCCI, the pacer was progressing well during his rehab at the BCCI Centre of Excellence (CoE). He sustained a rectus femoris strain while bowling during a match simulation on September 7 and has subsequently been ruled out. He has now been replaced by young pacer Yash Thakur, who has already played two matches for India. Yash, the 27-year-old fast bowler from Vidarbha, recently made his T20I debut during India's tour of Zimbabwe in July. He played two matches and took four wickets. He has featured in 50 Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy matches, picking up 81 wickets at an impressive economy rate of 7.04. However, Thakur was among the bowlers dropped for the Afghanistan series, as India named a full-strength side for the three contests to be played in New



Delhi on September 13, 15 and 17. India also has a full-strength squad for the Asian Games, which begin in Aichi-Nagoya on September 19, although India will play their quarter-final on September 28. As per the squad announced for the Afghanistan T20Is, Jasprit Bumrah, Nitish Kumar Reddy and Washington Sundar's participation was also subject to fitness. Harshit has been hampered by injuries this year. He sustained a knee injury ahead of the T20 World Cup 2026 and missed the global showpiece, which India won. He underwent knee surgery, missed the

IPL 2026, and made a comeback in June. However, he picked up a hamstring injury during the England tour in July and was on the mend before a "rectus femoris strain" ruled him out of the Afghanistan series and the Asiad. India's updated squad for Afghanistan T20Is: Shreyas Iyer [C], Abhishek Sharma, Vaibhav Sooryavanshi, Sanju Samson [WK], Ishan Kishan [WK], Tilak Varma [VC], Shivam Dube, Nitish Kumar Reddy, Axar Patel, Washington Sundar, Varun Chakaravathy, Ravi Bishnoi, Jasprit Bumrah, Arshdeep Singh, Yash Thakur.

TRUTH BEHIND 'HARMANPREET KAUR VIRAL CATCH' THAT EVERYBODY IS TALKING ABOUT

On Thursday, social media was flooded with a video of an Indian women's team player taking an unthinkable catch, where she runs and then does a somersault while taking the catch. It has been shared multiple times. One handle called it a catch by Harmanpreet Kaur. However, it is a fake/AI-generated video. While most people have shared it for fun, such AI videos can be misleading to unsuspecting fans. Deepfake technology has emerged as a major concern in recent years, with people, especially celebrities, increasingly becoming targets of this form of manipulation. Deepfakes are convincing but entirely fabricated media, in the form of



AI-generated videos or audio clips, that use people's faces and voices. Often made with a malicious motive, they pose significant risks to the reputation and privacy of the targeted individuals. These manipulated videos can be used to spread false information, defame people, or even blackmail them. With the

advancement of deepfake technology, the line between reality and fabrication is becoming increasingly blurred, making it challenging for both the public and authorities to separate truth from fiction. How to protect your data from deepfakes? While there is no sure-shot way to ensure 100% protection, there are

several steps you can take to minimise the risk of your media being accessed and exploited by deepfake tools. Avoid sharing personal images or videos on social media or other public platforms whenever possible. If sharing is necessary, set your privacy settings to the highest level. Strengthen the security of your online accounts by using strong and unique passwords. This makes it harder for hackers to gain unauthorised access to your images and videos, reducing the likelihood of becoming a target of deepfake tools. Invest in a good antivirus program to protect your computer from malware that could potentially be used to create deepfakes.

ISHAN KISHAN SHINES AS EAST ZONE CLINCH DULEEP TROPHY AFTER 13 YEARS

East Zone translated their complete dominance over the last 12 sessions into a Duleep Trophy victory after 13 years, overwhelming South Zone on the basis of a massive first innings lead on the fifth and final day of the final in Chennai on Thursday. East Zone sauntered to 388 for seven in their second innings, swelling the overall lead to 760 runs even as the match ended in a draw. Mohammad Kounian Quraishi joined the list of century-makers in this match with an unbeaten 116, his maiden three-figure mark in two-match-old first-class career. Quraishi, who added 150 runs with Anukul Roy (64) for the seventh wicket stand, reached the milestone in 179 balls with a brace



off left-arm pacer CV Milind. But way before the teams shook hands at 2.10 pm signalling a draw, East had wrested the trophy after posting a mammoth 708 runs in their first innings, which helped them construct a 372-run lead. East's second innings was a mere continuation of their show of power in the match. Starting the day

from 212 for five, the Ishan Kishan-led side, as it happened in the first innings, was seldom troubled by direction-less South bowlers. Seasoned Mohammed Siraj bounded in for a while, showing intensity and pace. While it was satisfactory from a personal point of view, the effort remained futile otherwise. The lack of support for Siraj

and a toothless batting effort also reflected the flawed selection as far as South squad is concerned. The South management chose to ignore inform and proven players such as Karun Nair, Mayank Agarwal and Sai Kishore and the replacements never really could step up. But plenty of East Zone players did that. Skipper Kishan made a stunning 270 in the first innings to underline his red-ball readiness while veteran Mohammed Shami, who was playing in his 100th first-class match, put to shame some younger names with a spirited effort. Kumar Kushagra scored his sixth first-class hundred while his Jharkhand team-mate Shikhar Mohan made a fifty filled with class and poise.

FORMULA 1 HAS A NEW SPANISH HOME



Aaron Rodgers Rips Into ESPN, Questions Silence On Dianna Russini Row

Aaron Rodgers has turned the Dianna Russini-Mike Vrabel controversy into a broader question about media standards. Rodgers criticized ESPN for what he sees as its silence over allegations involving Russini and the New England Patriots head coach, while the network has previously given prominent coverage to controversies involving figures outside its own organization. Russini and Vrabel faced scrutiny after photos surfaced showing them together at a resort in Arizona. Russini later left The Athletic, while Vrabel acknowledged difficult conversations with the Patriots and his family and entered counseling.



FRANCE WITHDRAWS SUPPORT FOR GIANNI INFANTINO IN FIFA PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION



France will not support the candidacy of Gianni Infantino, who is running for a new term as FIFA president in March 2027, the French Football Federation (FFF) announced on Thursday. The FFF is aligning itself with the position of other European federations such as Belgium, Italy, Scotland, Sweden and Wales, who have also publicly withdrawn support for Infantino. FIFA confirmed last weekend that Infantino will stand for president in an election next March, despite the backlash over his now-abandoned plan to bring private investment into the men's and women's World Cups. At this stage, the 56-year-old from Switzerland is the only candidate. However, CONCACAF president Victor Montagliani is widely seen as a likely challenger to the incumbent. "We believe that the trust placed in the FIFA president has been betrayed, and that the way in which the governance of world football is envisaged no longer reflects us," FFF

president Philippe Diallo said in a statement. "That is why, by a unanimous decision of its members, the French Football Federation has decided to withdraw its support for Gianni Infantino's candidacy for the FIFA presidency." The move by the French federation, while expected, is likely to sting Infantino. Diallo added that France "has a historic legitimacy as one of the founding nations of FIFA, and it has the right to intervene when it has the feeling that FIFA and its president are going off course in their governance of world football." It also has sporting legitimacy, having been in the top three in the FIFA rankings for the last 10 years." Infantino replaced Sepp Blatter as president of world football's governing body in 2016. He has come under severe pressure since the announcement in late July of proposals to create a commercial subsidiary to run its biggest events, such as the World Cup and Club World Cup.

Rohit Sharma Breaks Silence On His World Cup 2027 Participation



After months of speculation about his World Cup 2027 selection, former India captain Rohit Sharma has broken silence on the matter. October 2027 is still far away, said star Indian cricketer Rohit

Sharma on Thursday as he responded to a query on whether he would play the ODI World Cup at that time. The one-line response came on the sidelines of an event in Mumbai, a rare comment from the former captain amid swirling speculation around his participation in the mega-event and the course his career will take given he longer plays the T20I and Test formats. "October 2027 is far away, we will see about it then," said Rohit when asked about his participation at the Global Fintech Fest by a

member of the audience. The 2027 ODI World Cup is to be co-hosted by South Africa, Zimbabwe and Namibia. He was also asked whether, in case of an Indian title win, there would be an open bus parade to celebrate with fans much like 2024 when the team led by Rohit carried out a victory parade in Mumbai after its T20 World Cup triumph in the West Indies. "...I do not think a bus parade would be possible now," Rohit replied. BCCI secretary Devajit Saikia has made it clear that there is no room for

speculation around the batting great as he batting well. Rohit had scored a century in his last outing for India in ODIs. "He is playing superbly in all matches. So what more do you want? In the last match (against England), he scored 138 runs, so why is there speculation? I do not want to give some fodder for the speculators," Saikia told reporters after the BCCI's review meeting here at its headquarters some days ago. Chasing 388 in the series decider, the former India captain produced a sensational

138 off 110 balls, smashing 17 fours and five sixes. Although India eventually lost the match by 27 runs, the innings served as a powerful reminder of his ability to dominate at the highest level. Rohit finished the three-match ODI series with 175 runs at an average of 58.33 and a strike rate of 98.31, including his match-defining century. He has accumulated 379 runs in nine ODI innings this year at an average of 42.11 and a strike rate of over 99, with one century and one fifty.

UDAYA BHANU CALLS PANCHANAMA AN EMOTIONAL CRIME THRILLER

I Poured My Blood, Sweat and Tears into Panchanama Because It Is More Than a Crime Thriller — It Is a Deeply Emotional Story,” Says Udaya Bhanu at Panchanama Preview Event. Blending crime, mystery and emotional drama, Panchanama is set to take Telugu audiences into a gripping investigation where every death raises new questions. The Telugu ZEE5 Original held its first-episode screening and press meet at Prasad Labs in Hyderabad on September 9, ahead of its September 11 premiere. Directed by Mohan Srivatsa, the investigative thriller stars Bharath Srinivasan



as Jai Ram, alongside Medha Reddy, Shivaji Raja, Surya Srinivas, Srija, Radhika Preethi, Charan Babu and Shiva Karthik Danda. Following the screening, the cast and crew interacted with the media, sharing insights into the story, characters and experience of bringing Panchanama to life.

EMOTIONAL THRILLER MISSING MEGHANA SET FOR A GRAND RELEASE ON SEPTEMBER 18



The upcoming emotional thriller Missing Meghana, produced by Panchumarthi Naresh Babu under the banners of First Copy Movies and KD & Co, and directed by Vachaspathy, is gearing up for a grand theatrical release on September 18 across approximately 150 theatres. The film features Ram Karthik, Ammu Abhirami, Vaidika Senjaliya, and Ankit Koyya in the lead roles, supported by a prominent cast including Goparaju Ramana, Vempa Kasi, Kaushik, Mahipal, Ruchita, Nalini, Srinivas, Azeem, and Pandu. The promotional materials released so far have received

a warm reception. The three songs released from the film are currently going viral across digital media platforms. Audiences have praised the fresh musical score composed by RR Dhruvan, while Shyam K Naidu's cinematography has also been earning strong appreciation. Speaking about the promotional campaign, director Vachaspathy mentioned that three songs and a teaser have been launched so far, with the official trailer slated for release soon. Producer Naresh expressed his happiness with the final output and the business response the film has been receiving. The film's promotional journey began with sensational director V. V. Vinayak launching the First Look and title revealing poster. Legendary producer Suresh Babu unveiled the first single "Pilla Pilla," while leading producer Dil Raju launched the second track. The third song was released by renowned writer-producer Kona Venkat alongside Matcha Ravi. Director Vachaspathy shared his confidence in the project, stating: > "While many thrillers hit the screen regularly, Missing Meghana will truly surprise the audience.



commanding screen presence adds weight to the investigation drama. Archana Iyer appears in intriguing moments that deepen the mystery, and the chilling final reveal leaves audiences with plenty of questions. With cinematography by Monish Bhupathi Raju and editing by Abhinav V. Kunapareddy alongside Garry BH, AH promises a dark, suspenseful thriller packed with mystery, emotion, and edge-of-the-seat moments when it arrives in theatres on October 9, 2026.

GRAND LAUNCH OF 'JAI GOWRIPUTRA GANESHA' AUDIO AND TRAILER

H yderabad: The audio and trailer of Jai Gowriputra Ganesha, the maiden production of Vatsalya Audio and Video Illustrations, were unveiled at a grand event held at the Preview Hall of the Telugu Film Chamber in Hyderabad. The programme was organised under the leadership of the film's writer, director and producer Swami Srivatsalya Dharm Veera and was attended by several prominent personalities from the film industry, politics and spiritual circles.



GRAND TRAILER LAUNCH EVENT OF "EYE BOMMA" MOVIE



Y E Bomma" is an upcoming film starring Banoth Pawan, Gautham, Narmada, and Satish in the lead roles. The film is being produced by Kuruva Jamanna under the Sri Mallanna Creations banner and

directed by Vijay Raghunathabhatla. The movie is gearing up for a grand worldwide theatrical release soon. The trailer launch event of EYE Bomma was held grandly in Hyderabad on Wednesday.

GV Prakash Kumar Unveils the Second Single "Dam Dam" from Chakkora – Lunar Love Bird



National Award-winning actor and music composer GV Prakash Kumar unveiled the lyrical video of the second single, "Dam Dam," from the upcoming musical love story Chakkora – Lunar Love Bird. The energetic track is part of a film that promises to blend mass

