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Ensure Uninterrupted Power Supply to Save Crops: CM Revanth Reddy



Next 20 Days Crucial for Farmers
Negligence Will Not Be Tolerated

Hyderabad, The Journalist Post, October 14: Telangana Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy has directed officials to ensure uninterrupted electricity supply round the clock to prevent standing crops from drying up amid

prevailing rainfall-deficit conditions. He said the next 20 days were extremely crucial for farmers and warned that no farmer should suffer crop losses because of power shortages. Officials were instructed to identify

areas with high agricultural power demand and increase supply accordingly. During a high-level review meeting on the impact of El Niño, electricity availability and drinking water supply, the Chief Minister ex-

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Telangana's Culture and Traditions: DGP C.V. Anand



Hyderabad, The Journalist Post, October 14: Telangana DGP C.V. Anand has described Bathukamma as a

Power Cuts Under Congress Rule, Alleges KTR



Godavarikhani, The Journalist Post, October 14: BRS working president K.T. Rama Rao (KTR) has criticised the Congress government over electricity supply in Telangana, alleging that power cuts have increased since the party came to power. Addressing the Singareni Karmika Garjana meeting in Godavarikhani, he claimed that installed power generation capacity had increased from 7,700 MW to 24,000 MW during the previous BRS government. He said

farmers were facing difficulties due to power interruptions and demanded clarity on electricity availability for agriculture.

KTR recalled that former Chief Minister K. Chandrashekar Rao had warned that Telangana would face darkness if Congress came to power. He argued that the current electricity situation had renewed concerns about those remarks and urged the government to explain the reasons for supply disruptions.

Questions Over Singareni's Financial Position

KTR alleged that attempts were being made to privatise Singareni Collieries Company Limited, a key public-sector enterprise in Telangana. He questioned claims that inadequate coal supplies from Singareni were affecting power generation at thermal plants and referred to alleged outstanding dues of Rs60,000 crore to the company. He demanded that the government disclose details of the dues and clarify the fi-

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Achampet, The Journalist Post, October 14: Telangana Deputy Chief Minister and Finance Minister Mallu Bhatti

Nirmala Sitharaman to Attend International Economic Meetings



New Delhi, The Journalist Post, October 14: Union Finance and Corpo-

rate Affairs Minister Nirmala Sitharaman is scheduled to visit Bangkok, Thailand, from October 14 to 18 to participate in key international economic meetings. The visit will focus on global economic developments, international financial cooperation and strengthening economic ties between countries.

Sitharaman will attend the annual meetings of the In-

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Farmer Dies of Electric Shock While Working on Transformer in Medak



Medak, The Journalist Post, October 14: A farmer died of electric shock while working on an electricity transformer at Danduvanigunta Thanda in Tekmal mandal of Medak district, leaving the village in grief. The deceased was identified as Vislavath Anil. According to preliminary information, the accident occurred while he was working on the transformer in connection with agricultural electricity requirements. However, the exact circumstances of the incident, including whether the power supply had been switched off, remain unclear. Reports indicate that the farmer climbed onto the transformer while a lineman

Telangana Assures UK Investors of Policy Continuity, Focus on Manufacturing



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Where Is the Recognition for Rural Women’s Hard Work?

Hyderabad, The Journalist Post, October 14: Rural women play a vital role in India's development, contributing tirelessly to agriculture, livestock management and household responsibilities. From sowing seeds and harvesting crops to caring for cattle and collecting milk, their work supports both family livelihoods and the rural economy. Yet, adequate rec-



ognition, fair wages and social security remain major concerns. Despite their significant contribution, many women lack land ownership, access to agricultural credit and formal recognition as farmers. Ensuring fair remuneration, training, insurance and property rights is essential to improving their livelihoods. Economic independence can strengthen women's confidence and decision-making power. Self-help groups, small businesses, dairy farming, food processing and handicrafts offer opportunities to

increase income. However, access to markets, technical assistance and fair prices is equally important. Rural women also face challenges involving healthcare, nutrition, education, drinking water and unpaid domestic work. Better healthcare facilities, digital literacy, skill development and shared household responsibilities can ease their burdens.

Governments must ensure that welfare schemes, loans, insurance and training reach eligible women. Recognising women farmers and including them in family and community decisions are equally important. Empowering rural women strengthens agriculture, supports families and improves children's futures. Their contribution deserves more than appreciation on a special day; it requires sustained action, dignity, financial security and equal opportunities.



Economic Independence Is Key to Empowerment

Ensure Uninterrupted Power Supply to Save Crops: CM Revanth Reddy

pressed serious displeasure over repeated power interruptions in several parts of the state. He questioned officials about the continued disruptions despite repeated instructions and sought explanations for the failure to increase power generation in anticipation of possible shortages.

Revanth Reddy also asked why the Yadadri power plant was not generating electricity at full capacity despite coal supply linkage arrangements with Naini and Mahanadi. He warned that the government would not tolerate negligence affecting farmers and the public. He said he was prepared to suspend senior officials, including the Energy Department's Special Chief Secretary and the GENCO CMD, if they failed to discharge their responsibilities.

El Niño Requires Advance Preparedness

The Chief Minister directed all government depart-



ments to treat the El Niño situation as a major crisis requiring preparedness comparable to the COVID-19 emergency. He cautioned that conditions that appeared manageable could develop into a serious crisis without timely preventive measures. He ordered every department to prepare a comprehensive action plan extending until next June, assess possible risks and coordinate measures to minimise public hardship until rainfall resumes.

Drinking Water and Fodder Security

Revanth Reddy in-

structed officials to ensure uninterrupted drinking water supplies across Telangana and make advance arrangements to prevent fodder shortages for livestock. In Greater Hyderabad, he called for greater use of treated wastewater from sewage treatment plants for construction and other suitable purposes, reducing pressure on freshwater resources. He also directed the appointment of Group-I and Group-II officers to monitor conditions in every mandal. Their responsibilities will include reviewing rainfall condi-

tions, electricity supply, crop health, drinking water availability and fodder requirements. They must regularly submit reports to the Chief Secretary so that emerging problems can be addressed promptly.

Public Awareness and Departmental Coordination

The Chief Minister instructed officials to organise village meetings after Dussehra and before Deepavali to explain the possible effects of El Niño. Cultural awareness programmes would highlight water conservation, electricity savings and precautions needed to manage potential shortages. He stressed that all departments must work in coordination, anticipate emerging challenges and implement preventive measures rather than wait for a crisis to intensify. The government's priority, he said, was to protect crops, safeguard essential supplies and prevent inconvenience to people until rainfall returns.

Power Cuts Under Congress Rule, Alleges KTR

nancial position of the organisation. He also alleged that 40 lakh tonnes of coal had gone missing and claimed that BRS leaders who raised the issue had been arrested. KTR demanded a comprehensive investigation into the alleged irregularities and called for transparency in coal production, stock records, transportation and sales. These allegations require verification through official records and an investigation the government's response and relevant departmental data will be important in establishing the facts.

KTR asserted that the BRS would oppose any move to privatise Singareni and called for measures to protect workers' rights, job security and the company's future.

Recalls Workers' Role in Telangana Movement

Referring to Singareni's 137-year history, KTR said coal workers had played an



important role not only in industrial production but also in the Telangana statehood movement. He recalled that coal production stopped for 42 days during the Sakala Janula

Samme, affecting electricity supplies in parts of South India. He praised the workers for participating in the movement for a separate state and urged the government to respect their contribution. KTR also spoke about The Paradise, directed by Godavarikhani-born filmmaker Srikanth Odela, saying the film's portrayal of resistance and leadership reflected aspects of the region's history and fighting spirit.

Three-Member Burglary Gang Busted in Kukatpally: Stolen Gold Recovered

Hyderabad, The Journalist Post, October 14: Kukatpally police, in coordination with the Balanagar Zone Central Crime Station (CCS), have arrested three alleged habitual housebreakers suspected of involvement in a series of residential burglaries across local colonies. Police recovered stolen gold jewellery, silver articles and tools allegedly used to break into houses, with the seized property reportedly worth lakhs of rupees. According to police, the accused conducted daytime reconnaissance of residential areas to identify locked houses and plan their burglaries. They allegedly targeted homes during the early morning hours, using iron crowbars and bolt

cutters to force entry and break open almirahs in master bed-



rooms. The method reportedly helped them carry out thefts when residents were away or asleep.

Investigators made progress in the case by examining footage from more than 200 CCTV cameras installed across the affected areas and surrounding routes. The surveillance footage reportedly helped police track the suspects' movements

and gather evidence. The accused were subsequently intercepted while travelling on a two-wheeler fitted with a concealed number plate, according to the police account. During the operation, police seized gold ornaments, silver articles and burglary tools allegedly connected to the offences. The arrests are expected to assist investigators in examining the suspects' possible involvement in other housebreaking cases reported in the area. Further investigation is likely to focus on identifying the owners of the recovered property and establishing the full extent of the alleged burglaries.

Police said the arrested accused have been remanded to judicial custody. Residents have been advised to take precautions when leaving their homes unattended, particularly when travelling out of town for extended periods. As part of preventive measures, police urged residents to make use of the free Locked House Monitoring System (LHMS). Homeowners were also advised to inform their local beat constables when leaving their residences vacant so that police could increase surveillance and night patrols in the relevant neighbourhoods.

Police emphasised that cooperation from residents, functioning CCTV cameras and timely reporting of suspicious activity can help prevent residential burglaries and improve neighbourhood security.



Bathukamma Symbolises Telangana's Culture and Traditions:

DGP C.V. Anand

symbol of the state's rich culture, traditions and cultural identity. He made these remarks while participating in the grand Bathukamma



celebrations organised at the DGP office in Hyderabad on Wednesday. Speaking on the occasion, Anand recalled his childhood memories of playing Bathukamma at his grandmother's house. He said such celebrations carried emotional significance and strengthened cultural bonds across generations.

The DGP observed that Dasara is celebrated across India in different traditional forms. While Dandiya festivities are a major attraction in Gujarat, Telangana celebrates its cultural uniqueness through Bathukamma, during which women worship Goddess

Gauramma and participate in traditional festivities. Anand emphasised that Bathukamma is not merely a festival but also an expression of reverence for nature. The celebration reflects the close relationship between people and the natural environment, particularly through the use of seasonal flowers. He said the festival represents the affection, unity and cultural pride of Telangana women and holds a special place in the state's traditions.

Expressing happiness over the celebrations at the DGP office, Anand extended his festive greetings to the people of Telangana and wished everyone happiness and prosperity. Several senior police officials participated in the programme, including DGP (Law and Order) Mahesh Bhagwat, DGP (Organisation) Swati Lakra, Additional DGP Akun Sabharwal, Multi Zone-I Inspector General Chandrasekhara Reddy and Road Safety IG Ramesh Naidu. Chief Intelligence Officers, administrative officers, other police officials and staff members also joined the celebrations. The event highlighted the importance of preserving Telangana's cultural heritage and celebrating festivals that promote unity, tradition and community spirit.

Rare Two-Headed Baby Boy Born in Odisha

Berhampur, The Journalist Post,
October 14: A rare birth involving a baby boy with two heads and two necks has drawn attention in Odisha's medical community. The woman, who belongs to the Tumudibandh area of Kandhamal district reportedly delivered the baby after 32 weeks of pregnancy at MKCG Medical College and Hospital in Berhampur. Preliminary information indicates that the newborn has two heads and two necks attached to a single body. The condition is medically known as dicephalic parapagus, a rare form of conjoined twinning. According to preliminary reports, the baby has one body with two heads and two necks, along with one pair of arms and one pair of legs. Information also suggests that the urinary and reproductive systems are shared. However, the precise arrangement of the internal organs and the newborn's overall medical condition require detailed clinical assessment. Such cases can vary significantly in their anatomical structure, making specialised examinations essential for determining the appropriate course of care.

A photograph of a newborn baby lying on its back in a hospital bed. The baby has two heads and two necks, both of which are visible. The baby is wearing a white diaper with yellow and blue patterns. There are several medical sensors and wires attached to the baby's chest and arms. The baby's hands are visible, and it appears to be holding a small object. The background shows a white hospital bedsheet and a green wall.

The baby was delivered at 32 weeks of pregnancy, making specialised newborn care particularly important. Babies born prematurely may require assistance with breathing, maintaining body temperature and feeding. Close monitoring by neonatal specialists is essential to address potential complications and support the newborn's condition. The mother's health and recovery following delivery also remain important aspects of care. Further details about the condition of both the mother and the baby are awaited from hospital authorities. The case highlights the importance of specialised medical facilities, careful evaluation and continued monitoring in managing rare congenital conditions.

Illegal Oil Manufacturing Unit Busted in Bodhan; 900 Litres Seized

Nizamabad, The Journalist Post, October 14: Police jointly conducted a raid with the Cheeta Force in Gandhi Nagar, Bodhan town, Nizamabad district, following information about alleged illegal oil manufacturing. Approximately 900 litres of oil were seized during the operation.

The raid was conducted amid allegations that animal fat, bones and hides were being used in the manufacturing process. Police took three individuals Mohammed Safiuddin, Mohammed Sofiuddin and Abdul Anwar into custody in connection with the case.

Cheetah Force SI Srinu, Bodhan SI Ram and other police personnel participated in the operation. Bodhan Circle Inspector Venkata Narayana confirmed the raid and seizure. Authorities are yet to establish the exact nature of the seized oil, the materials used in its production and its intended purpose. Laboratory testing and further investigation will be necessary to determine whether the product was intended for food use or other pur-



poses. The incident has raised concerns about product safety and the need for proper monitoring of

unauthorised manufacturing activities. If the oil was intended for consumption, the relevant food safety authorities may also need to examine the matter to assess any potential public health risks. Police said further investigation is underway to establish the facts and determine whether any legal violations occurred.

U.S. Consul General Laura Williams Meets Telangana DGP

Hyderabad, The Journalist Post, October 14: U.S. Consul General in Hyderabad Laura Williams paid a courtesy visit to Telangana Director General of Police C.V. Anand at the DGP's office on Wednesday. Williams was accompanied by Regional Security Officer Sidharth Ramachandran and Venkat Engirekula, Senior Foreign Service National Investigator (FSNI). The meeting brought together U.S. diplomatic and security representatives and Telangana's police leadership. However,



details of the discussions and any specific matters taken up during the courtesy visit were not immediately available.

Woman Stabbed to Death in Kukatpally Sister Injured in Knife Attack

Hyderabad, The Journalist Post,
October 14: A 25-year-old woman was allegedly stabbed to death by a man who had been pressuring her to enter a relationship and marry him, in an incident reported at her sister's residence in the Motinagar area under Allapur police station limits. The victim's sister was also injured when she reportedly tried to protect her during the attack. The incident has raised concerns about persistent harassment and violence against women.

The deceased was identified as Anjali, a native of Bidar district in Karnataka. According to police information, Anjali's husband had been in jail for the past two years in connection with an earlier criminal case. During this period, Ashwin, 25, an auto-rickshaw driver and an acquaintance of her husband, reportedly came into contact with her in their native area.

Police sources said Ashwin allegedly began pressuring Anjali to enter a relationship and marry him. She reportedly rejected his advances several times and advised him to move on and marry someone else. As the alleged harassment continued, Anjali moved to Hyderabad about a month ago to stay with her sister, Ashwini, at Babuguda in Motinagar,

hoping to find safety and distance herself from the accused.” “According to the complaint, Ashwin allegedly traced her to Hyderabad and entered the house on the night of October 10, carrying a knife. Following an argument, he allegedly stabbed Anjali in the abdomen.

When Ashwini intervened to protect her sister, the accused reportedly attacked her as well, causing serious injuries to her right hand, before fleeing the scene.

Ashwini alerted emergency services through the Dial 112 helpline. Police personnel and emer-

gency responders reached the location and shifted both women to a nearby hospital. Anjali, who had sustained critical injuries and suffered substantial blood loss, died during treatment. Her sister received medical attention for her injuries. Allapur police have registered a case in connection with the alleged murder and assault. Multiple special teams have reportedly been deployed to trace the accused, including searches in Bidar and nearby border areas. Further investigation is underway to establish the full sequence of events and apprehend the suspect.



Rajnath Singh Calls for Peace and Stability in Indo-Pacific

New Delhi, The Journalist Post, October 14: Defence Minister Rajnath Singh has called for peace, stability and mutual trust among nations in the Indo-Pacific region, emphasizing respect for sovereignty and international law. Addressing the first ASEAN-India Defence Think Tank Forum in New Delhi on October 14, he highlighted the importance of dialogue, co-operation and shared responsibility in addressing regional security challenges.

Singh said the Indo-Pacific region plays a crucial role in global trade, maritime transportation and strategic



partnerships. He stressed that disputes should be addressed through dialogue rather than confrontation, adding that respect for national sovereignty and international rules was essential for lasting peace.

The minister underscored the need to strengthen defence cooperation between India and ASEAN member countries. He noted that regular consultations, mutual understanding and trust could help nations address common security concerns, even when differences arise. A peaceful regional environment, he said, would also support trade, investment and economic development.

IDBI Bank Set for Strategic Restructuring and Fresh Investment



New Delhi, The Journalist Post, October 14: Union Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw announced strategic changes at IDBI Bank, including the selection of a strategic partner to strengthen the institution and attract fresh investment. The

Maritime security was another key priority highlighted during the forum. With international commerce heavily dependent on sea routes, Singh emphasized information sharing, coordination and joint efforts to address emerging maritime threats. He called for stronger cooperation among partner nations to safeguard vital sea lanes and promote regional stability.

The defence minister also advocated greater self-reliance in defence manufacturing alongside joint technological development with partner countries. He high-

lighted opportunities for collaboration in research, innovation and production of defence equipment, noting that such partnerships could strengthen capabilities and reduce excessive dependence on external suppliers.

The inaugural forum provided a platform to discuss regional security, defence partnerships and adherence to international norms. Singh's message emphasized that sustained cooperation, respect for sovereignty and shared efforts to maintain maritime security would be essential to building a peaceful and stable Indo-Pacific.

move could create opportunities for foreign investment and support MSMEs and emerging businesses. The Central Government and LIC will together retain a 34 per cent stake following restructuring, according to the announcement.

Nirmala Sitharaman to Attend International Economic Meetings in Bangkok

International Monetary Fund (IMF) and the World Bank, where discussions are expected to cover global economic growth, financial stability, investment opportunities and challenges facing developing economies. The meetings will provide a platform for member countries to exchange views on development financing, infrastructure investment and measures to address economic disparities.

The minister is also scheduled to participate in meetings involving G20 and G7 finance ministers and central bank governors. Discussions are expected to address economic policy coordination, trade, investment and international financial stability. India's participation will provide an opportunity to present its economic priorities and exchange perspectives with other countries. During the visit, Sitharaman is

also expected to hold bilateral meetings with representatives of various countries and international institutions. Potential areas of discussion include expanding economic relations, promoting investment, strengthening trade links and enhancing development cooperation. Details of individual bilateral engagements are subject to official confirmation.

The visit comes amid continuing changes and uncertainties in the global

economy. International consultations are important for strengthening co-operation and discussing policy responses to shared economic challenges. Sitharaman's participation in these forums will allow India to communicate its development priorities, economic reforms and investment opportunities to the international community. The outcomes of the meetings and their implications for India's international economic partnerships will become clearer as further official details emerge.

Modi Meets Canadian Foreign Minister Anita Anand to Strengthen Bilateral Relations

Trade, Technology and Investment Cooperation in Focus

Defence, Energy and Education Partnerships Also Discussed

New Delhi, The Journalist Post, October 14: Canadian Foreign Minister Anita Anand met Indian Prime Minister Narendra Modi on Wednesday to discuss strengthening bilateral relations and expanding cooperation across several sectors of mutual interest. The meeting focused on reviewing ongoing diplomatic efforts, improving engagement between the two countries and identifying opportunities for future collaboration. According to the Prime Minister's Office, the discussions highlighted the importance of working together on the basis of mutual respect and cooperation. The meeting assumes significance as India and Canada continue efforts to improve relations following a period of diplomatic differences.

Trade and investment were among the important issues discussed during the meeting. Modi and Anand explored possibilities for strengthening commercial ties, expanding economic cooperation and creating more opportunities for businesses in both countries. Greater engagement between Indian and Canadian companies could help promote investment, improve access to markets and encourage partnerships

across different industries. Both countries have eco-



omic interests that could benefit from stronger business connections and a more supportive environment for bilateral trade. Continued dialogue is expected to play an important role in identifying opportunities and addressing challenges affecting commercial relations.

Cooperation in science, technology, defence and security also featured in the discussions. The two sides considered opportunities to exchange expertise,

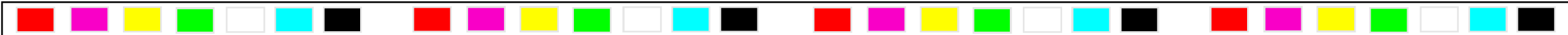
encourage innovation and strengthen collaboration in areas of shared interest. With technological development and international security concerns becoming increasingly important, co-operation between the countries could provide avenues for research, knowl-

edge development, technological innovation and academic institutions. Educational collaboration, student exchanges and joint research initiatives could further strengthen institutional links and create opportunities for students, researchers and professionals. Such engagement could also support the exchange of knowledge and expertise between the two countries.

People-to-people relations remain an important dimension of India-Canada ties. Cultural exchanges, family connections, educational opportunities and travel contribute to the relationship between the two societies. The discussions reportedly emphasised the importance of strengthening these connections and expanding cooperation beyond government-level engagement. The meeting also addressed co-operation at international and multilateral forums, including shared economic, security and environmental concerns. Continued high-level consultations could help both countries identify common priorities, manage differences through dialogue and develop practical areas of co-operation. While the meeting highlighted several potential avenues for closer engagement, further discussions will be important to translate these priorities into concrete outcomes.

edge-sharing and institutional engagement. Defence-related discussions were also part of the broader effort to explore potential areas of partnership. However, the available statement did not provide details of any specific defence agreement or new commitments announced during the meeting.

Energy cooperation was another area of interest, alongside education and research. Both countries have opportunities to explore partnerships involving en-



Farmer Dies

was present near it. Details regarding whether permission had been obtained for the work, whether the electricity supply was properly disconnected and what safety measures were followed have not yet been confirmed. A detailed investigation is necessary to establish the sequence of events that led to the fatal accident. Family members reportedly alleged that negligence by electricity department officials was responsible for Anil's death. Following the incident, some people allegedly attacked the lineman in anger over the farmer's death. The details of the alleged assault, the response of the authorities and any police action were not immediately available. The allegations require verification, and responsibility for the accident can be determined only after examining the relevant records and evi-

dence. The incident highlights the serious risks associated with working on transformers and other electrical equipment. Electrical repairs must be carried out only by authorised personnel after ensuring that the power supply has been safely disconnected and all prescribed precautions have been taken. Farmers and residents should report electrical faults to the concerned department instead of attempting repairs themselves. Anil's death has left his family devastated and raised concerns about electrical safety in rural areas. A fair inquiry should establish whether safety procedures were followed, identify any lapses and determine accountability. Authorities also need to strengthen public awareness and ensure proper supervision during electrical maintenance work to prevent similar tragedies.

Nacharam Civic Issues Reviewed During Field Inspection by Commissioner

Malkajgiri, The Journalist Post, October 14: The Commissioner of Malkajgiri Municipal Corporation conducted a field inspection in Nacharam to review civic issues, infrastructure development, sanitation and public health measures. The Commissioner directed officials to address problems identified during the visit on a priority basis and ensure better civic services through coordination among the concerned departments. During the inspection, the Commissioner reviewed road and junction development works at NTR Junction and in the APHB Colony areas. Discussions focused on improving traffic flow, providing free left-turn facilities where necessary and identifying stretches requiring road widening. Officials were instructed to take action against encroachments obstructing roads in accordance with the rules and coordinate with the electricity department wherever shifting electric poles was necessary for road expansion.



The Commissioner stressed that traffic-related works should be planned carefully to reduce congestion and minimise inconvenience to commuters. Officials were also asked to monitor the progress of civic works regularly and ensure that everyday problems faced by residents were addressed promptly. Sanitation management was another key focus of the inspection. The Commissioner directed officials to identify locations where garbage frequently accumulates and ensure its regular removal. Problematic areas should be monitored continuously, while public awareness campaigns should discourage indiscriminate dumping of waste in open spaces. As part of pub-

lic health measures, officials were instructed to undertake regular mosquito-larvae control operations and conduct fogging wherever required. The Commissioner also emphasised the importance of the weekly Friday dry-day campaign, urging officials to educate residents about preventing water stagnation around their homes. Removing unused containers and discarded items that collect water was highlighted as an important step in controlling mosquito breeding.

The Commissioner also reviewed the enforcement of building regulations. Officials were directed to verify whether construction activities complied with approved building plans and take appropriate action against unauthorised or rule-violating constructions. Encroachments on government and public land should also be examined, with action taken in accordance with the law. The Commissioner stressed the need for transparency in building permissions and responsible enforcement of town-planning regulations to ensure orderly urban development. During the visit, the Commissioner inspected Gokul Nagar Colony Park in Ward 18 of Nacharam and reviewed the involvement of women from self-help groups in park maintenance. The Commissioner encouraged further efforts to improve greenery and suggested providing women with training in plant cultivation and garden maintenance to strengthen their livelihood opportunities.

Officials were also asked to increase local residents' participation in maintaining parks and keeping public spaces clean and pleasant. The municipal corporation reiterated its focus on road infrastructure, sanitation, public health, regulatory compliance and green spaces to improve the quality of life for residents in Nacharam.

HYDRAA Lake Demolitions and Civic Credit Disputes Intensify Kukatpally Politics

Hyderabad, The Journalist Post, October 14: Political tensions have intensified in Kukatpally over demolition drives by the Hyderabad Disaster Response and Asset Protection Agency (HYDRAA) targeting alleged unauthorised structures within lake Full Tank Level (FTL) and buffer zones, particularly around Nalla Cheruvu. Leaders of the Bharat Rashtra Samithi (BRS) and the Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) have reportedly staged protests, alleging inadequate notice and disruption to small businesses. They have raised concerns about the impact on traders and property owners and questioned the procedures followed during the demolitions.

Congress leaders, however, have defended the action, arguing that clearing obstructions from natural drainage channels is essential to protect lakes and reduce flooding in residential colonies during heavy rainfall. The issue has sparked debate over environmental protection, enforcement procedures and the livelihoods of affected businesses. Meanwhile, a separate political dispute has emerged between local BRS MLA Madhavaram Krishna Rao and Congress constituency coordinators over municipal fund releases, road repairs and drainage works in KPHB and Allapur. Both sides are seeking recognition for their role in addressing local infrastructure problems. With local body and council elections approaching, politi-

cal parties have intensified ward-level outreach to strengthen their support. Lake protection, civic amenities and municipal accountability are becoming key issues in the constituency. Residents are looking for effective solutions to drainage problems, infrastructure needs and concerns arising from enforcement drives.



Sudheer Reddy Inspects Mansoorabad Dumping Yard Over Foul Odour

Hyderabad, The Journalist Post, October 14: LB Nagar MLA Devireddy Sudheer Reddy, accompanied by LB Nagar Zonal Commissioner



Vikas Mahato, inspected the Mansoorabad dumping yard following complaints from residents about foul odours, wastewater and alleged chemical waste pollution. Residents said the stench becomes worse during rainfall and expressed concern over potential respiratory problems, particularly among senior citizens. They also alleged that some vehicles dump waste along roads at night and urged officials to identify and penalise those responsible. During the visit, Sudheer Reddy recalled that a stormwater drain had previously been constructed at a cost of approximately Rs 6 crore. He said

CCTV cameras had been installed following complaints about tankers allegedly bringing chemical waste from different areas. He also referred to earlier action against unauthorised waste-dumping vehicles and efforts by HYDRA, GHMC, the Forest Department and other agencies to remove stagnant sewage using tankers.

The MLA said inspections had also been conducted at chemical and fertiliser warehouses and mechanical sheds in the Autonagar industrial area over allegations of waste and chemicals being discharged through drainage channels. He added that security measures, including the appointment of a watchman, had been introduced and that sewage treatment plant construction was around 90 per cent complete.

Sudheer Reddy urged officials to strengthen surveillance, particularly at night, and take strict action against vehicles violating waste-disposal rules. Responding to the concerns, Zonal Commissioner Vikas Mahato assured that monitoring would be strengthened and steps would be taken to prevent roadside dumping. Former corporator Vitthal Reddy, local representatives and residents of affected colonies also participated in the inspection. Residents called for a permanent solution to protect public health and improve sanitation in the surrounding areas.

Rs7 Crore More Proposed for Kapra Lake Outlet Works

Sudheer Reddy directs officials to complete works before monsoon

Hyderabad, The Journalist Post, October 14: LB Nagar MLA Sudheer Reddy has urged officials to speed up the Kapra Lake outlet construction works at Hariharapuram Colony in the BN Reddy Nagar division and complete them before the next monsoon. While Rs 5 crore has already been sanctioned for the project, an additional Rs7 crore is estimated to be required for the remaining works between Millennium Colony and Kapra Lake. During a field inspection with LB Nagar Zonal Commissioner Vikas Mahato, the MLA reviewed the progress of the project and called for the early release of the additional funds. The ongoing works cover the stretch from Kummurikunta to Millennium Colony. Once completed, the outlet project is expected to improve the drainage of rainwater and reduce flooding risks in several localities, including Satavahana Nagar, Sai Garden, Gandhinagar, Gandhinagar South,

Snehamayi Nagar, Akhilandeswari Nagar, PVR Colony and Samanagar.

Responding to the MLA's request, Zonal Commissioner Vikas Mahato said proposals seeking the additional Rs7 crore had already been sub-



mitted. He assured that further work would be expedited once the funds were sanctioned. Local representatives and colony association members participated in the inspection, expressing hope that timely completion would provide relief to residents affected by seasonal flooding.

Land Resurvey Must Be Completed Within 10 Days: Collector Ankit

Bhadradri Kothagudem, The Journalist Post, October 14: District Collector Ankit has directed officials to complete the ongoing land resurvey in Ramannagudem village of Aswaraopet mandal within 10 days and submit a comprehensive report. During his field inspection on Wednesday, officials informed him that boundary demarcation



was underway across approximately 600 acres, covering eight kilometres. The Collector reviewed land conditions, cultivation patterns and records maintained by the Revenue and Forest departments. Ankit interacted with farmers cultivating land under Survey Number 39 and examined their old pattas, passbooks and other ownership documents. He instructed officials to compare these

records with government documents and actual field conditions.

The Collector directed officials to verify the land records of 181 farmers across three survey numbers, including

their pattas, Rythu Bandhu details and cultivated land extent. Old records, gazette notifications, government orders and land maps must be examined to identify discrepancies in ownership and

boundaries. He stressed that the Revenue, Survey and Forest departments must coordinate closely to ensure accurate demarcation and prevent future disputes. All findings should be documented with supporting evidence. Ankit instructed officials to finish the survey within the deadline and submit a detailed report. Tahsildar Kishore and officials from the concerned departments participated in the inspection.



TGSPDCL Achieves Major Milestone with Four Quality Certifications

Hyderabad, The Journalist Post, October 14: Telangana Southern Power Distribution Company Limited (TGSPDCL) has achieved a significant milestone by receiving four quality recognitions for quality management, information security, stores management and consumer services. The recognitions include ISO 9001, ISO 27001, the Japanese 5S methodology for stores management, and the Quality Mark for delivering quality services to electricity consumers.

TGSPDCL Chairman and Managing Director Jitesh V. Patil, IAS, received the recognitions from Deputy Chief Minister and Energy Minister Mallu Bhatti Vikramarka at a programme organised on International Standards Day. ISO auditor Shivaiah attended the event. Achampet MLA Chikkudu Vamshikrishna, MLC Kuchukulla Damodar Reddy, Director (Operations) Dr N. Narasimhaulu, Company Secretary Anil Kumar, Chief Engineer (Rural) Balaswamy and other officials participated.

Focus on Quality and Security

The ISO 9001 certification recognises TGSPDCL’s quality management systems, including record maintenance, internal controls, operational monitoring and continuous improvement. These measures aim to strengthen accountability and improve organisational efficiency. The ISO 27001 certification acknowledges efforts to protect critical information, IT networks and digital systems associated with power distribution. It emphasises information security, controlled access



and cybersecurity risk management. TGSPDCL also received recognition for implementing Japan’s 5S methodology, which promotes cleanliness, systematic organisation, standardisation, discipline and continuous improvement. The approach helps streamline inventory management and ensure the timely availability of electrical materials for maintenance and power supply operations. The Quality Mark recognises the company’s efforts over the past five years to provide reliable electricity services and improve consumer satisfaction.

Commitment to Better Consumer Services

The company stated that the achievements reflected government support and the collective efforts of officers and field-level employees. Under Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy and Deputy Chief Minister Bhatti Vikramarka, the government has prioritised power infrastructure, technology adoption and service improvements. CMD Jitesh V. Patil said quality must extend beyond certificates and be reflected in everyday operations through discipline, accountability and commitment to consumers. TGSPDCL reaffirmed its commitment to international standards, transparent operations and improved electricity services.

Godavari Pushkaralu Works Must Be Completed on War Footing: Collector Ankit

Bhadrachalam, The Journalist Post, October 14: District Collector Ankit has directed officials to accelerate development works at Bhadrachalam and complete preparations for the upcoming Godavari Pushkaralu on a war footing. He stressed that construction of bathing ghats, temple-area development and essential infrastructure for pilgrims must be completed within the stipulated deadlines, with all departments working in coordination.

Accompanied by Sub-Collector Mrinal Shreshtha, the Collector inspected ongoing development works around the Sri Sitaramachandra Swamy Temple in Bhadrachalam. He instructed officials to avoid delays and ensure that the required facilities were ready ahead of major religious occasions, including Mukkti Ekadashi, Sri Rama Navami and the Godavari Pushkaralu. As a large number of devotees are expected to visit the town, he called for advance planning for crowd management, temple darshan, bathing facilities, transportation and accommodation.

The Collector directed officials to speed up construction works on the northern and southern sides of the temple. According to the plans reviewed during the inspection, around 200 workers organised into 10 teams are working from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. to expedite the projects. He instructed officials to complete the construction of bathing ghats extending 270 metres on the northern side and 230 metres on the southern side within the prescribed timeframe. Ankit also discussed a proposal to widen the road leading to the ghats from the existing 25 feet to 30 feet to facilitate the safe movement of pilgrims and reduce congestion during peak hours. He emphasised the importance of construction quality, workplace safety and regular monitoring of progress.

The Collector reviewed proposals for an alternative road to the Vaikunthadhamam and construction of a com-



pound wall. He also directed officials to expedite the tendering process for development works at Parnasala. Progress on a dormitory hall for pilgrims and improvements to the goshala were also reviewed. Officials were instructed to ensure adequate drinking water, sanitation, accommodation and signboards, while keeping temple surroundings clean and expanding facilities wherever necessary. As part of efforts to improve the town’s appearance, the Collector directed officials to prepare a comprehensive plan within a week to beautify the approximately three-kilometre stretch from ITC to the Bhadrachalam bridge. The proposed improvements include flowering plants, road dividers and other landscaping measures. The plan should also consider traffic management, vehicle parking and pedestrian safety.

Officials informed him that proposals were being prepared to improve pilgrim facilities in Bhadrachalam and surrounding areas, including Cherla, Aswapuram, Dummugudem, Parnasala and Kinnerasani. The Collector instructed departments to assess existing infrastructure and identify additional requirements. Keeping the Godavari Pushkaralu, scheduled from June 27 to July 7, in view, Ankit directed all departments to coordinate arrangements for drinking water, toilets, transport, police security, medical services and sanitation. Medical teams, emergency response services and sanitation personnel must be deployed according to the expected crowds, while robust safety arrangements should be maintained at the bathing ghats. Temple Executive Officer Damodar Rao, Roads and Buildings Executive Engineer Nageswara Rao, engineering personnel and officials from the concerned departments participated in the inspection. The Collector said responsibilities should be clearly assigned to each department and progress reviewed regularly to ensure timely completion of all arrangements.

Rs1.64 Lakh Crore Credited to People Under Welfare Schemes:Bhatti Vikramarka

Vikramarka has asserted that the state government has directly credited Rs1,64,431 crore into people’s bank accounts through various welfare schemes over the past three years. Claiming that almost every household in Telangana had benefited from government initiatives, he said he was ready to debate the figures with anyone and accept any challenge. He emphasised that public funds were being utilised systematically for welfare and development.

Bhatti Vikramarka laid foundation stones for development works worth Rs74.82 crore in the Achampet constituency, including a 220/33 kV electricity substation at Mannanur. Addressing a public meeting, he said the government had allocated Rs90,000 crore for road development across Telangana and was preparing district-specific development plans based on local resources, including rivers, minerals, agriculture, tourism and human capital. The Deputy Chief Minister said Telangana had approximately 1.15 crore families, of which around 1.06 crore were benefiting from various welfare schemes. The government was providing six kilograms of fine rice free of cost per person to eligible beneficiaries, while nearly 1.06 crore families were covered under Rajiv

Aarogyasri, which provides medical treatment assistance of up to Rs10 lakh. Around 43 lakh families were receiving Cheyutha pensions, and 71.40 lakh farmers were benefiting from Rythu Bharosa assistance of Rs6,000 per acre for each agricultural season. He said 53 lakh families were receiving free electricity for consumption of up to 200 units per month, while women were benefiting from free travel on RTC buses under the Mahalakshmi scheme. The government was also implementing crop loan waivers and Indiramma Indlu housing assistance. Approximately 76,000 people had been provided employment opportunities, he added.

Under Indiramma Indlu, the government aims to help seven lakh poor families realise their dream of owning a house, with financial assistance of Rs5 lakh for each eligible house. In Achampet alone, 7,300 houses had been sanctioned. The government was also providing breakfast to 27 lakh students in government schools, along with milk three days a week and ragi malt on the remaining three days. Fee reimbursement continued to benefit approximately 12 lakh college students. “Bhatti Vikramarka announced that the government was preparing to launch the Indiramma Life Insurance Scheme on November 19, coincid-

ing with Indiramma’s birth anniversary. The proposed scheme aims to protect families from severe financial hardship following the death of an earning member, without discrimination based on caste, religion or region.

Achampet Development and Infrastructure

The Deputy Chief Minister said the government was committed to transforming Achampet into a major transport hub by improving roads, developing elevated corridors and constructing bridges across the Krishna River. Major infrastructure initiatives around Hyderabad, including the Regional Ring Road, Musi Riverfront Development and cluster development projects, were also being pursued as part of the state’s broader development strategy. Recalling his association with Achampet since 1980, Bhatti Vikramarka said the government was taking special measures to strengthen the constituency’s electricity infrastructure. A total of 1,219 distribution transformers had been installed, a 403-kilometre electricity distribution network had been developed, and 5,000 new agricultural electricity connections had been provided. He said approximately Rs75 crore had been spent on

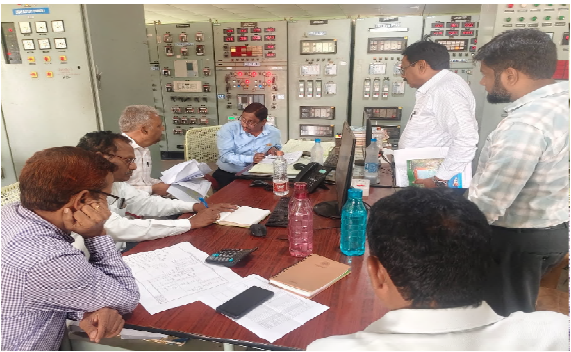
these works and that efforts would continue to ensure a reliable power supply for households and farmers. He also highlighted the tourism potential of Mannanur and the Nallamala forest region. The government was exploring eco-tourism initiatives to generate employment for tribal families, farmers and unemployed youth through accommodation, hospitality, transport and other local services. He assured that the government would extend the necessary assistance and funding to develop the region’s natural attractions responsibly.

People’s Issues Remain a Priority

Recalling the Congress party’s People’s March padayatra, Bhatti Vikramarka said the march began at Ambatpally in Lingala mandal on May 31, 2023, and covered approximately 130 kilometres through around 42 villages in the Achampet constituency. Residents had raised concerns relating to pensions, LPG cylinders, Podu lands, electricity bills and irrigation facilities. “He recalled assuring people that the SLBC project would be completed and water supplied to the region. He also stressed that justice for families displaced by the Nakkalagandi project remained a priority. The government was addressing people’s grievances one by one, in line with available financial resources, he said, reiterating that welfare and development would go hand in hand.

Northern Power Utility Officials Review Electricity Supply in Kamareddy and Dichpally

Kamareddy, The Journalist Post, October 14: Senior officials of the Telangana Northern Power Distribution Company Limited (TGNPDCL) have reviewed electricity supply conditions and technical performance at key substations in Kamareddy and Dichpally, focusing on maintaining stable voltage levels, managing power loads and ensuring an uninterrupted supply to consumers. As part of the exercise, the company’s Managing Director visited the 220 kV substation in Kamareddy on October 14 and assessed the prevailing power supply situation, voltage levels and variations in electricity demand. He reviewed the functioning of the electricity network and discussed



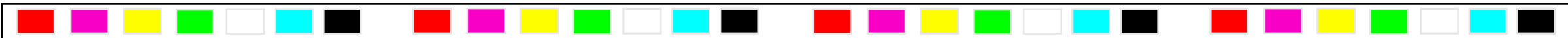
with officials the measures required to maintain supply stability and improve system reliability. During the inspection, officials explained the operational status of the substation and briefed the Managing Director on voltage levels, peak-demand periods and po-

tential challenges in power distribution. He instructed the concerned teams to monitor changes in electricity consumption and take preventive measures to address possible supply issues before they affect consumers.

The inspection was attended by the General Manager of Operations–I, the supervisory officer responsible for Kamareddy operations, the Deputy Executive Engineer from the technical division and the Deputy Executive Engineer from the operations division. The Managing Director subsequently inspected the 220/132 kV substation at Dichpally, where he reviewed the functioning of the 132 kV transmission infrastructure. Particular attention was given to the load on 33 kV feeders and the utilisation levels of power transformers. Officials were instructed to closely monitor feeder loads, regularly assess transformer performance and identify potential technical prob-

lems at an early stage. They were also advised to take timely corrective measures to prevent overloading and minimise the risk of interruptions.

Voltage stability and effective load management are essential for maintaining a reliable electricity network. During periods of increased consumption, substations, feeders and transformers may experience additional pressure, making regular inspections and preventive maintenance important. Continuous monitoring of equipment performance and power demand can help identify operational issues before they develop into major disruptions. The inspections in Kamareddy and Dichpally were aimed at strengthening supply reliability, maintaining voltage stability and improving the overall efficiency of the electricity distribution system. Company officials said that field-level inspections and technical monitoring would continue across the utility’s operational areas to help provide quality power to domestic, commercial and industrial consumers.



Telangana Assures UK Investors of Policy Continuity, Focus on Manufacturing

Revanth Reddy Says Investments Are Safe, Invites UK Businesses to Global Summit 2026

and a supportive business environment, highlighting manufacturing as a key priority for the state's future growth. He said Telangana was competing with global destinations and invited UK companies to explore investment and collaboration opportunities.

A high-level delegation led by Oliver Coppard, Mayor of South Yorkshire; David Skaith, Mayor of York and North Yorkshire; and Tracy Brabin, Mayor of West Yorkshire, met the Chief Minister at the Dr. MCR Human Resource Development Institute on Wednesday. Discussions focused on strengthening regional partnerships in trade, investment, innovation, education and culture, particularly in the context of the India-UK Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement. Revanth Reddy highlighted Telangana's strengths in information technology,

pharmaceuticals, life sciences, biotechnology, aerospace, defence and electronics manufacturing. He invited UK investors and industrial-



ists to participate in the Invest Telangana Global Summit 2026, scheduled for December 7-9 at Bharat Future City.

The Chief Minister recalled the contribution of former British Prime Minister Tony Blair as a knowledge partner in preparing Telangana's long-term development roadmap, Telangana Rising 2047, launched in December 2025. He also outlined plans for Bharat Future City, a proposed 30,000-acre satellite city, and the government's vision to rejuvenate the Musi River and develop a riverfront

economy. The UK delegation expressed interest in collaboration across advanced manufacturing, healthcare, digital technology, defence, aerospace, technical textiles, skills

development and research. The mayors indicated their willingness to revisit Telangana to advance discussions towards concrete trade, investment and institutional partnerships. Oliver Coppard highlighted the business ecosystem of Yorkshire, noting its approximately 1.5 lakh businesses and potential synergies with Telangana's digital economy and talent pool. Tracy Brabin described the shared interests between Yorkshire and Telangana as a foundation for closer cooperation. The Chief Minister also discussed Hyderabad's hosting of the 72nd Miss World Page-

ant in May 2025 and the state's initiatives to prepare young people for an economy increasingly shaped by artificial intelligence. He highlighted the Young India Skills University, designed to connect skills training directly with industry requirements.

During the programme, Revanth Reddy unveiled the UK-India Business Council report titled UK-India CETA & Regional Synergies. IT and Industries Minister D. Sridhar Babu welcomed the delegation and highlighted opportunities in Genome Valley, advanced technology, clean energy and knowledge-based industries. He also referred to the Chief Minister's recent UK visit and partnerships pursued with universities and businesses. Kishore Jayaraman, CEO of the UK-India Business Council, representatives of the British Deputy High Commission in Hyderabad, Chief Minister's Adviser K. Ramakrishna Rao, Sanjay Jaju and other senior officials attended the meeting.

Ponguleti Praises Sparsh Hospice for 15 Years of Palliative Care Services

Hyderabad, The Journalist Post, October 14: Telangana Minister Ponguleti Srinivasa Reddy has praised Sparsh Hospice for its dedicated service to patients suffering from terminal illnesses, including cancer, saying its efforts to provide relief, dignity and emotional support to patients during the final stages of life are commendable.

The minister attended the anniversary celebrations marking the completion of 15 years of ser-

served more than 17,000 patients over the past 15 years. He highlighted the importance of free palliative care, particularly for economically disadvantaged families who face considerable financial pressure because of serious illnesses. He said that along with medical assistance, emotional reassurance and compassionate care play a crucial role in supporting patients and their families.



vice and the organisation's entry into its 16th year. He said that caring for patients with life-threatening diseases requires not only medical expertise but also compassion, patience and a commitment to preserving their dignity. He observed that Sparsh Hospice was setting an example through its efforts to ease patients' suffering and help them spend their remaining days in peace and comfort.

Sparsh Hospice provides free medical and palliative care to patients with advanced-stage cancer and other incurable, life-threatening illnesses. Its services focus on relieving pain, managing physical discomfort and improving patients' quality of life. The organisation also offers counselling and emotional support to patients experiencing distress because of their illnesses. Guidance and assistance are extended to family members to help them cope with the challenges of caring for terminally ill loved ones. Ponguleti Srinivasa Reddy noted that Sparsh Hospice had

The minister appreciated the contributions of the organisation's management, doctors, nurses and other staff members, acknowledging the dedication required to care for patients facing severe and life-threatening conditions. He said their efforts to reduce pain, provide comfort and offer emotional support to patients and their families deserved recognition. Ponguleti assured that the state government would extend its support to service organisations such as Sparsh Hospice. He stressed the need to encourage institutions providing palliative care, particularly in situations where a disease cannot be completely cured. Relieving pain, protecting patients' dignity and supporting their families, he said, remain essential aspects of compassionate healthcare. Congratulating Sparsh Hospice on completing 15 years of service, the minister expressed hope that the organisation would expand its reach and continue bringing relief and comfort to more patients in need.

Telangana, UK Join Hands to Boost Technical Textiles Industry

Hyderabad, The Journalist Post, October 14: Telangana has taken a significant step towards developing its technical textiles sector through a partnership with the United Kingdom. Two memoranda of understanding (MoUs) have been signed involving the Telangana government, the University of Huddersfield and a textile industry skill development centre to promote research, innovation, technology transfer and workforce training.

State Agriculture, Marketing, Cooperation, Handlooms and Textiles Minister Tummala Nageswara Rao announced the partnership, stating that the initiative aims to strengthen the textile industry, improve technical skills and help local manufacturers compete in international markets.

The collaboration will focus on advanced textile technologies, including three-dimensional weaving and composite materials. Technical textiles are used in

specialised applications across healthcare, defence, transportation and industrial manufacturing. Access to advanced research and technology could help Telangana-based companies improve product quality, diversify manufacturing and explore new markets.



Research and Advanced Technology

The agreements are expected to strengthen cooperation among educational institutions, research organisations and industry partners. The collaboration aims to encourage the development of new products, facilitate the exchange of technical expertise and explore ways to introduce advanced manufacturing processes to Telangana's textile sector.

The partnership also places emphasis on developing skilled human resources. Training programmes for textile workers, technical professionals and students are expected to align with industry requirements and international standards. Areas of



focus include modern machinery, quality control and innovative manufacturing techniques.

Improved training and industry-oriented education could enhance productivity, address skill shortages and create additional employment opportunities for young people.

International Collaboration and Investment Opportunities

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Kiran Kumar Reddy, Special Chief Secretary for Handlooms and Textiles Sabyasachi Ghosh, Yorkshire Mayor's business adviser Mandy Ridyard, David Antich, Managing Director of Antich & Sons, technical textiles expert Professor Goswami, and Aziz, Managing Director of the textile industry skill development centre, attended the programme along with other officials.

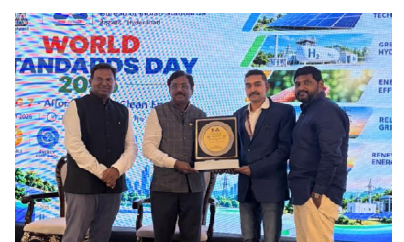
The partnership is expected to create opportunities for research collaboration, investment and technology exchange between Telangana and UK institutions. By combining traditional textile manufacturing strengths with modern technical capabilities, the state aims to expand its product range and strengthen its position in global markets. The successful implementation of the agreements will depend on sustained research projects, practical training programmes, technology transfer and active participation from industry partners.

CBIT BIS Club Wins Best Standards Club Award at World Standards Day Celebrations 2026

Hyderabad, The Journalist Post, October 14: The Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) Club of Chaitanya Bharathi Institute of Technology (CBIT), Hyderabad, received the Best Standards Club Award at the World Standards Day Celebrations 2026 organised by BIS Hyderabad. Telangana Labour and Employment Minister Dr. Vivek Venkata Swamy presented the award.

The recognition acknowledges the club's efforts to promote quality consciousness, standardisation and awareness of Indian Standards through student activities and awareness programmes.

Club coordinators Dr. T. Sudhakar Babu and N.



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