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Revanth Reddy Predicts Three-Fourths Majority for UDF in Kerala

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Telangana Chief Minister Revanth Reddy expressed strong confidence that the United Democratic Front (UDF) will achieve a landslide victory in the upcoming Kerala Assembly elections, predicting that the alliance will secure nearly three-fourths of the total seats. Addressing election campaign meetings in Kerala, Revanth Reddy stated that there is a visible wave of support among the people in favor of the UDF. He said the public is looking for a change from the current administration and is ready to deliver a decisive mandate. According to him, the mood on the ground clearly indicates dissatisfaction with the ruling government and a growing desire for better governance and transparency. Revanth Reddy actively participated in several campaign programmes, interacting with party leaders, workers, and the general public. He emphasized that the UDF is committed to welfare, development, and people-centric governance. He also highlighted that the alliance has a clear vision for the state’s progress, fo-



cus on economic growth, job creation, and infrastructure development. Criticizing the ruling Left Democratic Front government led by Pinarayi Vijayan, Revanth Reddy alleged that the administration has failed to meet public expectations. He ac-

cused the government of mismanagement and lack of accountability, stating that people are now seeking an alternative that can deliver effective governance. Drawing comparisons with political changes in Telangana, Revanth Reddy pointed

out that voters in his state had chosen a new direction in 2023, leading to a change in government. He expressed confidence that a similar trend would be seen in Kerala, where people are eager for transformation and progress. The Chief Minister further stated that the UDF manifesto outlines a comprehensive roadmap for the state’s future, promising improvements in various sectors including education, healthcare, and employment opportunities. He urged voters to support the alliance to ensure a brighter and more stable future for Kerala. As the election campaign enters its final phase, political activity has intensified across the state, with leaders from different parties making their last appeals to voters. Revanth Reddy’s bold prediction reflects the confidence within the Congress-led alliance about its electoral prospects. With polling day approaching, the focus now shifts to the electorate, whose verdict will ultimately determine whether the UDF can achieve the massive majority predicted by Revanth Reddy or if the ruling alliance will retain power.



Telangana Audit Department Tops National Rankings - Bhatti Vikramarka

Hyderabad, April 7 | TPN Bureau

Telangana Deputy Chief Minister Bhatti Vikramarka Mallu on Tuesday announced that the Telangana Audit Department has secured the number one position in the country for its online auditing system, achieving the top national rank for three consecutive times.

The Deputy Chief Minister made these remarks during a high-level review meeting held at the Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Secretariat with senior officials from the Gujarat Audit Department, who are currently visiting Telangana to study its advanced online auditing system.

Welcoming the delegation, Bhatti Vikramarka said that governance systems in Telangana are functioning in a strong and transparent manner, supported by effective use of technology. He assured the visiting officials of complete cooperation and support in understanding the functioning of the Audit Department. He added that the state government is committed to sharing its best practices with other states to strengthen administrative systems across the country.

The officials from Gujarat informed the Deputy Chief Minister that they have been visiting several Gram Panchayats across Telangana over the past two days as part of

their study. They observed that the online auditing system in the state is operating efficiently, ensuring transparency and accountability at all levels of governance.

Bhatti Vikramarka highlighted that Telangana has emerged as a model state in digital governance, particularly in financial auditing and monitoring systems. He noted that the adoption of technology has minimized delays, improved accuracy, and strengthened public trust in government processes.

The Deputy Chief Minister further stated that continuous innovation and strict implementation of auditing standards have helped the state achieve consistent top rankings. He emphasized that the government will continue to upgrade its systems and introduce new measures to maintain high standards in public administration.

The meeting was attended by Finance Department Principal Secretary Sandeep Kumar Sultania, Telangana Audit Department Director Narasimhan, and other senior officials.

The visit by Gujarat officials reflects the increasing interest among states in adopting Telangana’s digital audit framework. Officials believe that such collaborative efforts will help improve transparency, efficiency, and accountability in governance systems across India.

Harish Rao Alleges Land Grab, Slams Government Over Arrests

Parigi, April 7 | TPN Bureau

Senior BRS leader and former minister T. Harish Rao launched a sharp attack on the state government, alleging attempts to acquire lands belonging to Dalits, tribals, and weaker sections in Parigi constituency under the pretext of industrial development.

Addressing the media, Harish Rao accused the government led by Chief Minister Revanth Reddy of targeting lands of marginalized communities. He alleged that thousands of acres belonging to SCs and STs were being taken away and warned that additional land acquisition notifications could impact tens of thousands of acres in the near future.

He questioned why the government was “acting like vultures” over lands belonging to weaker sections and farmers. Drawing a comparison, he remarked that just as the Earth revolves around the Sun, all the thoughts of the Chief Minister revolve around land.

Harish Rao further alleged that while land was distributed to the poor under earlier regimes, the current administration was now taking it back. He criticized plans to set up industries on fertile agricultural lands, stating that such moves would severely impact farm-



ers’ livelihoods.

The BRS leader also condemned what he termed as undemocratic actions by the government, alleging that opposition leaders were being prevented from meeting farmers. He claimed that arrests and detentions were being used to suppress dissent.

Citing a recent incident, he said former MLA Mahesh Reddy was arrested and shifted between police stations. He also alleged that police disrupted a

farmers’ meeting near Kallapur by dismantling tents and detaining farmers, including women, creating an atmosphere of fear.

Harish Rao questioned whether the government was trying to deny people their democratic right to protest. He accused the administration of demolishing houses of the poor in the name of projects and acquiring lands linked to institutions, markets, and other purposes. He demanded that

the government immediately withdraw industrial notifications in Parigi and return lands to farmers. He also called for a review and removal of restrictions under the “22A prohibited list,” which affects land transactions. Warning of continued agitation, Harish Rao said the BRS would stand firmly with farmers and weaker sections. “Our fight will not stop until justice is done and lands are returned to rightful owners,” he asserted.

Uttam Kumar Reddy Announces Transparent Beneficiary Selection for Model Colony

Huzurnagar, April 7 | TPN Bureau

State Irrigation and Civil Supplies Minister N. Uttam Kumar Reddy on Tuesday said the upcoming model colony in Huzurnagar will serve as a benchmark for the entire state, assuring that beneficiary selection for housing allotment will be carried out in a completely transparent manner.

The minister visited the model colony site near Ramaswamy Gutta in Huzurnagar constituency and reviewed the progress of works. Spread across 116 acres, the colony comprises 2,160 single-bedroom houses and is being developed with modern infrastructure and amenities.

Addressing the media, Uttam Kumar Reddy stated that there will be no scope for favoritism or recommendations in the selection of beneficiaries. He made it clear that even those recommended by public representatives must meet eligibility criteria, warning that strict action will be taken if ineligible persons are included.

He urged the public to report directly to authorities if they find any discrepancies in the beneficiary list. “We will not tolerate attempts to create confusion among people. Strict action will be taken against those spreading misinformation,” he said. The minister announced that in the first phase, around 1,500 beneficiaries will be se-



lected after thorough scrutiny. He emphasized that the list will be finalized only after careful verification to ensure fairness and credibility.

Highlighting the development plans, Uttam Kumar Reddy said that a Telangana Public School will be established in the colony with an allocation of Rs. 10 crore. Another Rs. 10 crore will be spent on constructing an Anganwadi centre, a community hall, and other essential infrastructure including internal roads, drainage systems, a sports ground, walking track, and open gym facilities.

He revealed that apart from the land cost, around Rs. 125 crore has been spent on construction, and an additional Rs. 20 crore has recently been sanctioned to enhance infrastructure.

Recalling the project’s history, the minister said the land

was purchased in 2011 during the undivided Andhra Pradesh period from the Endowments Department. He alleged that despite 90 percent of the work being completed earlier, the project was deliberately delayed by the previous government.

He added that after coming to power, the Congress government accelerated the works and is now preparing to inaugurate the colony by the end of April. District Collector Tejas Nandlal Pawar, SP Narasimha, local RDOs, and housing department officials accompanied the minister during the inspection.

Reiterating his commitment, Uttam Kumar Reddy assured that the model colony will emerge as a landmark project for Huzurnagar, with a fair and transparent system ensuring that only deserving beneficiaries receive houses.

Revanth Reddy Writes to Kerala CM, Raises Questions on Governance

Hyderabad, April 7 | TPN Bureau

Telangana Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy on Tuesday wrote a strongly worded letter to Kerala Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan, stating that the achievements of Kerala were largely the result of previous United Democratic Front (UDF) governments rather than the current Left Democratic Front (LDF) administration.

Responding to Vijayan’s earlier communication, Revanth Reddy said he had intended to maintain a dignified tone but was compelled to respond after what he described as objectionable language used in the Kerala Chief Minister’s letter. He clarified that he does not react impulsively to political criticism and assured that Vijayan would always be treated with due respect as a guest when visiting Telangana.

The Telangana Chief Minister criticized Vijayan for repeatedly citing the NITI Aayog SDG Index 2023-24 to com-

pare states, stating that the data reflected the previous administration in Telangana and not the current government. He emphasized that his government has completed 28 months in office and should be evaluated based on its own performance.

Highlighting economic growth, Revanth Reddy noted that Telangana’s Gross State Domestic Product (GSDP) reached Rs. 16.12 lakh crore in 2024-25, with a growth rate of 10.7 percent, surpassing the national average of 9.9 percent. He added that the state’s per capita income has risen to Rs. 3.87 lakh, placing Telangana ahead of several major states including Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, Maharashtra, and Kerala, according to RBI data.

Questioning Kerala’s claims on poverty eradication, Revanth Reddy referred to Vijayan’s earlier statement that extreme poverty would be eliminated by the end of 2025. He pointed out that as of April 2026, thousands of families

were still receiving welfare support, asking whether the target had truly been achieved.

The Chief Minister also raised concerns over pending issues, including the gold smuggling case and alleged irregularities related to gold from the Sabarimala Temple. He questioned why these matters remain unresolved despite serious allegations involving senior officials.

Revanth Reddy reiterated that his government is moving forward with the “Telangana Rising 2047” vision, aiming to build a one-trillion-dollar economy through major initiatives such as the Future City near Hyderabad and the National Industrial Corridor in Zaheerabad.

He concluded by expressing hope that Kerala’s future government would work towards a “Nava Kerala” vision, adding that the people of Kerala would take an informed decision in the coming days.



Report on Indiramma Canteens Submitted to Minister Ponnam Prabhakar

Hyderabad, April 7 | TPN Bureau

A 60-page report on the functioning of Indiramma Canteens in Hyderabad has been submitted to Telangana Minister Ponnam Prabhakar by the Peoples Pulse Research.

The report, prepared after an in-depth study of the canteens' operations, highlights key aspects related to service quality, accessibility, and overall performance. Directors of the organization, R. Dileep Reddy and G. Murali Krishna, formally presented the findings to the minister.

Following the submission, Minister Ponnam Prabhakar held discussions with the Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation Commissioner regarding the issues and observations mentioned in the report. Sources indicated that the minister reviewed key concerns related to the functioning and management of Indiramma Canteens across the city.

The minister stated that a detailed review meeting with concerned officials will be conducted soon to assess the findings and take necessary steps for improvement. He emphasized the importance of ensuring that In-

diramma Canteens effectively serve the needs of the urban poor by providing affordable and hygienic food.

The report is expected to play a crucial role in identifying gaps and enhancing the efficiency of the canteen system. Officials believe that the government's focus will now be on strengthening operations and addressing any shortcomings highlighted in the study.

The submission of the report and the proposed review signal a renewed push by authorities to improve public welfare initiatives and ensure better service delivery through Indiramma Canteens in Hyderabad.



Ponnam Prabhakar Reviews Transport Department at Secretariat

Hyderabad, April 7 | TPN Bureau

Telangana Transport Minister Ponnam Prabhakar conducted a state-level review meeting on the Transport Department at the Secretariat, focusing on reforms, revenue performance, and public service improvements.

The meeting was attended by Special Chief Secretary Vikas Raj, Transport Commissioner K. Ilambarathi, and Joint Transport Commissioners Chandrasekhar Goud, Shiva Lingayya, and Ramesh. District Transport Commissioners (DTCs), District Transport Officers (DTOs), Regional Transport Officers (RTOs), Motor Vehicle Inspectors (MVIs), and Assistant MVIs also participated. During the meeting, the minister unveiled a booklet highlighting the revolutionary reforms being implemented in the Transport Department under the Praja Palana government. He emphasized the need for efficient service delivery and transparent administration to benefit the public.

As part of the program, Minister Ponnam Prabhakar pre-



sented the first "Rahaveer Award" under the Rahaveer scheme to Ganapathi Venkanna from Nalgonda district. The awardee was given a cheque of 25,000 in recognition of his contribution. The review also



focused on the department's revenue performance for the financial years 2024-25 and 2025-26. Discussions were held on districts that achieved revenue targets and strategies to improve collections in other regions. The minister directed officials to strengthen enforcement mechanisms while ensuring that citizens do not face inconvenience in accessing transport services. He stressed the importance of increasing revenue streams without compromising public convenience. Officials were instructed to adopt innovative measures, improve monitoring, and enhance accountability across all levels of the department to ensure better outcomes in the coming financial years.

Tummala Reviews Urea Usage, Interacts with Farmers

Hyderabad, April 7 | TPN Bureau

Telangana Agriculture Minister Tummala Nagaswara Rao participated in the weekly "Rythu Nestham" programme on Tuesday, where he interacted directly with farmers through a video conference from the Secretariat. The session focused on gathering feedback on the Urea App and promoting scientific agricultural practices among farmers.

During the interaction, farmers shared positive feedback about the Urea App, stating that it has significantly reduced the inconvenience of standing in long queues for fertilizers. They said the app allows them to book urea from their homes and collect it at a suitable time, saving both time and effort. Farmers appreciated the transparency and convenience introduced through the digital system and requested the minister to continue urea distribution through the app in the future.

Responding to their feed-



back, Minister Tummala assured that the government would consider farmers' opinions while making policy decisions. He directed officials to ensure maximum participation of farmers in the Rythu Nestham programme and emphasized that its primary objective is to address farmers' concerns and create awareness about modern and sustainable farming practices.

The minister also highlighted the risks associated with excessive use of urea. He pointed out that Telangana is among the states with high urea consumption and warned that overuse could adversely affect

soil fertility, reduce crop productivity over time, and increase pest infestations. He urged farmers to adopt balanced and scientific fertilizer usage to protect soil health and ensure long-term agricultural sustainability. In addition, he advised farmers not to burn crop residue after harvest, explaining that it leads to environmental pollution and damages soil quality. He encouraged the adoption of eco-friendly farming methods to preserve natural resources. Minister Tummala also suggested crop diversification, recommending that farmers cultivate palm oil crops along with paddy, cotton,

and maize. He stated that palm oil cultivation can provide stable and higher income if adopted on a larger scale. Later, representatives from Huzurabad municipality, including local public representatives, met the minister at the Secretariat and felicitated him. They requested his intervention to stop proposed dumping yard works in their area. Odithala Pranav was also present during the meeting. The programme reflected the government's continued efforts to engage with farmers directly, promote technology-driven solutions, and encourage sustainable agricultural practices across the state.

Congress Holds 'Sangathan Srujan Abhiyan' Meet in Nagarkurnool

Nagarkurnool, April 7 | TPN Bureau

The Indian National Congress organized the "Sangathan Srujan Abhiyan" programme in Nagarkurnool district, where the District Congress Committee (DCC) executive body oath-taking ceremony was held on a grand scale.

The meeting was chaired by DCC president and MLA Vamshi Krishna, while TPCC president and MLC Mahesh Kumar Goud attended as the chief guest. During the event, Mahesh Kumar Goud administered the oath to the newly appointed DCC executive members.

The programme witnessed the participation of several senior leaders, including



MLAs Kasireddy Narayan Reddy and Rajasekhara Reddy, MP Mallu Ravi, AICC Secretary Sachin Sawant, and CWC member Challa Vamshi Chand Reddy, along with party workers in large numbers.

Addressing the gathering, Mahesh Kumar Goud launched

a strong attack on BRS working president K. T. Rama Rao, alleging that he has been spreading false information on major irrigation projects, including the Kaleshwaram project. He claimed that exaggerated statements were made about irrigating lakhs of acres,

while actual figures were significantly lower, as per technical assessments. He also criticized the previous BRS government led by K. Chandrashekar Rao, alleging large-scale financial mismanagement in irrigation projects and stating that huge public funds were wasted without delivering expected results.

Highlighting the Congress government's initiatives, he said that welfare and development programmes are being effectively implemented and must be taken to the grassroots level. Referring to Rahul Gandhi and his Bharat Jodo Yatra, he emphasized the party's commitment to social justice and inclusive growth. Mahesh Kumar Goud stated that the caste survey conducted in Telangana has become a model for the

country and reiterated that the government is committed to providing reservations and opportunities to backward classes and weaker sections. He also stressed that the Congress government is focused on developing the Palamuru region through major irrigation projects like the Palamuru-Rangareddy scheme, aiming to provide irrigation, drinking water, and employment opportunities. The TPCC chief criticized the Bharatiya Janata Party, alleging that the central government has failed to extend adequate support and has not granted national status to key projects in Telangana.

The meeting concluded with a call to strengthen party organization and ensure that development and welfare benefits reach every section of society.

Chamala Kiran Kumar Reddy Lays Foundation for BT Road Works

Tungaturthi, April 7 | TPN Bureau

Bhongir Member of Parliament Chamala Kiran Kumar Reddy on Tuesday laid the foundation stone for the construction of a new BT road between Baironi-banda and Nakkalapalli villages in Tungaturthi constituency.

Addressing the gathering, the MP said that road connectivity plays a key role in the development of rural areas. He stated that the government is giving priority to building BT roads even in remote villages to improve infrastructure and ease transportation difficulties faced by people.

Tungaturthi MLA Mandula Samuel and Nalgonda District Collector Chandrashekhara attended the programme as special guests.

Speaking on the occasion, Kiran Kumar Reddy said that the newly sanctioned road will

help reduce transportation problems for the residents of both villages and improve connectivity. He directed officials to complete the work within the stipulated time and ensure quality standards are maintained.

He further stated that the government is committed to public welfare and development. He added that efforts are being made to sanction funds and complete pending road works across the constituency at a faster pace.

The MP highlighted that better road infrastructure will not only improve daily commuting but also support economic activities in rural areas by enabling easier movement of goods and services.

The event was attended by Sarpanch Yadaiah, senior district leader Danda Ashok Reddy, local public representatives, officials from various departments, party workers, and a large number of villagers.

Mahesh Kumar Goud Condemns Attack on ABN Andhra Jyothy Office

Hyderabad, April 7 | TPN Bureau

TPCC President and MLC Mahesh Kumar Goud strongly condemned the attack on the ABN Andhra Jyothy office in Hyderabad, allegedly carried out by workers of the YSR Congress Party. In a statement issued on Tuesday, Mahesh Kumar Goud termed the incident as highly objectionable and a direct threat to media freedom in a democratic society. He said that such attacks on media organizations are unacceptable and go against the fundamental values of democracy.

He emphasized that the media has every right to question and criticize governments, and any attempt to suppress this right cannot be justified under any circumstances. "Freedom of the press is a cornerstone of democracy, and it must be pro-

tected at all costs," he stated.

Expressing serious concern over the incident, the TPCC chief said that attacks on media institutions create fear and undermine democratic principles. He called upon the authorities to take strict action against those responsible for the attack and ensure that such incidents are not repeated in the future. Mahesh Kumar Goud further urged all political parties to respect the role of the media and uphold democratic norms. He stated that safeguarding press freedom is a collective responsibility and any form of violence against journalists or media houses must be condemned unequivocally. The incident has sparked political reactions, with leaders across parties expressing concern over the safety of media organizations and the need to maintain democratic values.



BRS Alleges Land Grab, Demands Release of Arrested Leaders

Hyderabad, April 7 | TPN Bureau

Senior leaders of the Bharat Rashtra Samithi on Tuesday strongly criticized the state government, alleging authoritarian governance, illegal land activities, and suppression of opposition voices. They also demanded the immediate and unconditional release of arrested party leaders.

Speaking at Telangana Bhavan, MLC Dasoju Sravan said the arrests of senior leaders T. Harish Rao, Sabitha Indra Reddy, and Errabelli Dayakar Rao were clear examples of the “dictatorial functioning” of the government led by Chief Minister Revanth Reddy.

He alleged that opposition leaders were being arrested to prevent public issues from coming out and warned that BRS workers would stage protests at police stations if the leaders were not released. “Our democratic fight will continue,” he said.

The leaders also raised serious allegations over land issues in Nadergul and sur-



rounding areas. They claimed that nearly 374 acres of land in Nadergul belongs to the government and pointed out that a High Court ruling in 2020 had confirmed this, although the case is currently pending in the Supreme Court. Despite

this, they alleged that some individuals were attempting to claim the land using fake documents.

Sravan questioned whether constitutional governance exists in the state and accused minister Ponguleti Srinivasa

Reddy of involvement in large-scale land dealings. He alleged that valuable lands in areas such as Kothwalguda, Manasa Hills, and Vattinagulapalli were being targeted.

BRS General Secretary R. S. Praveen Kumar also con-

demned the arrests and alleged that the government was functioning as a “land acquisition-driven administration.” He claimed that land worth thousands of crores was being diverted.

He demanded that the Government present proper documents and come forward for an open discussion. He also alleged misuse of key departments and concentration of power for financial benefits.

The leaders stated that land worth around 7,000 crore in Nadergul could be used for public welfare, including housing for the poor, loan waivers for farmers, sports infrastructure, coaching centers, and libraries. Issuing a warning, they gave a 72-hour deadline to officials to act by removing fencing on disputed lands and reclaiming government land. They warned that failure to respond would lead to direct action by the party.

Several leaders, including Abhilash Rangineni, Kalvakurthy Srinivas Yadav, and Narasimha Goud, were present at the press meet.



Arrest of Harish Rao Undemocratic: Vemula Prashanth Reddy

Hyderabad, April 7 | TPN Bureau

Former minister and MLA Vemula Prashanth Reddy strongly condemned the arrest of senior BRS leader T. Harish Rao and other party leaders, calling it a “highly objectionable and undemocratic act.” In a statement issued on Tuesday, Prashanth Reddy said that Harish Rao was on his way to Parigi to meet farmers who were allegedly losing their lands in the name of an industrial park when police intercepted and arrested him at Appa Junction. He said the action reflected the government’s intolerance toward opposition voices.

He further stated that along with Harish Rao, former ministers Sabitha Indra Reddy and Errabelli Dayakar Rao, as well as former MLA Aal Venkateshwar Reddy and others, were prevented from proceeding to Vikarabad district. He termed the move as a direct attack on democratic rights.

Prashanth Reddy alleged that not only were the leaders

stopped from reaching Parigi, but they were also arrested and forcibly shifted via Shamshabad towards Shadnagar. He criticized the police for not disclosing where the leaders were being taken, which he said has created suspicion and concern among the public.

He also noted that the police action led to tense situations at the spot, as BRS leaders and supporters strongly protested against the arrests. He accused the government led by Chief Minister Revanth Reddy of suppressing opposition voices and undermining democratic values.

Calling the incident “a blow to democracy,” Prashanth Reddy demanded that the government immediately clarify the circumstances surrounding the arrests and release all detained leaders without conditions.

He warned that despite arrests, conspiracies, and restrictions, the BRS would continue to expose what he described as “land grabbing and injustice” by the government in public forums.

Telangana HC Issues Notices on Revanth Reddy’s Plea in 2019 Poll Code Cases



Hyderabad, April 7, 2026:

The Telangana High Court has issued notices on a petition filed by Telangana Chief Minister Revanth Reddy seeking to quash multiple cases related to alleged violations of the Model Code of Conduct during the 2019 elections.

The cases were registered during the election campaign period when Revanth Reddy was actively participating in political activities and public meetings. The allegations reportedly pertain to statements and actions that were considered to be in violation of election guidelines. These cases were filed in different police stations across the state.

In his petition, Revanth Reddy argued that the cases are politically motivated and lack substantial legal grounds. He stated that the charges do not amount to criminal offences and that continuing the proceedings would be an unnecessary burden and misuse of the legal process. He requested the court to quash all the cases to avoid prolonged litigation.

During the hearing, the High Court took note of the arguments presented and issued notices to the concerned authorities, directing them to respond to the plea. The court is expect-

ed to examine whether the allegations fall within the scope of criminal violations or are part of routine political expression during election campaigns.

Legal observers point out that Model Code of Conduct violations do not always lead to criminal prosecution unless there is clear evidence of violation of specific legal provisions. Political speeches and campaign activities are often subject to interpretation, and courts usually assess whether there was any deliberate intent to violate the law.

The issuance of notices indicates that the court has taken the matter for detailed consideration. The respondents are expected to file their replies, after which the court will hear the case further and decide on the validity of the petition.

This case gains significance as it involves a sitting Chief Minister and pertains to election-related legal issues. The outcome may also have implications for similar cases involving political leaders and campaign conduct.

Further hearings will take place after the responses are submitted, and the High Court will then determine whether to dismiss the cases or allow legal proceedings to continue.

TPCC Leader Dayakar Slams Harish Rao, Issues Open Challenge

Hyderabad, April 7 | TPN Bureau

TPCC General Secretary Chanagani Dayakar launched a sharp attack on former minister T. Harish Rao, accusing him of making baseless and sensational remarks for media attention.

Addressing the media, Dayakar said Harish Rao should refrain from making “cheap and irresponsible comments” against the Chief Minister and cabinet ministers. He alleged that Harish Rao’s statements lack substance and are aimed only at gaining publicity.

“His words are like leaves falling from trees—mean-

less and without direction,” Dayakar remarked, criticizing the tone and content of Harish Rao’s recent statements. He further accused the BRS leader of making “bogus and empty claims” instead of addressing real issues.

Dayakar also questioned Harish Rao over allegations made earlier by K. Kavitha, stating that no proper clarification has been given so far. He alleged that BRS leaders are avoiding accountability while continuing to make unfounded accusations against the Congress government.

Throwing an open challenge, Dayakar invited Harish Rao to come to Gun Park in Hyderabad for a public discussion

on the Congress government’s “Six Guarantees” welfare schemes. “If you have the courage, come to Gun Park and let us settle everything in front of the people,” he said.

He asserted that the Congress party will return to power again, expressing confidence in the party’s growing support among the public. He also warned that Congress workers would strongly counter what he described as misleading propaganda by BRS leaders.

Dayakar accused the previous BRS government of corruption and exploitation, claiming that the current administration under Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy is tak-

Kavitha Alleges Centre Weakening Employment Guarantee Scheme

Hyderabad, April 7 | TPN Bureau

BRS MLC K. Kavitha on Tuesday alleged that the central government led by the Bharatiya Janata Party is attempting to weaken the rural employment guarantee scheme, which she described as a crucial support system for millions of poor people.

Speaking at the Jagruti office in Banjara Hills, Kavitha said the Centre has been acting against the interests of the poor since coming to power. She accused the government of planning to gradually dilute and possibly remove the employment guarantee programme that has been benefiting rural communities.

Referring to Telangana, she said that the number of workdays under the scheme has been significantly reduced. According to her, about 14 crore workdays were generated in 2021-22 after the COVID-19 period, but this number has dropped to around 7 crore in the previous year.

Kavitha also alleged that the scheme, which earlier had legal backing, is now being converted into a programme without statutory protection. She said that such changes could make it easier for the government to withdraw the scheme in the future without



accountability.

She highlighted that the employment guarantee programme has been vital in supporting rural livelihoods, especially during drought conditions and financial distress. It has also contributed to strengthening the rural economy by ensuring wage employment for the poor. The BRS leader further pointed out that field assistants working under the scheme are facing job insecurity due to the lack of legal safeguards. She demanded that they be given job security, minimum wages, and protection under labour laws.

Kavitha questioned the role

of BJP MPs from Telangana, stating that the people elected eight MPs but they have not effectively raised issues concerning the welfare of the poor. She urged them to take up the matter with the central government and ensure that sufficient funds are allocated to the scheme.

Describing the situation as unjust, Kavitha demanded that the Centre restore proper funding and legal protection to the employment guarantee programme, warning that any weakening of the scheme would have serious consequences for rural communities.



ing steps to expose irregularities and bring accountability. He added that initiatives like HYDRA are aimed at clearing illegal encroachments that took place during the previous regime. Reiterating his challenge, Dayakar

urged Harish Rao to face a direct public debate and defend his statements.

The remarks have further intensified the ongoing political war of words between Congress and BRS leaders in Telangana.



KTR Criticises Congress Over BRS Leaders’ Arrests

Hyderabad, April 7 | TPN Bureau

Telangana’s political tensions escalated as K. T. Rama Rao (KTR) strongly criticised the Congress government for detaining and placing several Bharat Rashtra Samithi (BRS) leaders under house arrest. The move came when the leaders were on their way to Parigi in Vikarabad district to meet farmers protesting against alleged forced land acquisition.

Speaking to the media, KTR described the government’s actions as “cowardly” and “anti-democratic,” accusing it of suppressing opposition voices. He said senior BRS leaders, including former ministers T. Harish Rao and Sabitha Indra Reddy, were unlawfully restricted despite attempting to support local farmers. He argued that standing in solidarity with farmers should not be treated as a punishable offence.

KTR highlighted that the detentions reflected the government’s fear of political opposition and its inability to face criticism. He warned that using administrative measures to

prevent leaders from engaging with the public undermines democratic principles and citizens rights.

Recalling the party’s struggles during the Telangana statehood movement, KTR said that BRS has historically faced challenges but continues to prioritise people’s welfare. He reiterated the party’s commitment to supporting farmers and urged the government to stop compulsory land acquisition in Parigi.

The BRS working president demanded the immediate release of all detained leaders and stressed that dialogue, rather than punitive measures, should be used to resolve conflicts. The issue has intensified political friction in the state, with opposition parties accusing the government of misusing law enforcement to curb dissent ahead of upcoming elections.

KTR’s statements underscore growing tensions between Telangana’s ruling Congress party and the BRS, highlighting the challenges of balancing governance, land rights, and democratic freedoms in the state.

Health Camp Draws Huge Response in Shapur Nagar

Quthbullapur, April 7 | TPN Bureau

Marking World Health Day, a free medical and health camp was organized at Sanjay Gandhi Nagar in Shapur Nagar division of Quthbullapur constituency, witnessing an overwhelming response from local residents. The camp was conducted under the aegis of the Puppala Foundation with support from Malla Reddy Nursing Institutions.

The initiative was led by Puppala Bhaskar, president of the BRS party for the GHMC division. The event was attended by KP Vivekanand, BRS party whip and MLA, as

the chief guest, along with former corporator Mantri Satyanarayana.

Speaking on the occasion, MLA KP Vivekanand criticized the government for what he described as neglect in the healthcare sector. He alleged that the administration has failed to implement comprehensive health policies effectively and pointed to gaps in providing basic medical facilities to the public. He emphasized that, amid rising health concerns, voluntary organizations like the Puppala Foundation stepping forward to conduct such service activities is highly commendable.

The camp offered free medical check-ups, basic diagnostic

services, and consultations, benefiting a large number of residents from the surrounding areas. In addition, students from Malla Reddy Nursing Institutions conducted an awareness drive on Dengue, educating people about preventive measures and the importance of early detection. The awareness session was well received and is expected to contribute to improved public health consciousness in the locality.

MLA Vivekanand urged people to take greater responsibility for their health and make full use of such free medical camps. He reiterated that serving the welfare of the people remains a primary ob-

jective of the BRS party and assured continued efforts toward community-focused initiatives.

Several party leaders and local representatives, including division general secretary Siddiq, vice presidents Madhumohan and Firoz, women's president Hemalatha Reddy, along with Basheeruddin, Mukunda Rao, Sajid, and others, were present at the event. Medical staff, volunteers, and a large number of residents actively participated, contributing to the camp's success.

The event highlighted the growing role of community-driven healthcare initiatives in addressing public health challenges at the grassroots el.



Tension at NSR Impulse Junior College

Quthbullapur, April 7 | TPN Bureau

Tension prevailed at NSR Impulse Junior College in Dundigal under Quthbullapur constituency on Tuesday, as student unions staged a protest against the college management over the continuation of classes even after examinations. Raising slogans outside the campus, student leaders expressed strong opposition to conducting classes during holidays. They alleged that the management was forcing first-year students to attend classes despite exams being completed, leading to unnecessary mental pressure. The protesting groups warned that the agitation would intensify if their demands were not addressed immediately. Speaking during the protest, ABVP student leader Srinath accused the college of imposing undue stress on students. He stated that first-year students were being compelled to attend classes post-examinations, while second-year students were allegedly being charged additional fees under the guise of coaching and other programs. "This is completely unfair. The management must



immediately stop such practices and ensure justice for students," he demanded. Another major concern raised by the student unions was related to safety on campus. They pointed out that construction work was still ongoing within the college premises, yet classes were being conducted in nearby blocks. According to the protesters, this posed a serious risk to student safety, especially with unfinished buildings and construction activity taking

place simultaneously. Students also expressed dissatisfaction over the lack of response from authorities. They claimed that several complaints had already been submitted to concerned officials, including the District Intermediate Officer (DIO), but no concrete action had been taken so far. The absence of timely intervention has further fueled unrest among the students. He protesting unions demanded immediate suspension of classes

during holidays, a halt to alleged fee collection practices, and steps to ensure a safe learning environment. They warned that if students were not sent home immediately and their concerns remained unaddressed, they would launch a large-scale agitation in the coming days. Several student leaders and union members participated in the protest, turning the college premises into a tense zone for several hours.

Sealed Building Work Resumes in Nizampet

Quthbullapur, April 7 | TPN Bureau

Allegations of official negligence have surfaced in Nizampet circle under Quthbullapur constituency, after construction activity reportedly resumed at a building that had earlier been sealed by authorities. The incident has triggered sharp criticism from local residents, who are questioning the enforcement of urban planning regulations.

According to information, officials had sealed an under-construction structure near Bachupally substation on February 9 under provisions of the GHMC Act 1955, citing it as an illegal construction. The action was taken by the Town Planning wing of the Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation.

However, nearly two months after the sealing, no further action appears to have been taken. Taking advantage of the delay, the builders allegedly removed the GHMC seal and resumed construction work at the site. This has led to outrage among locals, who say the move openly defies the law.

Residents questioned how such activity could continue in a building that was officially



sealed. "If work is happening so openly in a sealed property, is it due to official negligence or the audacity of the builders?" asked a local resident. Concerns are also being raised about whether such actions could occur without the knowledge or tacit support of authorities.

The incident has cast a shadow over the functioning of the Town Planning department, with locals expressing disappointment over what they describe as a lack of strict enforcement. Many believe that the credibility of civic administration is at stake if sealed structures can be reactivated without consequences.

The controversy comes at a time when officials are engaged in administrative initia-

tives, including ongoing development programs. However, incidents like these have raised doubts about ground-level implementation and monitoring.

Residents are now demanding immediate intervention from higher authorities. They have urged officials to take strict action against those responsible for violating the seal and to ensure that illegal constructions are dealt with firmly.

The resumption of work at a sealed site is being widely viewed as a direct challenge to the rule of law. Locals insist that unless decisive steps are taken, such incidents could set a dangerous precedent, encouraging further violations and undermining public trust in civic governance.



Drive Intensified for 'Footpath-Free' Gajularamaram

Quthbullapur, April 7 | TPN Bureau

In a bid to create pedestrian-friendly spaces, the Cyberabad Municipal Corporation has intensified its enforcement drive to clear encroachments on footpaths in Gajularamaram circle under Quthbullapur constituency.

Acting on the directions of the municipal commissioner, officials launched a special drive from Shapur Nagar to Suraram, targeting illegal signboards, tea stalls, and other structures occupying footpaths. The operation was carried out under the supervision of Deputy Commissioner Sri-pada Rameshwar.

Speaking on the occasion, the Deputy Commissioner stated that the administration is committed to achieving a "Footpath-Free Gajularamaram Circle." He emphasized that ensuring safe and accessible walkways for pedestrians and reducing traffic congestion are the primary objectives of the drive. He warned that strict action would be taken against those who fail to volun-

tarily remove encroachments.

Officials made it clear that unauthorized occupation of public spaces will not be tolerated and that continuous monitoring will be carried out to prevent re-encroachments. The drive also aims to improve urban mobility and enhance road safety for daily commuters.

Officials from multiple departments participated in the drive, reflecting coordinated enforcement efforts. Among them were Narasimha Rao, Traffic Circle Inspector of Jeedimetla, and Sumitra, along with Town Planning Supervisor Machender.

Teams from the Town Planning wing, traffic police, and law and order police jointly carried out the clearance operations, ensuring smooth execution of the drive. Authorities stated that such initiatives will continue in phases to maintain encroachment-free footpaths across the area.

The move has been welcomed by local residents, who have long complained about blocked walkways and traffic disruptions caused by roadside encroachments.

Health Camp Held for Sanitation Staff in Dundigal

Quthbullapur, April 7 | TPN Bureau

As part of a 99-day action plan, the Cyberabad Municipal Corporation organized a special health camp for sanitation workers in Dundigal, focusing on employee well-being and workplace health safety.

The camp was conducted under the directions of the municipal commissioner and supervised by Deputy Commissioner Venkateshwar Naik. It took place at the local Primary Health Centre, where sanitation staff and other employees underwent medical check-ups.

During the camp, doctors carried out general health examinations and distributed necessary medicines to the staff. Medical professionals



also provided guidance on maintaining personal health, hygiene, and preventive care, especially for workers engaged in sanitation duties who are often exposed to health risks.

Officials emphasized that

such initiatives are essential to ensure the health and safety of sanitation workers, who play a crucial role in maintaining public cleanliness and hygiene. They noted that regular health monitoring and aware-

ness programs can help in early detection of illnesses and improve overall well-being among staff.

The initiative received a positive response from employees, who appreciated the efforts

taken by the municipal authorities to address their health concerns. Many workers expressed that such camps not only provide access to basic healthcare services but also create awareness about the importance of preventive healthcare.

Medical staff, including Dr. Swarnalatha and AMOH Dr. Vijaya Mohan Rao, actively participated in the camp. Solid Waste Management Deputy Engineer Anvesh Reddy, Assistant Engineer Ashok, and hospital in-charge Siraj were also present.

The program reflects the corporation's commitment to safeguarding the health of its workforce, particularly those involved in essential services, by ensuring timely medical support and awareness initiatives.

War of Words Between Congress and BRS Over Funds in Nacharam

Nacharam, April 7 | TPN Bureau

A political war of words has intensified in Nacharam division over the allocation of development funds, with the ruling Indian National Congress and the opposition Bharat Rashtra Samithi trading sharp accusations. The dispute began after a press meet held on Monday at Bhavani Nagar by senior BRS leader Sai Jen Shekhar, who claimed that his party was responsible for bringing funds for the development of the division. His remarks triggered a strong response from Congress leaders.

On Tuesday, Nacharam Division Congress president Bandaram Srikanth Goud addressed a press conference at

Raghavendra Nagar, asserting that the Congress government is allocating funds for the area's development. His statements have sparked fresh debate among local political circles. Srikanth Goud stated that under the initiative of Upal constituency Congress in-charge Parameshwar Reddy, the ruling government has sanctioned funds for Nacharam's progress. He questioned why BRS leaders were objecting to Congress workers performing a symbolic milk abhishekam to the portrait of Chief Minister Revanth Reddy in gratitude for the funds.

He further challenged BRS leaders to present details of the development works carried out in the division during their decade-long rule. "If they have



the courage, they should explain what development they have brought and how many funds they allocated to Nacharam in the last ten years," he demanded.

The exchange of statements

has turned into a political flashpoint in the division, with both parties trying to claim credit for development initiatives. Local residents are closely watching the developments, as the issue of fund allocation

remains crucial for infrastructure and civic improvements in the area. With both sides continuing to defend their positions, the political rhetoric is expected to intensify further in the coming days.

Collector Warns of Strict Action in Rabi Paddy Procurement

Nalgonda, April 7 | TPN Bureau

Nalgonda District Collector B. Chandrashekhar on Tuesday warned that strict action will be taken against anyone causing inconvenience to farmers during the ongoing Rabi paddy procurement process in the district. The Collector made these remarks after inaugurating a paddy procurement center at Shaligouraram mandal headquarters along with Bhongir Member of Parliament Chamala Kiran Kumar Reddy. On the same day, an IKP paddy procurement center at Bairavunibanda village was inaugurated by Tungaturthi

MLA Mandula Samuel. Addressing farmers and officials, the Collector stated that 408 paddy procurement centers have been established across the district for the current Rabi season to ensure smooth procurement. He said the state government is offering a Minimum Support Price of Rs. 2,389 per quintal for Grade-A paddy and Rs. 2,369 per quintal for common variety paddy. He said that all necessary arrangements have been made at procurement centers to facilitate smooth operations. Senior officials, including the Additional Collector (Revenue), Sub-Collector of Miryalaguda, Revenue Divisional Officers,

Tahsildars, and Civil Supplies officials, are continuously monitoring the procurement process. The Collector warned that strict action will be taken against procurement center operators or rice millers if they create problems for farmers during procurement or transportation. He urged farmers not to believe rumors or misinformation circulating on social media and advised them to rely only on official information. Farmers were asked to bring properly dried and cleaned paddy to procurement centers to ensure they receive the full support price. He said that all centers are equipped with facilities

such as tarpaulins, drying platforms, and moisture measuring devices for farmers' convenience. He further stated that procurement centers are being opened based on the arrival of paddy in different areas to manage the process efficiently. He encouraged farmers to report any issues immediately. For complaints related to procurement centers or millers, farmers can contact the district control room at 9963407064. He assured that prompt action will be taken on all complaints. Additional Collector Y. Ashok Reddy, DRDO Shekhar Reddy, mandal-level officials, and other officials were present at the event.



Koushik Reddy Leads 24-Hour Hunger Strike Against Dumping Yard

Huzurabad, April 7 | TPN Bureau

The protest against the proposed dumping yard in Huzurabad intensified on Tuesday as MLA Padi Koushik Reddy launched a 24-hour hunger strike, drawing large public participation. As part of the protest, Koushik Reddy began the programme by paying floral tributes to the statue of B. R. Ambedkar. He also paid homage to martyrs before commencing the hunger strike, highlighting the seriousness of the movement. The protest, organized against the establishment of a dumping yard, received a strong response from local residents. A large number of women voluntarily came forward and participated in the hunger strike. People from various villages, along with youth and local residents, gathered in large numbers and expressed their full support for the movement. Leaders from different organizations and political parties also participated in the programme. Former MP B. Vinod Kumar, members of the



Joint Action Committee, and leaders of public organizations attended the protest and extended their support. The protesters expressed concern that the proposed dumping yard would severely impact public health and the environment. They warned that it could lead to groundwater contamination and create long-term health risks for the people living in the surrounding areas. Speaking on the occasion, Koushik Reddy said that establishing a dumping yard without considering public opinion is unjust. He demanded that the government immediately withdraw the decision, stating that the health and fu-

ture of the people should not be put at risk. He further stated that the protest will continue until the government cancels the dumping yard proposal. He warned that if necessary, the agitation will be intensified and continued until justice is achieved. Leaders of the Joint Action Committee expressed confidence that the united efforts of the people will make the movement successful. They urged the government to respond immediately and cancel the dumping yard plan. A large number of women, local residents, public representatives, and political leaders participated in the protest.

CBIT Hosts Lecture on Biotechnology for Sustainable Future

Hyderabad, April 7 | TPN Bureau

The Department of Biotechnology at Chaitanya Bharathi Institute of Technology (CBIT), in association with the Bioengineering and Biotechnology Club (BBCC), organised a guest lecture on "Biotechnological Interventions for a Greener and Sustainable Future" on April 7, 2026. The programme was conducted under the support of Principal Prof. C. V. Narasimulu and guidance of Dr. V. Aruna, Head of the Department of Biotechnology. Faculty members including Dr. S. Sumithra, Dr. Sanjeeb Kumar Mandal, and Dr. B. Sumitra were present along with student leaders led by BBCC President Srikanth Muthyala. Students from the 4th, 6th, and 8th semesters actively participated in the session. The keynote lecture was delivered by Dr. Nivedita Sahu, Senior Principal Scientist at CSIR-Indian Institute of Chemical Technology (CSIR-IICT). She provided an in-depth overview of the diverse "colors" of biotechnol-



ogy and their role in building a sustainable future. Dr. Sahu elaborated on green, white, blue, red, yellow, and gray biotechnology, highlighting their applications in addressing environmental and industrial challenges. She emphasized sustainable interventions through indigenous membrane-based separation technologies, which have been developed as cost-effective

solutions for water purification. One of the key highlights of the lecture was the development of affordable ultrapure water systems, which reduce costs by nearly 90 percent. These technologies are currently supporting healthcare services at Gandhi Hospital and NephroPlus centres, while also providing safe drinking water in public spaces such as

metro stations. The session also covered the industrial potential of algal and seaweed biotechnology, including species like Gracilaria and Kappaphycus, for applications in food production and biomass generation. Dr. Sahu discussed innovations such as ultrafiltration techniques for coconut water processing and the use of biofertilizers and biofuels for sustainable agriculture. She further introduced advanced concepts like CRISPR-based synthetic biology and decarbonisation strategies, explaining how these technologies contribute to the vision of "Atma Nirbhar Bharat" while opening new career opportunities for students in green engineering and biotechnology sectors. The lecture concluded with an interactive session, where students engaged with the expert on emerging trends and research opportunities. The event served as a valuable platform for students to gain insights into sustainable biotechnology and its real-world applications.

Fire Safety Awareness Seminar Held in Hyderabad Under Praja Palana Programme

Hyderabad, April 7, 2026 | TPN Bureau:

As part of the state government's Praja Palana Pragathi Programme, a large-scale fire safety awareness seminar was conducted at Babu Jagjivan Ram Bhavan in Banjara Hills, Hyderabad district. The initiative aimed to educate the public on fire accident prevention and promote safety measures across the city and the state. State Transport and BC Welfare Minister Ponnamm Prabhakar attended the seminar as the chief guest. Addressing the gathering, he stated that nearly 150 people had lost their lives and property worth around 800 crore had been damaged in recent fire accidents in Hyderabad. However, due to timely response from emergency services, nearly 2,000 lives were saved. The minister emphasized that most fire accidents occur due to negligence, violation of safety norms, and unauthorized structural changes after obtaining permissions. He stressed that prevention is more important than reaction and that small precautions can save lives and property. He urged citizens to immediately contact emergency helpline numbers 101 (Fire Services) and 112 during emergencies. The government is taking co-ordinated steps involving the fire department, GHMC, police, and electricity department to reduce fire hazards. Following the vision of Chief Minister Revanth Reddy, awareness programmes are being conducted extensively across Hyderabad and other parts of the state. Measures like underground cabling are also being implemented to reduce electrical fire risks. Hyderabad Police Commissioner C V Anand Sajjanar warned that strict action



would be taken against those neglecting fire safety norms. Fire Services Director General Vikram Singh Mann highlighted the importance of preventive measures and said awareness programmes have already been conducted in hospitals, educational institutions, and other key locations. Officials pointed out that short circuits, gas leaks, and industrial safety lapses are the major causes of fire accidents. Citizens were advised to conduct periodic safety audits, ensure proper wiring, and use certified safety equipment. GHMC Commissioner R V Karnan stated that most fire accidents occur in buildings below 15 meters due to misuse of cellars and setback areas. District Collector Harichandana Dasari emphasized that safety approvals should not be ignored after obtaining them and that consistent compliance is essential. The seminar also featured live demonstrations of modern firefighting equipment, including fire-fighting robots, evacuation techniques, and CPR training by medical teams. Officials and representatives from various departments, institutions, and industries participated actively in the programme.

Peace Rally Held in Nalgonda Against US Actions

Nalgonda, April 7 | TPN Bureau

A peace rally was organized in Nalgonda district on Tuesday condemning the alleged aggressive actions of the United States against Iran and calling for an immediate halt to the conflict. The rally was conducted under the banner of the All India Peace and Solidarity Organisation (AIPSO) at the Clock Tower Centre, drawing participation from various political and social groups. Leaders of AIPSO demanded that the war initiated by US President Donald Trump against Iran be stopped immediately. They also condemned the involvement of Israel in the conflict, describing the actions as acts of aggression. Addressing the gathering, district leaders Katta Venkat Reddy, Ananthula Shankaraya, and district coordination gen-



eral secretary Yadaya criticized what they termed as "imperialist policies" of the United States, alleging that it aims to dominate global affairs. They referred to past conflicts involving countries such as Palestine, Chile, and Libya, accusing the US of military in-

terventions and destabilization. The speakers expressed concern that ongoing wars are leading to a rise in fuel prices and essential commodities, placing a heavy burden on common people worldwide. They warned that unilateral

economic policies, including tariffs imposed by the US, could push the global economy towards another recession. The leaders urged the Government of India to intervene diplomatically and put pressure on the United States to re-

store peace. They emphasized that maintaining global peace is crucial for economic stability and public welfare. The rally received support from leaders of various political parties including CPI, Congress, BRS, CPM, and AIMIM, along with representatives from religious and social organizations. Prominent participants included Malleshwari Reddy, Lodangi Sravan Kumar, Depa Narendra Reddy, National Shareefuddin, Cheera Pan-kaj Yadav, Jamal Khadri, P. Narsi Reddy, Nalparaju Saidulu, and others. Religious leaders such as Maulana Yaser and Pastor Alexander, along with Lions Club representatives, also extended solidarity to the cause. A large number of activists and citizens participated in the rally, raising slogans in support of global peace and against war.

Telangana Strengthens Healthcare with 866 New Doctor Appointments

Hyderabad, April 8 | TPN Bureau

In a major boost to the state's healthcare system, Telangana on Tuesday handed appointment orders to 866 doctors, including 692 civil assistant surgeons (specialists) and 174 assistant professors. The ceremony was attended by Health Minister Damodar Rajanarsimha, Health Principal Secretary Dr. Christina Z. Chongthu, Director of Medical Education Dr. Narendra Kumar, and Telangana Vaidya Vidhana Parishad Commissioner Dr. Ajay Kumar. Addressing the gathering, Minister Rajanarsimha highlighted that over the past two years, the state has filled 10,327 positions across the health department and is set to complete recruitment for an additional 2,322 posts within the next two days. He emphasized that appointments in critical special-



ties such as anaesthesia, gynaecology, paediatrics, and orthopaedics will significantly

enhance healthcare delivery in both urban and rural areas. The minister noted that the

government has been actively recruiting not only doctors but also nursing officers, lab technicians, pharmacists, and other essential health staff to strengthen the medical workforce. He outlined that recruitment for another 6,512 posts is currently underway, which includes 1,000 specialist doctors, 475 assistant professors, 2,322 nursing officers, 732 pharmacists, and other personnel. Dr. Christina Z. Chongthu, Dr. Narendra Kumar, and Dr. Ajay Kumar congratulated the newly appointed doctors and stressed the importance of quality healthcare services reaching all corners of the state. They highlighted that these appointments are part of a larger strategy to improve hospital infrastructure, ensure better patient care, and reduce shortages of trained medical professionals in government facilities. The state govern-

ment's recruitment drive comes amid growing demands for enhanced healthcare access and timely medical attention, particularly in rural and underserved areas. With these new appointments, Telangana aims to reduce patient waiting times, improve specialist consultations, and strengthen emergency and routine medical services across government hospitals. The addition of 866 doctors is expected to play a crucial role in boosting healthcare standards and meeting the increasing medical needs of Telangana's population, reinforcing the government's commitment to comprehensive public health development. By steadily filling key posts and accelerating recruitment in essential medical fields, Telangana positions itself as a state taking proactive measures to ensure accessible, high-quality healthcare for all citizens.

Strict Monitoring of Mines and Quarries Ordered in Kadapa

Kadapa | April 7, 2026 | TPN Bureau
Kadapa District Collector Dr. Sridhar Cherukuri has directed mining officials to focus on the effective management of mines and quarries and take strict action against violations of rules and regulations. The Collector issued these instructions during a district-level screening committee meeting held at the Collectorate on Tuesday.

The meeting, attended by Joint Collector Dr. Nidhi Meena and Rajampet Sub-Collector Bhavana, reviewed key aspects related to mining

operations in the district. Discussions included the functioning of mining quarries, execution of major mineral blocks, land classification, cadastral details, and pending revenue No Objection Certificate (NOC) issues. Addressing the officials, the Collector emphasized that the district's rich mineral resources should be utilized efficiently as a key economic asset. He directed officials to assess how many mines are currently operational, whether they have obtained all necessary government approvals, and if they are functioning in compliance with

established norms. He also stressed the importance of adhering to safety standards, ensuring social responsibility, and maintaining transparency in revenue generation. Dr. Sridhar instructed the authorities to expedite the tender notification process for pending mining leases. He also called for the swift resolution of issues related to revenue, environmental, and forest clearances. Additionally, officials were asked to submit audit reports regularly to ensure accountability and proper monitoring of mining activities. During the meeting, the committee re-

viewed the overall performance of mining operations in the district. The Collector approved the issuance of notifications for six newly identified sand reaches, paving the way for inviting tenders for their management. This move is expected to streamline sand mining operations and enhance revenue generation for the district. Several officials, including Revenue Divisional Officers from Kadapa, Badvel, and Pulivendula, representatives from the Pollution Control Board, Mines Department, and other related departments, participated in the meeting.



Priority to Roads, Drinking Water and Drainage in Tirupati: MLA Arani Srinivasulu

Tirupati City | April 7, 2026 | TPN Bureau
Tirupati MLA Arani Srinivasulu has stated that the NDA coalition government is committed to providing drinking water to every household in the city within the next one and a half years. He emphasized that infrastructure development, particularly roads and drainage systems, is being given top priority to improve urban living standards.

On Tuesday morning, the MLA inaugurated multiple development works in the third division of Tirupati city. The projects, constructed at an estimated cost of around 2 crore, include two drainage canals and several cement concrete (CC) roads. Srinivasulu first inaugurated a drainage canal built at a cost of 50 lakh in Garudadri Nagar. He later launched another drainage canal project constructed with 30 lakh.

Additionally, the MLA inaugurated a CC road developed with an expenditure of 47.35 lakh. Another CC road, constructed at a cost of 61.60 lakh near Kaikala Cheruvu, was also formally opened. These



projects are expected to significantly improve sanitation, connectivity, and overall civic infrastructure in the area.

Speaking on the occasion, Srinivasulu reiterated the government's commitment to the holistic development of Tirupati city. He said steps are being taken to upgrade essential services such as roads, drinking water supply, drainage systems, and street lighting. The focus, he added, is on ensuring sustainable and long-term solutions to civic issues faced by

residents.

Several officials and public representatives attended the Program, including SE Shyam-sundar, EE Tulasi Kumar, DE Lalitha Kumari, TDP cluster in-charge Krishna Yadav, party spokesperson Koduru Balasubrahmanyam, and other leaders from TDP and Jana Sena Party. The initiatives reflect the government's broader vision to strengthen urban infrastructure and enhance the quality of life for citizens in Tirupati.

MLA Pulivarthi Nani Reviews Development Works in Chandragiri

Tirupati (Chandragiri Constituency) | April 7, 2026 | TPN Bureau

Chandragiri MLA Pulivarthi Nani on Tuesday inspected ongoing development works in the constituency along with local leaders and officials, stressing the need for quality execution and timely completion. During the visit, the MLA reviewed the construction of Govindahamam and the new MPDO office building. He examined the progress of the works on-site and interacted with the contractor and concerned officials regarding the pace and quality of construction. Pulivarthi Nani instructed the contractor to ensure that all works are carried out with high standards and completed within the stipulated time frame. He also offered suggestions to improve execution and avoid any delays in project completion. The MLA emphasized that these projects are important for improving administrative infra-



structure and providing better services to the public. Reiterating the government's commitment to development, he said that all ongoing works in the

constituency should be monitored closely and executed without compromising on quality. He warned that negligence in construction or delays

would not be tolerated. Leaders of the ruling coalition, party workers, and officials participated in the inspection program.



Tirupati Police Clarify Zoom Incident During Anti-Drug Awareness Program

Tirupati | April 7, 2026 | TPN Bureau
Tirupati District Police have issued a clarification regarding a Zoom meeting incident that occurred during a large-scale anti-drug awareness program conducted for students.

According to the official press note, the Zoom session was hosted using the official ID of AP EAGLE Chief IGP Ake Ravi Krishna, displayed as "Ake Ravi Krishna, IPS., IGP, EAGLE." Police officials clarified that no name of any former Chief Minister was used in the official login credentials.

The awareness program, titled "Tirupati Sandesh 2.0," was organized on March 6, 2025, at the Sri Venkateswara University (SV University) Auditorium. It was jointly conducted by Tirupati District Police, EAGLE, and the NGO Vibrants of Kalam to educate students about the dangers of drug abuse.

The event witnessed massive participation, with nearly one lakh students joining through around 1,000 Zoom links. Due

to the large number of participants, all attendees were kept on mute to ensure smooth conduct of the session. Additionally, the option for participants to unmute themselves was initially restricted.

However, during the beginning of his address, IGP Ake Ravi Krishna enabled the "unmute themselves" option. At that moment, an individual logged into the session using the name "YS Jagan Mohan," which briefly appeared on the screen.

Police clarified that this was an external participant's login name and not associated with the organizers or the official system. The authorities emphasized that the program was conducted in a structured manner and the incident was purely incidental due to the open nature of the virtual platform at that moment.

Tirupati Police reiterated their commitment to conducting awareness initiatives and maintaining transparency while addressing any concerns arising from such events.

TTD Additional EO Inspects Key Locations in Tirumala

Tirumala | April 7, 2026 | TPN Bureau

TTD Additional Executive Officer Ch. Venkaiah Chowdary conducted a series of inspections in Tirumala on Tuesday to identify a suitable site for the construction of a centralized TTD Administrative Building.

As part of the visit, the Additional EO examined a proposed site located opposite the Ram Bageecha Bus Stand. Officials briefed him on the feasibility and requirements for developing the administrative complex at the location. He reviewed various aspects, including accessibility, space availability, and infrastructure needs. Later, Venkaiah Chowdary visited the Akashaganga area, where he



inspected several shops and issued instructions to the concerned officials regarding their management and maintenance.

He emphasized the need for proper regulation and cleanliness in the area to ensure a better experience for

devotees. The Additional EO also inspected labour sheds situated adjacent to the Srivari Seva Sadan. During the inspection,

he reviewed the facilities provided to workers and directed officials to ensure basic amenities and improved living conditions. Subsequently, he visited the ATC area in Tirumala and examined the site proposed for cottage allotment to the Revenue Department. He instructed officials to expedite the process and ensure proper planning in the allocation of space. Senior officials, including Tirumala Estate Officer Venkateswarlu, VGO Surendra, Executive Engineers Srinivasa Rao and Venu Gopal, and DE Chandrasekhar, participated in the inspection program.

The inspections reflect TTD's ongoing efforts to strengthen infrastructure and administrative facilities in Tirumala for improved management and services.

CMRF Cheques Distributed to Beneficiaries in Chandragiri Constituency

Tirupati (Chandragiri Constituency) | April 7, 2026 | TPN Bureau
Chandragiri MLA Pulivarthi Nani distributed Chief Minister's Relief Fund (CMRF) cheques to several beneficiaries at the Telugu Desam Party office in the constituency on Tuesday, extending financial support to families from Tirupati Rural mandal.

The state government sanctioned a total amount of 24,15,617 under the CMRF to assist individuals facing health issues and other hardships. The beneficiaries were identified based on their needs, and the MLA brought their cases to the attention of Chief Minister N. Chandrababu Naidu.

Acting swiftly on the MLA's request, the Chief Minister directed officials to process the applications and release the financial aid. Following these instructions, the cheques were issued and handed over to the

beneficiaries by Pulivarthi Nani.

Speaking on the occasion, the MLA stated that the government is committed to supporting people during difficult times and ensuring that financial assistance reaches those in genuine need without delay. He emphasized that welfare measures like the CMRF play a crucial role in providing relief to families facing medical and financial crises.

The beneficiaries expressed their heartfelt gratitude to Chief Minister N. Chandrababu Naidu, Deputy Chief Minister Pawan Kalyan, IT Minister Nara Lokesh, and MLA Pulivarthi Nani for extending timely support. They said the assistance had provided much-needed relief during challenging times.

Leaders of the ruling coalition, party workers, and local representatives were present at the event.



Lucky Draw for Eat Street Shops to be Held at Kachapi Auditorium: Commissioner N. Maurya

Tirupati | April 7, 2026 | TPN Bureau

Tirupati Municipal Corporation Commissioner N. Maurya has announced that the lucky draw for allotment of Eat Street shops will be conducted on Wednesday at the Kachapi Auditorium. The decision to shift the venue was taken due to the large number of applicants who expressed interest in securing the shops.

According to the Commissioner, the Eat Street project has been developed opposite the Municipal Corporation office in Tirupati with financial support from the Government of India. A total of 14 (shops) have been constructed as part of this initiative, aimed at promoting local business opportunities and enhancing urban amenities.

To facilitate the allotment process, applications were invited from interested individuals over a period of five days. The response from the public was significant, with a large number of applicants submitting their requests. The application process officially con-



cluded on Tuesday evening. Initially, the Municipal Corporation had planned to conduct the lucky draw at the Corporation office premises. However, considering the high

turnout expected from applicants, the venue has now been shifted to the Kachapi Auditorium to ensure smooth and (organized) conduct of the process.

Commissioner N. Maurya stated that the lucky draw will commence at 11:00 AM on Wednesday at the new venue. He urged all applicants to be present at the auditorium on

time and cooperate with the officials during the process. Proper arrangements have been made to ensure transparency and fairness in the selection procedure.

The Eat Street initiative is expected to boost small-scale businesses and provide an organized space for vendors, contributing to the city's economic activity. Officials believe that such projects not only create employment opportunities but also improve the overall urban experience for residents and visitors.

The Commissioner reiterated that the allotment process will be conducted in a transparent manner, ensuring equal opportunity for all applicants. He also appealed to participants to follow instructions and maintain discipline during the event.

With all preparations in place, the Municipal Corporation is set to conduct the lucky draw smoothly, marking a significant step towards operationalizing the Eat Street project in Tirupati.



Health Rally Conducted in Tirupati on World Health Day

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On the occasion of World Health Day, the District Medical and Health Department organized a rally in Tirupati on Tuesday morning to create awareness about healthy living and preventive healthcare practices.

The rally commenced at 9 AM from the DMHO office and passed through SVIMS Circle before concluding at the Maternity Hospital. District Medical and Health Officer (DMHO) Dr. V. Balakrishna Naik flagged off the rally in the presence of health officials, staff, and volunteers.

Addressing the participants, Dr. Balakrishna Naik emphasized that "health is wealth" and there is no greater asset than good health. He urged people to adopt healthy lifestyles and increase awareness about maintaining physical and mental well-being. He highlighted the importance of daily exercise, avoiding junk food, maintaining cleanliness, reducing the intake of oils and

, and following a balanced diet rich in vegetables and leafy greens.

He also encouraged the practice of yoga and meditation as effective ways to enhance overall health. The rally participants raised slogans promoting healthy habits, including "Stay healthy, stay happy," "Our health is in our hands," and "Home-cooked food is best for health."

After the rally, participants formed a human chain and took a pledge to follow healthy practices and spread awareness among the public.

The event saw the participation of Deputy DMHO Srinivasulu Reddy, program officers Dr. Chatraprakash Reddy and Dr. Reddiprasad, along with health staff, ANMs, ASHA workers, health assistants, and representatives from various organizations.

The initiative aimed to encourage citizens to take proactive steps towards healthier living and build a health-conscious society.



Rajamahendravaram Set to Host International Dragon Boat League 2026

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Rajamahendravaram is gearing up to transform into an international sporting hub as it prepares to host the International Dragon Boat League 2026 from May 30 to June 1. The prestigious event is expected to draw global attention, with nearly 1,200 athletes from 25 countries set to participate, marking a significant milestone for the city's sporting landscape.

The announcement was made during a formal event held at Manjeera Hotel on Jail Road, where public representatives unveiled the official logo, jersey, teaser, and event banner. Organised jointly by Think Out of the Side and the Indian Kayaking and Canoeing Association, the event also saw the launch of its official website and social media campaigns to boost outreach and engagement.

Dragon boat racing, a sport with over 2,000 years of history originating from China, symbolizes teamwork, coordination, and focus. Organisers believe that hosting such an international event will not only bring recognition to Rajamahendravaram but also inspire local youth to actively participate in sports and adopt healthier lifestyles.

Member of Parliament Dagubati Purandeswari stated that the city, long known for its cultural and spiritual heritage, is now taking a major step toward gaining prominence in the sports sector. She emphasized that sports play a crucial role in steering youth away from harmful habits and promoting discipline and well-being.

Highlighting infrastructure development, she announced that a multi-purpose stadium is being constructed in three phases, with funds already allocated for the first two stages. MLA Adireddy Srinivas added that Rajamahendravaram has immense potential to emerge as a sports capital, citing ongoing riverfront development works and the inauguration of a sports complex in Narayanapuram.

Officials also noted that the event would serve as a precursor to the Godavari Pushkaralu in 2027, enhancing tourism and investment opportunities in the region. Authorities and leaders urged citizens to extend warm hospitality to the international athletes.

With an indoor stadium project worth 53 crore underway, the initiative reflects a broader vision to establish Andhra Pradesh as a prominent sports hub, particularly in water-based games.

Filmy-Style Gold Heist Shocks Palasa; 750 Grams Looted by Fake GST Officials

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In a shocking incident resembling a scene from a crime thriller, a gold jewellery shop in Palasa town of Srikakulam district was looted in broad daylight on Tuesday. The daring robbery, carried out in a "filmy style," has raised serious concerns over public safety in busy commercial areas.

The incident took place at Venkateswara Jewellery Shop located in Nityananda Nagar, a bustling locality near the Kasi-bugga bus stand. According to preliminary reports, a group of eight arrived at the location on four two-wheelers after conducting prior reconnaissance of the area. Out of the group, four individuals entered the shop posing as GST officials, while the remaining accomplices stayed outside on the bikes. At the time of the incident, only the shop owner, Kil-

lamsetty Ramakrishna, and a couple of workers were present inside, with no customers around.

The accused reportedly introduced themselves as officials and, within moments, handcuffed the shop owner to his chair, leaving him helpless. They then swiftly collected around 750 grams of gold ornaments, packed them into bags, and fled the scene along with their accomplices waiting outside. Soon after the robbers escaped, the shop owner managed to raise an alarm, alerting nearby residents who rushed to the spot and informed the police. Law enforcement officials, led by Circle Inspector Y. Ramakrishna, reached the scene promptly and initiated an investigation. Police teams conducted a thorough examination of the crime scene, collected fingerprints, and reviewed CCTV footage from the surrounding area to identify

the suspects. Authorities suspect the involvement of an interstate gang, possibly linked to a Bihar-based group, based on the modus operandi. A case has been registered, and a manhunt has been launched across the district to trace the accused.

However, the incident has once again highlighted a growing trend of thefts and robberies in busy localities. Recently, multiple medical shops were burgled simultaneously near Srinivasa Lodge Junction, with the culprits still at large. The recurring nature of such crimes has created panic among traders, especially gold merchants, who are now demanding stricter policing and enhanced surveillance. The audacity of the robbers in executing such a well-planned heist in a crowded area has left both residents and authorities , raising questions about urban security measures.



Collector Himanshu Shukla Reviews Summer Action Plan in Nellore

TPN Bureau | Nellore | April 07, 2026

In view of the anticipated rise in temperatures over the next three months, District Collector Himanshu Shukla has directed officials to implement a well-planned Summer Action Plan to ensure that the public does not face any hardship during the peak summer season.

During a review meeting held at Tikkana Pranganam in the Collectorate on Monday, the Collector emphasized the need for proactive measures to prevent drinking water shortages across the district, especially during May, June, and July. He instructed officials from the Rural Water Supply (RWS) department to ensure uninterrupted water supply, particularly in drought-prone upland areas, by deploying water tankers wherever necessary.

The Collector also directed authorities to ensure that all hand pumps, overhead tanks, and drinking water schemes function efficiently. Adequate arrangements must be made to provide drinking water for livestock as well. He further instructed officials to operationalize completed animal hostels

at the earliest.

Focusing on irrigation management, Himanshu Shukla ordered that water from Somashila and Kandaleru reservoirs should be released strictly based on farmers' requirements, avoiding any wastage. He stressed the importance of adopting integrated water management practices to ensure optimal utilization of available resources.

To safeguard public health, the Collector called for extensive awareness campaigns on heatwave precautions. He instructed the establishment of "chalivendras" (cooling centers) at bus stations, busy junctions, and government offices. Special attention must be given to children in Anganwadi centers and schools, ensuring they stay hydrated.

He also encouraged voluntary organizations and business communities to set up facilities offering buttermilk, lemon water, and other cooling drinks. As an incentive, the Collector announced a cash reward of 50,000 for individuals or organizations contributing significantly to public relief during summer. Senior district officials were present at the meeting.

Somireddy Plans Revival of Stadium and Water Plant in Sarvepalli

TPN Bureau | Nellore District | April 07, 2026

Sarvepalli MLA Somireddy Chandramohan Reddy has initiated steps to revive key infrastructure projects, including the Kakani Ramanareddy Stadium at Toderu and a defunct mega mineral water plant in Podalakur mandal. During an inspection visit along with representatives from Adani Krishnapatnam Port, including CSR Head Rajesh Ranjan and Business Development Head Muralidhar, the MLA reviewed the condition of the water plant located at Chittepalli Thippa and the stadium premises. He directed officials to immediately commence develop-



ment works at the stadium and prepare detailed estimates for its renovation. Somireddy stated that the mega mineral water plant, established during the previous TDP government at a cost of 4.59 crore to supply af-

fordable drinking water, had been neglected after 2019. The plant was designed to provide 20 litres of purified water at just 2 through village-level dispensaries. However, it has remained non-functional, lead-

ing to inconvenience for local residents. Officials from the Rural Water Supply (RWS) department estimated that 1.35 crore would be required for repairs, while over 1 crore in pending electricity bills has

further delayed its revival. The MLA informed that technical teams from the port have already begun assessing the plant's functionality by initiating water flow into the sump. He also expressed concern over the poor condition of Kakani Ramanareddy Stadium, stating that only partial construction had been completed, and the grounds were overgrown with vegetation. Initial works such as road access and jungle clearance will be taken up soon, he added. Reaffirming his commitment, Somireddy said both the stadium and water plant would be made operational within the next two months, ensuring better amenities and services for the people of the constituency.

“Divided Into Two Parts 55 Years Ago”: Rajnath Singh’s Strong Warning To Pakistan

India’s Defence Minister Rajnath Singh issued a sharp warning to Pakistan, recalling the country’s split in 1971 and cautioning against any provocative action against India. His remarks came amid rising tensions following statements from Pakistani leadership that triggered a diplomatic exchange between the two nations. Speaking at a public event, Rajnath Singh said Pakistan should remember that it was divided into two parts 55 years ago and warned that any fresh misadventure could lead to serious consequences. He stated that if Pakistan attempts to target India, particularly regions like West Bengal, the situation could worsen significantly for Islamabad. Singh added that history should serve as a lesson and urged Pakistan to avoid repeating past mistakes.

The Defence Minister’s comments were made in response to remarks by Pakistan’s Defence Minister Khawaja Asif, who reportedly warned that Pakistan could strike Kolkata if tensions escalate further. The statement from Islamabad



drew strong reactions from Indian leaders, with Rajnath Singh describing the comments as provocative and irresponsible. Referring to the 1971 war, Rajnath Singh pointed out that Pakistan faced severe consequences when it was split and Bangladesh emerged as a separate nation. He said that if Pakistan attempts any aggressive move again, it may face even more serious repercussions. His remarks underline India’s firm stance on national security and territorial integrity.

The Defence Minister also reiterated that India is prepared to respond decisively to any threat. He stressed that while India supports peace and stability in the region, it will not hesitate to take strong action if provoked. The warning comes at a time when relations between the two countries remain tense, particularly following past incidents and cross-border tensions. The exchange of statements between India and Pakistan has once again highlighted the fragile relationship between the two nuclear-armed neighbours. Analysts believe such rhetoric could further strain diplomatic ties, although both sides continue to emphasise readiness to defend their interests. Rajnath Singh’s remarks have drawn significant attention, with political leaders and observers closely watching how the situation evolves. His comments reinforce India’s tough stance while also signalling that New Delhi expects responsible behaviour from its neighbour to maintain regional stability.



"Swear On Bhagavad Gita": Gaurav Gogoi Challenges Himanta Sarma Over Wife’s Assets

Political tensions in Assam intensified ahead of the Assembly elections after Congress leader Gaurav Gogoi challenged Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma to swear on the Bhagavad Gita while denying allegations related to his family’s assets and business interests abroad. The controversy began after Congress leaders raised serious allegations against Sarma’s wife, Riniki Bhuyan Sharma. Congress Media and Publicity Department chief Pawan Kherra claimed that Riniki Bhuyan Sharma holds multiple passports and that the family has business interests worth nearly 52,000 crore in the United States and other countries. The allegations quickly triggered a political showdown between the ruling BJP and the Congress.

Reacting to the claims, Himanta Biswa Sarma strongly denied all allegations and described them as false, fabricated, and politically motivated. He also warned of legal action against those spreading what he called defamatory claims against his family. Riniki Bhuyan Sharma also rejected the accusations and indicated that legal steps would be taken against the Congress leaders involved.

Soon after Sarma’s denial, Gaurav Gogoi escalated the political attack and publicly challenged the Chief Minister to take an oath on the Bhagavad Gita to deny the allegations. Speaking during an election campaign, Gogoi questioned whether Sarma was hiding business interests and assets abroad while making allegations against political opponents. The exchange marks the latest escalation in the ongoing political battle between the BJP and Congress ahead of the Assam Assembly elections. The issue has become a major talking point in the campaign, with both sides trading sharp accusations and counter-accusations.

The Assam Assembly elections are scheduled to be held on April 9, with votes to be counted on May 4. The contest is expected to be closely watched, with Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma seeking re-election and Congress leader Gaurav Gogoi emerging as one of the key challengers.

As campaigning intensifies, the political rhetoric in Assam continues to heat up, with personal allegations and asset disclosures becoming central themes in the electoral battle.



Why Centre Wants Court To Declare Adultery Decriminalisation Verdict "Not Good Law"

The Central Government has urged the Supreme Court to declare its landmark judgment that decriminalised adultery as “not good law,” raising important constitutional and legal questions. The move does not seek to bring back the adultery law but challenges the reasoning used by the court in its earlier ruling. The issue relates to the 2018 Supreme Court judgment in the Joseph Shine case, where the court struck down Section 497 of the Indian Penal Code. This section had made adultery a criminal offence for a man involved in a relationship with a married woman. The Supreme Court declared the law unconstitutional, stating that it was discriminatory and violated principles of equality and personal liberty.

However, the Centre has now told the Supreme Court that while it is not contesting the scrapping of Section 497, it disagrees with the reasoning adopted in the judgment. The government has specifically requested the court to declare the reasoning used in the Joseph Shine verdict as “not good law.” The Centre’s main concern revolves around the concept of “constitutional morality,” which played a major role in the 2018 ruling. According to the government, this concept is vague, subjective, and not clearly defined. It argued that courts should not rely heavily on such broad ideas while interpreting laws, as this could expand judicial powers beyond constitutional limits.

The government also criticised the use of foreign judgments, academic writings, and international opinions in the adultery verdict. It argued that Indian courts should rely primarily on constitutional provisions and domestic legal principles instead of drawing from external sources. Another key argument from the Centre is that excessive reliance on concepts like “transformative constitutionalism” and “constitutional morality” could disturb the balance between the judiciary, executive, and legislature. The government said such interpretations may lead courts to enter areas beyond their intended role. These arguments have been presented in connection with the ongoing Sabarimala case, where the Supreme Court is examining broader constitutional questions about morality, religion, and judicial review. The Centre believes the court’s decision in this matter could have wider implications, including how courts interpret future constitutional cases.

At the core of the debate are larger constitutional questions. These include whether courts should rely on evolving moral philosophies, how far judicial review should extend, and whether constitutional interpretation should remain strictly tied to the text and established precedents.

The Supreme Court’s eventual decision is expected to have far-reaching consequences, not just for the adultery ruling but also for future judgments involving constitutional rights, morality, and judicial authority.

Manipur Tense As Angry Mob Storms Paramilitary Camp, Many Injured In Firing

Fresh violence erupted in Manipur after an angry mob stormed a paramilitary camp, leading to firing by security forces and leaving several people injured. The situation has once again pushed the northeastern state into turmoil, prompting authorities to impose restrictions and suspend internet services in multiple districts.

The violence broke out in Bishnupur district following widespread protests over the killing of two children in a bomb attack earlier in the day. Angry residents gathered in large numbers, demanding action against those responsible for the incident. As tensions escalated, a mob moved toward a paramilitary camp located near the site of the attack.

According to reports, protesters attempted to storm the camp and allegedly tried to vandalise property and set vehicles on fire. Security forces fired to disperse the crowd after the situation spiralled out of control. Several people were injured during the firing, while the area witnessed intense clashes between protesters and security personnel.

The unrest followed the death of two children in a suspected militant attack earlier in the day. The victims, a young boy and his infant sister, were killed when an explosive device hit their house in Bishnupur district. The tragic incident triggered widespread anger among locals, who accused authorities of failing to ensure security.

As protests intensified, demonstrators blocked roads and gathered in large numbers, further escalating tensions. Authorities rushed additional security forces to the area to prevent further violence and restore order. The situation remained volatile for several hours as clashes continued.

Following the violence, the Manipur government ordered the suspension of internet and mobile data services in five districts, including Imphal East, Imphal West, Thoubal, Kakching, and Bishnupur. Officials said the move was aimed at preventing the spread of misinformation and maintaining law and order.

Officials also imposed restrictions in sensitive areas and increased security deployment across the region. Authorities urged people to remain calm and avoid spreading rumours, while efforts continued to identify those responsible for the violence.

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Manipur Violence: Two Children Killed, Rahul Gandhi Slams Centre

Fresh violence erupted in the northeastern state of Manipur after two children were killed in a deadly attack, triggering protests and renewed tensions in the region. The incident took place in Bishnupur district, where a rocket-like projectile struck a house early in the morning, killing a four-year-old boy and his newborn sister while they were asleep. Their mother was critically injured in the explosion and rushed to hospital for treatment.

The attack occurred in Tronglaobi Awang Leikai village, located along the sensitive boundary between Meitei-dominated valley areas and Kuki-Zomi-dominated hill regions. The killing of the children sparked widespread anger among local residents, who took to the streets in protest. Many demonstrators blocked roads, burned tyres, and shut down business establishments in the area.

As tensions escalated, protesters attempted to storm a CRPF security post near the village, accusing security forces of failing to prevent the attack. In response, security personnel opened fire to control the crowd, resulting in the deaths of two civilians and injuries to three others. The situation quickly spiraled into fresh unrest across parts of the state. Authorities also reported that three trucks, including oil tankers, were set on fire during the protests. Several areas witnessed road blockades, and people abandoned their homes after a live rocket-propelled grenade shell was recovered near the attack site. The state



government suspended internet services in five valley districts — Imphal East, Imphal West, Thoubal, Kakching, and Bishnupur — to prevent the spread of misinformation and maintain law and order.

Manipur Chief Minister N. Biren Singh condemned the attack and ordered a massive operation to identify and arrest those responsible. He said the case would be handed over to the National Investigation Agency and instructed security forces to track down the attackers. The Chief Minister suggested that individuals attempting to disrupt the fragile peace process may be behind the incident.

Reacting to the tragedy, Congress leader Rahul Gandhi strongly criticised the central government. He described the killing of the children as heart-breaking and said the violence in Manipur continues even years after the conflict began. Gandhi also accused the Centre of becoming insensitive to the suffering of the people in the state and questioned when decisive action would be taken to restore peace.

The latest incident marks a significant escalation in Manipur, where ethnic tensions between communities have continued since 2023. The killing of two children has once again highlighted the fragile security situation and raised concerns about the return of large-scale violence in the region.

Air India Hikes Fuel Surcharge Amid West Asia War, Tickets Set To Get Costlier

Air India has revised its fuel surcharge across domestic and international routes following a sharp rise in aviation fuel prices triggered by the ongoing conflict in West Asia. The move comes shortly after similar changes were announced by IndiGo, signalling broader pressure on airlines due to escalating fuel costs.

The airline announced that the revised fuel surcharge will take effect from April 8 for most routes, while select long-haul international destinations including Europe, the United Kingdom, North America, and Australia will see the new charges implemented from April 10. The decision is expected to make air travel more expensive for passengers across multiple routes.

For domestic flights, Air India has replaced the earlier flat



surcharge of 399 with a distance-based structure. Under the new system, passengers will pay between 299 and 899 depending on the distance travelled. Short-haul flights of up to 500 km will attract a 299 surcharge, while flights exceeding 2,000 km will carry a 899

range of \$10-\$200 to as high as \$50-\$280 depending on the destination. Flights to North America and Australia are expected to see the steepest increases, while routes to Europe, Africa, and Southeast Asia will also witness higher charges.

The revision comes after aviation turbine fuel prices surged sharply due to the ongoing West Asia conflict. Jet fuel already accounts for more than 40 percent of airline operating costs, and the recent spike has significantly increased operational expenses for airlines. Industry insiders have warned that sustained high fuel prices could eventually lead to reduced flight frequencies and a slowdown in passenger demand.

Earlier, Air India had introduced a fuel surcharge in

March following the initial surge in fuel prices. However, as global fuel costs continued to climb, the airline decided to revise the surcharge again to offset mounting losses. Despite the hike, the airline indicated that the revised charges still do not fully cover the increased fuel expenses, meaning airlines are absorbing part of the cost. The latest move highlights the broader impact of geopolitical tensions on the aviation sector. With fuel prices continuing to fluctuate, experts believe airfares could remain elevated in the coming weeks, especially during peak travel season.

Passengers planning domestic or international travel may therefore need to prepare for higher ticket prices as airlines adjust to rising fuel costs amid ongoing global uncertainty.

“Whole Civilisation Will Die Tonight”: Trump Issues Stark Warning to Iran Amid Rising Tensions

Former US President Donald Trump issued a dramatic warning to Iran as tensions escalated in the Middle East, saying that “a whole civilisation will die tonight” if the situation spirals further. His remarks came amid rising hostilities involving the United States, Israel, and Iran, raising fears of a broader regional conflict.

Trump made the statement on social media, stressing that he did not want such an outcome but warned that events could unfold rapidly if Iran failed to respond to growing pressure. He described the moment as one of the most critical in recent global history and suggested that decisive actions taken now could determine the future of stability in the region.

According to reports, the United States is considering potential military responses, including possible strikes on key Iranian infrastructure. These could include power facilities, transportation networks, and strategic installations. The warning followed reports of explosions near Iranian oil infrastructure, intensifying fears of escalation.



A major concern in the ongoing tensions is the situation around the Strait of Hormuz, one of the world's most important oil transit routes. Any disruption in this area could significantly impact global energy

supplies and trigger sharp increases in oil prices. The United States has reportedly urged Iran to ensure safe passage through the strait and reduce tensions.

Iran responded strongly to

Trump's remarks, warning that any attack would be met with a severe and decisive response. Iranian officials emphasized that the country would defend its sovereignty and would not yield to external

pressure. They also stated that Iran has faced numerous challenges in the past and remains prepared to respond to any threat.

The escalating rhetoric has sparked concern among global leaders and international organizations. Analysts warn that targeting key infrastructure or civilian areas could worsen humanitarian conditions and lead to widespread instability across the Middle East. Financial markets have also reacted cautiously to the developments. Oil prices have shown signs of volatility, while investors remain concerned about potential disruptions to global trade and energy supplies. Any further escalation could lead to broader economic consequences worldwide.

Diplomatic efforts are ongoing to prevent further deterioration of the situation. However, Trump's strong warning has significantly heightened tensions, with the international community closely monitoring developments. The situation remains highly volatile, and global attention is now focused on Iran's next move and whether diplomatic channels can prevent a wider conflict.



7 Locations, 176 Aircraft, 45 Hours: Inside Massive US Air Rescue Operation in Iran

The United States carried out a massive air rescue mission inside Iran, deploying 176 aircraft across seven locations over nearly 45 hours to rescue two crew members of a downed fighter jet. The large-scale operation, described as an “air armada,” is being seen as one of the most complex rescue missions conducted in recent years.

The mission was launched after a US F-15E Strike Eagle was shot down deep inside Iranian territory. The aircraft's pilot and weapons systems officer were stranded in hostile terrain, prompting urgent action from the US military. Given the risks involved, American forces initiated a multi-layered rescue operation involving fighters, helicopters, refuelling aircraft, and surveillance drones. The rescue effort lasted approximately 45 hours and involved continuous coordination from military command centers. The US deployed a wide range of aircraft, including attack jets, refuelling tankers, rescue helicopters, and surveillance platforms to support the operation. These aircraft worked together to provide protection, reconnaissance, and extraction capabilities. According to reports, the operation covered seven separate locations. However, only one location was the actual rescue site, while the remaining six were used as diversion points. This strategy was designed to confuse Iranian forces and increase the chances of a successful rescue. The complex planning helped

US forces safely reach and extract the stranded crew members. The rescue mission was carried out in two separate extraction phases. US forces reportedly entered Iranian territory, secured the area, rescued the airmen, and withdrew safely. The operation required precise timing and coordination to avoid detection and minimize risks. Donald Trump praised the mission, calling it a major success and highlighting the scale of resources used. He noted that dozens of aircraft were deployed to protect the rescue teams and mislead opposing forces. The operation demonstrated the US military's ability to mobilize quickly and conduct high-risk missions under challenging conditions. The downed aircraft marked one of the most serious incidents in the ongoing tensions between the United States and Iran. Analysts say the rescue operation reflects the intensity of the conflict and the willingness of the US to deploy significant military resources to recover its personnel. The situation in the region remains highly tense, with both sides maintaining heightened military readiness. Experts warn that incidents like this could further escalate tensions and increase the risk of broader conflict. Overall, the large-scale rescue operation involving 176 aircraft across seven locations highlights the complexity and scale of modern military missions, as well as the growing volatility in the Middle East.



Explosions Reported On Strategic Kharg Island, Bridge Hit In Central Iran

Explosions were reported on Iran's strategic Kharg Island, a key oil export hub, as tensions escalated between Iran, the United States, and Israel. The developments came just hours before a deadline set by US President Donald Trump, increasing fears of a major military escalation in the region.

According to reports, multiple strikes were carried out on Kharg Island, which lies near the Strait of Hormuz and plays a critical role in Iran's oil exports. The island handles a significant portion of the country's crude shipments, making it one of Iran's most sensitive strategic assets. Explosions were also reported after the United States allegedly targeted military installations on the island.

In addition to the strikes on Kharg Island, reports indicated that a bridge in central Iran was also hit during the attacks. The strikes came amid heightened tensions and warnings from Washington of further military action if Iran failed to meet certain demands.

President Donald Trump had earlier warned that failure to comply with US demands could result in a large-scale military campaign targeting Iranian infrastructure. He reportedly threatened simultaneous strikes on power plants, bridges, and other key facilities across Iran, further raising concerns about a broader conflict.

The reported attacks occurred as diplomatic efforts to ease tensions remained stalled. The United States has been pressing Iran to reopen ship-



ping routes and de-escalate tensions, while Tehran has insisted that it will not yield under pressure. The standoff has heightened fears of a wider regional war.

Kharg Island holds immense strategic importance because of its proximity to the Strait of Hormuz, one of the world's most vital oil transit routes. Any disruption in this area could affect global energy supplies and lead to volatility in international oil markets.

Iran has not officially confirmed the full extent of the damage, but local reports suggested that the explosions were significant. Meanwhile, Iranian officials warned that any attack on their territory would be met with a strong response.

The situation remains highly volatile, with global leaders closely monitoring developments. Analysts warn that further escalation could impact oil prices, global markets, and regional stability.

The latest developments mark another sharp escalation in the ongoing tensions between Iran and the United States, with Kharg Island emerging as a major flashpoint in the conflict.

Mojtaba Khamenei Reportedly Unconscious, Under Treatment in Qom

Iran's Supreme Leader Mojtaba Khamenei is reportedly unconscious and undergoing medical treatment in the holy city of Qom, according to reports citing diplomatic and intelligence sources. The development has raised concerns about leadership stability in Iran amid rising tensions in the region.

Reports suggest that Mojtaba Khamenei sustained serious injuries during recent airstrikes involving the United States and Israel. The strikes allegedly resulted in the death of his father, Ali Khamenei, along with several members of his family. Following these developments, Mojtaba Khamenei was reportedly named as successor and assumed leadership responsibilities.

However, sources indicate that he is currently in critical condition and receiving treatment under tight security in Qom, one of Iran's most significant religious centers. The city is considered a major hub of Shia clerical authority and plays a crucial role in Iran's political and religious leadership.

Reports also noted that Mojtaba Khamenei has not made any public appearance since taking over leadership. Although statements attributed to him have been broadcast on Iranian state media, there has been no verified video or audio footage released recently. This has fueled speculation about his health condition and ability to govern during a period of heightened tensions.

In addition, reports suggested that preparations were underway in Qom for the burial of Ali Khamenei. Intelligence



inputs indicated that a large mausoleum could be constructed, raising further concerns about the health condition of Mojtaba Khamenei.

Meanwhile, Iranian authorities reportedly released footage showing Mojtaba Khamenei reviewing military maps in a command setting. However, analysts questioned the authenticity and timing of the video, as it appeared to be generated using artificial intelligence, adding to uncertainty around the situation.

The reported developments

Iran Rejects Trump Peace Proposal; Strait of Hormuz Tensions Raise Fuel Price Concerns For India

Iran has rejected a peace proposal from the United States, escalating tensions in the ongoing conflict and raising fresh concerns about global oil supplies and fuel prices, especially for countries like India. The development comes amid growing uncertainty surrounding the strategic Strait of Hormuz, a crucial global oil transit route.

Iranian authorities made it clear that they would not accept a temporary ceasefire and insisted that any agreement must lead to a permanent end to the conflict. The proposal reportedly aimed to reopen the Strait of Hormuz and pause hostilities, but Tehran rejected the offer, saying it would not negotiate under pressure or deadlines.

The Strait of Hormuz is one

of the world's most important oil chokepoints, handling nearly 20 percent of global seaborne crude oil. Any disruption in this region can trigger significant volatility in global energy markets. Iran's control and potential restrictions on this route have raised alarm among oil-dependent nations, including India, which imports a large portion of its crude oil requirements.

Reports suggest that Iran is also exploring the idea of imposing tolls on ships passing through the Strait of Hormuz. If implemented, this move could generate billions of dollars for Tehran each month and further complicate global energy supply chains. The potential toll system could also increase transportation costs, which may eventually push

fuel prices higher worldwide.

The developments have already started affecting oil markets. Crude oil prices have shown signs of volatility amid fears of supply disruptions. Analysts warn that prolonged tensions or any closure of the Strait of Hormuz could lead to sharp increases in oil prices, which would directly impact countries heavily dependent on imports.

India is particularly vulnerable to such developments, as it relies heavily on crude oil imports from the Middle East. Any rise in global crude prices typically leads to higher petrol and diesel costs, increased inflation, and pressure on the country's current account balance.

Meanwhile, diplomatic efforts continue, but the situa-

tion remains tense. Iran has demanded broader conditions, including long-term peace guarantees and structural changes, instead of temporary ceasefire arrangements. This stance has complicated negotiations and increased uncertainty in global markets.

Experts believe that the ongoing standoff could continue to influence oil prices and global markets in the near term. With tensions still high, investors and governments worldwide are closely monitoring developments around the Strait of Hormuz and potential impacts on fuel prices.

The situation remains fluid, with global attention now focused on whether diplomatic efforts can prevent further escalation and stabilize energy markets.



Sensex Rises 509 Points as Markets Extend Rally for Fourth Straight Session

Indian stock markets continued their positive momentum for the fourth consecutive trading session, with benchmark indices ending Tuesday's trade on a strong note. The rally was driven primarily by gains in information technology, metal, realty, and media stocks, which supported investor sentiment despite intermittent volatility throughout the day.

The BSE Sensex surged 509 points to close at 74,616, while the NSE Nifty 50 advanced 155 points to settle above the crucial psychological level of 23,100, ending the session at 23,123. The sustained rally across four sessions reflects improving market sentiment and continued buying interest in frontline stocks.

Markets witnessed a volatile trading session, with both indices fluctuating between gains



and losses during the day. However, buying activity in heavy-weight stocks during the latter half of the session helped the

indices close firmly in positive territory. Information technology stocks played a significant role in driving the rally, with

investors showing renewed interest in the sector. Banking and financial stocks also contributed to the mar-

ket's gains, providing additional support to the benchmark indices. Meanwhile, metal stocks moved higher amid improving global sentiment, while realty and media stocks also witnessed healthy buying interest. These sectoral gains helped markets maintain their upward momentum. On the sectoral front, information technology emerged as the top-performing sector, followed by metals, realty, and media. These sectors saw broad-based buying, reflecting growing investor confidence. However, broader markets displayed a mixed trend, with midcap stocks registering marginal gains and small-cap stocks remaining largely flat. This indicated cautious participation from investors beyond large-cap stocks. Among individual stocks, several major companies recorded gains, particu-

larly from the technology and banking sectors. On the other hand, select stocks from healthcare, aviation, and automobile sectors witnessed mild profit booking and ended the session in the red. Despite this, the overall market sentiment remained positive. Investors continued to track global developments, which influenced market movements during the session. Fluctuations in global equities, commodity prices, and geopolitical developments kept investors cautious. However, strong domestic fundamentals and selective buying helped markets maintain their positive trajectory.

Market experts believe that the recent rally indicates strengthening investor confidence. Institutional buying and improved outlook in key sectors have supported the upward movement. Investors are

also positioning themselves ahead of upcoming corporate earnings and key economic data releases, which may provide further direction to markets. Looking ahead, analysts expect markets to remain volatile in the near term due to global uncertainties. However, the overall trend remains positive, supported by strong domestic factors and improving investor sentiment. Market participants are likely to closely monitor global cues, inflation trends, and interest rate outlook. Overall, the fourth consecutive session of gains highlights resilience in Indian equity markets. With continued support from key sectors and steady investor participation, markets appear poised to maintain their positive momentum in the coming session



Indian Firms Build \$3.7 Billion NDF Positions to Exploit Rupee Arbitrage Opportunity

Indian companies built nearly \$3.7 billion worth of non-deliverable forward (NDF) positions after spotting a short-lived arbitrage opportunity in the currency markets. The move came after regulatory changes triggered a divergence between onshore and offshore rupee rates, prompting corporates to step in and take advantage of the price difference. The sudden spike in activity occurred toward the end of March, when trading volumes in the NDF market surged significantly above normal levels. Market participants noted that corporate demand rose sharply as firms moved quickly to capitalize on favorable pricing conditions. This led to a noticeable jump in client participation in the currency derivatives segment. The arbitrage window opened after banks began adjusting their foreign exchange positions following regulatory guidance from the Reserve Bank of India. Lenders started unwinding their positions in the domestic market, which created temporary imbalances between onshore and offshore currency rates. These differences created opportunities for companies to profit from simultaneous buying and selling in different markets.

Corporates responded by selling dollars in offshore markets while buying in domestic markets, or vice versa, depending on pricing advantages. As a result, corporate dollar-selling activity dominated during

the period, indicating that firms were actively utilizing the arbitrage opportunity. The sharp increase in trading volumes reflected strong participation from companies looking to optimize currency gains.

Such arbitrage opportunities typically emerge when market liquidity shifts suddenly due to regulatory changes or large institutional movements. However, these windows are often short-lived as market forces gradually restore balance. In this case, once banks completed their position adjustments, the price gap between onshore and offshore markets began to narrow, reducing the arbitrage opportunity. The development also highlights the growing sophistication of Indian corporates in managing foreign exchange exposure. Many companies now actively track currency movements and use derivatives such as NDFs to hedge risks and take advantage of favorable market conditions. This proactive approach allows firms to manage volatility more effectively while optimizing financial outcomes.

Currency market volatility has increased in recent months due to global uncertainties, fluctuating capital flows, and interest rate expectations. These factors have created occasional pricing inefficiencies, which market participants attempt to exploit when opportunities arise. The recent surge in NDF activity reflects how quickly corporates respond to such developments.

Titagarh Rail Systems Jumps 13% After Subsidiary Gets 610 Crore Expansion Approval

Shares of Titagarh Rail Systems surged nearly 13 percent on Tuesday after the company announced that its subsidiary had received in-principle approval from the Ministry of Ports, Shipping and Waterways for a major expansion project worth 610 crore. The development triggered strong investor interest, leading to heavy buying in the stock during the trading session.

The stock witnessed a sharp rise during intraday trade, supported by increased volumes as investors reacted positively to the expansion plans. Titagarh Rail Systems touched a significant intraday high before trimming some gains later in the session. Despite minor profit booking, the stock remained firmly in positive territory, reflecting strong market sentiment.

The approval was granted to Titagarh Naval Systems Limited, a wholly owned subsidiary of Titagarh Rail Systems. The proposed project involves a brownfield expansion of the company's shipyard facility located in Falta, West Bengal. The expansion is aimed at increasing shipbuilding capacity, enhancing infrastructure, and strengthening technological capabilities.

The 610 crore project is part of the government's Shipbuilding Development Scheme, which focuses on boosting domestic shipbuilding and promoting India's maritime manufacturing capabilities. Under this scheme, the company may also receive government financial assistance, subject to final approvals and compliance with guidelines. This support is expected to reduce the financial burden and help accelerate the expansion process.

Once completed, the expanded facility is expected to enable the company to undertake larger and more complex shipbuilding projects. This includes opportunities in defence, commercial shipbuilding, and export markets. The expansion aligns with the government's broader push to strengthen domestic manufacturing and reduce dependence on imports in the maritime sector.

Investors reacted positively to the development as the expansion is expected to enhance the company's long-term growth prospects. The move is likely to improve revenue visibility and strengthen the company's position in the shipbuilding and defence segments. Analysts believe that the pro-

ject could open up new business opportunities and increase the company's competitiveness in both domestic and international markets.

The rally in Titagarh Rail Systems also reflects growing investor interest in railway and infrastructure-related stocks. Companies in this space have been gaining attention due to strong order books, government support, and expansion initiatives. The latest approval further strengthens confidence in the company's future growth outlook.

Market participants also noted that increased capacity and improved infrastructure could help Titagarh Rail Systems diversify its operations and enhance operational efficiency. The expansion is expected to support long-term growth and contribute to the company's overall business development strategy.

Overall, the sharp jump in Titagarh Rail Systems shares highlights investor optimism following the 610 crore expansion approval. The development is viewed as a significant milestone that could drive growth, strengthen market presence, and improve the company's long-term outlook.



IT Stocks Lead Market Rally as Mphasis, Wipro, HCL Tech Gain Up to 4%

Information technology stocks witnessed strong buying interest on Tuesday, pushing the Nifty IT index higher by nearly 2 percent. Shares of Mphasis, Wipro, HCL Technologies, and LTI-Mindtree rose up to 4 percent, leading gains across the sector and supporting the broader market rally.

The buying momentum in IT stocks came ahead of the upcoming quarterly earnings season, with investors expecting improved performance from major technology companies. Market participants showed renewed confidence in the sector, particularly after recent corrections that made valuations more attractive for long-term investors. Among the top performers, Mphasis emerged as one of the biggest gainers, rising sharply during the session. Wipro and HCL Technologies also posted strong gains, while LTI-Mindtree moved higher alongside other mid-tier IT companies. The rally was broad-based, with buying seen across both large-cap and mid-cap IT stocks. The Nifty IT index climbed around 2 percent, making it one of the top-performing sectoral indices of the day. Major IT companies contributed to the upward movement, reflecting strong investor interest in technology stocks. The rally in the IT sector also helped benchmark indices trade in positive territory and extend their recent gains.

Analysts believe that expectations of stable demand from global markets and improving deal pipelines supported the buying sentiment. Investors are also positioning themselves ahead of management commentary and earnings

guidance, which could provide further clarity on growth prospects. Another factor supporting IT stocks was the recent weakness in the sector, which created opportunities for investors to accumulate quality stocks at lower levels. As a result, traders and institutional investors stepped in to build positions, leading to a sharp rebound in technology shares.

Despite global uncertainties, the outlook for IT companies remains cautiously optimistic. Investors are closely monitoring trends in key markets such as the United States and Europe, where demand conditions significantly impact revenue growth for Indian IT firms. Any signs of improvement in global spending could further strengthen the sector.

Meanwhile, the broader market also remained firm, supported by gains in IT stocks. While some sectors showed mixed performance, the strong rally in technology stocks played a key role in maintaining positive momentum in the market. Going forward, IT stocks are expected to remain in focus as companies begin announcing their quarterly results. Investors will closely track revenue growth, margin performance, and future guidance from management teams. Positive earnings surprises could trigger further buying interest in the sector. Overall, the sharp gains in Mphasis, Wipro, HCL Technologies, and other IT companies highlight renewed optimism in the technology sector. With earnings season approaching and valuations becoming attractive, IT stocks may continue to witness strong investor interest in the coming sessions.

Will RBI Hold Rates? Five Key Things to Watch in April MPC Meeting

The Reserve Bank of India's Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) meeting in April is drawing significant attention from markets, economists, and investors. While most analysts expect the central bank to keep interest rates unchanged, several important factors could shape the policy decision and future outlook. Here are five key things to watch from the upcoming RBI policy announcement.

1. Repo Rate Decision Likely to Remain Unchanged

Economists largely expect the RBI to maintain status quo on the benchmark repo rate in the April policy meeting. The central bank has adopted a cautious approach due to global uncertainties, rising crude oil prices, and volatility in financial markets. Holding rates

steadily would allow policymakers to assess evolving economic conditions before making any major adjustments.

A pause in rate changes would also provide stability to borrowers, ensuring that loan interest rates and EMIs remain unchanged for the time being.

2. Inflation Outlook and Rising Oil Prices Inflation is expected to remain one of the most critical factors influencing RBI's decision. Global oil price volatility and geopolitical tensions have raised concerns about imported inflation. Higher fuel costs could increase transportation expenses and push up overall inflation levels. The central bank may revise its inflation projections depending on how crude prices evolve and whether supply disruptions persist. Any upward revision in in-

flation forecasts could indicate a more cautious policy stance going forward.

3. Growth Forecast for the New Financial Year

Another key focus will be RBI's growth outlook for the new financial year. Rising global uncertainties and supply chain disruptions may prompt the central bank to reassess growth projections. Analysts expect RBI to take a cautious stance and possibly revise growth estimates based on evolving global conditions.

The central bank will also consider domestic demand, investment trends, and government spending while assessing economic growth prospects.

4. Liquidity Management Measures

Liquidity conditions in the banking system will also be

closely monitored. The RBI may announce measures to ensure adequate liquidity in the financial system. Maintaining comfortable liquidity levels helps support credit growth and economic activity, particularly during periods of uncertainty.

The central bank could use tools such as open market operations or other liquidity measures to manage short-term market volatility.

5. Rupee Stability and External Risks The Indian rupee's performance and global developments will be another important factor. Currency volatility, foreign capital flows, and geopolitical tensions are likely to influence policy commentary. The RBI may consider steps such as incentives for foreign currency deposits or other measures to stabilize the rupee if external risks intensify.

Market participants will closely watch any signals regarding currency management and capital flows. What Markets Are Watching Apart from the rate decision, investors will also focus on the RBI governor's commentary. The tone of the policy statement, inflation outlook, and guidance on future rate moves could influence markets. Any indication of a shift toward tightening or easing policy may trigger reactions across bond, equity, and currency markets. Overall, the April MPC meeting is expected to be more about guidance than action. While interest rates may remain unchanged, the RBI's outlook on inflation, growth, liquidity, and global risks will play a crucial role in shaping market expectations for the coming months.



Royals Dominate Rain-Shortened Clash, Beat Mumbai Indians by 27 Runs

In a rain-affected IPL 2026 encounter, Rajasthan Royals extended their unbeaten run with a commanding 27-run win over Mumbai Indians in an 11-over match at the Barsapara Cricket Stadium in Guwahati. Persistent showers delayed the game, forcing a shortened, high-intensity contest. After winning the toss, Mumbai captain Hardik Pandya opted to field, hoping for early bowling conditions to favor his team. Rajasthan Royals' openers, Yashasvi Jaiswal and 15-year-old Vaibhav Sooryavanshi, set the tone with a dazzling opening partnership. The duo amassed an 80-run stand in under five overs, giving the Royals a rapid start. Jaiswal remained unbeaten on 77 off 32 balls, playing with power and precision, while Sooryavanshi

contributed a breezy 39 off 14, thrilling spectators with aggressive stroke play. The Royals posted a formidable 150/3 in 11 overs, a challenging target in the condensed format. Chasing 151, Mumbai Indians struggled from the outset. Early dismissals of key batsmen, including Rohit Sharma and Suryakumar Yadav, put them on the back foot. Despite a few late fighting innings, MI could only manage 123/9, falling short by 27 runs. Rajasthan's bowlers executed their plans perfectly, striking at crucial moments and restricting Mumbai's scoring opportunities. The win highlights Rajasthan Royals' balance of explosive batting and disciplined bowling, even under adverse conditions. Their all-round performance, com-

bined with aggressive intent, showcased their growing confidence and determination in IPL 2026. With this victory, Rajasthan Royals remain unbeaten in three matches, topping the points table and signaling their strong title aspirations. Mumbai Indians, meanwhile, will need to regroup and strategize as they aim to recover in the league stage. The Royals' blend of youth and experience continues to make them a formidable force in this year's tournament. This result not only cements Rajasthan's dominance early in the season but also provides a glimpse of the exciting cricket fans can expect as IPL 2026 progresses, where high-octane performances and thrilling finishes are becoming the norm.



Mitchell Starc Blow To Delhi Capitals, Pacer Out For Extended Period

Mitchell Starc has dealt a major setback to Delhi Capitals after reports suggested the Australian fast bowler will remain unavailable for an extended period during Indian Premier League 2026. The left-arm pacer is currently recovering from shoulder and elbow injuries and has not yet joined the Delhi Capitals squad. Reports indicate that Starc is unlikely to link up with the team before April 20, meaning he is expected to miss at least three more matches in the tournament. Delhi Capitals, led by Axar Patel, Mukesh Kumar, and T Natarajan has performed well so far. However, Starc's return is expected to further strengthen the attack and improve the team's chances in the tournament.

pected to spearhead Delhi's bowling attack, especially in the powerplay and death overs. His ability to deliver early breakthroughs and bowl under pressure makes him a key figure in the team's plans. Delhi Capitals are scheduled to face Gujarat Titans, Chennai Super Kings, and Royal Challengers Bengaluru in the coming fixtures, all of which Starc is likely to miss if his return is delayed. Despite the setback, Delhi Capitals' bowling lineup featuring Kuldeep Yadav, Axar Patel, Mukesh Kumar, and T Natarajan has performed well so far. However, Starc's return is expected to further strengthen the attack and improve the team's chances in the tournament. The franchise and fans are now eagerly waiting for Starc's recovery, hoping he can return soon and play a crucial role in Delhi Capitals' IPL 2026 campaign.



“Prince of Najafgarh” Skips Delhi Police Exam To Chase IPL Dream

Prince Yadav, popularly known as the “Prince of Najafgarh,” has taken a bold step to pursue his Indian Premier League dream by skipping the Delhi Police constable examination. The young fast bowler from Najafgarh has recently grabbed attention with his performances for Lucknow Super Giants in the ongoing Indian Premier League 2026 season. A few years ago, Prince Yadav's father, who works as a Railway Protection Force officer, was worried about his son's future. At the time, Prince was only playing tennis-ball tournaments and focusing on bowling yorkers rather than pursuing a conventional career. Despite concerns from his family, Prince remained confident and assured his father that he would succeed on his own. That confidence has now paid off. Prince Yadav was picked by Lucknow Super Gi-

ants for 30 lakh in the 2025 IPL mega auction. Since then, the young pacer has impressed with his pace and accuracy, even troubling experienced players in the tournament. He has already made an impact by dismissing established players in back-to-back matches, drawing attention from fans and experts alike. Interestingly, Prince had applied for the Delhi Police constable exam as a backup option. However, when the exam date clashed with his IPL commitments, he chose to skip the exam to focus entirely on cricket. The decision reflects his determination to build a career in professional cricket rather than opting for a secure government job. Prince Yadav's journey to the IPL has not been easy. Coming from a modest background, he initially gained recognition through tennis-ball tournaments in his local area. His

ability to bowl sharp yorkers helped him stand out, eventually leading to opportunities in domestic cricket. Over time, he worked his way into Delhi's domestic setup before catching the attention of IPL scouts. His rise from local grounds in Najafgarh to the biggest T20 league in the world has made him an inspiring story for aspiring cricketers. The young pacer's fearless decision to skip a government job exam for cricket shows his belief in his talent and determination to succeed at the highest level. With IPL 2026 underway, Prince Yadav will be hoping to continue his impressive performances and cement his place in the Lucknow Super Giants lineup. His journey from tennis-ball tournaments to the IPL spotlight is already turning heads, and many believe he could become one of the breakout stars of the season.



“His Decision-Making Is Phenomenal”: SRH Star Praises Captain Ishan Kishan

Heinrich Klaasen has showered praise on Ishan Kishan, calling the Sunrisers Hyderabad skipper a “phenomenal” leader during the ongoing Indian Premier League 2026 season. Klaasen highlighted Kishan's calmness, decision-making skills, and leadership approach, stating that the team has responded extremely well under his captaincy. The South African batter said Kishan regularly seeks advice from experienced players in the squad and creates a comfortable dressing-room environment. Kishan has been leading Sunrisers Hyderabad as interim captain, with regular skipper Pat Cummins unavailable due to recovery from a lumbar stress injury. Despite the challenging circumstances, Kishan has impressed teammates with his leadership qualities and tactical awareness. Speaking about Kishan's captaincy, Klaasen said the young wicketkeeper-batter has handled responsibilities brilliantly. He particularly praised Kishan's bowling changes and ability to communicate effectively with teammates. According to Klaasen, the way players listen to Kishan and follow his plans reflects strong respect for his leadership. Klaasen also noted that Kishan is approachable and maintains a relaxed atmosphere

within the team. He added that Kishan's friendly personality and ability to keep things light help players perform better in high-pressure situations. The South African star further pointed out that Kishan already has captaincy experience in domestic cricket. Under his leadership, Jharkhand cricket team won the Syed Mushtaq Ali Trophy, which has helped him handle leadership responsibilities effectively at the IPL level. So far in IPL 2026, Sunrisers Hyderabad have had mixed results under Kishan's captaincy, winning one match and losing two, placing them in the middle of the points table. Despite the team's inconsistent start, Klaasen expressed confidence that the side is in safe hands with Kishan leading the team. Klaasen has also been in strong form personally, scoring 145 runs in three matches, including two half-centuries. The batter said he is satisfied with his performances, especially after focusing mainly on franchise cricket following his retirement from international formats. With the tournament progressing, Sunrisers Hyderabad will be hoping that Kishan's leadership and Klaasen's batting form help them improve their standings and build momentum in the IPL 2026 season.

Lalit Modi Slams BCCI, Says IPL Losing 2,400 Crore Every Year

Indian Premier League founder Lalit Modi has strongly criticized the Board of Control for Cricket in India, claiming that the league is missing out on nearly 2,400 crore in revenue every year due to the current tournament format. Modi argued that the IPL is not following the original home-and-away format that was initially designed when the league was launched. According to him, this deviation has significantly reduced the number of matches and, as a result, limited

the revenue potential of the tournament. The former IPL chairman explained that when the league expanded to 10 teams, the number of matches should have increased accordingly. Under a full home-and-away format, each team would play every other team twice, which would increase the total number of matches to around 94. However, the current structure features only 74 matches, resulting in nearly 20 fewer games each season. Modi claimed that each additional match could

generate around 118 crore through media rights alone. If the league followed the complete home-and-away structure, the tournament could generate an additional 2,400 crore annually. He added that this extra revenue would be split equally between the BCCI and IPL franchises, with both sides earning approximately 1,200 crore each. He further emphasized that the original IPL model was built around maximizing fan engagement by ensuring teams played both home and away games

against every opponent. According to Modi, this structure would not only increase revenue but also enhance the competitive balance and overall fan experience. Modi also pointed out that if the schedule did not allow for a longer season, the league should not have expanded to 10 teams. He suggested that maintaining fewer teams would have been a better option than expanding without increasing the number of matches. The comments have sparked fresh debate around the IPL's

format and scheduling. While the current structure aims to manage player workload and calendar congestion, Modi believes that the league is sacrificing significant financial gains. Despite the criticism, IPL continues to remain one of the most valuable and popular cricket leagues in the world. However, Modi's remarks have reignited discussions about whether the tournament should expand its schedule to maximize revenue and improve competitiveness in future seasons.



RashmiMandanna Raises Temperature In ‘Cocktail 2’ New Poster

RashmiMandanna is once again grabbing attention with her glamorous avatar in the latest poster of the upcoming Bollywood film Cocktail 2. The makers recently unveiled new posters of the lead cast ahead of the release of the film's first song, creating excitement among fans and

movie lovers. The upcoming romantic drama Cocktail 2 stars Shahid Kapoor, KritiSanon, and RashmiMandanna in lead roles. As part of the promotional campaign, the team released fresh posters featuring the three actors. Rashmika, however, stole the spotlight with her stylish and bold look, turning up the heat with her stunning appearance.

In the newly released poster, Rashmika appears in a glamorous outfit, showcasing a chic and modern vibe that perfectly fits the film's youthful and stylish tone. Her confident pose and striking presence have already generated buzz on

social media, with fans praising her look and eagerly awaiting more updates.

The makers have also announced that the first look of the song titled "Jab Talak" will be released digitally soon. Interestingly, the song teaser is being attached to the prints of another film, helping the team kick-start promotions in a unique way. This strategy is expected to build anticipation ahead of the film's release. Cocktail 2 is one of the most awaited Bollywood films of 2026. The movie brings together an exciting trio of Shahid Kapoor, KritiSanon, and RashmiMandanna for the first time. The film is directed by Homi Adajania and produced by

Maddock Films, and it is expected to explore modern relationships with a stylish and contemporary narrative. The sequel follows the success of the original Cocktail, which gained a strong fan base after its release. With a fresh storyline and new cast, expectations are high for the upcoming film. The film is scheduled to hit theatres on June 19, 2026, and the promotional campaign is gradually building momentum.

With RashmikaMandanna's glamorous poster now out, excitement around Cocktail 2 has increased significantly. Fans are now eagerly waiting for the first song release and further promotional content from the film.



AdiviSesh Reveals He Was Fired From ‘Chandamama’ Due To Poor Acting

Actor AdiviSesh made an interesting revelation about his early career struggles, sharing that he was once fired from the popular Telugu film Chandamama because of his poor acting skills at the time.

The talented actor, who is currently busy promoting his upcoming film Dacoit, opened up about this incident during a recent interview. Sesh revealed that he was initially selected to play the role that was eventually performed by Navdeep in director Krishna Vamsi's Chandamama. However, things did not go as planned for the actor during the early stages of the shoot.

Speaking about the experience, AdiviSesh said that the film was originally titled Mallepuvvu. He explained that after a few days of shooting, he was removed from the project because his acting did not meet expectations. The actor admitted that he was still inexperienced at the time and acknowledged that he was not good enough back then.

Despite the setback, AdiviSesh did not let the disappointment affect his career. Over the years, he worked hard to improve his skills and gradually carved a niche for himself in the Telugu film industry. Today, he is known for selecting unique scripts and delivering strong performances in films such as Kshanam, Goodachari, Major, and HIT 2.

Currently, AdiviSesh is gearing up for the release of Dacoit, a romantic action drama that also stars Mrunal Thakur and Anurag Kashyap in key roles. The film is backed by Supriya-Yarlagadda, co-produced by SunielNarang, and presented by Annapurna Studios. Dacoit marks the directorial debut of ShanielDeo and is scheduled to hit theatres soon. (

Sesh's revelation highlights the struggles many actors face early in their careers. From being fired due to poor acting to becoming one of the most respected performers in Telugu cinema, AdiviSesh's journey stands as an inspiring example of persistence, growth, and determination.



Pooja Hegde, Varun Dhawan's Romantic Still From ‘Hai JawaniTohIshqHona Hai’ Goes Viral

Romantic still featuring Pooja Hegde and Varun Dhawan from the upcoming Bollywood film Hai JawaniTohIshqHona Hai has gone viral on social media, creating fresh buzz around the much-anticipated romantic entertainer. Fans are particularly excited about the chemistry between the two stars, which has become a major talking point after the latest image surfaced online. In the newly released still, Varun Dhawan and Pooja Hegde appear in a dreamy romantic setting. The duo is seen sharing a cozy moment, with both actors sporting stylish looks that perfectly match the film's youthful and vibrant theme. Their on-screen chemistry has impressed fans, and the image quickly gained traction across social media platforms.

The film, directed by David Dhawan, is shaping up to be a fun-filled romantic comedy with strong entertainment elements. Apart from Varun Dhawan and Pooja Hegde, the movie also features Mrunal Thakur in a key role, making it a multi-starrer romantic entertainer. The project marks another collaboration between Varun Dhawan and his father David Dhawan, a duo known for delivering successful comedy entertainers.

Reports suggest that Hai JawaniTohIshqHona Hai is being made on a grand scale, with shooting schedules taking place across multiple locations including Mumbai, Goa, Rishikesh, and international destinations. The film is expected to offer a mix of romance, comedy, and energetic music, which are typical elements of David Dhawan's style. The viral romantic still has further increased anticipation for the film. Fans have taken to social media to praise Pooja Hegde's glamorous appearance and Varun Dhawan's charming look. Many are eagerly waiting for the teaser, songs, and trailer to get a glimpse of the film's storyline. With the promotional campaign gradually picking up pace, Hai JawaniTohIshqHona Hai is already emerging as one of the most awaited Bollywood releases. The fresh pairing of Varun Dhawan and Pooja Hegde, combined with David Dhawan's trademark entertainment, is expected to attract a wide audience when the film hits theatres.



Ramayana: “This Is Just The Beginning” – Producer Namit Malhotra’s Press Note Goes Viral

Producer Namit Malhotra has released a key press note regarding the much-anticipated film Ramayana, starring Ranbir Kapoor and Sai Pallavi. The statement has quickly gone viral among film circles and fans, especially after the recent teaser received mixed reactions from audiences.

The upcoming pan-world project, directed by Nitesh Tiwari, is being mounted on a grand scale with the aim of presenting India's epic history to a global audience. Following the teaser release, there was significant discussion across social media platforms, with both praise and criticism pouring in from viewers.

In response to the feedback, Namit Malhotra released an official press note expressing happiness over the overwhelming attention the teaser received. He thanked audiences for their support and acknowledged the strong response from fans worldwide. At the same time, he indirectly addressed criticism, stating that the team is working tirelessly day and night to deliver the best possible cinematic experience.

Malhotra also emphasized

that what audiences have seen so far is only a small glimpse of the final product. He confidently stated that the teaser is just the beginning and that the real cinematic spectacle will be witnessed in theatres during the Diwali release.

The producer further expressed confidence in the film's scale and quality, assuring fans that the team is committed to delivering a visually grand and emotionally powerful retelling of the epic. His statement has created fresh buzz around the project and increased anticipation for upcoming promotional content.

Ramayana features a star-studded cast including Ranbir Kapoor as Lord Ram, Sai Pallavi as Sita, and Yash in a powerful role as Ravana. The film is being made on a massive budget and is expected to be one of the biggest Indian cinematic projects ever attempted.

With Namit Malhotra's latest press note now gaining traction online, excitement around Ramayana has intensified. Fans are eagerly waiting for more updates, including new glimpses, songs, and trailers as the film gears up for its grand release during Diwali.

Countdown Begins For Mahesh Babu–Rajamouli’s ‘Varanasi’

The countdown has officially begun for the much-anticipated film Varanasi, starring Mahesh Babu and directed by SS Rajamouli. With exactly one year left for its release, the makers kicked off the countdown, creating massive excitement among fans and film circles.

Varanasi marks the first-ever collaboration between Mahesh Babu and SS Rajamouli, making it one of the most awaited Indian films in recent times. The film also features Priyanka Chopra and Prithviraj Sukumaran in key roles, further increasing expectations. The makers have locked April 7, 2027, as the film's grand worldwide release date, and the one-year countdown has now officially started.

To celebrate the milestone,

the team shared fun interactions and playful banter online, which quickly went viral on social media. Fans joined the excitement, expressing their eagerness to witness the grand cinematic experience from Rajamouli's team. The buzz around the film continues to grow as updates slowly emerge.

The film is said to be a globe-trotting adventure with a massive scale and international backdrop. Reports suggest that the movie is being made on a huge budget, with Rajamouli planning to deliver another visually spectacular project after the global success of his previous films.

Mahesh Babu is expected to be seen in a powerful and intense role, while Priyanka Chopra reportedly plays a key female lead. Prithviraj Sukumaran is said to portray a

strong antagonist, adding more intrigue to the storyline. Although the makers have kept most details under wraps, the film has already generated enormous curiosity among audiences.

The project is currently in production, with multiple schedules planned across international locations. Fans are eagerly waiting for more updates, including teaser announcements and first-look posters, as the release date approaches.

With one year to go, Varanasi is already shaping up to be one of the biggest cinematic events in Indian cinema. The combination of Mahesh Babu's star power and Rajamouli's grand vision has created sky-high expectations, and the countdown has only intensified the excitement further.



Aditya Dhar Praises Dhurandhar Music Director ShashwatSachdevTo The Sky

Director Aditya Dhar has heaped praise on music composer ShashwatSachdev for his exceptional contribution to the blockbuster film Dhurandhar. The filmmaker recently shared his admiration, highlighting the intense dedication and hard work that went into creating the film's powerful soundtrack.

Aditya Dhar revealed that ShashwatSachdev worked tirelessly for several days to craft the film's music. According to the director, the composer pushed himself beyond limits, often working continuously for long hours to achieve the desired sound and emotional depth. Dhar mentioned that the team even converted his Mumbai residence into a temporary recording studio, where they worked day and

night without worrying about time. The director also stated that ShashwatSachdev's music played a crucial role in elevating the film's narrative. He explained that the background score and songs added intensity to key moments and helped create a strong emotional connection with audiences. Dhar credited Sachdev for bringing energy and freshness to the film, which contributed significantly to its overall impact. ShashwatSachdev and Aditya Dhar share a long-standing professional relationship. The duo previously collaborated on successful projects, and their partnership has once again delivered impressive results with Dhurandhar. The film's soundtrack has received widespread appreciation from fans and critics



alike, with many praising the powerful background score and memorable songs.

The film, which stars Ranveer Singh along with an ensemble cast, has created a massive buzz since its release. Apart from the performances and direction, the music has emerged as one of the biggest highlights. Industry insiders

believe that the soundtrack has played an important role in enhancing the film's cinematic experience.

Aditya Dhar further noted that Sachdev's commitment and passion were evident throughout the production process. He added that the composer's dedication inspired the entire team and

helped them push creative boundaries. The director expressed gratitude to Sachdev, calling him one of the key pillars behind the film's success.

Meanwhile, Dhurandhar continues to perform strongly and remains a talking point among movie lovers. With the film's music gaining popularity, ShashwatSachdev's reputation as a talented composer has grown even stronger. Aditya Dhar's heartfelt praise has now gone viral on social media, with fans applauding both the director and composer for delivering a memorable cinematic experience. As the film continues to receive appreciation, the collaboration between Aditya Dhar and ShashwatSachdev is being widely celebrated as one of the major strengths of Dhurandhar.