

Police detain Kavitha, Dalit leader at protest site in Khammam

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KHAMMAM

Telangana Jagruthi president Kalvakuntla Kavitha and Dalit Shakthi Programme State president Visharadan Maharaj, who were on a hunger strike in Khammam, were detained by the police and shifted to Hyderabad on Tuesday.

The two leaders launched the protest at Ambedkar Bhavan in Khammam on Monday night seeking justice for the poor, displaced families of Vinoba Navodaya Colony, Velugumatla in Khammam city, affected by the recent demolitions.

According to sources, a strong posse of police reached Ambedkar Bhavan around 5.45 a.m. and detained them before shifting them to the State capital.

Sources said Ms. Kavitha will continue her fast at the



The police shifting K. Kavitha from the site of protest.

Telangana Jagruthi office in Hyderabad in support of the demand of the displaced people for new houses at the same site.

Nearly 600 houses were razed in the drive. While officials say the action was taken to clear unauthorised structures, many of the displaced families said they hold pattas issued by the erstwhile Andhra Pradesh Bhoodan Board.

5% GST revenue must go to civic bodies: Karnataka panel

State Finance Commission says this will help municipal bodies fund infrastructure projects; it adds that the five city corporations have been key contributors to industry and service sectors

The Hindu Bureau
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In a bid to ensure mobilisation of resources for infrastructure development and civic services in urban areas in Karnataka, the Fifth State Finance Commission has recommended that the State government earmark a minimum of 5% of its total GST revenue generated in cities to Urban Local Self Governments, including those coming under Greater Bengaluru Authority.

In its report tabled in the State Legislature on Tuesday, the three-member commission led by former MP Dr. C. Narayanaswamy observed that the revenue of the municipal bodies would increase by 52% if they get at least



Talking numbers: The Budget Session of the Karnataka Assembly in progress on Tuesday. ANI

5% share of the State's GST revenue.

The commission has indicated that its recommendation stems from estimates that urban areas account for 70% of the State's total GST revenue. Interestingly, this is si-

imilar to Karnataka's argument before the Centre that it should get a higher share of GST returns as it is the second highest GST revenue contributor in the country.

With respect to Bengaluru, the Finance Commis-

State pays ₹125 cr. a day to service debts: BJP leader

BENGALURU

Every individual in Karnataka has a loan burden of ₹1,12,400 owing to Chief Minister Siddaramaiah's "indiscriminate borrowing", Opposition leader R. Ashok has said. To service the debts, the State was forced to repay ₹45,600 crore a year — or roughly ₹125 crore a day, the BJP leader said.

sion has observed that the five city corporations under the Greater Bengaluru Authority have been making significant contributions to the industries and services sectors, which in turn positively impact State GST.

Siddaramaiah attends dinner hosted by D.K. Shivakumar

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BENGALURU

Karnataka Deputy Chief Minister D.K. Shivakumar on Tuesday hosted a dinner at a five-star hotel in the city to celebrate the completion of six years as the Congress State president. Chief Minister Siddaramaiah, his Cabinet colleagues and many MLAs

attended the party.

As Mr. Shivakumar welcomed Siddaramaiah on his arrival, the latter greeted him and congratulated him for completing six years as the KPCC chief.

There has been a power tussle going on between Chief Minister Siddaramaiah and Shivakumar. However, the two leaders often put up a united face.



CM Siddaramaiah greets D.K. Shivakumar in Bengaluru.

Kerala High Court issues notice to Dileep, others in actor rape case

The Hindu Bureau
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The Kerala High Court on Tuesday issued notices to actor Dileep and others in the actor rape case, a fortnight after the Kerala government filed a petition challenging their acquittal.

The government in its appeal also sought enhancement of the punishment awarded to the convicts.

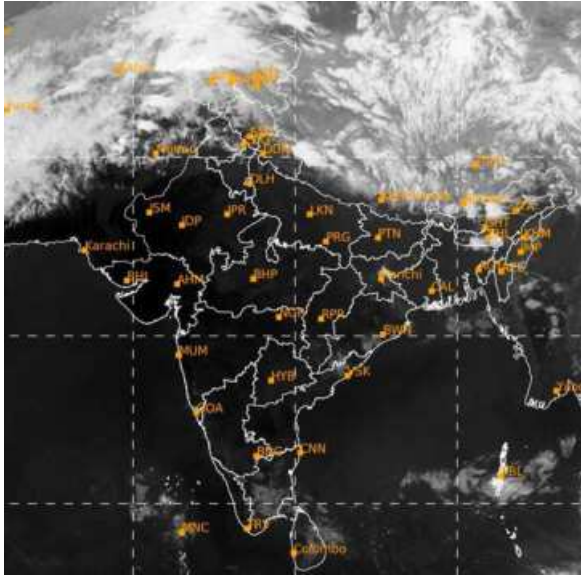
The government's contention was that the acquittal of Mr. Dileep and three others by the Ernakulam Sessions Court was "illegal and contrary to the evidence on record". "The judgment was illegal and unsustainable, and liable to be set aside and modified," it said.

The sentence awarded was "highly disproportionate and inadequate, consi-

dering the nature of the offences, the manner of execution, and the terror created in society," the government said. It said the trial court failed to "undertake a comprehensive and holistic evaluation of the prosecution evidence in its entirety" against all the accused who were charged with the same offences, for being members of the criminal conspiracy.

WEATHER WATCH

Rainfall, temperature & air quality in select metros yesterday



TEMPERATURE DATA: IMD, POLLUTION DATA: CPCB, MAP: INRAT/IMD (TAKEN AT 18.15 HRS)

Forecast for Wednesday: Heavy rainfall likely at isolated places over Jammu & Kashmir, Ladakh and Muzaffarabad. Thunderstorm with lightning/gusty winds likely at isolated places over Himachal Pradesh, Bihar, Arunachal Pradesh, Assam, Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram, Tripura, Sikkim, West Bengal, Jharkhand and Odisha

CITY	RAIN	TEMP	AQI	CITY	RAIN	TEMP	AQI
Agartala	32.4	20.6		Kozhikode	35.3	26.8	
Ahmedabad	41.4	23.1		Kurnool	35.5	23.5	
Alizawl	30.0	18.2		Lucknow	34.2	22.0	
Allahabad	35.4	20.5		Madurai	36.0	22.0	
Bengaluru	31.0	19.0		Mangaluru	34.8	25.6	
Bhopal	36.2	14.4		Mumbai	40.0	21.6	
Bhubaneswar	33.3	23.6		Mysuru	32.6	20.2	
Chandigarh	32.4	19.3		New Delhi	35.5	18.8	
Chennai	33.5	22.5		Patna	32.0	24.0	
Coimbatore	33.2	21.8		Port Blair	32.4	26.3	
Dehradun	31.0	20.3		Puducherry	31.0	22.6	
Gangtok	22.2	12.4		Pune	37.8	22.2	
Gaipur	34.4	25.1		Raipur	38.6	23.0	
Guwahati	33.4	19.5		Ranchi	30.1	19.0	
Hubballi	35.0	19.0		Shillong	0.9	12.5	
Hyderabad	33.6	23.5		Shimla	25.7	15.8	
Imphal	0.8	29.8		Srinagar	3	17.6	
Jaipur	37.5	20.6		Thiruvananthapuram	35.1	23.4	
Kochi	32.6	26.0		Tiruchi	31.3	22.1	
Kohima	16.6	13.9		Vijayawada	34.6	21.5	
Kolkata	32.3	25.0		Visakhapatnam	31.8	25.6	

CITIES	SO	NO	CO	PM2.5	PM10	CODE	Yesterday
Ahmedabad	100	78	27	94	138		In observation made at 4.00 p.m., Greater Noida, Uttar Pradesh recorded an overall air quality index (AQI) score of 340 indicating an unhealthy level of pollution. In contrast, Shillong, Meghalaya recorded a healthy AQI score of 26
Bengaluru	4	15	38	164	154		
Chennai	17	10	17	96	77		
Delhi	17	104	81	301	335		
Hyderabad	3	9	56	82	108		
Kolkata	11	31	14	68	122		
Lucknow	11	40	29	260	269		
Mumbai	13	78	46	117	132		
Pune	7	38	33	265	214		
Visakhapatnam	13	67	18	104	131		

Air Quality Code: ■ Poor ■ Moderate ■ Good (Readings indicate average AQI)

SO₂: Sulphur Dioxide. Short-term exposure can harm the respiratory system, making breathing difficult. It can affect visibility by reacting with other air particles to form haze and stain culturally important objects such as statues and monuments.

NO₂: Nitrogen Dioxide. Aggravates respiratory illness, causes haze to form by reacting with other air particles, causes acid rain, pollutes coastal waters.

CO: Carbon monoxide. High concentration in air reduces oxygen supply to critical organs like the heart and brain. At very high levels, it can cause dizziness, confusion, unconsciousness and even death.

PM2.5 & PM10: Particulate matter pollution can cause irritation of the eyes, nose and throat, coughing, chest tightness and shortness of breath, reduced lung function, irregular heartbeat, asthma attacks, heart attacks and premature death in people with heart or lung disease

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RE QUOTATION NOTICE
Sealed Quotations are invited from IRDA approved / registered Insurance Companies / Companies for providing insurance cover to fishermen under the Fishermen Group Personal Accident Insurance Scheme 2026-27 implemented by Matsyafed. Further details can be had from our Notice Board / Website: www.matsyafed.in. Last Date: 12/03/2026 3:00PM
Sd/- MANAGING DIRECTOR
KERALA STATE CO-OPERATIVE FEDERATION FOR FISHERIES DEVELOPMENT LTD (MATSYAFED) KAMALESWARAM, MANAUAUD P.O. THIRUVANANTHAPURAM-695009 Ph: 0471-2458606, 2457172, 2457756 Website: www.matsyafed.in

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REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL - NOTICE
Ref: ELCOT-FPP-Viyan-2026-01
ELCOT invites "Request for proposal (RFP) for the participation and collaboration of leading industry partners, academic institutions and technology providers to collaborate in the Development, Operation, and Management of state-of-the-art facility "Viyan AVGC-XR Centre of Excellence (CoE). For further details, please visit elcot.tn.gov.in or ntenders.gov.in. Pre-bid meeting: **18.03.2026**, 11:00 a.m. Last date for submission of proposals: **16.04.2026**, 3:00 pm. For queries: viyan@elcot.in.
DIPR/1709/Tender/2026 **MANAGING DIRECTOR**

GREATER CHENNAI CORPORATION
SPECIAL PROJECTS DEPARTMENT
S. P. D. C. No. B1 / 0498 / 2026
e-TENDER NOTICE
e-TENDER is invited for the following work in Two Cover System as per details furnished below.
Development of Pedestrian Plaza in Dn 177 - Zone 13 & Dn 182 - Zone 14 - Work
Value of Rs. **14,44,14,000/-** (inclusive of GST @18%) - E.M.D. Rs. **14,45,000/-**
Tender document will be available in website: <https://ntenders.gov.in>
EMD Amount through online net banking transaction on e-tender portal only.
Tender last date and time of submission: **15.04.2026** up to **3.00 p.m.**
Tender opening date and time : **16.04.2026** at **3.00 p.m.**
DIPR / 1692 / Tender / 2026 **Superintending Engineer (Special Projects)**

बैंक ऑफ बड़ोदा Bank of Baroda
BANK OF BARODA, Fort Road Branch
P B No 6, Block No 7, Fort Road, Kannur, Kerala - 670001
E-mail: viyan@bankofbaroda.com
Phone: 0497 270 8613, 0497 2705103
SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES
E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rule 6 (2) & (8) (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.
Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower (s), Mortgagor (s) and Guarantor (s) that the below described immovable property mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Bank of Baroda, Secured Creditor, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" basis for recovery of dues in below mentioned account/s. The details of Borrower/s/Mortgagor/Guarantor/s/Secured Asset/s/Dues/Reserve Price/e-Auction date & Time, EMD and Bid Increase Amount are mentioned below -
1) Name & address of Borrower/s/ Guarantor/ s/ Mortgagor (s):- 1) Mr. Vaishnav C (Borrower), Vaishnav Nivas, Punnad Post, Keezhur, Kannur-670703, 2) Mrs. Shyamala C (Co-Borrower), Vaishnav Nivas, Punnad Post, Keezhur, Kannur-670703
Detailed description of the immovable property with known encumbrances, if any : All that piece and parcel of the EMOTD of Land measuring 8.49 Ares (20.97 Cents) situated at R. S. No. 20/671 in Peravoor Panchayath, Itty Taluk, Kannur District, Kerala, in the name of Mrs. Shyamala. C. with all improvements therein including the right of access and all other rights, easements etc. attached thereto and which is more particularly described in the schedule submitted to the bank
Boundaries: East: Panchayat Road, North: Panchayat Road, West: Private Road, South: Property of Pushpa (as per location certificate dated 02.12.2021)
Settlement Deed No 4375/2012 (Title Deed)
Total Dues, [O/S upto 08-03-2026 and interest upto 08-03-2026]: Rs. 27,96,260.02 (Twenty Seven Lakhs Ninety Six Thousand Two Hundred Sixty and Two Paise Only)
Date & time of E-auction: 21-04-2026 - 2.00 PM to 6.00 PM
Reserve Price : Rs. 25,00,000/-, **Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Amount :** Rs. 2,50,000/-, **Bid Increase Amount:** Rs.10,000/-
Status of Possession : Symbolic Possession
Property Inspection date & time : 17-04-2026, 10 a.m - 5 p.m
2) Name & address of Borrower/s/ Guarantor/ s/ Mortgagor (s):- 1) Mr. Imthiyas Pazhaya Peedikayil, S/o Abdul Kader, R/o Naffas, Arayalathara, P.O. Kakkad, Kannur-670005, Kerala. 2) Mrs. Hashbana P. W/o Imthiyas Pazhaya Peedikayil, R/o Naffas, Arayalathara, P.O. Kakkad, Kannur-670005, Kerala
Detailed description of the immovable property with known encumbrances, if any : All that is part and parcel of property measuring 10 cents of land and an RCC residential building in Anna Garden Villa Project of CMR Developers., R. S. No 292/9639 O S NO 267/1 at Alakode Panchayat, Vellad Village, Taliparamba Taluk, Alakode Sub District, Kannur District together with all improvements therein including the right of access and all other rights, easements etc attached thereto.
Boundaries: East: Villa No 4, North: Property of P C Rajan, West: Villa No 2, South: 10 feet wide private road
Total Dues, [O/S upto 08-03-2026 and interest upto 08-03-2026]: Rs. 68,04,450.35 (Sixty Eight Lakhs Four Thousand Four Hundred and Fifty and Thirty Five Paise Only)
Date & time of E-auction: 21-04-2026 - 2.00 PM to 6.00 PM
Reserve Price : Rs. 27,45,000/-, **Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) Amount :** Rs. 2,74,500/-, **Bid Increase Amount:** Rs.10,000/-
Status of Possession : Physical Possession
Property Inspection date & time : 17-04-2026, 10 a.m - 5 p.m
For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer/visit to the website link <https://www.bankofbaroda.in/e-auction> and online auction portal Baanknet.com. Also, prospective bidders may contact the Authorised officer on Tel No. 04972706613, Mobile, 9880122706
Place : Kannur **Sd/-** Authorized Officer
Date : 10.03.2026 **Bank of Baroda**

BENGALURU SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT LIMITED
Office of the Deputy General Manager-1,BSWML, 1st Floor, BBMP Building, Thimmaiah Road, Vasanth Nagar, Bengaluru – 560 052.
No: DGM-1/BSWML/TEND/28/2025-26 Date: 10.03.2026
INVITATION FOR SHORT TERM TENDER
(Through GOK KPPP only) (3rd Call)
The Deputy General Manager-1, Bengaluru Solid Waste Management Limited on behalf of the Managing Director, BSWML, Bengaluru invites bids from eligible bidders for the Services mentioned in the table given below.

Sl. No.	Name of the work	Approx. Amount put to tender (Rs. in lakhs)	EMD (Amount in Rs.)	Time of Completion
1	Primary Collection and Secondary Transportation of Municipal solid waste (MSW) and Street sweeping waste in Byatarayanapura division (Package-33) Call-03	2,265.34	Rs.1,00,000/- through e- payment mode under of the following i.e., online / RTGS / NEFT / OTC and the balance Rs. 21,65,000/- by Bank Guarantee/FDR issued by Nationalized/Scheduled Bank.	84 Months

1) Last date for uploading Pre-bid Queries in KPP Portal: 15.03.2026 upto 17:30 hrs. 2) Tender Pre-Bid meeting: 16.03.2026 at 15:00hrs at above mentioned office. 3) Last Date of Receipt of Tender: 25.03.2026 before 17:30 hrs. 4) Opening of Technical Bid: 26.04.2026 after 17:30 hrs.
More details can be downloaded from website - <https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in>
Sd/-
Deputy General Manager-1, BSWML
DIPR/CP/JA/6152/2025-26

KARNATAKA INDUSTRIAL AREAS DEVELOPMENT BOARD
(A Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
No.2, 2/1 and 2/3, Kalidasa Marg, 1st Main Road, Gandhinagar Bengaluru - 560 009. Phone No. 080-22265383, website: www.kiadb.in
IADB/ENGG/ETND-EP-94/3889/2025-26 Date: 10.03.2026
SHORT TERM NOTICE INVITING TENDER
(Through GOK Karnataka Public Procurement Portal Only)
Item Rate Tender under two cover bid system is invited for the work mentioned below as per the Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurement Act 1999 and Rules 2000 through electronic procurement from eligible Contractors who have got adequate financial resources, state of the art technology, suitable construction equipments, technical man power & sufficient past experience for the the following work as per the schedule given below:
Name of the Work : Establishment of Plug & Play Infrastructure for Manufacturing / Assembly of Electricity Vehicle Component, battery pack assembly, charging infrastructure and testing centre at plot no.1B of EV Block, Harohalli 5th Phase Industrial Area, Ramanagara Taluk, Bengaluru South District.
The last date and time of receipt of tender is : **26.03.2026 upto 4.00 pm.**
Applicants May Download Bidding Documents from the Karnataka Public Procurement Portal <https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in>.
Sd/-
Chief Engineer-1, KIADB Bengaluru
DIPR/CP/6153/Zen/2025-26

BENGALURU SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT LIMITED
Office of the Deputy General Manager-1,BSWML, 1st Floor, BBMP Building, Thimmaiah Road, Vasanth Nagar, Bengaluru – 560 052.
No: DGM-1/BSWML/TEND/25/2025-26 Date: 10.03.2026
Invitation for Short Term Tender
(Through GOK KPPP only) (Call-03)
The Deputy General Manager-1, Bengaluru Solid Waste Management Limited on behalf of the Managing Director, BSWML, Bengaluru invites bids from eligible bidders for the Services mentioned in the table given below.

Sl. No.	Name of the work	Approx. Amount put to tender (Rs. in lakhs)	EMD (Amount in Rs.)	Time of Completion
1	Primary Collection and Secondary Transporation of Municipal Solid Waste (MSW) and Street sweeping waste in Yeshwanthpura-2 division (Package-29) Call-03.	1,569.52	Rs.1,00,000/- through e- payment under of the following i.e., online / RTGS / NEFT / OTC and the balance Rs. 14,70,000/- by Bank Guarantee/FDR issued by Nationalized/Scheduled Bank.	84 Months

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Deputy General Manager-1, BSWML
DIPR/CP/JA/6149/2025-26

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SALE NOTICE
E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES THROUGH E-AUCTION (ONLINE AUCTION) UNDER RULES 8(i) OF THE SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES 2002.
Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged to the Secured Creditors Canara Bank, the Symbolic Possession of which has been taken by the Authorized Officer, will be sold on "As is Where is", "As is What is" and "Whatever there is" on below mentioned dates for recovery of dues to Canara Bank from below mentioned borrowers & Guarantors.
No.1 Name and address of the Borrowers/Co Borrowers: M/s ABA Apparels, Mr.Abid Ali T.K and Mr.Shahul Hameed
Total liabilities: Rs.2,57,82,407.80 (Rupees Two Crore Fifty Seven Lakhs Eighty Two Thousand Four Hundred Seven and Eighty Paise Only) as on 10.03.2026 and further interest and other expenses
Details and full description of the immovable property: All that part and parcel of Land measuring 183.33 Cents of Land along with a double stored commercial RCC building having a plinth area of 4252 sqft and sheet roofed building having a plinth area of 600 sqft vide door No 193, 194,195,196 & 197 situated in Re Sy no 166/3-3, 166/3-4 at kattiparuthi Village, Vallanchery Municipality, Tirur Taluk, Malappuram District in the name of Mr Shahul Hameed. **Boundaries: East :** Property in the possession of Janardhanan; **North:** One Meter Road; **West:** PWD Road, Property in the possession of Neetukattil Ali; **South:** Property in the Possession of Neetukattil Mohammed Ali
Reserve price: Rs.3,03,00,000/- **Earnest Money Deposit:** Rs.30,30,000/-
No.2 Name and address of the Borrowers/Co Borrowers: M/s NKS Spicex, Mr. Aboobacker K and Mr. Khalid K.
Total liabilities: Rs.93,04,560.80 (Rupees Ninety Three Lakhs Four Thousand Five Hundred and Sixty and Eighty Paise Only) as on 10.03.2026 and further interest and other expenses
Details and full description of the immovable property: All that part and parcel of 7.28 Ares (17.98 Cent) of land and residential buildings thereon with door no 38/62 & 63 in Re. Sy no. 354/8 (Old sy no. 357/6) in block no.12 in Kondotty Village Kondotty Taluk Malappuram District in the name of Sri.Aboobacker K and Khalid. **Boundaries as per location map (958/2017) for total extent East:** Puthiyaparamban Hassan kaivassam; **West:** Panchayath road; **North:** Property in the possession of Sri.Palckal Hamza and Sri.Basheer; **South:** Property in the possession of Sri.Aanapra Saidalavi.
Reserve price: Rs.96,50,000/- **Earnest Money Deposit:** Rs.9,65,000/-
Date of E-Auction: 21-04-2026, Time 11.00 A.M. to 12.00 P.M.
(With unlimited extension of 5 minutes duration each till sale is concluded)
The E.M.D. shall be deposited on or before 20-04-2026 before 5.00 pm
The property can be inspected, with Prior Appointment with Authorized Officer, on any working day between 10.00 AM and 5.00 PM
For Detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank Website (www.canarabank.bank.in) or may contact Authorized Officer, ARM Branch, Kozhikode, mail id: cb7594@canarabank.com, Ph: 9188408941
Place : Kozhikode **Portal of E-Auction: <https://baanknet.com>** **(Sd/-) Authorised Officer,**
Date : 10-03-2026 **Canara Bank**