CANAL TRAGEDY Two cousins, Aare Prem Kumar (19) and R Gowri Prasad, drowned while swimming in a canal at Kollimara village in Guntur district. The youths had come to Kakumanu mandal for summer holidays. Police retrieved the bodies

Two fishers drown as boat capsizes off Nellore coast

Govt announces ₹5L ex gratia; search on for two missing fishermen

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Nellore

TWO fishermen from Juvvaladinne Aricharla Bangarupalem village in Bogolu mandal of Kavali constituency in Nellore district drowned while fishing in the early hours of Wednesday after their boat capsized due to strong winds.

The deceased were identified as Thupili Balamurali and Kumari Govindu.



According to reports, the duo had ventured into the sea for fishing when gusty winds overturned their small fishing craft, causing them to drown.

Police officials rushed to the spot after receiving information about the incident and began an inquiry into the accident. Meanwhile, AP Minister P Narayana expressed deep shock over the incident. He spoke over the phone with local MLA D Krishna Reddy and concerned officials to gather details about the mishap that occurred near the Taticherlapalem coast in Bogolu mandal.

The minister conveyed his condolences to the families of the deceased fishermen and assured them that the government would extend all possible support during this difficult time.

The State government has announced an ex gratia payment of ₹5 lakh each to the families of the victims on the directions of Chief Minister N Chandrababu Naidu. Postmortem exam on the bodies of Balamurali and Govindu were conducted at the Kavali Area Government hospital.

MLA D Krishna Reddy visited the hospital and assured the family members of government assistance.

3 kids drown in farm pond in Sathya Sai dist

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Anantapur

THREE children drowned after accidentally falling into a farm pond set up in a pomegranate orchard at Roddam mandal in Sri Sathya Sai district on Wednesday evening.

According to Roddam SI K Veeranjaneyulu, the deceased were identified as PA Darahas Reddy (12), PA Harshith Reddy (10), and R Suguna Reddy (12), all residents of Naranagepalli village in the mandal. The children had reportedly gone to their agricultural field and accidentally fell into the farm pond.

AP links lake revival with women's livelihoods

S GURU SRIKANTH @ Vijayawada

IN a forward-looking step, the State gvernment of Andhra Pradesh has unveiled a mission to rejuvenate water bodies while simultaneously creating sustainable livelihood opportunities for women.

In the recently issued government order, G.O.MS.No. 106, the Municipal Administration & Urban Development (MA&UD) Department, integrates water hyacinth clearance and resource recovery into the ongoing Jaladhara–Jalaharathi 100-Day Special Drive, running from April 6 to July 14, 2026.

The programme comes at a time when lakes, ponds, and canals across the state are under severe ecological stress due to unchecked water hyacinth growth. The fast-spreading aquatic weed has been choking irrigation channels, degrading water quality, and threatening biodiversity.

Officials described the initiative as a mission-mode approach that goes beyond routine cleaning, combining environmental restoration with income generation. "This



is not just a cleaning exercise. It is a long-term solution that combines ecological balance with livelihood creation," a senior official said.

MA&UD will manage urban water bodies, Panchayat Raj & Rural Development (PR&RD) will oversee rural structures, and the Water Resources Department will clear irrigation canals and minor tanks. Unlike earlier efforts, the SOP addresses root causes by mandating strict prevention of untreated sewage inflow.

Localised Sewage Treatment Plants (STPs) and nature-based systems are being installed to ensure only treated water enters water bodies, reducing the recurrence of hyacinth.

Women's Self-Help Groups (SHGs), mobilised by SERP and MEPMA, are receiving harvested biomass to process into organic compost, fibre products, and handicrafts. Long stems are converted into commercial fibres, while leaves and roots are composted with cow dung slurry, maturing over 30 days into nutrient-rich manure.

Authorities expect the compost to reduce dependence on chemical fertilisers, lower input costs for farmers, and improve soil health. Surplus production meeting Fertiliser Control Order (FCO) standards will be aggregated and marketed through APMARKFED, ensuring steady income streams for women entrepreneurs.

Environmental benefits are expected to be equally significant. Cleaner water bodies will improve groundwater recharge, support aquatic biodiversity, and enhance urban landscapes. In rural areas, restored tanks and canals will strengthen irrigation and agricultural productivity.

District administrations are overseeing implementation with strong monitoring frameworks, including geo-tagged "before and after" documentation to ensure transparency.

Experts have welcomed the initiative as a model of integrated governance, noting that AP is setting a good example.

As the programme expands across districts, neglected water bodies are expected to regain vitality, while women's SHGs gain a sustainable foundation for economic progress.

Officials said the mission reflects a broader policy direction - one where waste is turned into wealth and environmental action translates into social development.

Take steps to prevent power disruptions: Gottipati

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Vijayawada

ENERGY Minister Gottipati Ravi Kumar has directed officials to adopt special measures to prevent power interruptions and ensure citizens face no inconvenience during the ongoing summer heatwave and untimely gale storms.

On Wednesday, the Minister held a video conference with senior officials to review the electricity supply situation across the State. Officials briefed him that transmission



lines and transformers in several districts have been severely affected due to intense heat, gusty winds, and heavy rains.

The Minister instructed that citizens must be given prior intimation about any power interruptions. He emphasized effective use of media platforms and bulk SMS systems for timely communication.

He further directed that call centres act as a robust coordination mechanism between the electricity department and consumers, ensuring the 24/7 toll-free helpline 1912 remains fully accessible and responsive to public grievances.

To strengthen supply, Gottipati Ravi Kumar ordered that the ongoing construction of Transco substations be accelerated and feeder capacities upgraded to meet future demand, thereby minimising transmission losses.

The Minister instructed Superintending Engineers (SEs) in all districts to conduct mandatory daily teleconferences with staff.

The meeting was attended virtually by Energy Department Special Chief Secretary Vijayanand, along with Transco JMD, Discom CMDs, Directors, Chief Engineers, and others.

EXPRESS READ

AP to set up migration mgmt centres for NRTs

Vijayawada: To resolve various grievances of Non-Resident Telugus (NRTs), the State government has decided to establish Migration Management Centres at District Collectorates. The special cells already established in District Collectorates, comprising an MRO cadre officer and a Sub-Inspector/ Circle Inspector from the Special Branch office of the District SP, will also function as Special Police Officers (NRT Affairs) at the Migration Management Centres in the districts

ACA to launch APL in Vizag on June 9

Visakhapatnam: The ACA will launch the APL on June 9 in Visakhapatnam. The tournament will feature seven teams and will be played in a round-robin league format across Visakhapatnam, Kadapa, and Mangalagiri. The participating teams are Bhimavaram Bulls, Royals of Rayalaseema, Vijayawada Sunshiners, Amaravathi Royals, Simhadri Lions, Kakinada Kings, and Thungabhadra Warriors. The schedule was released by APL Governing Body Chairperson Sujay Krishna Ranga Rao

TN CBCID seeks help to trace missing trio

Guntur: The Tamil Nadu Vellore Range Crime Branch CID has appealed to the public to help trace three persons missing since November 13, 2022 - a father, his young son and elderly mother. According to DSP B Suresh Pandyan, the missing persons are D Rajesh Kumar (39), his son R Sashwanth Rajesh (7), and mother D Lalitha (65), residents of Solingar village in Ranipet district. Police said a case was registered at the Vellore CBCID Police Station based on a a complaint

PARADIP PORT AUTHOTIRY
e-TENDER CALL NOTICE
No.EM/PED-09/2026
No.: EM/PED/TECH-30/2025/109
Date: 22/05/2026
Name of the work: **Maintenance contract of streetlights installed inside Port Township for a period of three years**. Estimated Cost: **Rs.2,73,71,558/-** excluding GST. Last date & time of submission of bid: **dt.15.06.2026 up to 18:00 Hrs**. Refer our website for details **https://eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app.**
Sd/- Executive Engineer (E), (PED-III)
Paradip Port Authority
PPA/PR/11/2026-2027 dtd. 26.05.2026

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Quotation Notice
KIIDC invited Sealed and Superscribed quotations for the Supply of **LD Shrink Film and other items**, for the Packaged Drinking Water Plants in Kerala. Detailed information is available on the official website: **www.kiidc.kerala. gov.in.**
Managing Director

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
WATER RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice No.CE/CDO/Admn/SC/C1/3293/2026, Dt.27.05.2026
To, Sri N. Ammanna Babu, Junior Technical Officer,
This is to inform that Sri N. Ammanna Babu, Junior Technical Officer has been found to be on unauthorized absence from duty without prior permission or intimation to the competent authority. Despite previous directions and reminders, you have failed to report back to duty or submit a valid justification for your absence. Therefore, through this Public Notice, you are hereby directed to report to duty and submit your detailed explanation to the office of the undersigned within 15 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which it will be presumed that you have nothing to say, and strict disciplinary action will be initiated against you as per the APESS rules in force without any further correspondence.
Sd/- Chief Engineer, Central Designs Organization, Vijayawada
DIPR No.20471/CL/ADVT/1/1/2021-22, Dt:27/05/2026

GREATER VISAKHAPATNAM MUNICIPAL CORPORATION
Tender Notice No: 22/2026-2027/SE(WS)/EE-II(WS) Dt: 26-05-2026
Number of works = 1 Value of work Rs.62.81 Lakhs
Downloading starting Date: 27-05-2026, Tender Closing Date: 10-06-2026.
Further Details at http://tender.apeprocurement.gov.in
O/o EE(WS) Cell No.9912255228
Sd/- Commissioner, GVMC

TRANSMISSION CORPORATION OF TELANGANA LIMITED
e - Procurement TENDER NOTICE
TGTRANSCO invites bids online for the works against **Spec.No.**e-TGTLI-08/2026 -27, **Name of work:** Execution of (i) Conversion of 132KV DC line from 2-Ph to 3-Ph (3kM) from 132KV SS Bellampally to 132/25 KV RTSS Bellampally along with connected bays (ii) Strengthening of 132KV Mandamarri - Bellampally DC line (10KM) by replacing with HTLS conductor along with modification of 4Nos. connected bays in Mancherial District on Turnkey basis. **Tender Availability on web site from:** 01.06.2026. Note: Further details can be seen in website (s): http://tender.telangana.gov.in Phone/Fax No. 040-23323565, 040-23396000 Extn. 3552, 3424, 3644, 3415
Sd/-
DIPR R.O. No. : 180-PP/CL-AGENCY/ADVT/2026-27, Date: 27-05-2026 CHIEF ENGINEER/LIS

Karnataka Food & Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd.
(Government of Karnataka Undertaking)
No.16/I, MILLERS TANK BED AREA, BANGALORE-560 052
Ph: 080-2226 0932 / 2209 6555 / 2209 6512
E-mail: admnkfcsc123@yahoo.com
No: KFCSC/ADMN/03/2026-27/550 Date: 26.05.2026
NOTIFICATION
Karnataka Food and Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd., Bangalore has published a tender for "Appointment of Manpower Agency" to provide Manpower Service on contractual basis at KFCSC Head Office Premises. Tender references are shown below.

Sl No	Tender No
1	KFCSCL/2026-26/SE0170

The Tender Form and other information can be obtained from the website www.kppp.karnataka.gov.in
Sd/-
Managing Director

VicenteFerrer
RURAL DEVELOPMENT TRUST
Rural Development Trust, Bangalore Road, Ananthapuramu - 515001. (AP)
Lr. No. Football & Hockey Turf Field - CPD:07/2026-27, Dt. 27.05.2026
Rural Development Trust (RDT) invites Expressions of Interest from experienced and qualified sports infrastructure firms for the construction of two synthetic sports playing surfaces at our sports facility at Anantapur, Andhra Pradesh as follows:
★ **Artificial Football Turf Field (100m x 65 m excluding run-off) &**
★ **Synthetic Hockey Turf Field (91.4mx55m excluding run-off)**
Detailed **EOI document** which includes the scope of work, eligibility criteria, documents required to be submitted and timeline for submissions and method of submission are available for download on our **website www.rdtfvf.org** under **'Work With Us'** section from 27.05.2026.
Sd/- Chairman-RDT

PUBLIC NOTICE
ICICI Bank Branch Office: ICICI Bank Ltd. 4/10, Mythree Tower, Bommanhalli Hosur Main Road Bangalore- 560068
The following borrower(s) has/have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest towards the Loan facility(ies) availed from ICICI Bank. The Loan(s) has/have been classified as Non-Performing Asset(s) (NPA).
A Notice was issued to them under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, at their last known addresses. However, it has not been served and are therefore being notified by way of this Public Notice.

Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ (Loan Account Number) & Address	Description of Secured Asset to be enforced	Date of Notice sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	Sri Vijaya Lakshmi Traders Represented By Proprietor G Dora Babu 2-120, Madiki Alamuru East Godavari District Alamuru, Andhra Pradesh East Godavari-533126/' 631505014811	Property Address 1: A Site Measuring An Extent of 48.4 Sq.yards or 40.46 Sq.mts, Together With Building Therein Bearing D.No.2-72D, Covered by S.No. 181/1B. , Block No.2 of Madiki Village And Panchayat, East Godavari District And Bounded By: Site Boundaries As Doc No.509/2010: East: Site of Harijanapeta South: RCC Shops of Claimants West: National Highway Road North: Shop of Gangisetty Srinivasa Rao Property Address 2: A Site Measuring An Extent of 48.4 Sq.yards or 40.46 Sq.mts, Together With Building Therein Bearing D.No.2-72, Covered By S.no.181/1B1, Block No.2 of Madiki Village And Panchayat, East Godavari District And Bounded By: Site Boundaries As Doc No.636/2015: East: Site of Harijanapeta South: Site of Kattamuri Macharayya West: National Highway Road Site North: Site of Rachuri Rambabu	April 22, 2026 Rs. 18,35,263.80/-	09/02/ 2026

These steps are being taken for substituted service of Notice. The above borrower/s and/or guarantor/s (as applicable) is/are advised to make the outstanding payment within 60 days from the date of publishing this Notice. Else, further steps will be taken as per the provisions of the Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.
Date: May 28, 2026
Place: Rajahmundry
Sincerely Authorised Officer
For ICICI Bank Ltd.

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(An Autonomous Institute of Govt. of Karnataka)
Office of the Director cum Dean, Fort, K.R. Road,
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E-mail: director_bmcri@yahoo.co.in
No: BMCRI/SUP(1)/41/2025-26 Dated: 26-05-2026
RE E-TENDER NOTIFICATION
Re E-Tender has been invited as per Karnataka Transparency in Public Procurements Act 1999 for the **Purchase of Medical Equipment for Victoria Hospital, BMCRI, Bengaluru.**
The tender documents may be downloaded from e-Procurement Website: **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in from 27-05-2026** and Last Date for Submission of Tenders through e-Procurement Portal is **29-06-2026 upto 5.00 PM.** Those tenders which are not submitted with EMD will be rejected.
For further details contact **Director cum Dean, Bangalore Medical College and Research Institute, Bengaluru.**
Sd/- Director cum Dean,
BMCRI, Bengaluru.
DIPR/CP/843/Adverto/2026-27

Bank of Baroda | ROSARB - RAJAHMUNDRY
5th floor, 36-7-14, Konduri Square, Innispeta, Rajahmundry-533102
E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE "APPENDIX-IV-A (See provision to Rule 6 (2) & 8 (6))
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 provision 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 Authorized 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,

Name & Address of Borrower/s / Guarantor / Mortgagors	Give short description of the immovable property with known encumbrances, if any	Amount Outstanding	*For Each Property* Reserve Price, EMD & BID Incremental	Possession Type Constructive/ Physical
1) Mr. Uddisapu Venkateswara Rao (Borrowers) S/o Uddisapu Satyanarayana Murthy D No : 2-77, Ramalayam Street, A Vemavaram Village - 533577 Amalapuram Mandal, Dr. B.R. Amedkar Konaseema District. **2) Mrs. Uddisapu Venkata Lakshmi** (Borrowers) W/o Mr. Uddisapu Venkateswara Rao D No : 2-77, Ramalayam Street A Vemavaram Village- 533577 Amalapuram Mandal Dr.B.R. Amedkar Konaseema District.	**PROPERTY 1 :** Property of Mrs. Uddisapu Venkata Lakshmi, W/o Uddisapu Venkateswara Rao (1610 of 2012 dated 14-03-2012 of the Office of SRO, Amalapuram. Property covered under document No.1610/2012. Equitable Mortgage of Residential Vacant site situated at R.S. Nos 797/1,797/2, Kamanagaruvu Panchayat and Village, Zeroity Dry, 193.60 Sq. yards with all its easements rights and **bounded by: East :** Road; **South :** Site of Kalvakonalu Ramakrishna Rao; **West :** Site of Kalvakonalu Ramakrishna Rao; **North :** Land of Karneedi Mahatalli Anuradha.	**Rs 35,45,837.50** (Rupees Thirty Five Lakhs Forty Five Thousand Eight Hundred Thirty Seven and Fifty Paisa only) **plus Interest from 29.06.2020**	Reserve Price : Rs. 12,50,000/- EMD : Rs. 1,25,000/- BID Incremental Amount : Rs. 10,000/- **E -Auction Date & Time : 20-06-2026 between 2.00 PM to 6.00 PM** (with 10 min. unlimited auto extensions) **For more details Scan the QR code**	**Physical** Property Inspection Date & Time **Date : 08-06-2026 Time : 10.00 AM to 04.00 PM** (with prior appointment only)

PROPERTY 2 : Property of Mrs. Uddisapu Venkata Lakshmi, W/o Uddisapu Venkateswara Rao (1611 of 2012 dated 14-03-2012 of the Office of SRO, Amalapuram. Property covered under document No.1611/2012. Equitable Mortgage of Residential Vacant site situated at R.S. Nos 797/1,797/2, Kamanagaruvu Panchayat and Village, Zeroity Dry, 193.60 Sq. yards with all its easements rights and **bounded by: East :** Road; **South :** Coconut garden of executants sold earlier; **West :** Site of Kalvakonalu Ramakrishna Rao; **North :** Site of Kalvakonalu Ramakrishna Rao
PROPERTY 3 : Property of Mrs. Uddisapu Venkata Lakshmi, W/o Uddisapu Venkateswara Rao (1612 of 2012 dated 14-03-2012 of the Office of SRO, Amalapuram. Property covered under document No.1612/2012. Equitable Mortgage of Residential Vacant site situated at R.S. Nos 797/1,797/2, Kamanagaruvu Panchayat and Village, Zeroity Dry, 193.60 Sq. yards with all its easements rights and **bounded by: East :** Road; **South :** Site of Uddisapu Venkata Lakshmi; **West :** Site of Kalvakonalu Venkata Satyanarayana; **North :** Site of Kalvakonalu Ramakrishna Rao
PROPERTY 4 : Property of Mrs. Uddisapu Venkata Lakshmi, W/o Uddisapu Venkateswara Rao (1613 of 2012 dated 14-03-2012 of the Office of SRO, Amalapuram. Property covered under document No.1613/2012. Equitable Mortgage of Residential Vacant site situated at R.S. Nos 797/1,797/2, Kamanagaruvu Panchayat and Village, Zeroity Dry, 193.60 Sq. yards with all its easements rights and **bounded by: East :** Road; **South :** Site of Uddisapu Venkata Krishna Kumar; **West :** Site of Medisetti Lakshmi Prasanna Saraswathi; **North :** Site of Uddisapu Venkata Lakshmi
For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer/visit to the website link https: //bankofbaroda.bank.in/e-auction and online auction portal https://baanknet.com. Also, prospective bidders may contact the Authorised officer on Mobile 7569961199
Place: Rajahmundry. Date: 27-05-2026 Chief Manager & Authorized Officer, Bank of Baroda

Government of Karnataka
KARNATAKA SCHOOL EXAMINATION AND ASSESSMENT BOARD
6th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560 003
Ph: 080-23349434, email: dpikseab@gmail.com
No: KSEAB/DPIE/B4(OTR)/1/2026-BSEC/90135 Dt:27.05.2026.
e-TENDER NOTIFICATION
The Director, P U Examinations, Karnataka School Examination and Assessment Board, hereby invites tenders from eligible bidders for the **"Supply of various types of pre-printed pass certificates, along with resizing/portrait orientation/cropping of photos, over printing of variable data of the same pertaining to 2026 S.S.L.C and other exams"** as per K.T.P.P. Act 1999 and K.T.P.P. Rules, 2000 through e-procurement portal only. Tender document may be downloaded from Board website **https://kseab.karnataka.gov.in** or e-procurement website **https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in** Tender commences **on 27.05.2026,** Tender pre-bid meeting **on 29.05.2026 at 11.30 AM** in the office of the Director, Exams, last date for submission **03.06.2026 at 5.00 PM,** Opening of technical bid on **05.06.2026 at 11.30 AM,** opening of commercial bid tentatively **on 08.06.2026 at 11.30 AM,** approximate value of tender is **Rs. 30,14,000/-,** tender EMD is **Rs. 60,280/-**. Further details can be obtained from the Board during office hours.
Sd/- Director, P U Exams.

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EMPLOYMENT NOTICE
Veer Narmad South Gujarat University invites applications for the post of Associate Professor in the Department of Business and Industrial Management on self finance bases as per the provisions of the Gujarat Public Universities Act, 2023, the Gujarat Public Universities Uniform Statutes, 2024 and AICTE Regulations - 2019. Eligible candidates are required to apply online on or before 21/06/2026 up to 11:59 p.m. at https://vnsgurec.samarth.edu.in/. The details regarding application fee and minimum qualifications are available on the University website https://www.vnsgu.ac.in. Applicants must submit two (02) hard copies of the application form along with two sets of self-attested testimonials, certificates, and supporting documents on or before 24/06/2026 up to 06:00 p.m. either by Speed Post or in person to the undersigned.
Note: 1. The recruitment process and appointment shall be subject to approval of the Government of Gujarat under Section-46 of the Gujarat Public Universities Act, 2023.
2. Any corrigendum/addendum, if any, shall be published only on the University website. No separate communication shall be made to the applicants.
3. For updates, candidates are advised to check University website: www.vnsgu.ac.in regularly.
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Date: 27/05/2026 REGISTRAR