

DKS claims sting operation targeted him and ministers

K'taka CM says he has photos and records of attempts to trap leaders

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Bengaluru

CHIEF Minister DK Shivakumar on Thursday claimed that attempts were made to conduct sting operations on him and other ministers after he assumed office, and said he knew the alleged mastermind, the source of funding and how the operation was being carried out.

Shivakumar, speaking to reporters in Delhi, said he had evidence of the alleged operation but would not disclose details at this stage. He said some people had approached him, following which he became suspicious and informed the police.

"I know who the mastermind is, who is funding it and how the operation is being carried out," he said, adding that he had photographs and other records which could be released if required.



Karnataka CM D K Shivakumar

Shivakumar said there was "concrete information" that some leaders had hired private agents for the operation. He said he had cautioned ministers and officials at Tuesday's Cabinet meeting to remain vigilant against attempts to trap them.

Home Minister Priyank Kharge defended the CM's warning, saying it was based on information received by the government. He alleged that attempts were being made to destabilise the state govern-

ment and questioned the role of central agencies, including the Income Tax Department and Enforcement Directorate.

Kharge also hit out at Union Minister HD Kumaraswamy over his allegation that former CM Siddaramaiah had been targeted through a sting operation, and asked him to substantiate the claim with evidence. "You are a former chief minister and a Union minister. Please respect the dignity of your chair," he said.

Asked whether the alleged operation involved people from Karnataka or other states, Shivakumar declined to elaborate. He said he knew which other leaders were being targeted but saw no need to disclose all details at present.

The remarks came amid a political exchange over Kumaraswamy's allegation concerning an alleged sting operation targeting Siddaramaiah.

Release 3K cusecs to TN for 15 days: CWMA to K'taka

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ Chennai

THE Cauvery Water Management Authority (CWMA) on Thursday directed Karnataka to release 3,000 cusecs of Cauvery water daily at Biligundulu for 15 days from Friday (October 9), upholding the recommendation of the Cauvery Water Regulation Committee (CWRC).

The decision was taken at the 59th CWMA meeting in New Delhi. Tamil Nadu was represented by Water Resources Department Secretary Prashant M Vadnere and Cauvery Technical Cell chairman R Subramanian, while officials from Karnataka also participated.

According to WRD data accessed by *TNIE*, Karnataka is required to release 127.0535 tm-



TN has received 45.85 tmcft against its due share of 127 tmcft in the current year | FILEPIC

cftft of Cauvery water to Tamil Nadu during the current water year, in accordance with the Supreme Court's final order. However, Tamil Nadu had received only 45.8508 tmcftft as of Wednesday (October 7), leaving a deficit

of 81.2027 tmcftft.

WRD sources said Tamil Nadu had received only 3.6 tmcftft of its due share by the end of July. Following sustained efforts by the state, the cumulative inflow into Tamil Nadu increased to 46

tmcft as of Wednesday during the current water year.

At the meeting, TN representatives sought the release of the state's due share on a pro-rata basis. They demanded 20 tmcft between October 9 and 23, comprising 15 tmcft pending from Karnataka and an additional five tmcft. The demand works out to around 1.3 tmcft a day.

A WRD official said Karnataka had not fully complied with previous CWMA directions. "Though the authority had directed Karnataka to release 4,000 cusecs earlier, TN regularly received less than 60% of the stipulated quantity. Now, Karnataka has been directed to release 3,000 cusecs a day. We are not sure whether the Karnataka government will comply with the order," the official said.

Minister felicitates pregnant women at community baby shower held in Tindivanam

Villupuram: Under the Social Welfare Department and ICDS scheme, community baby shower was held where 300 pregnant women received traditional 'seer varisai' gifts at a community baby shower in Tindivanam on Thursday. Social Justice Minister Vanni Arasu and Villupuram Collector Sheik Abdul Rahman distributed the gifts, which included five types of nutritional food, bangles, fruits, and flowers. ENS



Head of Bureau of France in Chennai Christophe Bramoullé with members of the fishing community at Kottivakkam on Thursday | EXPRESS

'Majority of the students have arrears in math, core subjects'

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SIMILARLY, out of the total 720 students in the seventh semester in ACT this time, at least 250 have arrears. Majority of the students have arrears in Mathematics and core subjects in their respective streams accordingly, as a one-time corrective measure, this special examination was conceptualised.

"We have directed the course instructors in all four campuses to

identify students eligible to appear for this exam," said Kumaresan.

"To help the students in clearing the arrears, we are conducting special classes for them," said K Shanmuga Sundaram, director of the Centre for University-Industry Collaboration (CUIC), which takes care of placement drives in the varsity.

He stated that in 2024-25, the university recorded 65% placement and this year, the situation has improved a bit.

Can't take samples as tank was cleaned: Police

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The water tank at the government primary school in Dindigul, in which excreta was found | EXPRESS

SPEAKING to *TNIE*, a police officer from Dindigul said, "We couldn't get the sample as the tank had already been cleaned. However, since it is a sensitive matter, we are checking the CCTV footage around the facility. Based on a complaint from the school headmaster, a case has been registered under BNS Section 272 (malignant act likely to spread infection of disease dangerous to life), 279 (fouling water of public spring or reservoir), and 123 (causing hurt by

means of poison, etc., with intent to commit an offence). We will interrogate the teachers and staff regarding the matter."

It may be recalled that human faeces were found in a water tank at a government school in Ayyalur, Dindigul, on August 3. A school staff, who noticed a foul smell emanating from the water tap, found the faeces upon inspecting the tank on the terrace.

Though inquiries were conducted, no arrests have been recorded so far.

Lake restoration work at Poyyapakkam lake in Villupuram

Villupuram: District collector Sheik Abdul Rahman on Thursday launched restoration works at Poyyapakkam lake in Villupuram taluk with an aim to improve its storage capacity ahead of the northeast monsoon. Similar works were also being carried out in lakes, ponds, feeder channels and other water bodies across the district to improve water availability, Rahman said. He had also inspected the desilting works being carried out at the Azhangal channel of Ellis check dam in Villupuram. ENS

Collector inspects facilities at Kurinjipadi in Cuddalore

Cuddalore: Collector Sibi Adithya Senthilkumar inspected paddy procurement centres, Anganwadi centres, fair price shops and schools in Kurinjipadi panchayat union on Thursday. He instructed officials to expedite procurement, ensure proper storage and maintain stocks. He also ordered suspension of nutrition scheme in-charge Sivagami Sundari for poor stock maintenance at Kurinjipadi Government Girls' Higher Secondary School. He checked water quality, food quality and kitchen cleanliness. ENS

CHANGE OF NAME

I, M. VETRIVELMURUGAIYAN, S/o. Thiru Mayavapillai, born on 10th March 1962 (District of Birth : Cuddalore), residing at No.43, Reddiyar Street, Maruvai, Kurinjipadi Taluk, Cuddalore - 607303, shall henceforth be known as **M. VETRIVELMURUGAN**, - M. VETRIVELMURUGAIYAN Cuddalore, 17th August 2026

CHANGE OF NAME

I, ABDUL JABBAR SADIK, (Date of Birth : 17.04.1971) residing at No.51, Old Madras Road, Kottakuppam, Vanur Taluk, Villupuram, Tamil Nadu - 605104, do hereby declare that I have changed my name as **ZACKARIYA. A.J** and shall henceforth be known and called as **ZACKARIYA. A.J** - ABDUL JABBAR SADIK

PARADIP PORT AUTHORITY

e-TENDER CALL NOTICE No./CE/PHD/ACCTS-07/26/328 Dtd.05.10.2026
Name of the Work: "Operation and Maintenance (O&M) of 2.50 MLD STP-II at Brundaban Colony for two years (2027-29)". Estimated cost: Rs.1,58,00,972.10. Last Date & time of submission : 26.10.2026 up to 18:00 Hrs. Refer our website for details: eprocure.gov.in/eprocure/app.
Sd/- Executive Engineer, PHD, PPA
PPA/PR/30/2026-2027 dtd. 07.10.2026

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POSSESSION NOTICE

Where as The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of the Federal Bank Ltd., under the Securitisation & Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as Act) and in exercise of powers conferred under section 13(12) of the said Act read with rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (hereinafter referred to as Rules) issued a Demand Notice Dated 22.07.2026 calling upon the Borrowers:

1. Shri. Shanmuga Raja M, S/o. Murugesan, Proprietor of M/s. CMS Foods & Snacks, at No. 80A, Perumal Kol Street, Varichikudy, Karaikal, Pondicherry - 609609, also residing at Varichikudy, Konnaikavali, Varichikudy (North), Karaikal, Pondicherry-609609.

2. Smt. Valarmathi R, W/o. Ramachandran, 3. Smt. Harimathi R, W/o. Shanmuga Raja M. 2 & 3 residing @ No.18, Mariamman Kol Street - West, Panihittu, Pondicherry - 607402, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice for an aggregate of ₹ 68,39,720.48 (Rupees Sixty Eight Lakh Thirty Nine Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty and paise Forty Eight Only) consisting of ₹47,94,653.43 under the A/c No.2369760000000067 & 5,06,525.67 under the a/c No.23695500009931 & ₹ 15,38,541.38 under the a/c No. 23697700024975, with Br. Karaikal within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under section 13(4) of the said Act read with rule 8 of the said Rules on this day of 7th day of October 2026.

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

The borrower in particular and public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Federal Bank Ltd. for an aggregate amount of ₹ 68,67,460.48 (Rupees Sixty Eight Lakh Sixty Seven Thousand Four Hundred Sixty and Paise Forty Eight only) consisting of ₹ 47,85,987.43 under a/c 236976000000067 as on 25.09.2026, ₹ 5,26,162.67/- under a/c no 23695500009931, ₹15,35,310.38 as on 03.09.2026 and interest there on.

DESCRIPTION OF THE MORTGAGED IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

Item -1: All that piece and parcel of Land and Building situated at Pudukchery Registration District, Bahour SRO, Bahour Commune and Panchayat No. 72, Kirumampakkam Revenue Village, Pananthittu Village in RS No: 126/6, CA No: 17/11/5 pt, Patta No: 189 (N) with an total extent of 02A.65 CA. In this one part 01 A.32 ½ Ca/or 1425.70 Sq. ft. extent of land with 80 Sq. mtr of RCC House along with electricity connection Consumer No. 43-23-02-0119/A and Water connection. Boundary Details: North: Road, South: Dural Samy Gounder Land, East: Kasilingam Land, West: Kovil Maniyam Land. Together with all structures thereon and all plant & machinery attached to the earth or permanently fastened to anything attached to the earth both present and future.

Item - 2: All that piece and parcel of land and building situated at Pudukai Registration District, Karaikal Sub Registration within Kottucherry Commune Vanchaikudy North Village, Konnaikavali, RS No: 21/18, Old S.No. 1660/A, 1660/B, 1659/A/P, Patta No: 486, extent 51 Ar 50 Ca Nanjai Land Northern Side One Part 29 Ar 43 Ca 02 Mah 20 Kuzhies. In this M/s. CMS Vercorages Company Leases Land Nanjai Land Northern Side One Part 05 Ar 78 Ca or 6219 Sq. ft Nanjai Land in this R.C.C House with extent of 102 Sq. Mtr Ground Floor and 102 Sq. Mtr First Floor along with electricity connection metre, water connection metre, garden and all others. Nanjai Plot Extent: East West Northern Side and Southern Side of 34 Mtrs. South Northern Eastern Side and Western Side - 17 Mts. Boundaries: North: Land in RS No. 21/18 Retained by Murugesan, South: Land in RS No. 21/18 Retained by Murugesan leased out to M/s. CMS Beverages, East: Road, West: Land in RS No. 21/18 Retained by Murugesan.

Date : 07.10.2026
Place : Chennai

Authorized Officer
(The Federal Bank Ltd.)

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E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation & Reconstruction of the Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 (SARFAESI) read with proviso to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/ charged to the Secured Creditor, the symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Canara Bank, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" for recovery of bank's dues from the borrowers/guarantors. Portal of E-Auction: <https://Baanknet.com/> E-Auction arranged by the service provider M/s. PSB Alliance (Baanknet), Contact Number : 8291220220. E-mail ID: psba@psballiance.com & support.baanknet@psballiance.com

(1). Name of the Borrower / Guarantor / Mortgagee / Total Liabilities : (1). Mr. ARRUNAGIRI P (Borrower & Mortgagee), S/O. PITCHANDI, NO.277/1 - D, TYPE 2 QUARTERS, BLOCK 29, NEYVELI, CUDDALORE- 607807.
(2). Mrs. THILAGAM A (Guarantor), W/o. Mr. ARRUNAGIRI P, NO.277/1 - D, TYPE 2 QUARTERS, BLOCK 29, NEYVELI, CUDDALORE-607807.

Total liabilities as on 28.09.2026 is Rs. 15,39,865.43/- with further interest and other incidental charges thereto incurred by the Bank.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

All that piece and parcel of land and buildings existing and/or to be constructed thereon and any other rights pertaining to the following property. In Chennai South Registration District, Kundrathur Sub Registration District, Kavanoor Village. Sy.No. 277/2. UDS of 385 Sq.ft out of 1540 Sqft. At Plot No.'C'. Flat No: 4D(SECOND FLOOR). At No 64, Kavan or Village, Kancheepuram District. Boundaries: North: 24 FEET ROAD; South : Plot no K; East : Plot No.E; West: Plot No.C.

RESERVE PRICE Rs.18,00,000/- EMD Rs.1,80,000/- BID INCREMENT Rs.10,000/-

Inspection of Property Date & Time 04.11.2026 Between 10.00 AM to 4.00 PM

DATE & TIME OF E-AUCTION 05.11.2026 Between 10.00 a.m & 12.00 noon with unlimited extensions of 5 minutes each.

EMD amount 10% of the Reserve Price is to be deposited in E-Wallet of M/s. PSB Alliance Private Limited (baanknet) portal directly or by generating the Challan therein to deposit the EMD through RTGS/NEFT in the account details as mentioned in the said Challan on or before 04.11.2026 till 10.00 pm.

For the properties which are in symbolic possession of the bank, the Auction purchaser has to comply with the following terms and conditions in addition to the standard terms and condition of the sale.

1) The bidder is purchasing the property in Symbolic Possession at his/ own risk and responsibility. 2) Bank will not be responsible or duly bound for handling over of physical possession. 3) Successful Auction Purchaser will not be entitled to claim any interest, in any case of return of money. 4) Successful Auction Purchaser has to submit the Declaration cum undertaking confirming the above terms and conditions (1 to 3) immediately after e-Auction. 5) Subsequent to sale if successful bidder fails to submit Declaration cum Undertaking, the bid EMD amount will be forfeited.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's website (www.canarabank.com) or the service provider BAANKNET (M/s. PSB Alliance Pvt. Ltd), (Contact No. 7046612345 / 6354910172 / 8291220220 / 9892219848 / 8160205051, Email: support.baanknet@psballiance.com) or may contact Mr. ADHYAMAN R, (Mobile 9486169719) during office hours on any working day.

Date : 06.10.2026. Portal of E-Auction: <https://baanknet.com> Authorised Officer, Canara Bank
Place : Neyveli

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E-Procurement Tender Notice

NIT. No. 24/MD/CE-1/AGICL/2026 Date: 08.10.2026
Name of work: "Construction of Amaravati Sangamam (AP State Public Library, Cultural centre/MOM, Auditorium and GIGS) at Sakhamuru, Amaravati" through Lumpsum Percentage Tender including DLP of 2 years. The bid can be downloaded on AP e-procurement portal from 15-October-2026 15:00 Hrs. For further details, please refer to www.approcurement.gov.in and www.agicl.org

NIT. No. 25/MD/CE-3/AGICL/2026
Name of work: "Construction of Amaravati Tent City -1 Program at the Neighbourhood Centre in Amaravati Capital City" through EPC mode including DLP of 2 years. The bid can be downloaded on AP e-procurement portal from 15-October-2026 15:00 Hrs. For further details, please refer to www.approcurement.gov.in and www.agicl.org

Sd/- Managing Director, AGICL, Amaravati

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Tender Enquiry No.41/MM-1/TGP-134(KHII)/O&M/GHPT/2026

Superintending Engineer, Mechanical, Mtc. Circle-I, O&M, GHPT, Lehra Mohabbat invites E-Tender for Assistance in taking over leftover manpower, T&P, consumable and transportation etc. for the work of routine, preventive and breakdown, maintenance (Mechanical works) and overhauling jobs of Boiler Feed Pumps, Condensate Extraction Pumps, CW Pumps, Vacuum Pumps, Turbine Aye. Cooling Water Pumps, BACW Pumps, Boiler fill Pumps, Hotwell Make Up Pumps, Stator Water Make Up Pumps, ACW Pumps, SGDMCW Pumps, TGDNCW Pumps, TG Cycle Make Up Pumps etc. of 2x210 MW and 2x250 MW BHEL make Units of GHPT, Lehra Mohabbat, District Bathinda, Punjab on monthly lump-sum basis for a period of Six Months. For detailed NIT & tender specifications, please refer to <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in> from 08/10/2026, 17:00 hrs. onwards.

Note: Corrigendum and addendum, if any, will be published online at <https://eproc.punjab.gov.in> only.

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SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

"APPENDIX- IV-A (See proviso 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 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), Mortgagee (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 accounts. The details of Borrower's/Mortgagee/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 / MORTGAGEE (S): (1). Mr. Selvakumar, S/o. Sivalingam, No.22, Middle Street, Veraliyur, Thiruvannamalai-606806. (2). Mr. Rajasekar, S/o. Sivalingam, No.27, Nadu Tharu, Veraliyur, Thiruvannamalai-606806.

Ac.No.69690600001197, Rs. 13,75,865.13/- plus interest and charges from 04-10-2026.
Total Dues Rs.13,75,865.13/- Plus interest from 04-10-2026.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES WITH KNOWN ENCUMBRANCES, IF ANY:

The Mortgaged property is in the Name of Mr. Selvakumar, S/o. Sivalingam Equitable Mortgage of property situated at Thiruvannamalai Registration District, Thiruvannamalai Joint II Sub registry, in Veraliyur Village, Natham Patta No. 51, S. No. 128/1. Old Survey No. 46/9 after subdivision 128/1B and New Patta No. 195. In this East West 23 ½ Ft. on the north and 27 ½ Ft. on South, South North 45 Ft in all 1147 ½ Sq.Ft. in this the RCC house Constructed in 1000 Sq.ft and bounded by follows: Boundaries: South of Middle Street; North of Property donated to Mr.Suresh; East of Property donated to Mr.Rajasekar; West of Ramalingam House.

RESERVE PRICE : Rs.15,60,000/- | EMD : Rs.1,56,000/- | BID INCREASE : Rs.25,000/-

Last date for EMD payment : 17.11.2026

Date & time of E-AUCTION 17.11.2026, 2.00 P.M. to 6.00 P.M.
with unlimited auto extension of 10 minutes each, till sale is concluded

Possession Type : Constructive | Property Inspection date & Time : 23.10.2026, 10.30 a.m. to 3.30 p.m.

For detailed terms and conditions of sale, please refer/visit to the website link <https://www.bankofbaroda.bank.in/e-auction> and online auction portal Baanknet.com. Also, prospective bidders may contact the Authorised officer on Mobile: 9677075502 & 95150 24578.
Date : 08.10.2026. Place : Sannathi Street Thiruvannamalai. Authorised Officer, Bank of Baroda