TN to undertake wildlife census in Dharmapuri forest range, deploy camera traps



Dharmapuri, Oct 23 : The Tamil Nadu Forest Department will soon undertake a comprehensive wildlife census across Dharmapuri's forests, deploying 1,274 camera traps to establish whether tigers inhabit the region and assess the presence and distribution of other wild animals.

The exercise, to be conducted in collaboration with the National Tiger Conservation Authority (NTCA), will cover forest areas throughout the district. Officials said its findings would support wildlife conservation, improve understanding of animal habitats and help forest personnel address human-wildlife conflict.

Dharmapuri has approximately 1.72 lakh hectares of forest, accounting for more than a third of its geographical area. Despite this extensive forest cover and the presence of several important species, detailed information about wildlife populations remains limited, according to officials.

The Hogenakkal, Pennagaram and Palacode forest ranges form part of the Cauvery South Wildlife Sanctuary. These forests support elephants, leopards, dholes, bears and several other animals, making a systematic assessment important for conservation planning and habitat protection.

Under the proposed survey, camera traps will be installed following a two-kilometre grid pattern. The devices will record animal movements, helping forest personnel identify species using different stretches and understand their distribution across the district's forest landscape. Officials described the planned exercise as the first comprehensive camera-trap survey of its kind in Dharmapuri. It is expected to provide a clearer picture of wildlife diversity and strengthen the information available to personnel responsible for monitoring and protection.

A key objective will be to determine whether tigers are present in the district's forests. Officials said no tiger sightings had been recorded so far, but connections with adjoining wildlife habitats warranted a detailed investigation.



Delhi L-G TS Sandhu directs swift multi-agency outcomes on safety issues

New Delhi, Oct 23 : Delhi Lieutenant Governor T.S. Sandhu on Friday directed officials of Delhi Police, DDA, Delhi Fire Service, and MCD to focus on faster on-the-ground outcomes in safety matters requiring joint action.

Chairing a meeting of various agencies and departments, Sandhu directed time-bound activities on key civic and administrative priorities related to safety in the national capital.

In a post on X, the Lieutenant Governor wrote, "Chaired a coordination meeting between GNCTD, @DelhiPolice, @official_dda, @MCD_Delhi and @DelFireService today."

"Emphasised the need for a "whole of government" approach, with all agencies working in close coordination rather than in silos, particularly on matters requiring swift and joint action. Directed time-bound activities on key civic and administrative priorities, with clear accountability and faster on-ground outcomes, towards a safer, better-managed and #ViksitDilli," said Sandhu on X. Earlier last week, the L-G reviewed the progress on reforms to reduce the compliance burden on common citizens and enhance ease of living through deregulation.

The meeting on Friday came a day after he discussed the city's security and community-led safety campaigns with the Police Commissioner Anurag Kumar.

In a post on social media platform X, the L-G said, "Reviewed the progress of Deregulation and Compliance Reduction in Delhi today, with the ease of the common citizen at the heart of this exercise."

"Directed all departments to complete the exercise swiftly and efficiently.

Left stone on our head while we slept, Sanjay Raut blasts Sachin Ahir's defection; calls for introspection



Mumbai, Oct 23 : Launching a scathing attack on party legislator and deputy leader Sachin Ahir for his switch, Shiv Sen (UBT) MP Sanjay Raut on Friday said that Ahir left them in the dark, dropping a stone on their heads while they were asleep.

"Even if you call this your political journey, history will remember it as a tainted one. If you choose to leave even after being given everything, it means political greed is destroying you. Try poaching workers who desire absolutely nothing. A kind of decay and degradation is underway in the state," Raut said.

He further observed that loyal party workers who stand by the organisation through thick and thin have become a rarity.

The remarks by Raut came a day after Ahir jumped the ship to join the Shinde camp and filed his nomination for the post of Maharashtra Legislative Council Deputy Chairperson.

Recalling Ahir's political trajectory, Raut told reporters that Ahir's career had hit a roadblock after his defeat by Sunil Shinde. However, Aaditya Thackeray revived his political future by making him an MLC, appointing him as a deputy leader, making him the working president of the Bhartiya Kamgar Sena, and handing over the entire responsibility of Pune district to him. "Sachin Ahir was an extremely close associate of Aaditya Thackeray. He cannot claim that no one was meeting him or listening to him, because Aaditya Thackeray and Uddhav Saheb met him daily," Raut asserted.

When asked if Sachin Ahir's defection would increase difficulties for Aaditya Thackeray in the Worli Assembly constituency, Raut remarked that contentment is crucial for any human being. Raut made a candid statement raising questions about the party's current predicament and admitted, "For our political future, all of us need to engage in introspection."

Ahir had sent a message to his colleagues stating, "Leaving the party is my compulsion. I am doing this for my future journey and prospects."

Reacting to this, Raut questioned, "If this is the case, then for whom should the common grassroots worker toil?"

Raut further noted that Ahir had previously abandoned NCP chief Sharad Pawar in a similar manner for his career. "Pawar Saheb lifted him from the dust to the skies, made him the MHADA chief, a minister for several years, and the Mumbai NCP President. Yet, he suddenly left Sharad Pawar and his family blindsided to join the Shiv Sena.

Integrating agriculture with solar power will increase farmers' incomes: Shivraj Singh Chouhan



New Delhi, Oct 23 : Union Agriculture Minister Shivraj Singh Chouhan said on Friday that integrating agriculture with solar energy was opening up a new pathway towards global welfare and greater economic prosperity for farmers.

Addressing the inaugural session of the three-day AgriVoltaics World Conference here, the Union Minister said that the AgriVoltaics policy must be designed to work effectively on the fields of the country's 85 per cent small and marginal farmers, ensuring that the benefits of this technology reached those who needed them most.

He noted that AgriVoltaics technology would enable solar panels to generate electricity above the ground while crops continued to flourish beneath them.

Integrating energy production with farming was therefore one of the most important steps that could be taken in the interests of farmers, he said.

Chouhan added that India's average landholding was just 0.96 hectares and that more than 85 per cent of farmers were small and marginal farmers.

"Such farmers did not have enough land to abandon cultivation and install solar power plants exclusively on their holdings."

He suggested that Farmer Producer Organisations (FPOs) should be actively involved in the initiative and that local rural youth and women should receive training in operating, repairing and maintaining the equipment.

He highlighted that Indian agriculture continues to maintain a robust growth rate of 4.5 per cent, which is a significant achievement in itself.

Failed PM has no right to call Rahul a failed product : Shabbir Ali

Hyderabad, Oct 23 : Advisor to the Telangana government (SC, ST, OBCs and Minorities) Mohammed Ali Shabbir on Friday strongly condemned Prime Minister Narendra Modi for describing Leader of the Opposition Rahul Gandhi as a "failed product", asserting that a failed Prime Minister had no moral authority to ridicule a leader fighting to protect people's democratic and voting rights.

Reacting to Modi's remarks at a media summit, Shabbir Ali accused the Prime Minister of resorting to personal attacks on Rahul Gandhi and the Nehru-Gandhi family instead of addressing pressing issues such as governance, unemployment, economic distress, electoral integrity and the functioning of democratic institutions.





Delhi govt to introduce lifetime licensing to ease legal metrology framework : Minister Sirsa

New Delhi, Oct 23 : In a push to improve the business climate, the Delhi government has decided to discontinue periodic licence renewal for manufacturers, dealers and repairers under the Weights and Measures rules and replace it with a self-declaration-based approval system, an official said on Friday.

The reform is part of Delhi's Deregulation Exercise 2.0, which seeks to reduce compliance burden and rationalise regulatory frameworks across departments, said Industries and Food Supplies Minister Manjinder Singh Sirsa.

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E-Auction Sale Proclamation Notice under SARFAESI ACT 2002

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The property described below is being sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** under the rule no. 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules (hereinafter referred to as the rules) for the recovery of the dues detailed as under:

Names of Borrower: 1) M/s. Sri Sagar Dall Mill

Co-Borrowers/Guarantors: 1. Kollipakula Srinivas, 2. Sudharani Ponnuru, 3. Srikanth Kollipakula

Total Amount Due as per 13(2) notices: Rs.3,56,49,829/- (Rupees Three Crores Fifty Six Lakhs Forty Nine Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty Nine only) **together with further interest at documented rate from 01.11.2022 to the date of payment and other cost, expenses. In the Loan Ac. No. 650014129275**

Total Amount Due as on 30-09-2026: Rs.5,79,18,208.00/- (Rupees Five Crore Seventy-Nine Lakhs Eighteen Thousand Two Hundred and Eight only).

Nature of Possession:	**Physical Possession**
Bid Increment:	**Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand only)**
Mode of Auction:	**E-AUCTION**

Description of Immovable Properties: Property No.1: Property in the names of Kollipakula Srinivas, Srikanth Kollipakula, and Sudha Rani Ponnuru, (Legal heirs of late Kollipakula Venkata Subbarao) (Sale Deed No.4343 of 1981 dated 05-12-1981) An extent of 431/3 Sq.Yds (36.23 Sq.Mtrs) of site in ward No.1, Block No.6, T.S. No. 158/1,of Pandurangapet, Tenali Municipality, Tenali Sub-Registry, Guntur District being bounded by: **East:** Joint wall with Raavi Kurmaiah, **South:** Property of Kollipakula Venkata Subbarao, **West:** Joint wall with Gurram Venkateswarlu, **North:** Municipal Road

Property in the names of Kollipakula Srinivas, Srikanth Kollipakula, and Sudha Rani Ponnuru, (Legal heirs of late Kollipakula Venkata Subbarao) (Sale Deed No.3249 of 1981 dated 17-08-1981): An extent of 176 Sq. Yds (147.16 Sq. Mtrs) of site consisting of two items in ward No.1, Block No.6, T.S. No.158/1, of Pandurangapet, Tenali Municipality, Tenali Sub-Registry, Guntur District being bounded by: First Item: an extent of 86 Sq. yds. **East:** Property of Kollipakula Dhanalakshmi, **South:** Property of Kollipakula Venkata Subbarao, **West:** Sarkar Gally, **North:** Property of Kollipakula Venkata Subbarao. Second Item: an extent of 90 Sq. yds. **East:** Property of Kollipakula Dhanalakshmi, **South:** Property of Kollipakula Venkata Subbarao, **West:** Sarkar Gally **North:** Property of Ravivari Kotlu.

Property in the names of Kollipakula Srinivas, Srikanth Kollipakula, and Sudha Rani Ponnuru, (Legal heirs of late Kollipakula Venkata Subbarao) (Sale Deed No.311 of 1980 dated 20-02-1980): An extent of 172 Sq.Yds of site consisting of two items in ward No.1, Block No.6, T.S. No.158/1, of Pandurangapet, Tenali Municipality, Tenali Sub-Registry, Guntur District being bounded by: First Item: an extent of 86 Sq. yds. **East:** Property of Kollipakula Dhanalakshmi, **South:** Property of Lakshmi Narayana Rice Mill, **West:** Municipal Joint Gally, **North:** Property of Tatikonda Sampoornamma. Second Item: an extent of 86 Sq. yds. **East:** Property of Kollipakula Dhanalakshmi, **South:** Property of Tatikonda Sampoornamma, **West:** Municipal Joint Gally, **North:** Property of Tatikonda Rattamma

Property in the names of Kollipakula Srinivas, Srikanth Kollipakula, and Sudha Rani Ponnuru, (Legal heirs of late Kollipakula Dhanalakshmi) (Sale Deed No.4263 of 1981 dated 28-11-1981): An extent of 26 Sq. Yds of site in ward No.1, Block No.6, T.S. No.158/1, of Pandurangapet, Tenali Municipality, Tenali Sub-Registry, Guntur District being bounded by: **East:** Joint wall with Raavi Hymarao and others, **South:** Property of others, **West:** Joint wall with Raavi Ammaiah, **North:** Road.

Property in the names of Kollipakula Srinivas, Srikanth Kollipakula, and Sudha Rani Ponnuru, (Legal heirs of late Kollipakula Dhanalakshmi) (Sale Deed No.2817 of 1979 dated 14-09-1979): An extent of 318 Sq. Yds of site in ward No.1, Block No.6, T.S. No.158/1, of Pandurangapet, Tenali Municipality, Tenali Sub-Registry, Guntur District being bounded by: **East:** Property of Sambasiva Rice Mill and Nereela Papa Rao, **South:** Property of Lakshmi Narayana Rice Dall and Floor Mill, **West:** Properties of Tadikonda Seetharamaiah, Pattabi Ramaiah, Nagarattama, sampoornamma, **North:** Property of Raavi Hymarao

Date and time of E-Auction: 11/11/2026, 10.00 AM to 11.00 AM with unlimited extension of 5 minutes (i.e. time mentioned in sale notice or up to 5 minutes from last bid placed by any bidder, whichever is later.)

Reserve Price: Rs.1,62,90,000/- (Rupees One Crore Sixty-Two Lakhs Ninety Thousand only), **EMD: Rs.16,29,000/-** (Rupees Sixteen Lakhs Twenty-Nine Thousand only) RTGS/NEFT/Fund Transfer to the credit of "IndusInd Bank Ltd", Account No. 00043564604005, IFSC: INDB0000004.

Date of Inspection of Properties: 09/11/2026 between 11:00 AM to 01:00 PM, Mr. Vishal Rajvansh, vishal.rajvansh@indusind.com

Last date of Submission of bids (E-auction): 10/11/2026 up to 04:00 PM

Details of encumbrances over the property, as known to the Bank: NIL to the knowledge to the bank.

Claims, if any, which have been put forward against the property and any other dues known to Secured creditor and value: Not Known to the best of knowledge of the Bank.

This publication is also a Fifteen Days (15) notice to the borrower/guarantors under rule 8(6) of security interest (enforcement) rule, 2002.

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer to the link provided in Secured Creditors Website i.e., **https://www.indusindbank.com,** regarding E-Auction/sale of respective property and other details before submitting their bids for taking part in the E -Auction. Bidders may also visit the website **https://www.bankeauctions.com** or contact service provider as below:

Name of Auction Provider: M/s. C 1 India Private Limited, Address: Gulf petro Chem, Building No.301,1st floor, udyog vihar, Phase-2, Gurgaon Haryana- 122015. **Contact Person: Mr. Vishal Rajvansh, Contact No. +91 7903439576**

Date: 16-10-2026, Place: Hyderabad Sd/- Authorised Officer, IndusInd Bank Ltd.

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The property described below is being sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** under the rule no. 8 & 9 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules (hereinafter referred to as the rules) for the recovery of the dues detailed as under:

Names of Borrower: 1) M/s. A1 Agencies

Co-Borrowers/Guarantors: 1) Eajas Ahmed Labbeh 2)Shabeena Fathima Labhee

Total Amount Due as per 13(2) notices: Rs.1,96,17,176.09/- (Rupees One Crore Ninety-Six Lakhs Seventeen Thousand One Hundred Seventy-Six and Nine Paisa only) together with further interest at documented rate from **30.06.2025** to the date of payment and other cost, expenses. In the **Loan Ac. No. 656000011401**

Total Amount Due as on 30-09-2026: Rs. 2,19,40,232.09/- (Rupees Two Crores Nineteen Lakhs Forty Thousand Two Hundred and Thirty-Two and Nine Paisa only).

Nature of Possession :	**Physical Possession**
Bid Increment :	**Rs.50,000/- (Rupees Fifty Thousand only)**
Mode of Auction :	**E-Auction**

Description of Immovable Properties: Property No.1: (Location: latitude & longitude: 14.485391, 78.811696) Registered Sale Deed Document No.5409 of 2008 dated: 11-11-2008 infavour of Labbeh Eajas Ahmed. All that piece and parcel of land and building bearing Door No.8/209-1-15-29 to an extent of Ac 0.03 cents and 600 square links, measuring East to West: 29.7 feet or 9.05 meters and North to South: 52.8 feet or 16.10 meters, total 174.24 square yards of site of Guduru Village fields in Sy No.337 to an extent of Ac 1.30 cents and Sy No.338 to an extent of Ac.0.60 cents situate at Kadapa District, Kadapa Rural Sub District, Kadapa City, Within Kadapa Municipal Corporation with the following boundaries: **East:** Site of Adoni Sankar, **West:** Remaining Site of S. Jaibunnisa, **North:** Road, **South:** Site of Others

Date and time of E-Auction: 10/11/2026, 10.00 AM to 11.00 AM with unlimited extension of 5 minutes (i.e. time mentioned in sale notice or up to 5 minutes from last bid placed by any bidder, whichever is later.)

Reserve Price: Rs.74,39,000/- (Rupees Seventy Four Lakhs Thirty Nine Thousand only) **EMD: Rs.7,43,900/-** (Rupees Seven Lakhs Forty Three Thousand Nine Hundred only) RTGS/NEFT/Fund Transfer to the credit of "IndusInd Bank Ltd", Account No. 00043564604005, IFSC: INDB0000004

Property No.2: (Location: latitude & longitude: 14.472583, 78.800103) Registered Sale Deed Document No.9534 of 2022 dated: 24-09-2022 infavour of Labbeh Eajas Ahmed. Kadapa District, Kadapa Rural Sub District, Kadapa City, within Kadapa Municipal Corporation limits, Ramarajupalle Village, Sri Ramanjaneya Nagar II, To an extent of Ac 0.02 cents and 823 square links in plot no.42, measuring East to West: 41 feet or 12.50 meters and North to South: 30 feet or 9.15 meters, total 136.66 square yards of site in Sy no.116/1 with the following boundaries; **East:** Compound wall, **West:** 30 feet width Road, **North:** Site in Plot No.43, **South:** Site in plot No.41.

*Together with the buildings and structures constructed/to be constructed thereon and all the fixed and fittings annexure thereto.

Date and time of E-Auction: 10/11/2026, 11.00 AM to 12.00 PM with unlimited extension of 5 minutes (i.e. time mentioned in sale notice or up to 5 minutes from last bid placed by any bidder, whichever is later.)

Reserve Price: Rs.45,79,000/- (Rupees Forty-Five Lakhs Seventy Nine Thousand only) **EMD: Rs.4,57,900/-** (Rupees Four Lakhs Fifty Seven Thousand Nine Hundred only) RTGS/NEFT/Fund Transfer to the credit of "IndusInd Bank Ltd", Account No. 00043564604005, IFSC: INDB0000004.

Date of Inspection of Properties: 06/11/2026 between 11:00 AM to 01:00 PM, Mr. Vishal Rajvansh, vishal.rajvansh@indusind.com, 7903439576.

Date of Submission of bids (E-auction) 09/11/2026 up to 04:00 PM

Details of encumbrances over the property, as known to the Bank: NIL to the knowledge to the bank.

Claims, if any, which have been put forward against the property and any other dues known to Secured creditor and value: Not Known to the best of knowledge of the Bank.

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Date: 21-10-2026, Place: Hyderabad Sd/- Authorised Officer, IndusInd Bank Ltd.