

## Uppal MLA Bandari Lakshma Reddy Participates in Swami Kalyana Mahotsavam and Performs Special Pujas



“KISHORE VADDEPALLI, Uppal, January 25 (Indian Chronicle):”“As part of the Brahmotsavams at the Kaligiri Venkateswara Swamy Temple located in Swaroop Nagar, Uppal, the Kalyana Mahotsavam of the Lord was celebrated

grandly on Sunday amidst a large gathering of devotees, turning the occasion into a visual treat. Uppal MLA Bandari Lakshma Reddy participated in the Kalyana Mahotsavam and performed special pujas. A large number of devotees attended the



event and witnessed the celestial wedding ceremony with devotion. Speaking on the occasion, the MLA expressed his wish that, with the blessings of Lord Venkateswara, everyone should lead a life filled with hap-

piness and prosperity. Temple management committee members felicitated MLA Bandari Lakshma Reddy, while the priests offered their blessings. Temple officials, BRS party leaders and activists, along with others, participated in the program.

## Ramanthapur Division Congress President Mohammed Rafiq Visits Chinna Cheruvu, Anand Nagar



“KISHORE VADDEPALLI, Uppal, January 25 (Indian Chronicle):”“Ramanthapur Division Congress Party President Mohammed Rafiq conducted an extensive visit to Chinna Cheruvu, Anand Nagar, as part of the “Gadapa Gadapaku Praja Prabhutvam” public outreach programme, which is being carried out with great enthusiasm. Emphasizing that public welfare is the primary objective of the government, Mohammed Rafiq has been regularly touring the division, interacting with residents and enquiring about their problems. During the visit, local residents informed him that Chinna Cheruvu has become filled with polluted water, leading to a severe mosquito menace and causing serious inconvenience to the public. They also complained that due to underground drainage issues, contaminated water is flowing through drinking water pipelines, and that no one has been paying attention to these problems. Responding immediately, Mohammed Rafiq assured the residents that he would bring all the issues to the notice of Uppal Congress Party In-charge Mandumula Parameshwar Reddy and the concerned officials, and make sincere efforts to ensure a permanent solution. Those who participated in the programme include TPCC representative Mohammed Taufiq; Ramanthapur Division Mahila Congress President Sandhya Rani; Mogili Lingam; Gangaputra Bhaskar; Angala Sandeep; Mettu Goud; Harish Goud; Tabassum Begum; Laghusani Srinivas Goud; Cable Ashok; Narasimha; Malkajgiri District Youth Congress Secretary Sachin and Thota Shankar; Uppal Constituency Youth Congress Vice Presidents Mohammed Shakeel, Raj Kumar, Ravi, and Suri; ICON Uppal Constituency Youth Congress General Secretary Swamy; Shiva; Sadan Kumar; Mohammed Nayeem; Chotu Bhai; Shivraj; MD Jangir; NSUI Sai, and several others.



# Efforts for Construction of Community Hall in Raghavendra Nagar Colony: Corporator Bannala Geetha Praveen



“KISHORE VADDEPALLI, Uppal, January 25 (Indian Chronicle): “Chilkanagar Division Corporator and former GHMC Standing Committee member Bannala Geetha Praveen on Sunday held a meeting

with members of the Raghavendra Nagar Colony Association. At the request of the colony association president Kaushik and members, a review meeting was conducted at the proposed community hall site in Raghavendra

Nagar Colony. During the meeting, discussions were held on the development works carried out in the colony over the past five years. The association members urged the corporator to immediately complete the two pending CC roads and the construction of the community hall. Addressing the gathering, Corporator Geetha Praveen Mudiraj stated that around 90% of the development works in the colony have already been completed. She said that she was able to get 243 square yards of government land sanctioned by the government specifically for the construction of a community hall in Raghavendra Nagar Colony. She added that this achievement has brought recognition and appreciation not only to the colony but also to her as a corporator. She assured the residents that the community hall would be constructed at the same site at the

earliest. “As Sunday marked Voters’ Day, she appealed to all eligible residents above 18 years of age to ensure their names are registered in the voter



list and to exercise their right to vote in elections. She emphasized that only by electing good leaders can complete development works be ensured in colonies and localities. “Former advisors to the Telangana State Government Tankasala Ashok, Colony Association President Kaushik, Secretary Uday, Organizing Secretary Somesh, and other association members participated in the programme.

## Immediate Release of Christians Jailed on False Conversion Charges; Stop Attacks on Christians Nationwide — NCIC Founder Daniel Adams, Christian Leaders and Pastors Demand

“Kishore Vaddepalli, Hyderabad, January 25 (Indian Chronicle): “Christian leaders, pastors, and bishops have strongly condemned the increasing attacks on Christians across the country and demanded that the Central Govern-

ment immediately release innocent Christians who have been jailed on false allegations of religious conversion. “On the occasion of the 27th death anniversary of Christian missionary Pastor Dr. Graham Staines and his two sons, Philip and Timothy, who were brutally burnt alive by extremists while serving leprosy patients in Odisha, tributes were paid at the Dr. B.R. Ambedkar statue at Tank Bund, Hyderabad. Speaking on the occasion, NCIC Founder C.A. Daniel Adams stated that the continuous attacks on Christians in India are highly condemnable. He demanded that the government ensure protection to Christians, immediately withdraw false cases filed against innocent pastors, and release those currently lodged in jails. Along with several Christian leaders, pastors, and bishops, he urged the Central Government to take urgent action. Dr. Graham Staines, an Australian Christian missionary, had constructed a hospital in the Manoharpur region of Odisha and served leprosy patients free of cost for over 35 years. On the midnight of January 22, 1999, extremists led by Dara Singh poured petrol on the vehicle in which Dr. Staines and his two minor sons were sleeping and burned them alive. This incident remains one of the darkest days in Indian history. On the completion of 27 years, a solemn remembrance meeting was held and floral tributes were paid at Tank Bund. Speakers pointed out that the same Bajrang Dal elements who attacked Christians 27 years ago are continuing similar acts even today. They strongly condemned the recent incident on January 14 in Odisha, under the Pazar Ganj Police Station limits, where Pastor Bihari Naik was assaulted, garlanded with footwear, paraded publicly, illegally detained in a temple, and forced to drink cow urine and eat cow dung, subjecting him to inhuman torture. The leaders further alleged that since the formation of the TDP–Jana Sena–BJP coalition government in Andhra Pradesh in June 2024, nearly 700 attacks on Christians have taken place. They de-

manded that if the coalition government is sincere about justice, it must immediately stop such attacks and ensure protection for Christians. They also urged the immediate withdrawal of anti-conversion laws, which they claimed are being implemented unconstitutionally in BJP-ruled states. Those who participated in the program included IDCR – Perike

Vara Prasad; All India Mahila Congress National Secretary Chettupalli Esther Rani; senior Christian leaders A.B. Gideon (CIF), Hebron Simon, Solomon Agnijwala, Jawahar Kennedy, Glory Anand, Jerusalem Matthiah, Michael, Sampath, and several others.



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## BRS corporator should give tickets to the activists



“Malkajigiri, January 25: Several activists have demanded that corporator tickets be given to the activists on behalf of the BRS party. “Sunday “A meeting of Telangana activists was held at Sri Sainagar, Kakatiya Nagar Division, Malkajigiri Circle 187. “Speaking on this occasion, they asked to give BRS corporator ticket only to activists in Kakatiya Nagar division in the upcoming GHMC elections. In this regard, they said that they will give letter to Malkajigiri MLA Marri Rajasekhar Reddy, former minister and working president KTR Kivinati.

## Collector receives State-level Best Electoral Award

... Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Collector Hanumantha Rao received the award from the Governor at Ravindra Bharathi.

“(Mandava Srisailam... Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau... Indian



Chronicle... January 25):- The award was given in the Best Electoral Practice Award category. Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Collector and Electoral Officer Hanumantha Rao received the state-level best district award from the Governor at Ravindra Bharathi. On the occasion of the 16th National Voters' Day, the State Chief Electoral Officer C. Sudarshan Reddy announced the list of officers who showed exceptional performance in election management for the year 2025 on Saturday. This morning at 11 AM, at the state-level ceremony held at Ravindra Bharathi in Hyderabad, District Collector Hanumantha Rao received this award from the Honorable Governor of Telangana State, Jishnu Dev Varma. District officials and the public are expressing their happiness over Yadadri Bhuvanagiri district receiving state-level recognition. On this occasion, the Collector congratulated all the election officers, staff, and every officer who played a key role in the election process and participated in the election management. He stated that this award was received by the district only because of collective effort.

## National Voters' Day Celebrated Grandly: - Additional Collector for Local Bodies and Revenue, Bhaskar Rao

“(Mandava Srisailam... Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau... Indian Chronicle... January 25):- Additional Collector for Local Bodies and Revenue, Bhaskar Rao, advised everyone to recognize the importance of the right to vote, which is invaluable in a democracy. “On Sunday, a rally was organized from the Government Junior College grounds through the town streets on the occasion of National Voters' Day. District officials, senior citizens, public representatives, and students participated in the rally commemorating the 16th National Voters' Day. He called upon all those who have completed eighteen years of age to



register as voters and to compulsorily exercise their right to vote in elections. “He suggested that all voters should make good use of this right, as the Constitution has given them the opportunity to elect their preferred rulers using the weapon of the vote in a democracy. He called upon the youth to create awareness among everyone about the importance and significance of the right to vote. On this occasion, senior citizens who regularly exercise their right to vote in elections and newly registered young voters were honored with mementos on behalf of the district administration. Election identity cards were handed over to the new voters. They were made to pledge that they would exercise their right to vote freely, without succumbing to any inducements during the elections, and uphold the spirit of democracy. Officials and employees from all departments, students, and others participated in this program.

## Irshad Khan Attends Jamia Ayesha Siddiqa Lil Banat Annual Jalsa as Chief Guest

“(KISHORE VADDEPALLI, Uppal, January 25 (Indian Chronicle): “The 5th Annual Mega Salana Jalsa of Jamia Ayesha Siddiqa Lil Banat was held in a grand manner at the New Bandi Convention Hall, near Uppal Bus Depot. Senior Congress leader of Uppal and social activist Irshad Khan (Uppal Khan) attended the programme as the chief guest. During the event, Asnad certificates were distributed to students who successfully completed Hifz-e-Qur'an, and Bukhari Shareef Khatam was also performed. “The programme was presided over by Hazrat Aqdas Maulana Syed Ahmed Khizar Shah Saheb Masoodi (Daamat Barakatuhum), who spoke on the importance of religious education, moral values, and the role of education in social development. “ Addressing the gathering, chief guest Irshad Khan said that education plays a vital role in shaping the future of society. He emphasized that institutions like Jamia Ayesha Siddiqa Lil Banat are especially important for girls' religious education and appreciated the services



rendered by the institution. “Former Mayor Amar Singh, former Deputy Mayor Shiva Kumar, Congress Party In-charge Tungaturthi Ravi, along with Mazar, Irfan, Noor-ul-Ameen, and others participated in the programme. Eminent Ulema-e-Kiram, religious scholars, community elders, local leaders, and a large number of people attended and made the event a grand success.

## Gunja Nagesh extends Republic Day greetings to the people of the state

“(I Chronicle; Serilingampally Representative: Gunja Nagesh extended Republic Day greetings to the people of the Serilingampally constituency. “He



said that we should remember the sacrifices made by many great personalities, thanks to whom we are living freely in the integrity of the nation. “Speaking on this occasion, he said that although we gained independence from British rule on August 15, 1947, our own law and constitution were established only on January 26, 1950. On that day, our country became a full-fledged 'Republic'. That is why we celebrate this day with great pride every year. Regarding the greatness of the Constitution, he stated that our Constitution, drafted under the leadership of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, is the largest written constitution in the world. It is not just a book;

it is a living testament to the freedom, equality, and justice of millions of Indians. Our Constitution is a great document that grants equal rights to every citizen without any caste, religious, or class distinctions, said Gunja Nagesh, President of Keshav Nagar, in a statement.

# Cultural Performances Enthrall Audience at Uppal Mini Shilparamam



“KISHORE VADDEPALLI, Uppal, January 25 (Indian Chronicle):“As part of the weekend cultural programmes, captivating classical dance performances were held at Uppal Mini Shilparamam on Sunday. A group of disciples of renowned Kuchipudi dance guru Tripurasundari from Narasaraopet presented a series of impressive Kuchipudi dance items.“The performances included Sri Ganapathy, Mooshika Vahana, Muddugare Yashoda, Bomma Bommatha, Brahmanjali, Maheshwari, Okapari Kokapari, Koluvaithiva, Om Sarvani, Aluvelumanga, Vaishnavi Bhargavi, and several other classical compositions.“The dancers Moksha, Sarika, Mokshitha, Jashwitha, Harshini, Poonam,



Raghavika, Sahasra, Samyuktha, Krihrika, Varshini, and others mesmerized the audience with their graceful movements, expressions, and rhythmic precision, earning widespread appreciation from art lovers and visitors.

# Don't build a park in the vacant land of the temple

“K Sadanand CHARY..“Malkajigiri, January 25 Former corporator of Malkajigiri Division Nirugonda Jagadish Gowda visited Hanuman Gymnasium in Old Malkajigiri on Sunday. “Speaking on this occasion, the locals said that recently arrangements have been made for the construction of a park in the empty



space related to this temple. “He said that in this unique place in this colony, poor people perform weddings and other auspicious activities.“Therefore, the residents of the colony requested that no park should be built in this place. “Responding to this, Jagadish Goud said...Mr“Malkajigiri solves this problem““In consideration of Zonal Commissioner, Deputy Commissioner ““He promised to go and fix it. “Chintala Mallesh Goud, Vasago ni Srinivas Goud, Mahender, Chennaiah Goud, Babayya, Narahari, Satish, Srikanth, Ganna, Ashok, Gemini, Srinu, Vinod, Madhu, Ettalu, Radhamma, Kalavathi, Ashwini, Bhudevi and others participated in this program.

# Government Whip and Alair MLA Beerla Ailaiah participated in the Goddess festival.



“(Mandava Srisailam... Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau... Indian Chronicle... January 25):- Telangana State Government Whip and Alair MLA Beerla Ailaiah participated in the grand Pochamma Devi festival celebrations held in Masaipet village of Yadagirigutta mandal, Yadadri Bhuvanagiri district. On this occasion, he performed special prayers at the temple and prayed to the Goddess for the well-being of the villagers. Speaking to the villagers during the festival, he said that protecting traditions

and culture is the responsibility of every individual. He stated that the government is committed to the development of villages and is constantly working for the welfare of the people. He assured that he would do his part to develop the necessary infrastructure in the village.“A large number of local public representatives, temple committee members, Congress party leaders, activists, and villagers participated in this program.

# Government Whip and Alair MLA Beerla Ailaiah drinking palm toddy in a palm grove



“(Mandava Srisailam... Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau... Indian Chronicle... January 25):- Telangana State Government Whip and Alair MLA Beerla Ailaiah visited Datharpally village in Yadagirigutta mandal on the occasion of the Goud community members repairing the road to facilitate their access to their palm trees. On this occasion, he accepted the welcome extended by the Goud community members and partook of the traditional palm toddy in the palm grove. He then directly inquired about

the problems and difficulties faced by the Goud community members in their profession.“The MLA stated that the government is committed to providing the necessary infrastructure for the livelihood of the people and assured them that the necessary support would be provided for the welfare of the Goud community. Village elders, Goud community leaders, and local residents participated in this program.



## Uppal MLA Bandari Lakshma Reddy and Corporator Jeripothula Prabhudas Inaugurate Free Mega Health Camp

“““Nacharam, Indian Chronicle, January 25: “““ Free Mega Health Camp was successfully organized under the auspices of Apollo Pharmacy at the H.B. Colony Lakshminagar Welfare Association Community Hall. The camp was inaugurated by the Uppal MLA Sri Bandari Lakshma Reddy and Corporator Sri Jeripothula Prabhudas, who attended the program as chief guests. “Speaking on the occasion, the MLA stated that all medical tests at the camp were being conducted completely free of cost and urged local residents to make the best use of this valuable opportunity. The health camp provided free services including BP and sugar tests, dental check-ups, eye examinations, liver and lung function tests, dermatology consultations, and comprehensive full-body health check-ups. “The camp was supported by a team of experienced doctors, including General Physician Dr. Ameer, Cardiologist Dr. Sunil Mathew, Dermatologist Dr. Divya, Orthopedic Specialist Dr. Sudhakar Reddy, and Dentist Dr. Nishitha, along with their medical staff. “The event was attended by Kushaiguda SI Satish, Vanjari Praveen Karipe, Colony President Rammohan Rao, and several local leaders and residents including Bal Reddy, Subba Reddy, Kotireddy, Kameshwar Rao, Ram Reddy, Khan, Mutyarao, Nursing Rao, Chakravarthy, Venkateshwara Rao, Madhava Rao, Satya Narayana, Venkata Ramudu, and other members.



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## B. Vittal extends greetings on the 77th Republic Day.

“““Indian Chronicle: B. Vittal, a senior BJP leader, extended his greetings on the 77th Indian Republic Day to the people of Gachibowli division, public representatives, corporators, leaders, party workers, representatives, media friends, officials, non-officials, colony residents, and members of colony associations. “““Speaking on this occasion, he stated that India gained independence due to the sacrifices of many great personalities. He emphasized that just as independence was essential for the country, the Constitution is a boon for the people to live freely. He mentioned that India, having emerged as a sovereign, socialist, secular republic, has completed 76 years and is now entering its 77th year. B. Vittal conveyed his best wishes on the 77th Republic Day to the people of the Serilingampally constituency.



I will work for the development of the Eidgah:

- Bhuvanagiri MLA Kumbham Anil Kumar Reddy

“““(Mandava Srisailam, Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau, Indian Chronicle, January 25):- Bhuvanagiri MLA Kumbham Anil Kumar Reddy instructed officials to immediately start the CC road works. On this occasion, the minority community members expressed their gratitude to the MLA. Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Library Corporation Chairman Awais Chisti, Iqbal Chowdary, Mazhar Abid Ali, Layak Ahmed, Siraj, Ajaz, Farooq, and others participated in this program.



## Tiger sighting in Ralla Janagam village, Yadagirigutta mandal – a calf killed Government Whip and MLA Beerla Ailaiah inspected the incident site

“““(Mandava Srisailam... Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau... Indian Chronicle... January 25):- The sighting of a tiger near an agricultural well in the



Ralla Janagam village area of ??Yadagirigutta mandal has caused a stir. Villagers reported that the tiger attacked and killed a calf, then drank its blood. Upon receiving the information, Telangana State Government Whip and Alair MLA Beerla Ailaiah visited the incident site and assessed the situation. On this occasion, the MLA consoled the affected farmer and assured him of all possible assistance from the government. He instructed forest department officials to take appropriate action. He suggested that the tiger be located using trap cameras, drone cameras, and by setting up special teams. He advised the villagers to be vigilant and keep their livestock safe at night. He also instructed farmers to return to the village before dark. Amidst the fear and anxiety prevailing in the village due to the tiger sighting, he ordered the forest department to take necessary measures.

## Lord Srinivasa of Swarnagiri was taken in a procession on seven different vehicles... The divine chariot festival was celebrated grandly at the Swarnagiri temple. Manepalli Hills resonated with the chants of 'Govinda' by devotees

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## Uppal Congress In-Charge Mandamula Parameshwar Reddy Participates in Kalyana Mahotsavam at Sri Venkateshwara Swamy Temple

“KISHORE VADDEPALLI, Uppal, January 25 (Indian Chronicle):“Uppal Constituency Congress Party In-Charge Mandamula Parameshwar Reddy participated in the Kalyana Mahotsavam of Lord Sri Venkateshwara Swamy held at



the Sri Venkateshwara Swamy Temple located in Meerpet HB Colony, Mangapuram Colony under the Uppal constituency. “On this occasion, Parameshwar Reddy took part in the sacred rituals and offered Talambralu to the deity, seeking divine blessings. Several dignitaries and temple representatives attended the event, including Temple EO C.H. Srinivas Rao, Division President Polepaka Anjaiah, Chairman S. Jyothi, and trustees Uday Kiran, Ellava, Anil Gupta, Mallikarjuna, Sammaiah, Naveen Goud, Narendra, Srinivas Mudiraj, Rajesh, Kishore, Kandi Shravan Reddy, Kapra Sai Goud, Suresh, Subrahmanyam, Shravan Goud, Gemini, Venkatesh, Srikanth Reddy, Aziz, Bhoopal Reddy, SV Kittu, Lingam, Vittal Naik, Poorna Yadav, Besta Ramesh, Niki Goud, Sudhakar Gupta, Jayanth, Sagar, along with other committee members. “The event was conducted in a devotional and grand manner with active participation from devotees and temple committee members.

## BSP to Contest GHMC Elections: Uppal Constituency President Mindrala Narsing Rao Confirms

“Nacharam, Indian Chronicle, January 25: “The Bahujan Samaj Party (BSP) is set to contest the upcoming Greater Hyderabad Municipal Corporation (GHMC) elections, confirmed Mindrala Narsing Rao, President of the Uppal Constituency. “Speaking to the media, Narsing Rao stated that the BSP plans to field candidates across all 16 divisions within the Uppal constituency. He added that, in accordance with party directives, a formal meeting will be convened soon to finalize the candidate list and campaign strategy. “Narsing Rao expressed confidence that the BSP will emerge as a strong contender against candidates from the major political parties. He highlighted that the party is committed to representing local issues and ensuring that the voices of residents in every division are heard. “He also emphasized that the BSP is fully prepared to take on the electoral challenge, promising active engagement with the electorate and a campaign focused on public welfare, development, and inclusive governance. “The upcoming GHMC elections are seen as a significant political event, and the BSP’s participation is expected to intensify competition across the Uppal constituency.



## BJP Corporator Madhusudhan Reddy Passes Away; Condolences Pour In

### The sudden demise of Vang Madhusudhan Reddy, MBC Chairman Sangishetti Ravindrasagar

“Nacharam, Indian Chronicle, January 25: “BJP State Executive Member, Corporator of Champapet Division, and Founder of the Bairamalguda Harihara Kshetra Ayyappa Swamy Temple, has left a deep void in the political landscape of Elbinagar, particularly within the Bharatiya Janata Party. “Medchal-Malkajgiri District Executive Member and Uppal Constituency MBC Chairman Sangishetti Ravindrasagar expressed his grief, stating that Madhusudhan Reddy dedicated his life to public service and was a towering figure in the community. “He highlighted that Reddy personally funded the construction of the Ayyappa Swamy Temple, earning a place of reverence in the hearts of devotees. Ravindrasagar further added that the silencing of his powerful voice in the council is an irreplaceable loss. “Madhusudhan Reddy, who always treated public issues as his own and served selflessly, will forever remain a respected and enduring figure in the hearts of the people.



## Pallapu Surender extends Republic Day greetings to the people of Serilingampally

“Indian Chronicle: Congress Party senior leader Pallapu Surender extended greetings to the people of Serilingampally, party members, workers, leaders, officials, and media friends on the occasion of the 77th Republic Day. “Speaking on this occasion, senior Congress leader Pallapu Surender said that if we are living freely in the integrity of the country, we must remember the sacrifices made by many great personalities. Although we gained independence from British rule on August 15, 1947, our own law and constitution were established only on January 26, 1950. On that day, our country became a full-fledged ‘republic’. That is why we celebrate this day with great pride every year. “Regarding the greatness of the Constitution, senior Congress leader Pallapu Surender stated in a press release that our Constitution, drafted under the leadership of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar, is the largest written constitution in the world. It is not just a book; it is a living testament to the freedom, equality, and justice of millions of Indians. Our Constitution is a great document that grants equal rights to every citizen without caste, religious, or class distinctions.



# Urdu Journalists in Asifabad Dist Unite Under TUWJU; New District Body Constituted

“Taj Khan, Kaghaznagar, January 25 (Indian Chronicle)““Nearly All Urdu Journalists of Asifabad Join TUWJU;

TUWJU.“A peaceful, well-organised and consensus-based election programme was held at the district headquarters,

Dr Shujauddin Iftikhari, State President of TUWJU, as Chief Guest. Other distinguished guests included Maulana

Mufti Raisuddin Qasmi (Secretary General, TUWJU), Dr Sajid Meraj (State Founding Patron-in-Chief), Maulana Mohammad Mohsin Pasha Qadri Naqshbandi (State Secretary), Nawab Mohammad Abrarullah (Convener, Hyderabad), Mohammad Aleem (District President, Adilabad) and Mohammad Akbaruddin (PRO, Adilabad).“Addressing the gathering, speakers described journalism as the fourth pillar of democracy and emphasised the crucial role journalists play in delivering justice to the public through their writing. They noted that Urdu is not confined to any one religion or community but is a rich, inclusive and cultural language whose promotion is a collective responsibility.“State President Dr Shujauddin Iftikhari stated that the success of any organisation lies in its work and character, citing TUWJU’s representation in the High Power Committee constituted by the Telangana government as evidence of its credibility. He also highlighted the inclusion of Urdu media representatives in state and district accreditation committees as a major achievement of the union.“Dr Sajid Meraj elaborated on the fundamental principles of journalism and journalistic responsibility, while also discussing the former GO 239 and the new GO 252. He noted that TUWJU had earned distinction by securing the cancellation of GO 239 through the High Court.“Secretary General Maulana Mufti Raisuddin Qasmi said that continuous struggle by the organisation had given Urdu journalists

a distinct identity in the State. He urged journalists to align with genuine Urdu-speaking leadership and not fall prey to misleading propaganda.“State Secretary Maulana Mohammad Mohsin Pasha Qadri Naqshbandi remarked that the central leadership of TUWJU continues to work tirelessly for the welfare and rights of Urdu journalists. Mohammad Aleem, District President of Adilabad, stated that TUWJU is the country’s only recognised trade union of Urdu journalists and that genuine welfare of journalists is possible only through this platform.“Speakers appealed to the public to support Urdu newspapers by purchasing them, placing advertisements in Urdu dailies, installing Urdu signboards in commercial establishments, and using pure Urdu instead of Roman English on social media platforms.“Mohammad Abid Ahmed stated that TUWJU is the first trade union of Urdu journalists established in Telangana and has been instrumental in addressing long-pending issues faced by Urdu journalists. He expressed gratitude to the State President, Secretary General and other office-bearers.“The programme concluded with felicitations to the guests, state office-bearers and newly elected district executive members, reaffirming the commitment to serve Urdu language and journalism with dedication and sincerity through the TUWJU platform.“The event began with the recitation of the Holy Quran by Hafiz Qari Mohammad Sajid Khan (Adab Telangana and TTV News), followed by Naat rendered by Maulana Mohammad Mohsin Pasha Qadri Naqshbandi. The welcome address was delivered by Mirza Saleem Baig, while the proceedings were conducted by Mohammad Munawer Khan.



New District Body Formed“With the objective of preserving and promoting the Urdu language and further strengthening Urdu journalism, a new district body of the Telangana Urdu Working Journalists Union (TUWJU) was formally constituted in Kumuram Bheem Asifabad district. The development is being described as a significant and positive milestone for Urdu journalism in the region.“On the direction of senior journalist Abid Ahmed, Staff Reporter of Munif, former district president of the Telangana Urdu Working Journalists Federation Mirza Saleem Baig, along with his associates, officially joined

Asifabad, during which the new district executive body was elected. Mirza Saleem Baig was unanimously elected President, while Mohammad Sharafuddin and Mohammad Ejaz were chosen as Vice-Presidents. Mohammad Munaweruddin was elected General Secretary and Syed Iqbal as Treasurer.“The election process was conducted with the cooperation and supervision of Mirza Saleem Baig (Munif Representative, Asifabad) and with the collective participation of Urdu journalists from across Kumuram Bheem Asifabad district.“The programme was attended by renowned senior journalist

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## Additional Collector Calls on Eligible Voters to Exercise Franchise

“Taj Khan, Kaghaznagar, January 25 (Indian Chronicle)““All Eligible Citizens Must Exercise Their Right to Vote: Additional Collector Deepak Tiwari“Stressing that the right to vote is fundamental to democracy, Additional Collector Deepak Tiwari has urged all eligible voters to ??? exercise their franchise and actively participate in the electoral process.

“As part of efforts to enhance voter awareness, a 2-km voter awareness rally was organised on Monday at the district headquarters. The rally witnessed enthusiastic participation from government officials, students and youth in large numbers.

“Addressing the gathering, the Additional Collector said that voting is the responsibility of every citizen and that a strong democracy is possible only when voter turnout increases. He called upon citizens to take part actively in the election process and to exercise their right to vote freely and fearlessly.“The programme was attended by Revenue Collector M. David, Revenue Divisional Officer Lokeshwar Rao, and officials and staff from various departments.



# Ensure Welfare Schemes Reach All Eligible Beneficiaries, Says District Collector

“Taj Khan, Kaghaznagar, January 25 (Indian Chronicle)“District Collector K. Haritha has directed officials to ensure that all eligible beneficiaries are covered under government welfare schemes without any lapses. “As part of the Aspirational Programme, the District Collector, along with Additional Collector (Local Bodies) Deepak Tiwari and DRDO Dattarao, conducted a comprehensive review on Sunday with officials from Lingapur and Tiryani mandals. The review focused on the implementation of Telangana social welfare and livelihood programmes and the delivery of services to beneficiaries. “Addressing the meeting, the District Collector emphasised the need for coordinated efforts among officials to ensure that every eligible citizen is provided with essential services such as Aadhaar cards, bank accounts, job cards, ration cards, Arogyasri health coverage, and other government benefits. “She stated that necessary steps would be taken to ensure that beneficiaries receive tangible benefits and called upon all officials to work with dedication to achieve government objectives. Stressing the importance of inclusive development, she urged officials from all departments to work collectively to improve the livelihoods of vulnerable and marginalised sections of society.



# Minister Ponnam Prabhakar started various development works in Husnabad

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