

MLA Bandari Lakshma Reddy Participates in Bonalu Celebrations Across Meerpet HB Colony Division



“Nacharam, August 09 (Indian Chornical): “On the occasion of the Ashada Masam Bonalu festival, Uppal MLA Sri Bandari Lakshma Reddy, along with former corporators Jeripothula Prabhudas and Gundarapu Srinivas Reddy, visited several temples in Meerpet HB Colony Division and offered special prayers. “The MLA had the darshan of the Goddess and participated in special poojas along with division leaders and temple committee members at Sri Sri Katta Maisamma Temple in Indiranagar, Pochamma Muthyalamma Temple in Tirumalanagar, temples in Krishnanagar and Navodaya Nagar, and Pochamma Maisamma Temple in Bhakshiguda. “Speaking on the occasion, MLA Bandari Lakshma Reddy said that Bonalu is not merely an offering made to the Goddess, but a symbol of the self-respect, faith, traditions and cultural heritage of the people of Telangana, which

has been passed down through generations. “He said that the valour of the Pothurajus, the rhythmic beats of the drums, the grand processions of the Goddess idols, and the devotion of women devotees are living expressions of Telangana’s rich cultural traditions. “The MLA recalled that even during the Telangana movement, the state’s culture, language, dialect and festivals played a significant role in uniting the people and strengthening their collective identity. “On the occasion, he interacted with devotees at the temples and extended his heartfelt Bonalu festival greetings to the people. He wished that the Goddess would bless all the women of Telangana and the people with good health, happiness, prosperity, peace and well-being. “BRS party leaders, activists, temple committee members and devotees participated in the celebrations.

Uppal BJP Leaders Congratulate Newly Appointed Medchal–Malkajgiri Urban District President D. Girivardhan Reddy



““Nacharam, August 09(Indian Chornical): ““ BJP leaders from Uppal Division met D. Girivardhan Reddy, who was recently appointed as the new President of the Medchal–Malkajgiri Urban District BJP, at his residence last night and conveyed their heartfelt congratulations on his new responsibility. “On the occasion, the leaders felicitated D. Girivardhan Reddy with a traditional shawl and wished him success in his new role. They expressed confidence that his appointment would provide further strength and momentum to the party organisation across the Medchal–Malkajgiri Urban District. “The leaders stated that the BJP has been steadily strengthening its organisational network at the grassroots level and expressed hope that, under the leadership of D. Girivardhan Reddy, the party would become even stronger and more effective in reaching out to the people. “They also highlighted the importance of strengthening coordination among party leaders, workers and various frontal organisations to take the party’s programmes and policies to every section of society. They expressed their willingness to extend full cooperation to the newly appointed district president in carrying forward the party’s activities and organisational programmes. “D. Girivardhan Reddy thanked the BJP leaders for their warm wishes and felicitation. He said that the support and cooperation of party leaders and cadre would be crucial in strengthening the organisation and taking the party forward. He expressed his commitment to working together with all party leaders and workers for the development of the organisation. “The meeting also provided an opportunity for the leaders to discuss various organisational matters and future party activities in the district. The leaders wished the newly appointed district president a successful tenure and expressed confidence that the BJP would achieve greater organisational strength under his leadership. “The programme was attended by Medchal–Malkajgiri Urban District Vice-President Mallela Nursing Rao, BJP State Executive Committee Member Gorigeey Krishna, OBC Morcha State Executive Committee Member Mahankali Laxman Mudiraj, Ravula Balakrishna Goud, Bala Chandra, Venkat Rao, Ragiri Mohan Reddy, Pratap Reddy, Shailesh Reddy, and several other BJP leaders and activists. “The leaders reiterated their commitment to working together to strengthen the BJP organisation in Uppal Division as well as across the Medchal–Malkajgiri Urban District.

Elderly Woman Murdered for Gold Ornaments

Two Accused Arrested in Murder Case

Khammam Rural ACP Tirupathi Reddy Reveals Details at Media Conference

“Khammam, Thirumalayapalem, August 9 (Indian Chronicle): “Police have successfully cracked the case involving the murder of an elderly woman and theft of her gold ornaments at Pindiprolu village in Thirumalayapalem mandal of Khammam district. Khammam Rural ACP Tirupathi Reddy said that two accused persons were arrested in connection with the case. “The arrested persons were identified as Aithanaboyina Prashanth (26), a resident of Pindiprolu village and the prime accused, and Saragandla Mahesh (20) of Balinidharmaram village in Marriguda/Marripeda mandal of Mahabubabad district, who allegedly assisted him. “Murder for Gold Ornaments” “According to police, Prashanth was running a chicken shop at Pindiprolu village and was facing financial difficulties allegedly due to alcohol consumption and online betting. He reportedly observed an elderly couple living near his shop and noticed that the elderly woman, Suguna, was wearing gold ornaments. “Police said Prashanth allegedly planned to rob the ornaments. On the intervening night of July 17, he went to the elderly woman's house and attempted to steal the jewellery. When she resisted, he allegedly attacked her with an iron rod that he had carried with him, resulting in her death. “He allegedly removed the gold chain and gold beads associated with the black-beads chain from her neck and fled from the scene. “Gold Pledged for ₹1.50 Lakh Loan” “After the murder, Prashanth allegedly handed over the stolen gold chain to his relative Saragandla Mahesh and asked him to pledge it at a bank and bring money. “According to the police investigation, Mahesh allegedly pledged the gold chain in his own name at a bank in Khammam and obtained a loan of ₹1.50 lakh. “Four Special Teams Conducted Investigation” “The investigation was carried out under the supervision of Kusumanchi Circle Inspector Sanjeev. Four special teams comprising K. Jagadish, P. Santhosh, J. Nagaraju, Hari Krishna and PSI Divya worked in coordination and arrested the accused at the earliest, ACP Tirupathi Reddy said. “Items Seized” “Police seized the following items from the accused: “09 gold beads/ornaments” “02 mobile phones” “Iron rod allegedly used in the offence” “One two-wheeler” “Documents related to the gold loan” “The police officials and staff who displayed exemplary



performance in cracking the case, including Purna Chander Rao, Srilatha, Kishan, Rambabu and Tonta Srinu, were specially appreciated by senior police officials. “Rewards were also presented to the police personnel who showed outstanding performance. The investigation into other aspects of the case is continuing, ACP Tirupathi Reddy said.

KANDI SHRAVAN KUMAR REDDY Participates in Lakshminagar Bonalu Celebrations

“HABSIGUDA, AUGUST 9 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): The Bonalu celebrations held at Sri Pochamma Ammavari Temple in Lakshminagar Colony on the occasion of the Sri Sri Sri Lal Darwaza Mahankali Ammavari Bonalu festival were celebrated with great devotion and enthusiasm. “On the invitation of the colony residents, Habsiguda Division President Kandi Shraavan Kumar Reddy attended the celebrations as the chief guest and performed special prayers to Goddess Pochamma. “Speaking on the occasion, Kandi Shraavan Kumar Reddy prayed that the blessings of Goddess Pochamma would always remain upon the people of Habsiguda Division. He wished that everyone in the area would be blessed with good health, happiness, prosperity and peace. “Later, the members of the Bonalu celebrations committee felicitated Kandi Shraavan Kumar Reddy with a traditional shawl in recognition of his participation. A large number of devotees participated in the celebrations, offered Bonam to the goddess and fulfilled their vows. The temple premises were filled with devotional fervour and festive spirit. Division General Secretary Dharma Naik, Congress



leaders Kalipaka Shiva, Anil Mamidala, Vinod Naik, Rakesh, Madhu, Ranjith, Nagender, Pawan, Satvik, Rahul, Mahesh, Srinu, Ganesh Surya, Gopi Krishna, and others participated in the programme.

Promises of Marriage, Physical Relationship and Engagement with Another Woman

Young Woman Approaches Uppal Police

“UPPAL, AUGUST 9 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): A case has been reported under the jurisdiction of Uppal Police Station in which a man allegedly established a physical relationship with a young woman after promising to marry her, but later refused to marry her and got engaged to another woman. According to police details, the 26-year-old woman from Secunderabad became acquainted with Ashok (31), a native of Neerukalla village in Peddapalli district, in 2017 while studying at an engineering college in Ghatkesar. The two remained friends for some time and allegedly entered into a relationship in 2021, the woman stated in her complaint. She alleged that during their relationship, they travelled to several places together and stayed at rented rooms in Uppal as well as OYO rooms. During this period, Ashok allegedly became physically intimate with her, according to her complaint. The woman stated that their relationship came to the knowledge of both families in 2025. However, Ashok's family



reportedly did not agree to their inter-caste marriage. She further alleged that an engagement between Ashok and another woman was fixed on June 21 this year. “After Ashok allegedly informed her that he would not marry her, the woman approached the Uppal police and lodged a complaint. “Based on her complaint, police registered a case and took up an investigation, officials said.

Is Food Safety Being Ignored in Khammam District?

Rules Allegedly Violated in Hotels and Grocery Stores Where Are the Inspections? Why Are Strict Actions Not Visible?

Strict Action Needed Against Businesses Playing With Public Health

“Khammam, August 9 (Indian Chronicle): “Are food safety regulations being properly implemented in Khammam district, or are they being confined to paper-work? Questions are being raised among the public over alleged violations of food safety and hygiene norms at several hotels and grocery stores across Khammam town and various mandal centres. “Consumers have reportedly raised concerns

regarding the sale and storage of food products, hygiene conditions and the quality of ingredients. However, questions remain over the extent of inspections being conducted by the concerned Food Safety authorities and the action being taken against establishments found violating the rules. “Adulterated Food.. Poor-Quality Ingredients.. Expired Products? “Consumers have raised allegations that some hotels are using poor-quality raw materials, preparing food in unhygienic surroundings and failing to properly store food items. “Similarly, complaints have reportedly surfaced regarding the sale of expired food products and items without proper labelling in some grocery stores. “If such allegations are found to be true, they cannot be treated as minor violations. They directly concern public health and food safety. The authorities therefore need



to clarify the extent of field-level inspections being carried out across the district. “Are the Authorities Monitoring the Situation? “Food Safety officials are responsible for conducting regular inspections of hotels, grocery stores, bakeries, fast-food centres and other food-related businesses. “Against this backdrop, several questions are being raised: “Where is the monitoring by the authorities? Why are inspection details not being made public? How many cases have been registered against establishments violating food safety regulations? How many businesses have been fined? “Are Inspections Limited to Festival Seasons? “Rather than conducting inspections only during major festivals or special occasions, regular inspections should be carried out throughout the year. “Officials should particularly examine the quality of cooking oil, storage of meat and other perishable products, drinking water quality, kitchen hygiene, food storage practices, expiry dates and validity of food licences. “Public Health Cannot Be Compromised “People are demanding strict legal action against businesses violating food safety regulations, without yielding to political, financial or other pressures. “If negligence by authorities allows adulterated or poor-quality food to affect public health, who will be held responsible? This is a question that the concerned department needs to answer. “District Administration Must Respond “People are demanding special inspections of hotels, grocery stores, bakeries, sweet shops and fast-food centres across Khammam district. “They are also seeking transparency regarding the number of inspections conducted so far, cases registered, penalties imposed and food products seized by the authorities. “Food safety is not merely the responsibility of one department—it is directly connected to the health and well-being of every citizen. “Will the authorities finally wake up and intensify field-level inspections, or will the question “Are the authorities there or not?” continue to haunt the people? “The district administration must respond immediately and ensure that there is no negligence when it comes to protecting public health.

Heartfelt Birthday Greetings to Superstar Mahesh Babu

“Khammam, August 9, Indian Chronicle: “On the occasion of Superstar Prince Mahesh Babu’s birthday, fans and members of the Mahesh Babu Fans Association in Khammam extended their heartfelt birthday greetings to the popular actor. “Speaking on the occasion, Mahesh Babu District President Devabhaktuni Kishore Babu and Banala Laxman said that Mahesh Babu is not only a superstar on the silver screen but also a real-life hero and an inspiration to millions of people. “They recalled that Mahesh Babu began his cinematic journey as a child artist and later made his debut as a hero with Rajakumarudu. With successful films such as Okkadu, Pokiri, Dookudu, and Srimanthudu, he established a unique identity for himself in the Telugu film industry. “They said that



while continuing to entertain millions of fans with his acting, Mahesh Babu has also been actively involved in various social service initiatives. Through his philanthropic activities, he has been supporting children suffering from heart-related ailments by helping them undergo surgeries and giving them an opportunity for a better life. “They further stated that discipline, continuous hard work and humility are among the major reasons behind Mahesh Babu’s success. Through his acting, personality and social service activities, he has earned the admiration of generations of fans.

“The leaders expressed hope that Mahesh Babu’s upcoming prestigious project with renowned director S.S. Rajamouli would take the reputation of Telugu cinema to an even greater global level. “They wished Mahesh Babu good health, happiness and prosperity and hoped that he would continue to entertain audiences with many more successful films. They once again conveyed their heartfelt birthday wishes to Superstar Mahesh Babu.”

“The programme was attended by District Honorary President Thota Rangarao, City President Munagala Balu, District Convener Banala Laxman, City Convener Pulipati Sampath Kumar, District Vice-President Chintamalla Gurumurthy, City Joint Secretary Nallabelli Gautham, District Joint Secretaries Sudhakar and Enugu Mahesh, City Vice-President Burri Mohan Rao, Rural Mandal President Perumallapalli Veerababu, Tirumalayapalem Mandal President Vadduri Bhargav, Nelakondapalli Mandal President Marri Shiva, Raghunadhapalem Mandal President Dumpati Shraavan Dharmendra, Ramannapet Aziz, N. Narasimha Rao, P. Yadagiri, and others. “Jai Mahesh Babu!

PARAMESWAR REDDY Participates in Bonalu Celebrations Across Uppal Constituency

““UPPAL, AUGUST 9 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): As part of the Ashada Bonalu festivities, Uppal Constituency Congress Party In-charge Mandumula Parameshwar Reddy participated in Bonalu celebrations held across Habsiguda, Ramanthapur and Uppal divisions. “Parameshwar Reddy visited several Goddess temples in the respective areas and performed special prayers, seeking the blessings of the deities. He prayed for the happiness, prosperity, health and well-being of the people. “As part of his visit, Parameshwar Reddy visited Sri Mahankali Mandir at Habsiguda Street No. 1 and Mallela Maisamma Temple in Lakshminarayana Colony under Uppal Division. “Later, he visited Swayambhu Renuka Yellamma Temple in Sri Ramanapuram, Renuka Yellamma Temple in Gandhinagar, Gangamma Temple near Ramanthapur Chinna Cheruvu, Sri Mankalamma and Nalla Pochamma temples in Indiranagar, and Katta Maisamma Temple on Ramanthapur Main Road under Ramanthapur Division. “Speaking on the occasion, Parameshwar Reddy said that the Bonalu festival is a symbol of the rich culture and traditions of Telangana. He conveyed his warm wishes to the people celebrating Bonalu with devotion and spiritual fervour. “He expressed his hope that with the blessings of Goddess Mahankali and other deities, people across the constituency would enjoy happiness, prosperity, good health and peace. “Habsiguda Division President Kandi Shravan Reddy, Ramanthapur Division President Peddiraju Sandeep, senior Congress leaders MD Tofiq, MD Rafiq, Vallapu Srikanth Yadav, Baburao, Bhaskar Gangaputra, Bhaskar, Bullet Ashok, Sachin, Chintu, Sai, Dharmendra Naik and Ashok, Rajanna, along with temple committee members, local leaders and devotees, participated in the celebrations.



FORMER CORPORATER BANNALA GEETHA PRAVEEN Offers Bonam to Goddess at Bank Colony

““CHILUKA NAGAR, AUGUST 9 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): On the occasion of the Ashada Bonalu festival, former Chilkana Division Corporator and GHMC Standing Committee member Bannala Geetha Praveen Mudiraj, along with her family members, offered Bonam to the Goddess at the Ammavari Temple in Bank Colony. Speaking on the occasion, Bannala Geetha Praveen said that Bonalu is not merely an offering made to the Goddess, but a symbol of the self-respect, customs, traditions, cultural heritage and faith of the people of Telangana, which has been passed down from generation to generation. She said the festival reflects the vibrant cultural traditions of Telangana through the bravery of the Pothurajus, the rhythmic beats of traditional drums and the grand processions of the Goddess Ghatams. She prayed to the Goddess to bless every household with good health, happiness, prosperity and peace. “Bannala Geetha Praveen Mudiraj conveyed her heartfelt Bonalu festival greetings to all the women and people of Telangana. “She also appreciated the president and members of the Bank Colony Ammavari Temple Committee for making excellent arrangements for devotees visiting the temple to offer Bonam during the festival. She congratulated the committee members for their efforts in ensuring that devotees could participate in the celebrations smoothly and peacefully.



Do Not Attend Meetings Held Against Telangana Yoga Association : Office-Bearers

““Hyderabad, August 09 (Indian Chronicle) : The presidents and general secretaries of district-level Yoga Associations across Telangana have been advised not to attend a meeting being organised by Jala Manohar against the Telangana Yoga Association. Telangana Yoga Association president S.N. Reddy and general secretary Nagireddy Siddha Reddy, speaking to the media on Sunday, clarified that Jala Manohar has no association with the Telangana Yoga Association. They questioned his involvement in the affairs of the Yoga Association, stating that he is currently serving as the state secretary of the Wushu Association. They appealed to representatives of district Yoga Associations not to attend meetings being organised by Jala Manohar in the name of the Telangana Yoga Association or on matters related to it, saying such participation could create confusion among members. The office-bearers said that programmes and meetings concerning the development of yoga as a sport, the welfare of athletes and coordination among district associations would be conducted only under the officially recognised Telangana Yoga Association. They urged district presidents and secretaries to stay away from meetings organised against the association. They also alleged that unauthorised yoga training classes were being conducted and money was being collected from participants. The association leaders advised members not to be misled by misinformation on matters related to yoga and to contact the Telangana Yoga Association for official information. S.N.Reddy and Nagireddy Siddha Reddy announced that an official meeting would soon be organised under the aegis of the Telangana Yoga Association. They appealed to the presidents and secretaries of all district Yoga Associations in the state to attend the meeting and discuss issues related to the development of yoga.



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Bonalu Symbolizes Telangana's Culture and Traditions: UPPAL MLA BANDARI LAKSHMA REDDY

“RAMANTHAPUR, AUGUST 9 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): On the occasion of the Bonalu festival, which stands as a symbol of Telangana's rich culture and traditions, Uppal MLA Bandari Lakshma Reddy visited several temples in the Ramanthapur and Venkat Reddy Nagar divisions. During his visits, the MLA offered special prayers to the Goddess and prayed for the well-being, good health, happiness and prosperity of the people of Telangana. Speaking on the occasion,



Bandari Lakshma Reddy said that Bonalu is not merely an offering made to the Goddess, but also represents the self-respect, devotion and faith of the people of Telangana, along with the culture and traditions that have been passed down through generations. He said the bravery of the Pothurajus, the beats of the traditional drums, the processions carrying the Goddess's Ghatams and the devotion of women are all vibrant expressions of Telangana's way of life and cultural heritage. The MLA recalled that even during the Telangana movement, the region's culture, language, dialect and festivals played a significant role in uniting the people. “On the occasion, he interacted with devotees at the temples and extended Bonalu festival greetings to them. He wished that the Bonalu celebrations would bring good health, happiness, prosperity and peace to all the women and people of Telangana.” BRS State Leader Gandham Nageswara Rao, senior BRS leader of Venkat Reddy Nagar Division Dr. B.V. Chari, along with other party leaders and supporters, participated in the programme.

Livelihoods of Artisans Strengthened: PM Vishwakarma Tools Distributed to Vishwakarma Artisans in Nelakondapalli

“Khammam, Nelakondapalli, August 9, Indian Chronicle: “The PM Vishwakarma scheme, introduced by the Central Government, is bringing new hope to traditional artisans and providing them with much-needed financial and technical support, said BJP Nelakondapalli Mandal President Pagarthi Sudhakar. “On Saturday, he, along with BJP leaders, handed over a washing machine sanctioned under the PM Vishwakarma scheme to Pasupuleti Chalamayya, a beneficiary from Painampalli village of Nelakondapalli mandal. “Speaking on the occasion, Pagarthi Sudhakar said that providing modern equipment to Vishwakarma artisans who depend on traditional occupations would not only reduce their workload but also help increase their income. He urged all eligible artisans engaged in small-scale traditional occupations to make use of the scheme introduced by Prime Minister Narendra Modi for their welfare and economic empowerment. “The beneficiary expressed his heartfelt gratitude to Prime Minister Narendra Modi for providing him with the equipment under the PM Vishwakarma scheme and said that the assistance would be helpful in carrying out his occupation more efficiently. “The programme was attended by BJP mandal leaders, including Surepalli Gnanaratnam, Kandraboyina Gopi, Jella Suresh, Deshaboina Venu, and others.



Irshad Khan (Uppal Khan) Participates in Special Prayers at Various Temples on Bonalu Festival



“UPPAL, AUGUST 9 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): On the occasion of the Bonalu festival, which stands as a symbol of Telangana's rich culture and traditions, senior Congress leader Irshad Khan (Uppal Khan) visited several Goddess temples in Beerappagadda Division and participated in special prayers. As part of his visit, he offered prayers at Kanakadurga Temple in Seetharam Colony, Durgamata Temple in Bank Colony, and Varala Maisamma Temple in Srinagar Colony. He performed special prayers to the Goddess and sought her blessings. Later, Irshad Khan interacted with temple committee members, organisers, women, youth, devotees and local residents and extended his Bonalu festival greetings to them. Speaking on the occasion, Irshad Khan said that Bonalu represents the devotion, culture and traditions of the people of Telangana. He mingled warmly with devotees who thronged the temples to offer Bonalu. “He prayed to the Goddess for the happiness, prosperity, good health and well-being of all people and for the further development of Beerappagadda Division. Irshad Khan said that the Congress government is giving priority to public welfare, local development and improving the livelihoods of people. He stated that efforts would be made to address local issues such as roads, drainage, street lighting, sanitation, parks and drinking water in Beerappagadda Division. “He further said that his objective is not only to stand with people during their festivals but also to understand their problems and actively participate in development initiatives. “On the occasion, Irshad Khan extended his heartfelt Bonalu festival greetings to all the people of Beerappagadda Division.

Carpenter Dies in Road Accident

“Khammam, Nelakondapalli, August 9, Indian Chronicle:” A 55-year-old carpenter died in a road accident near Ammagudem village in Nelakondapalli



mandal on Saturday. “According to details, Gandu Rangaiah (55), a carpenter and resident of Ammagudem village, was standing near a petrol pump with his TVS XL vehicle when a trolley auto travelling from Kusumanchi towards Nelakondapalli reportedly hit him. “Rangaiah sustained serious injuries in the accident. His family members initially shifted him to the Nelakondapalli Government Hospital for first aid. As his condition was critical, he was later shifted to Khammam for better treatment. However, doctors examined him and confirmed that he had already succumbed to his injuries. “Following a complaint lodged by the deceased's daughter Anusha, local police registered a case and launched an investigation. A post-mortem examination was conducted on the deceased's body at the Government Hospital. “Police have registered a case against the driver, Prakash, who was allegedly responsible for the accident, and are continuing their investigation.

Kandi Shravan Kumar Reddy Participates in Bonalu Ghatam Procession

“HABSIGUDA , AUGUST 9 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): The Bonalu festival of Sri Sri Sri Lal Darwaza Mahankali Ammavari was celebrated with great devotion and enthusiasm in Habsiguda. As part of the festivities, an Ammavari Ghatam procession was organized at Swathi Tiffins, Street No. 1, Habsiguda, under the auspices of Team SVFA and led by Suresh. “Habsiguda Division Congress Party President Kandi Shravan Kumar Reddy attended the event as the chief guest. He offered prayers and performed special pujas to the Goddess. Speaking on the occasion, he wished that the blessings and grace of Ammavaru would always



Ranjith, along with Team SVFA members and a large number of devotees, participated in the programme.

Youth Congress Plays a Key Role in Strengthening the Government: APMC Chairman

“Khammam, Nelakondapalli, August 9, Indian Chronicle:” Youth Congress plays a crucial role in strengthening the government and the Congress party at the grassroots level, said Nelakondapalli Agricultural Market Committee Chairman Vennepusa Sitaramulu. “The Youth Congress Foundation Day celebrations were held grandly at the Nelakondapalli mandal headquarters on Sunday under the leadership of State Youth Congress Secretary Jerripothula Anjani. Agricul-



tural Market Committee Chairman Vennepusa Sitaramulu hoisted the Congress flag on the occasion. “Speaking at the programme, Sitaramulu said that the Youth Congress has the responsibility of taking the welfare schemes introduced by the Telangana government to the people and creating wider awareness about them. He called upon Youth Congress leaders and workers to work actively at the grassroots level for strengthening the Congress party. “The programme was attended by District Official Spokesperson Bachalakuri Nagaraju, Jerripothula Satyanarayana, Mandal Youth Congress President Yadavalli Nagaraju, Mahila Congress President Reguri Vasavi, Sarpanch Boyina Venu, Dosapati Shekhar, Vangaveeti Nageswara Rao, Maisa Shankar, Reddimalla Babu Reddy, Kadiyala Naresh, Cherukupalli Rajesh, Karla Ashok, Mandadi Naga Srinu, Kothapalli Naveen, Boyina Kondalu, Anam Venkata Reddy, and others.

Residents of Sahridaya Old Age Home handed over Asia to her son Salman

“(Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau.. Indian Chronicle.. August 9):- Asia, a woman living in Sahridaya Old Age Home, was wandering in Yadagirigutta with a mental disorder 3 years ago and was admitted to the home by the Yadagirigutta police. As per the instructions of the District Legal Services Authority, Yadadri Bhuvanagiri President and District Chief Justice A. Jayaraju, the secretary of the organization, V. Madhavilatha, in coordination with the District Welfare Department and District Medical Health Departments, following the National Legal Services Scheme, the District Welfare Department and the District Medical Health Departments, not only provided treatment to Asia from the Bhuvanagiri Government Hospital under the advice of District Medical Health Officer Dr. Manohar, but also monitored her every month and the ashram administrators, Manager Rafi, took proper care of her. As a result, Asia developed a mental illness and was admitted to the home by Judge V. Madhavi Latha, Dr. Preeti Swarup remembered her past and told her that her hometown was Vijapur Kolisamaj in Solapur district of Maharashtra, her daughter Aksha and son Salman. The District Legal Services Authority responded immediately and informed the Solapur S. P., who found their family members through the police and gave them information. On Saturday, the said Asian child and son Raga were recognized and got emotional seeing their mother after being away for more than three years. The



ashram administrators informed the District Welfare Department and the Health Department. The District Legal Services Authority Secretary V. Madhavi Latha, District Welfare Department Officer Srinivas and DMHO Dr. As per Manohar's instructions, Duty Doctor Hari Krishna, Welfare Department staff, Sakhi Kendra members and NGO Dr. Pramila came to the ashram and handed over the said Asia alias Suriya Khan to her child and sons. They thanked the District Legal Services Authority, District Welfare Department, District Medical and Health Departments and Sahridaya Ashram administrators. The officials congratulated the ashram administrators for the services they are providing and asked them to provide similar services in the future.

Saradhi Nagar Main Road Resembles a Pond Construction Materials Allegedly Blocking Road- way; Public Safety at Risk Repeated Complaints Ignored by Officials, Residents Allege

“Khammam, August 9, Indian Chronicle:” Residents of Saradhi Nagar in Khammam city have expressed serious concern over the poor condition of the main road in the area. Near the lorry office and beside Udwit Hotel, a multi-storeyed building is reportedly under construction, with sand, gravel, iron rods, bricks and other construction materials being placed on both sides of the road and on the roadway itself. “According to local residents, the materials are obstructing the free movement of vehicles and pedestrians. They further allege that the drainage system has been blocked with sand, gravel and bricks, preventing rainwater from flowing properly. As a result, water is accumulating on the main road, making it resemble a small pond. “The muddy and slippery road conditions are reportedly causing considerable inconvenience to commuters, with two-wheeler riders particularly at risk of losing control and falling. “Four Months of Construction, Residents Claim” Residents allege that the construction work has been continuing for nearly four months and that public roads under the jurisdiction of the Municipal Corporation and R&B Department are being used to store construction materials. “They claim that several complaints have been submitted to the concerned Municipal Corporation Town Planning officials, but no effective action has been taken so far. “Danger at a Major Road Bend” The construction site is reportedly located near a bend on the main road, creating an additional risk for motorists as visibility is restricted. The road is heavily used every day by school buses, buses, lorries, two-wheelers and other vehicles. “The route connecting Khammam Old Bus Stand towards Kalavoddu and the bypass is an important arterial road, and hundreds of vehicles reportedly use it every day. “Questions Over Sand Transportation” Residents have also raised allegations regarding



the transportation of sand used for the construction. They claim that sand is being brought from the Mudigonda mandal area in tractors during the early morning hours and dumped at the construction site. “They stated that complaints regarding the matter have also been submitted to the Third Town Police Station, Revenue Department and Mining Department. “Residents further said that a written complaint was submitted to the Town Planning officials at the Khammam Municipal Corporation Commissioner’s office on July 22, but the issue remains unresolved. “Allegations of Intimidation” Some residents have alleged that the building owner, Kurapati Ravinder Babu, is intimidating local people by claiming to have the support of certain political leaders. “They further allege that when residents questioned the placing of construction materials on the road, they were allegedly subjected to abusive language and attempts at intimidation. “However, the building owner’s version and the response of the concerned officials to these allegations are yet to be known. “School Buses Also Reportedly Affected” Residents allege that during the construction work, school buses have also been told not to use this stretch of the road. “They question how a private construction project could allegedly restrict the movement of school buses and the general public on a major public road. “Residents Demand Immediate Action” Residents of Saradhi Nagar have urged the Municipal Town Planning, R&B, Police, Revenue and Mining authorities to conduct a joint inspection of the site. “They demanded a thorough inquiry into the building permissions, alleged road encroachment, obstruction of drainage, storage of construction materials and transportation of sand. They also urged authorities to take strict action if any violations are established. “How can a public road be obstructed despite repeated complaints? Why are the authorities not taking action?” residents questioned, urging officials to intervene immediately and ensure the safety and free movement of the public.



Women carrying Bonam offerings in Jukal village

“Shamshabad August 09 Correspondent: In Jukal village, under the guidance of village elders and the Sarpanch, women offered Bonam to Goddess Pochamma. “Marking the occasion of the Ashada Bonalu festival, they offered Bonams to Goddess Pochamma with great devotion and reverence. “Dressed in traditional attire, women carried the Bonam offerings in a procession to the temples, where they performed special prayers and presented Naivedyam (food offerings) to the Goddess. “Children in traditional costumes captivated onlookers during the festivities, while the dances of the Pothurajus entertained the devotees. “Villagers welcomed the devotees amidst the rhythmic beats of Dappu drums and traditional musical ensembles. Special prayers and Harathi rituals were performed at the temples, seeking the Goddess’s blessings for the happiness, prosperity, and well-being of the villagers. “Village elders, public representatives, youth, and women participated in large numbers, celebrating the Bonalu festival with great grandeur.

Oppose Anti-Student and Anti-Youth Policies of Modi Government: Vejandla Saikumar

“Questioning the Government is Not Sedition; Raising Questions, Protesting and Seeking Justice are Democratic Rights of Youth: Youth Congress District President” Khammam, August 9 (Indian Chronicle): Khammam District Youth Congress President Vejandla Saikumar said that the primary objective of the Youth Congress is to channel the energy of the youth towards nation-building, create awareness among young people about unemployment, education, social justice, democratic values and youth rights, and conduct democratic movements on public issues. “The Youth Congress Foundation Day celebrations were held at the District Congress Committee office in Khammam city under the leadership of Khammam District Youth Congress President Vejandla Saikumar. Khammam District Congress Committee President Nuthi Satyanarayana Goud and Telangana State Warehousing Corporation Chairman Rayala Nageswara Rao attended the programme as chief guests and hoisted the Youth Congress flag. “Speaking on the occasion, Saikumar said that questioning the government cannot be considered sedition and that questioning, protesting and seeking justice are democratic rights guaranteed to the youth. He alleged that the BJP government at the Centre was attempting to suppress the voice of the youth in the country. He said that no government could suppress the rights of young people through violence, threats or repression. “Saikumar criticised the BJP-led Central Government for allegedly failing to give adequate attention to the problems faced by students, unemployed youth and young people across the country. He stated that the Youth Congress would continue its struggles for the elimination of unemployment, development of the education sector, social justice, protection of youth rights and safeguarding democratic values. “The youth of this country will not be afraid of the RSS ideology operating under the guise of the BJP. The youth will continue to question. They cannot be intimidated, suppressed or stopped,” Saikumar said. “He called upon Youth Congress activists to work more actively on issues concerning young people and strengthen their efforts to protect the rights and interests of the youth. “Annadanam Held for Around 300 People” As part of the Youth Congress Foundation Day celebrations, an Annadanam programme was organised under the leadership of Vejandla Saikumar near the District Congress Committee office in Khammam. Food was served to around 300 people on the occasion. “State Kisan Cell Vice-President Balaji Naik, District Affiliated Organisations Presidents Kotha Seetharamulu, Shekhar Goud, Boddu Bondayya, Syed Ghouse and Puchchakayala Veerabhadram, District General Secretaries Killer Anil, Gangaraju, Bachalakuri Nagaraju, Gadela Jhansi, Bammidi Srinivas and Ranga Janardhan, senior Congress leader Shahel Javid, Youth Congress State Secretary Anjan Kumar, District Vice-Presidents Bejjam Balagangadhar and Banoth Kotes, and other leaders participated in the programme. “District General Secretaries Bellamkonda Sharath, Kukkala Mahesh, Anvesh Goud, Nelluri Upender and Balaraj, District Social Media Coordinator Bellam Sai Teja, Constituency Vice-Presidents Ambati Eshwar, Jangam Rajesh, Nitheesh Kumar, Kaiser, Akash Naidu and Sai Teja, Khammam Town President Shravan Kumar, Town Vice-Presidents Raidan Rao and Sampath Naidu, Mandal Presidents Ramakrishna, Nimmala Nageswara Rao, Satish and Mutharao, along with Youth Congress leaders Bodipudi Raja, Pandi Raju, Devarakonda Rajiv Gandhi, Sai Kumar and Thota Naresh, among others, were present.



Him Pratyusha Gets Rare Opportunity in Medical Field in the USA Selected as Physician Assistant Clinical Associate at Cleveland Clinic, Ohio

“Khammam, August 9 (Indian Chronicle): Dr. Parupalli Hima Pratyusha, who has been selected as a Physician Assistant Clinical Associate at the prestigious Cleveland Clinic in Ohio, USA, was felicitated by the Kamma Mahajana Sangham, Khammam, on Sunday. “The felicitation programme was held at the Swarnabharathi Kammavari Kalyana Mandapam in Khammam. Representatives and members of the association honoured Hima Pratyusha with a shawl and congratulated her on her achievement. “Speaking on the occasion, Kollu Raghu Satyanarayana, President of the association, said that Hima Pratyusha’s selection for an important position at the world-renowned Cleveland Clinic was a testimony to her talent and dedication in the medical field. He said her achievement was a matter of pride not only for Khammam district but also for the Telugu community. He described her journey as an inspiration for young people who aspire to achieve their goals through hard work and determination. “Association General Secretary Chava Ramu said that the encouragement, guidance and value-based upbringing provided by Hima Pratyusha’s parents, Parupalli Amar Chandu, Advocate, and Parupalli Venkata Nagalakshmi, played a major role in her success. He appreciated her parents for their support and felicitated them on behalf of the association. He wished Hima Pratyusha greater success in the future and hoped that she would reach higher positions and render distinguished services in the medical field. “Dr. Hima Pratyusha expressed her gratitude to the representatives and members of the Kamma Mahajana Sangham for felicitating her. She said that the encouragement and support extended by her parents, family members and teachers were instrumental in her success. She said she would make the best use of the opportunity she received in the United States and strive to contribute her services to the medical field. “Prominent doctor Dr. Gorki, Association Vice-President Karnati Ramadevi, Assistant Secretary Vajja Srinivasa Rao, Treasurer Tulluri Nirmala Kumari, and executive committee members Motukuri Satyanarayana, Tummalapalli Nageswara Rao, Nallamala Anand, Medarametla Swaroop Rani, Pothineni Bhumeswara Rao, Koleti Naveen, Namburi Prasad, Talluri Murali Krishna, Bandi Ravikumar, Bathineni Prakash, among others, participated in the programme and congratulated Hima Pratyusha on her achievement.

