

MLA Bandari Lakshma Reddy Meets Collector to Resolve 22-A Land Issues



““UPPAL, AUGUST 13 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): Uppal MLA Bandari Lakshma Reddy met Medchal–Malkajgiri District Collector Manu Choudhary and submitted a representation seeking resolution of issues related to lands listed under Section 22-A in the Uppal constituency. “The MLA brought to the Collector’s attention the difficulties being faced by several residents whose lands have been included in the 22-A list. He explained that the restrictions were causing serious problems with land registrations, sale and purchase transactions, and other property-related dealings. “Lakshma Reddy said that eligible landowners have been facing hardship as their land-related issues have remained unresolved for several years. He urged the Collector to conduct a comprehensive review of lands covered under 22-A in the Uppal constituency and ascertain their actual status. He requested that lands which are eligible and free from disputes be removed from the 22-A list as per the rules. He also appealed to the authorities to coordinate with the concerned departments and resolve the pending issues at the earliest so that people do not continue to face difficulties. “The MLA further suggested that clear procedures be followed to ensure justice for eligible landowners and prevent similar problems from arising in the future. “According to the MLA, Collector Manu Choudhary assured him that the issues brought to his notice would be examined and that necessary instructions would be issued to the concerned officials to take appropriate action as per the rules. Lakshma Reddy reiterated his request for necessary measures to resolve the 22-A land issues without causing further inconvenience to the people. He stated that he would continue his efforts to resolve land-related problems faced by residents of the Uppal constituency.

Extortion Allegations in the Name of House Works? Allegations of Excessive Collection of Money in 46th Division — Criticism Over Officials’ Failure to Respond Despite Repeated Complaints

““Khammam, August 13, Indian Chronicle: ““Allegations of excessive collection of money from residents in the name of house works, construction permissions and other municipal services have raised concerns within Khammam Municipality. In particular, several residents of the 46th Division have expressed serious concern over the alleged collections. ““Some residents allege that while the official fee prescribed under government rules is one amount, the amount being demanded from them is considerably higher. They reportedly claim that people are being forced to pay the demanded amounts in the hope that their work will be completed without unnecessary delays. ““Complaints Ignored? ““Residents allege that several petitions and complaints have been submitted to the concerned officials regarding the issue, but no comprehensive inquiry has been conducted so far. ““The public is questioning why officials have allegedly failed to respond even after receiving written complaints. ““When complaints are received, is it not the responsibility of the authorities to conduct an inquiry and reveal the facts? residents are asking. ““What Is the Official Fee? How Much Is Being Collected? ““Questions are being raised over the official fees applicable for house works, construction permissions and other municipal services in the 46th Division. Residents are seeking clarity on how much is officially payable, how much is actually being demanded, and whether official receipts are being issued for every payment. ““Residents have urged the authorities to publicly display the official fee structure and ensure that receipts are issued for every payment. ““Senior Officials Must Step In ““Residents are demanding that senior municipal officials immediately conduct a special inquiry into the allegations emerging from the 46th Division. ““They have urged the authorities to thoroughly examine the relevant applications, payment receipts, permission documents, official fee structures and action taken on previous complaints. ““If the allegations are found to be true during the inquiry, appropriate action should be taken against those responsible as per the rules. If the allegations are found to



be baseless, the same should also be clearly communicated to the public. ““Why Should the Common Man Bear an Additional Burden? ““Municipal services are expected to be provided to citizens in a simple, transparent and accessible manner. Residents say that demanding additional amounts for permissions or services related to house works places an unnecessary financial burden on ordinary people. ““Why should a municipality that collects taxes and official fees from the public fail to provide transparent services to the same people? residents are questioning. ““What Is the Officials’ Response to the Allegations? ““Khammam Municipal authorities need to respond to the allegations of excessive collection in the name of house works in the 46th Division and place the facts before the public. ““Residents are seeking clarity on the status of the complaints submitted by them and what action has been taken so far. ““If the allegations are true, action must follow; if they are false, the public deserves a clear explanation. Either way, citizens deserve an answer. Transparency, residents say, is essential to restoring public confidence in municipal administration.



All Arrangements Must Be Made for Devotees at Temples During Bonalu: UPPAL CONGRESSES IN-CHARGE PARAMESWAR REDDY

““UPPAL, AUGUST 13 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): Uppal Constituency Congress Party In-Charge Mandumula Parameshwar Reddy urged officials to make all necessary arrangements to ensure that devotees visiting Sri Pochamma and Mahankali temples during the Bonalu festival face no inconvenience. On Thursday, Parameshwar Reddy, along with former Uppal corporator Rajitha Parameshwar Reddy, inspected the premises of the Pochamma Temple along with municipal officials. During the inspection, he discussed the facilities to be provided to devotees, sanitation, lighting and other arrangements with the officials. Speaking on the occasion, Parameshwar Reddy instructed officials to take advance measures at all Goddess temples in the Uppal constituency to ensure that devotees do not face any inconvenience. He particularly stressed the need to maintain cleanliness and sanitation around the temples and ensure adequate lighting. He also directed officials to complete all necessary arrangements in view of the large number of devotees expected during the Bonalu celebrations. “DE Vennela Goud, AE Raj Kumar, sanitation officials Neelima and Pushpalatha, Eega Anjaneyulu Mudiraj, Telkala Mohan Reddy, Devi Reddy, Salla Prabhakar Reddy, Murali Krishna Reddy, Gorriga Ilaiah, Bhaskar, Saga Shekhar, Soma Jangaiah, Paiyavula Mohan, Satish Goud, Jagan, Srinivas, Vijaya Bhaskar, Sridhar, Vijayender, Raju, Pandu, Sampath, Bharat, Kiran, Gazalla Venkat Reddy, Ramana, Pratap Reddy, Bhasi Reddy and others participated in the programme.

Bhongir MLA Kumbam Anil Kumar Reddy Releases Water into Bunadigani Canal

““(Yadadri Bhongir District Bureau – Indian Chronicle – August 13): Prioritizing the irrigation needs of farmers in the Bhongir constituency, MLA Kumbam Anil Kumar Reddy released water into the Bunadigani Canal at Makta Anantharam in Bibinagar Mandal following the completion of new box culvert construction works. The completion of these box culverts has removed obstructions to the flow, paving the way for the smooth conveyance of water. This development will signifi-



cantly benefit farmers within the canal's command area regarding irrigation water supply. Speaking on the occasion, MLA Kumbam Anil Kumar Reddy stated that the welfare of farmers is the primary objective of the Congress government. He noted that canal development, modernization, and necessary construction works are being expedited to ensure an uninterrupted supply of irrigation water to farmers. The MLA mentioned that areas causing flow obstructions along the Bunadigani Canal are being identified, and measures are being taken to provide permanent solutions; the construction of the new box culverts and the subsequent release of water are part of this initiative. He instructed officials to pay special attention to ensuring that the released water reaches the tail-end of the command area effectively

and directed them to promptly identify and resolve any issues arising in the water flow. The MLA stated that they are moving forward with the constituency's development while fulfilling the promises made to farmers one by one. He mentioned that high priority is being accorded to the irrigation sector, with measures being taken to



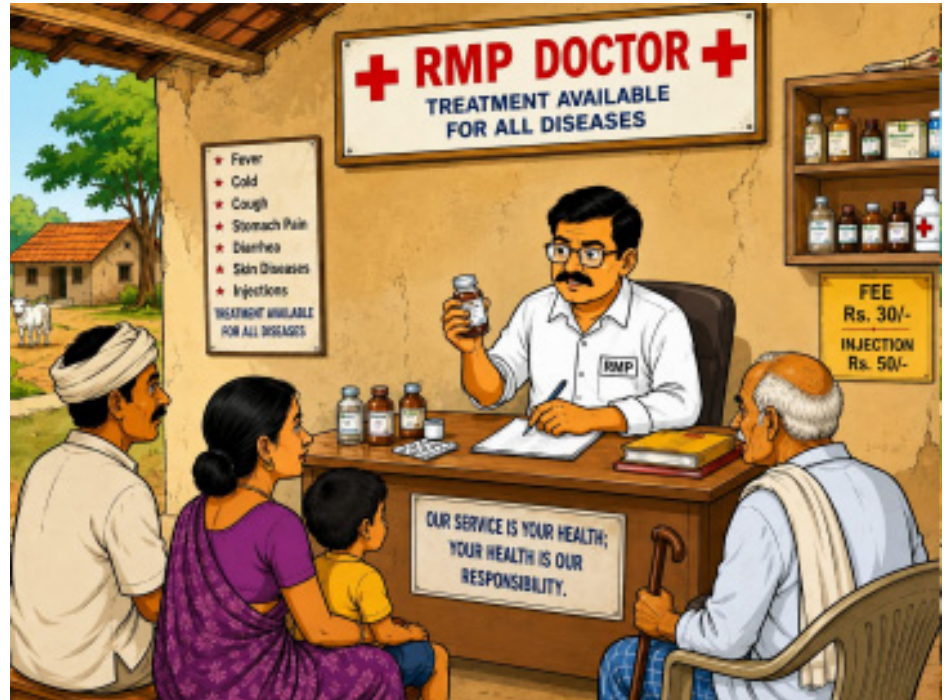
ensure the efficient utilization of water through canals. Participants in the program included PACS Chairman Pottola Shyam Goud; senior leaders Panjala Ramanjaneyulu, Goli Pingal Reddy, and Goli Narendar Reddy; Mandal Congress President Surakanti Satthi Reddy; the PACS Vice Chairman and Directors; Mandal-level leaders; Sarpanches; Congress party leaders and activists; farmers; EE Shailender; DE Lavanya; and others.

Unqualified Medical Practitioners in Rural Areas Raise Serious Health Concerns

Government and Health Department Must Give Top Priority to Rural Public Health

“Khammam, August 13, Indian Chronicle:” “The government and the Health Department should pay special attention to the health and safety of people living in rural areas. A comprehensive review is needed into the problems arising from individuals without proper medical qualifications or authorization allegedly providing treatment, indiscriminate sale of medicines, and lack of awareness among villagers about the services available at Primary Health Centres (PHCs).” “Unqualified Medical Practice and Administering IV Fluids on Beds” “In several villages, individuals referred to locally as PMP (Private Medical Practitioner) or RMPs are allegedly providing medical treatment despite not possessing recognized medical degrees such as MBBS or BAMS. Concerns have been raised over some such practitioners presenting themselves as qualified doctors and treating patients independently.” “Particular concern has been expressed over allegedly administering IV fluids to patients on beds without proper medical assessment or qualified supervision. Authorities should identify unauthorized medical practices and take appropriate action wherever violations of applicable laws and regulations are established.” “Health Risks to Rural Patients” “Improper or inappropriate medical treatment can pose serious risks to patients. The indiscriminate or unnecessary use of antibiotics, steroids and IV fluids may lead to adverse health consequences. Therefore, qualified medical professionals should assess

patients and prescribe medicines or treatments based on their actual medical needs.” “Strict Action Against Unauthorized Inpatient Treatment” “Authorities should examine clinics where individuals without recognized medical qualifications allegedly arrange beds and provide treatment resembling inpatient care. Wherever violations of applicable clinical establishment and medical practice regulations are found, appropriate legal action should be initiated against those responsible.” “Unauthorized Medical Shops and Sale of Medicines at Higher Prices” “Another major concern in rural areas is the alleged operation of medical shops without valid drug licences. There are also allegations that medicines are being sold without proper authorization and, in some instances, at prices higher than the printed MRP.” “Drug Inspectors, Mandal Medical Officers and the revenue authorities should conduct joint surprise inspections in rural areas. Unlicensed medical establishments should be dealt with strictly under the applicable provisions of the Drugs and Cosmetics Act and other relevant regulations.” “Strengthen Primary Health Centres” “The functioning of Primary Health Centres located at mandal headquarters should be closely monitored by senior health officials. Qualified doctors and nursing staff should be made available as required, particularly for emergency medical services.” “Authorities should also ensure that patients receive timely medical attention at government health fa-



cilities so that unnecessary delays or dependence on unauthorized practitioners can be avoided.” “Create Awareness Among Rural People” “The Health Department should take effective measures to ensure that rural residents make full use of Primary Health Centre and Village Health Clinic services.” “Awareness programmes should be conducted through ASHA workers, ANMs and Gram Panchayats regarding PHC services, availability of free medicines, the risks associated with unqualified medical treatment and the importance of consulting qualified healthcare

professionals.” “Appeal to Patients” “People in rural areas are urged to approach the nearest Primary Health Centre or Village Health Clinic whenever they face health problems, instead of relying on individuals without recognized medical qualifications.” “The authorities should strengthen government healthcare services and create awareness among rural communities to ensure that every citizen has access to safe, qualified and affordable medical care.” [3:07 PM, 8/13/2026] +91 96187 88997: End

Government Whip Beerla Ayilayya Visits Victim Families

“(Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau.. Indian Chronicle.. August 13):- Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District, Atmakur: In



Atmakur Mandal, Telangana State Government Whip and Aleru MLA Beerla Ayilayya visited several victim families and expressed his deepest condolences to the family members of the deceased. In Muripirala village of Atmakur Mandal, senior Congress party leader Devalla Swamy died due to illness, and MLA Beerla Ayilayya went to his residence and visited his family members. Later, he garlanded the portrait of the Swamy and paid tributes. On this occasion, the MLA recalled the services he provided to the party and the village. Similarly, in Atmakur Mandal Center, when a heart-broken Yadamma passed away, the MLA visited their family and expressed his condolences. He garlanded the portrait of Yadamma and paid tributes. “Nagam Sriram Reddy died of illness in Atmakur mandal center, and MLA Beerla Ayilayya visited his family members. He garlanded



the portrait of Sriram Reddy and expressed his deepest condolences to the family members.” “Later, in Sarvepalli village of Atmakur mandal, Kalvakuntla Laxmamma died of illness, and MLA Beerla Ayilayya visited her family. He paid tribute to the portrait of Laxmamma and gave courage to the family members. Speaking on the occasion, MLA Beerla Ayilayya said that he considers it his responsibility to stand by the families in distress and that his support and cooperation will always be with the affected families. He prayed that the souls of the deceased may rest in peace and that God may grant courage to their family members.” “Congress party leaders, activists, local public representatives, villagers and others participated in these visitation programs.”

Bhuvanagiri MP Chamala Kiran Kumar Reddy urges Union Minister Nitin Gadkari to expedite crucial road safety infrastructure works

“(Yadadri Bhuvanagiri District Bureau.. Indian Chronicle.. August 13):- Bhuvanagiri MP Chamala Kiran Kumar Reddy met Union Minister for Road Transport and Highways Nitin Gadkari and urged him to expedite several important road infrastructure and safety works in the surrounding areas of Bhuvanagiri Parliamentary Constituency. “In this meeting, the MP submitted and discussed comprehensive petitions seeking priority intervention on several key projects. The main demand is to upgrade NH-163 between Hyderabad and Warangal to a six-lane national highway. Chamala Kiran Kumar Reddy mentioned the rapidly growing population, urbanization, industrial activities and traffic movement in this vital corridor. The ministry was asked to take necessary steps for the expansion and related improvements. The MP also raised several road safety needs on NH-163, including construction of underpass/service roads at Anantharam Cross Road, construction of underpass at Government ITI College - Ramakrishnapuram Village Cross Road, construction of service roads near Kendriya Vidyalaya in Bhuvanagiri, construction of vehicular underpass at Swarnagiri Temple.” The pending drainage works in Ward 12, Pagidipalli village have been completed. The sanctioned six-lane flyover work at AIIMS Bibinagar has begun. Service roads and underpasses have been set up at Singannagudem cross road. In Nakirekal assembly constituency, the Nakirekal-Tatikal road expansion on NH-565, the proposed loop four at Chandampalli, flyovers at Padmanagar Inupamula, underpasses at Korlapahad, Kethepalli, Katigudem, Vattimarathi, Pittampalli, along with drainage and service road works, have also been brought to the attention of the MP. The Union Minister also brought to the notice of several road safety and connectivity needs, including underpasses at Korlapahad, Kethepalli, Katigudem, Vattimarathi, Pittampalli. Special mention was made of the construction of a put-over bridge near the Hanuman temple at Laxma Reddy Pallem-Pedda Amberpet on NH-365 (Hyderabad - Vijayawada). The MP said that the temple is crowded with devotees, especially during festivals, which is causing traffic jams and security issues. Chamala Kiran Kumar Reddy said that the above-mentioned projects are very crucial to provide better connectivity to the people of Bhuvanagiri and surrounding areas, enhance road safety, prevent accidents, reduce traffic congestion and ensure smooth movement of people. He expressed the need for the cooperation of the Union Minister for Road Transport and Highways in expediting the necessary processes to undertake these important works at the earliest.



4 Lakh LOC Assistance Provided to Poor Patient in Krishna Nagar Colony

“Nacharam, August 13: (Indian Chronicle):“Uppal MLA Bandari Lakshma Reddy, along with former corporators Jeripothula Prabhudas and Gundarapu Srinivas Reddy, handed over a ₹4 lakh Letter of Credit (LOC) to P. Nagaraju, a financially disadvantaged patient from Krishna Nagar Colony in Meerpet H.B. Colony Division, to support his medical treatment. “Former corporator Kotha Rama Rao, along with local leaders Uma Venkateswara Rao, Chari, Sripathi, Veerabhadra Rao, Shekhar Goud, Venkat, Narender, Kiran and others, participated in the programme.



CP Sumathi Conducts Surprise Inspection at Medipally ACP Office

“MEDIPALLY, AUGUST 13 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): Malkajgiri Police Commissioner Sumathi conducted a surprise inspection of the Medipally ACP office under the Malkajgiri Police Commissionerate on Thursday. “Commissioner Sumathi arrived at the ACP office without any prior notice, where police personnel accorded her a guard of honour. Later, she planted saplings on the police station premises. On the occasion, she reportedly advised the staff to contribute to environmental protection and maintain police office premises clean, green and pleasant. Subsequently, CP Sumathi, along with Uppal DCP Suresh Kumar, held a review meeting with Medipally ACP Mohan Kumar. She reviewed details of cases registered under the ACP’s jurisdiction, the progress of investigations, pending cases, staff strength and the problems being faced at various police stations. “The Commissioner enquired about the stage of investigation in major cases, measures being taken to dispose of pending cases at the earliest, strategies being implemented to control crime and steps being taken to maintain law and order. She also sought details regarding the problems faced by police personnel at various stations under the Medipally ACP limits, difficulties in performing their duties, police services being provided to the public, resolution of public complaints and measures being taken to prevent crime. CP Sumathi reportedly directed officials to give special attention to crime prevention while ensuring better police services to the public. She instructed personnel to remain vigilant in the discharge of their duties, prevent any disruption to law and order and resolve public issues and complaints promptly. The Commissioner also stressed the need for police personnel to discharge their responsibilities in a manner that strengthens public confidence in the police. She advised officers to maintain a friendly approach towards citizens while taking strict action against those who violate the law. During the meeting, CP Sumathi reviewed various issues with the police personnel, including duty performance, maintenance of law and order, crime prevention, resolution of public complaints and investigation of pending cases.



Rs 3.20 Crore Modern Bus Station to be Constructed in Uppal--Improved Facilities for Passengers; Works to Begin Soon: PARAMESWAR REDDY



““UPPAL, AUGUST 13 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): A modern bus station will be constructed in Uppal to provide better facilities to passengers and address the difficulties they currently face, said Uppal Assembly Constituency Congress Party In-charge Mandumula Parameshwar Reddy. The project, estimated to cost ₹3.20 crore, will be taken up soon, and efforts will be made to complete the works at the earliest and make the facility available to passengers. “On Thursday, Parameshwar Reddy, along with former corporator Mandumula Rajitha Parameshwar Reddy, inspected the bus stand near VT Kaman in Uppal along with RTC officials, including Manager Rammohan, Assistant Manager Rohini and Mechanical Engineer Vyas. “Speaking on the occasion, Parameshwar Reddy said cement concrete driveways and platforms would be constructed at a cost of ₹1.10 crore. Durable VDF concrete roads would be laid to withstand the movement of both city and district buses. He said 8 to 10 bus bays would be developed to ensure buses are parked systematically without obstructing one another. A spacious turning radius would also be provided to prevent traffic congestion on the main road. A ₹75 lakh passenger waiting area would be developed with a spacious waiting shed, fans, lighting and stainless-steel benches. A ₹35 lakh Sulabh complex and toilet block would be constructed with separate facilities for men, women, persons with disabilities and senior citizens. To ensure an uninterrupted water supply, an overhead water tank, automatic pumping system, wash basins and tiled flooring would be provided. Proper ventilation and adequate lighting would also be arranged. “Parameshwar Reddy said an RTC staff rest facility would be constructed at a cost of ₹40 lakh, with beds, fans and lockers for drivers and conductors arriving from distant locations. “At a cost of ₹30 lakh, the existing compound wall around the bus station would be repaired and heightened, while high-mast LED lighting would also be installed. In addition, drainage facilities and other basic passenger amenities would be developed, along with an RO water plant to

provide free, clean and chilled drinking water. Uppal Division presidents Eega Anjaneyulu Mudiraj and Telkala Mohan Reddy, along with Devir Reddy, Salla Prabhakar Reddy, Murali Krishna Reddy, Gorige Ailaiah, Bhaskar, Saga Shekhar, Soma Jangaiah, Paiyavula Mohan, Satish Goud, Jagan, Srinivas, Vijay Bhaskar, Sridhar, Vijayender, Raju, Pandu, Sampath, Bharat, Kiran, Gajalla Venkat Reddy, Ramana, Pratap Reddy, Bhasi Reddy and others participated in the programme.

INDIRANAGAR RESIDENTS' PROMISE FULFILLED BY MOHAMMED RAFIQ

New Electricity Poles Installed in Place of Dangerous Leaning Poles



““RAMANTHAPUR, AUGUST 13 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): Residents of Indiranagar in Ramanthapur Division brought to the attention of senior Congress leader Mohammed Rafiq the long-pending issue of electricity poles that had become dangerously tilted and posed a serious threat to public safety. Responding immediately, Mohammed Rafiq took up the issue with Uppal Congress Party In-charge Mandumula Parameshwar Reddy and also discussed the matter with electricity department officials. Giving top priority to the safety of residents, officials promptly installed two new electricity poles in place of the dangerous ones.

With the replacement of the poles, Indiranagar residents heaved a sigh of relief. Locals appreciated Mohammed Rafiq, saying, “He is a leader who proves his commitment through action, not just words.” Colony residents expressed their gratitude for treating their problem as his own and ensuring a quick solution. Senior Congress leaders Poosa Sattaiah, Adinarayana Goud, Angala Sandeep, Gym Gangaputra Bhaskar, Venkatesh, Poosa Mallikarjun, Poosa Balaraj, M.D. Shakeel, and Youth Congress leaders Swamy, Bablu Goud, Mahesh, Sudhakar, among others, were present

AKARAPU ARUN PATEL Participates in Indiramma Sarees Distribution Programme

““VENKAT REDDY NAGAR, AUGUST 13 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): Youth leader and Uppal Constituency Youth Congress President Akarapu Arun Patel said that the government is distributing Indiramma sarees to eligible women with the objective of supporting poor and middle-class families. On Thursday, he participated in the Indiramma sarees distribution programme held at the Ram Reddy Nagar Community Hall under the Venkat Reddy Nagar Division and distributed sarees to eligible women. “Speaking on the occasion, Akarapu Arun Patel urged all eligible beneficiaries to make effective use of the welfare schemes being implemented by the government. He said Indiramma sarees are being distributed particularly to women holding white ration cards. “He stated that the distribution programme is being conducted at the Ram Reddy Nagar and Venkat Reddy Nagar community halls to ensure that eligible women can conveniently receive the sarees. He appealed to every eligible woman holding a white ration card to make use of the opportunity. Women coming to collect the sarees were advised to bring their Aadhaar cards compulsorily. Akarapu Arun Patel urged eligible women to approach the designated centres without any inconvenience and benefit from the welfare scheme being provided by the government. He said that various welfare programmes being implemented for the benefit of women are proving useful to poor families. “He assured that all necessary assistance would be extended to ensure that every eligible woman receives an Indiramma saree. “Several residents and women from Ram Reddy Nagar and Venkat Reddy Nagar areas participated in the programme.



Modi Has a Trump Phobia, Says CPI Leader Koonamneni

Jan Chaitanya Yatra Concludes with Massive Rally in Khammam

“Khammam August 13 Indian Chronicle:”“CPI Telangana State Secretary and MLA Koonamneni Sambasiva Rao has alleged that Prime Minister Narendra Modi has become “cowardly” and is suffering from a “Trump phobia.” He accused the Modi government of working primarily for wealthy corporate groups rather than addressing the concerns of the country’s 1.45 billion people. “As part of the conclusion of the CPI’s Jana Chaitanya Yatras, a massive foot march was held in Khammam on Thursday. The procession began at ZP Centre and passed through Old Bus Stand and Mayuri Centre before concluding at Bhakta Ramadasu Kala Kshetram. Hundreds of CPI activists and cultural performers participated, turning the Vaira Road into a sea of red. “Addressing a public meeting at Bhakta Ramadasu Kala Kshetram, chaired by CPI Khammam District Secretary Dandi Suresh, Koonamneni said that many of the rights and welfare schemes enjoyed by people today were the result of communist struggles. He asserted that real political change in the country would also be possible only through the efforts of communists. “He said that although communists may not win many seats in elections due to the increasing influence of money power, they still possess the political strength to influence the direction of electoral victories and defeats. “Koonamneni alleged that Prime Minister Modi and Union Home Minister Amit Shah were hesitant to face Parliament because they were aware of their mistakes. He claimed that the BJP government had entered a phase of decline and that various sections of society were opposing the Modi government. “He further alleged that the BJP government was handing over the country’s wealth to corporate groups and accused the BJP and its affiliated organisations of exploiting the nation. He called upon people to unite like an army of ants and drive out what he described as the “army of thieves.” “Regarding Telangana, Koonamneni said Congress leaders were unhappy when the CPI demanded implementation of the promises made to the people during the elections. However, he asserted that the CPI would continue its struggle for the resolution of public issues. “He made it clear that electoral victories and defeats were limited to elections and that the CPI would not compromise on people’s issues merely for the sake of winning one or two seats. He also announced that the CPI would definitely contest in Khammam district in the coming elections. “Struggle for Implementation of Guarantees: Bagam “CPI National Council member Bagam Hemanth Rao alleged that the Telangana government was delaying implementation of the promises made during the elections. He warned that the CPI would launch agitations if the government continued to ignore its commitments. “He claimed that, apart from fine rice and free bus travel, none of the other major election promises had been fully implemented. Speaking during the CPI’s Jana Chaitanya Yatra, Hemanth Rao warned that citing financial difficulties and loans to delay the promises would lead to public anger. “He alleged that the Congress government was following political discrimination in the allocation of Indiramma houses, similar to the alleged discrimination during the previous BRS government’s double-bedroom housing scheme. He said houses should not be allocated based on political affiliation. “Hemanth Rao also demanded that the government clarify a definite timeline for completion of the Sitarama Project. “He said the CPI would continue its struggle against the anti-people policies of the Modi government at the national level and for implementation of the Congress government’s election promises in Telangana. “CPI State Control Commission Chairman Mohammed Maulana and others also addressed the gathering. CPI District Assistant Secretary Jammula Jitender Reddy invited the guests onto the dais. “CPI City Secretary Sheikh Jani Miyan, State Committee members Aepuri Lathadevi, Kondaparthi Govinda Rao, Siddineni Karnakumar, Mohammed Salam, B.G. Clement, Ajmeera Ramamurthy, district executive committee members and representatives of various public organisations attended the meeting. “Songs performed by Praja Natya Mandali and the Satish cultural troupe entertained the gathering.



Former Minister Sambhani Chandrasekhar Consoles Mora Padma’s Family

“Khammam Nelakondapalli August 13 Indian Chronicle:”“Former Telangana Minister Sambhani Chandrasekhar on Thursday visited the family of Mora Padma, who recently passed away in Nelakondapalli mandal headquarters, and offered his condolences. “Padma was the wife of Mora Mallaiah, a former ward member of the major gram panchayat and a senior Congress leader from Nelakondapalli. On learning about her demise, Chandrasekhar visited the bereaved family at their residence, garlanded her portrait and paid floral tributes. He conveyed his deepest sympathies to the family members. “Market Committee Chairman Vennapusala Seetharamulu, former Sarpanch Vangaveeti Nageswara Rao, Cheruvumadharam Fisheries Cooperative Society Vice-President Dheeravath Radhakrishna Murthy, Nallani Mallikarjuna Rao, Kadiyala Naresh and others accompanied him.



CPI Foot March Turns Khammam Streets Red

“Khammam August 13 Indian Chronicle:” Khammam’s streets turned red on Thursday as the Communist Party of India (CPI) conducted foot marches across



several divisions of the Khammam Municipal Corporation, protesting the policies of Prime Minister Narendra Modi and demanding that the Congress government fulfill the promises made during the state elections. “A team led by CPI National Council member Bagam Hemanth Rao began its march from the CPI office at Rotary Nagar and proceeded through Rotary Nagar and Indira Nagar before reaching ZP Centre. “Another march, led by CPI district secretary Dandi Suresh, started from Nayabazar College and passed through Kalva Oddu, Gandhi Chowk, Kaman Bazar, the Old Municipal Office and Sukravarapu Peta before reaching ZP Centre. “A third march, led by CPI district assistant secretary Jammula Jitender Reddy, began at Allipuram Crossroads and passed through Sambani Nagar, Mustafanagar and Bonakal Road, eventually reaching ZP Centre. “From there, a massive procession was launched. Hundreds of drum and Kolatam teams led the procession as the CPI cadre marched along Wyra Road. The procession continued through the Old Bus Stand and Mayuri Centre and culminated at Bhakta Ramadasu Kala Kshetram. “Several people expressed solidarity with the marchers. At Mamata Hospital, Dr. Bagam Kishan

Rao and C.H. Satyanarayana Reddy welcomed the procession and honoured the participants with garlands. “On Wyra Road, staff of Dr. Gorky Hospital, led by Eluri Krishna Prasad, also felicitated and congratulated the CPI foot-march participants. “Near Jammibanda, CPI leader Jammula Jitender Reddy hoisted the party flag at the memorial stupa of Potthu Prasad. Shaik Janimiya, Kondaparthi Govinda Rao, B.G. Clement, Mallesh and Varada Narasimha Rao participated and paid floral tributes.

Uppal Zonal Commissioner Inspects Development Works in Uppal Bhagayath

Complete the works swiftly while maintaining quality standards: Radhika Gupta

““UPPAL, AUGUST 13 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): Uppal Zone Zonal Commissioner Radhika Gupta on Thursday visited the Uppal Bhagayath area and inspected various ongoing development works. She personally reviewed the construction of the Sports Arena compound wall as well as the desilting works being carried out at Devender Nagar Nala. The Zonal Commissioner directed the concerned officials to ensure that the Sports Arena compound wall construction is carried out in accordance with prescribed quality standards and completed at the earliest. She emphasized that there should be no compromise on the quality of construction. “Similarly, she instructed officials to carry out the Devender Nagar Nala desilting works efficiently and ensure that there are no obstructions to the smooth flow of water. In view of the monsoon season, she directed officials to pay special attention to the cleanliness of the nala and uninterrupted water flow. Uppal Deputy Commissioner Anand, Executive Engineer Ramesh Babu, Deputy Executive Engineer and other concerned officials participated in the inspection.



APK App Cyber Fraud: Cybercriminals Steal Rs 91,720 in Boduppal -- Woman’s Bank Account Debited Without Sharing OTP or UPI PIN

““MEDIPALLY, AUGUST 13 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): A woman lost ₹91,720.65 after cybercriminals allegedly gained remote access to her mobile phone by installing an unidentified APK file. The incident took place under the jurisdiction of Medipally Police Station. “According to police, Bhakar Anjali (28), a resident of Sitaram Nagar Colony in Boduppal, lodged a complaint. An unidentified APK file was installed on her husband’s Moto G57 Power mobile phone. Later, a suspicious notification appeared on the phone indicating that a software update was in progress. Police suspect that cybercriminals used the APK file to gain remote control of the device. “Although the victim did not share any OTP, UPI PIN or banking details, cybercriminals allegedly transferred a total of ₹91,720.65 from her SBI account in two transactions on July 17, 2026. The amount



was transferred to an account identified as Rakesh Kumar (rakeshdhaiyadd@ybl). “The victim immediately alerted the authorities and lodged a complaint through the National Cyber Crime Reporting Portal. Following the complaint, approximately ₹91,566.01 was frozen in the bank account, police said. “Based on the complaint, Medipally Police Inspector D. Jalender Reddy registered a case under Crime No. 1163/2026 invoking Sections 316(2), 318(4) and 319(2) of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita (BNS) and

Sections 66C and 66D of the Information Technology Act. Further investigation is underway. “Police Cyber Safety Advisories “Police urged the public never to download or install unidentified APK files received through WhatsApp, Telegram, SMS or other messaging platforms. “They advised citizens to download apps only from official platforms such as the Google Play Store or Apple App Store. People should also avoid clicking suspicious links offering free gifts, special offers or software updates. “Police warned the public not to share bank account details, debit or credit card numbers, OTPs or UPI PINs with anyone. They clarified that genuine bank officials will never ask customers to disclose OTPs or UPI PINs over the phone. If money is deducted from a bank account without authorization, victims should immediately call 1930, the national cybercrime helpline, and file a complaint through the National Cyber Crime Reporting Portal. Police said that reporting the fraud quickly can improve the chances of freezing and recovering the stolen money.

Permanent Solution to Electricity Problem in Seetharam Colony with the Initiative of Congress Leader IRSHAD KHAN (UPPAL KHAN)

““UPPAL, AUGUST 13 (INDIAN CHRONICLE): Residents of Seetharam Colony in Beerappagadda Division have received a permanent solution to the long-pending electricity problem, with the initiative of Congress party leader Irshad Khan (Uppal Khan). The issue involved dangerously positioned electricity wires and a pole located very close to residential houses. After the colony residents brought the problem to Irshad Khan’s notice, he immediately responded and approached the Electricity Department officials. With the support and guidance of Uppal Constituency Congress



Party In-charge Mandumula Parameshwar Reddy, the necessary permissions and sanctions were secured and steps were taken to resolve the issue. The dangerous electricity line near the houses was removed, a new angle support was installed for the pole, and the electricity line was safely shifted through a cable. With these measures, the long-standing problem faced by the residents was resolved, significantly reducing the risk of accidents. On this occasion, Seetharam Colony President Guduru Ramesh Goud, along with the colony residents, congratulated Irshad Khan and expressed their gratitude for his efforts. “Irshad Khan said that it was his responsibility to respond immediately whenever people brought their problems to his notice and work with the concerned officials to find a solution. He assured that he would always be available for the safety and welfare of the people. He further stated that he would continue to take local issues to the attention of the authorities and work relentlessly until they were resolved. “Colony President Guduru Ramesh Goud, along with several colony elders and local residents, participated in the programme.

Grand 'Har Ghar Tiranga' Rally Held in Khammam Every Home Should Hoist the Tricolour; Patriotism Should Shine in Every Heart

“— Dr. Ponguleti Sudhakar Reddy “Khammam, August 13, Indian Chronicle: “As part of the nationwide 'Har Ghar Tiranga' campaign launched on the call of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, a grand Tiranga Rally was organised in Khammam city on Thursday. The rally, organised under the leadership of BJP Khammam District President Nelluri Koteswara Rao, witnessed the enthusiastic participation of youth, students, party workers and people from various sections of society carrying the National Flag. “BJP Karnataka-Tamil Nadu States National Co-Incharge and former MLC Dr. Ponguleti Sudhakar Reddy, along with BJP State General Secretary Gujjula Premender Reddy, attended the programme as chief guests. “The Tiranga Rally began at Sardar Patel Stadium in Khammam and proceeded up to the Zilla Parishad Centre. The entire route reverberated with patriotic slogans, while the Tricolour flags fluttered across the city. The rally was organised to promote national unity and patriotism and to remember the supreme sacrifices of the freedom fighters. With a large number of youth and students participating, the city witnessed a festive atmosphere. “Speaking on the occasion, Dr. Ponguleti Sudhakar Reddy said that the Tricolour is not merely a flag but a living symbol of the self-respect and sovereignty of crores of Indians. He said the National Flag represents the sacrifices of the great freedom fighters who fought fearlessly and laid down their lives for the country's independence. “He recalled that the historic Khammam district has been a centre of several freedom struggles and people's movements. He specially remembered the services of Sardar Jamalapuram Keshava Rao, who was born in Errupalem of Madhira taluk and fought relentlessly against the oppressive Nizam rule, earning the title 'Hyderabad Sardar'. He also paid tributes to freedom fighters including Potla Krishnayya, Amarlapudi Purushotham and Ayitham Venkateswarlu, along with several unsung heroes whose names may not have found a place in history but whose sacrifices contributed to India's freedom. “He said that people today are able to proudly walk with the Tricolour in a free India because freedom fighters sacrificed their lives for the country. It is the responsibility of every citizen to ensure that their sacrifices and spirit of patriotism inspire future generations. “Youth Are the Future of the Nation” “Dr. Sudhakar Reddy said that the future of the country is firmly in the hands of the youth. He called upon young people to develop the spirit of “Nation First” in their lives. “He explained that serving the nation does not mean only protecting the borders. Students studying sincerely, citizens performing their duties responsibly, standing against corruption and supporting the poor are also forms of true national service. “He said that although Indians speak different languages and follow different traditions and cultures, everyone is united under the Tricolour. This, he said, reflects the spirit of 'Ek Bharat-Shreshtha Bharat'. He also saluted the brave soldiers guarding the nation's borders despite difficult weather conditions. “From 'Independent India' to 'Developed India’ “Dr. Ponguleti Sudhakar Reddy said that freedom fighters sacrificed their lives to give the country independence and that today, under the leadership of Prime Minister Narendra Modi, building a developed India is the collective responsibility of every citizen. “He expressed the desire to see the Tricolour flying not only over every government office but also over every home, and called upon every Indian to keep the spirit of patriotism burning brightly in their hearts. “He said the 'Har Ghar Tiranga' campaign should go beyond merely hoisting the National Flag and become a symbol of national unity, patriotism and responsible citizenship. “The Tiranga Rally was conducted under the chairmanship of rally convener Velpula Sudhakar. BJP State Secretary and Khammam District In-Charge Baddam Mahipal Reddy, state leaders Kondapalli Sridhar Reddy, Vakadani Pullarao Yadav, Namburi Ramalingeswara Rao, Galla Satyanarayana, Gongura Venkateswara Rao, Sunny Uday Pratap, Rudra Pradeep, Naidu Raghava Rao, Nunna Ravikumar, Shyam Rathod, Sheelam Papparao, Mandadam Subbarao, Allika Anjaiah, District Treasurer Konatham Lakshminarayana, Mahila Morcha District President Manda Saraswathi, along with several other BJP leaders, workers and local residents participated in the programme in large numbers.



Veerabhadraiah's Services Will Always Be Remembered



“Khammam, Nelakondapalli, August 13, Indian Chronicle: “The services rendered by former ATMA Palair Division Chairman Joguparthi Veerabhadraiah to the people will always be remembered, several speakers said. The Dashadina Karma ceremony of Veerabhadraiah, who passed away recently at Asasagaram village in Nelakondapalli mandal, was held on Thursday. “On the occasion, several people paid floral tributes to his portrait and remembered his services to society. “Speaking at the programme, the speakers said that Veerabhadraiah had dedicated his life to public service. He worked continuously for the resolution of people's problems and extended his services to everyone without any political discrimination. They said his contributions to the people could never be forgotten. “They called upon everyone to work towards fulfilling his ideals and continue his commitment to public service and the welfare of the people. “Former State Minister Sambhani Chandrasekhar, former MLA Sandra Venkata Veeraiah, Agricultural Market Committee Chairman Vennapusala Seetharamulu, and leaders from various political parties including Bachalakuri Nagaraju, Jerripothula Anji, Nelluri Bhadraiah, Maisha Shankar, Pavuluri Venkateswara Rao, Arekatla Kondala Rao, Vennaboyina Srinivasa Rao, Madasu Adam, Sheikh Hussain, Nallani Mallikarjuna Rao, Dheeravath Radhakrishna Murthy, Gunda Brahmam and Kadiyala Naresh, among others, attended the programme.