

Promote use of drones by RBKs for soil testing: CM

- Says this will facilitate the implementation of the 'Plant Doctor' concept successfully
- Asks officials to equip all 10,000 RBKs with drones
- Says more audio-visual programmes should be produced on methods of cultivation to help farmers



Chief Minister Y S Jagan Mohan Reddy holding a review meeting on agriculture at his camp office in Tadepalli on Friday

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STRESSING on the need to use drones extensively in agriculture sector, Chief Minister Y S Jagan Mohan Reddy directed the officials to ensure that drones are also used for soil testing by RBKs.

Reviewing the activities of Agricultural Department here on Friday, the Chief Minister told them that extensive use of drones in soil testing by RBKs will also help implement 'Plant Doctor' concept successfully besides arriving at correct estimates of productivity and maintaining related data.

When the officials told him that drones were being used in arriving at estimates

of paddy productivity, he suggested that they should be used for other crops also. "Now we are using drones for spraying pesticides but they should be used for multi purposes so that it would be more helpful to the farmers," the Chief Minister said, adding that steps should be taken to equip all 10,000 RBKs with drones.

They said that 222 farmers were trained on the use of drones under the pilot project and the department was purchasing quality drones certified by the DGCA and all safety measures were being taken while launching and using them.

The Chief Minister suggested that more audio-visual programmes should be made on the cultivating methods and they should be telecast through the RBK channel for the benefit of farmers.

Officials explained that efforts were being made to prepare the draft Bill on MSP Act-2023 for ensuring MSP for all agricultural produce and bring all aqua and dairy farmers under the Act.

Officials further said that during the last four years, 4.34 lakh acres has been additionally brought under the horticultural cultivation. The Chief Minister suggested that different types of horticultural crops used in food processing should be encouraged.

"There should be more cold-storage rooms, godowns and collection centres for encouraging the horticultural farmers," he said, adding that procurement of all other crops should be through RBKs, in addition to paddy. RBKs should play key role in marketing as well. Steps also should be taken

to establish onion and tomato food processing units at places where there is more cultivation of such crops.

To help women achieve self-sufficiency, they should be encouraged to establish secondary food processing units by providing them loans under the YSR Cheyuta scheme, he said.

Officials told him that 6,000 micro units were being established to help women with the help of Cheyuta scheme. The Chief Minister said as the government was establishing drying and primary processing units and distributing agricultural utensils and machinery for farmers, all these should be linked to the RBKs for ensuring MSP, handholding them at every step and completely eliminating the role of middlemen. The officials said about 2.2

lakh samples have been collected by agri labs so far and the farmers were being guided based on the results.

When officials told the Chief Minister that efforts were being made to pay crop insurance for the rabi crop in October and distribute CCRC cards for tenant farmers in Jagananna Suraksha camps, he told them to take steps to pay Rythu Bharosa to the tenant farmers.

The officials informed that a compensation of Rs 7,802.50 crore has been paid to 54.48 lakh farmers under the YSR Free Crop Insurance scheme so far.

Agriculture Minister K Govardhan Reddy, Agri Mission vice-chairman MVS Nagi Reddy, Advisor to government (Agriculture) I Tirupal Reddy, Chief Secretary Dr KS Jawahar Reddy, Special Chief Secretary Gopalakrishna Dwivedi (Agriculture), Principal Secretary (Marketing and Cooperation) Chiranjeevi Choudary, Agriculture Special Commissioner C Harikiran, Horticultural Commissioner SS Sridhar, MARKFED MD Rahul Pandey, APSSDCS VC & MD Dr G Sekhar Babu, Finance Secretary KVV Satyanarayana, APDDCF MD Ahmad Babu and other senior officials were present.

ASSIGNED LANDS State govt provides ownership rights to 15.21L farmers

Pattas were also distributed for 33,428 acres of dotted lands, says the Revenue Minister

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MINISTER for Revenue Dharmana Prasada Rao said that the State government provided ownership rights to those who were in possession of assigned lands for the last 20 years.

He said around 15.21 lakh farmers will derive benefit with the decision of the State government. He said 33,29,000 acres of assigned land was distributed to 19,21,000 farmers. Of them at present 15,21,000 farmers will derive the benefit with the government's decision.

Speaking to mediapersons at the Secretariat here on Friday, the Minister said Jagan Mohan Reddy's government provided ownership rights to assigned land owners. He said the move will contribute 2 per cent growth to the GDP.

Anyone purchasing or forcefully taking possession of assigned lands will not be permitted and people should bring such incidents to the notice of the Revenue Department, the Minister said.



Revenue Minister Dharmana Prasada Rao addressing a press conference at the Secretariat at Velagapudi on Friday

Dharmana said that the State government brought several reforms on lands through resurvey of lands. He said as a result of the resurvey, several land litigations were resolved. He said after taking up resurvey of lands, 19 lakh mutations took place. In addition, the State government also benefited farmers by removing 2.2 lakh dotted lands from 22-A list. He said pattas were distributed for 33,428 acres of dotted lands.

The Revenue Minister said the State government also stabilised 9,600 acres of island lands and distributed pattas. The Minister pointed out that the land resurvey has been taken up in Andhra Pradesh only.

Governor, CM pat ISRO scientists on successful launch of Chandrayaan-3

They wish the mission a grand success

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GOVERNOR S Abdul Nazeer and Chief Minister YS Jagan Mohan Reddy congratulated ISRO scientists for the successful launch of Chandrayaan-3 from Sriharikota, carrying the moon lander Vikram on the Mark 3 heavy-lift launch vehicle -- dubbed as the Bahubali rocket on Friday. The Governor wished for the success of Chandrayaan-3 mission, fulfilling the aspirations of the people of the country and hoped that the moon lander Vikram will have a safe landing on the moon and release the rover Pragyan, which will roam on the moon's surface to conduct scientific experiments.

Chief Minister YS Jagan Mohan Reddy wished the lunar expedition a smooth and successful landing, propelling country's space prowess in to orbit of glory winning a place of pride on the global map.

Ambati takes strong objection to 'unparliamentary' remarks of Pawan

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Predicts that the JSP chief will not win in polls and that he will not be able to enter the State Assembly

MINISTER for Irrigation Ambati Rambabu alleged that Jana Sena president Pawan Kalyan has been trying to lure Kapu people and mortgage them to TDP national president N Chandrababu Naidu.

Stating that Pawan was making unparliamentary remarks during his Varahi yatra, Ambati said the JSP chief was suffering from multiple personality disorder.

Speaking to mediapersons at the YSRCP State office here on Friday, the Minister said that Pawan Kalyan would not win in polls and that he would not enter the State Assembly.

Ambati said Pawan has no stability and clarity on politics and showing his chappals during meetings reflects his real character. He said that the Jana Sena chief was trying to provoke Kapu community people in the erstwhile East



Irrigation Minister Ambati Rambabu addressing the media at the YSRCP State office in Tadepalli on Friday

and West Godavari districts.

He said the Kapu community was against the TDP as the party cheated them in the name of reservations. As the TDP harassed Kapu stalwart Mudragada Padmanabham, Kapu community people were expressing ire over the TDP, the Minister said.

Ambati wondered why Pawan Kalyan was against the village/ward volunteers system. He said the volunteers were delivering benefits

the Minister said that the Polavaram project construction was going on under the Centre's supervision. He said Polavaram Project Authority and the Central Water Com-

mission have been monitoring the progress of the project. He said if the Centre desires, it can take up the responsibility of the completion of Polavaram project.

NORTHERN RAILWAY **Gati Shakti Tender Notice**

The Dy. Chief Electrical Engineer/Gati Shakti/Northern Railway, DRM Office, New Delhi-110001 has invited e-tender for the under noted work. It will be uploaded to IREPS website on date 14.07.2023.

1.	Name of work and location: OHE modification work in connection with construction of 12m wide FOB on ABSS Stations Over Delhi Division (05 stations: MSZ, NRW, JIND, ROK, BGZ)
2.	Tender Notice No.: 10-DyceE-GSU-DLI-23-24
3.	Earnest Money amount: Rs. 1,96,800/- (Rs. One Lacs, Ninety six thousand Eight hundred only)
4.	Approximate cost: Rs. 98,39,509.21 (Rs. Ninety Eight lacs, thirty nine thousand five hundred nine and twenty one paisa only)
5.	Date & Time for submission of E-tender and opening of tender: Tenders will be uploaded on date 14.07.2023 on IREPS website i.e. www.ireps.gov.in. The bidders can participate in the e-tender, the tender will be opened at 11.30 hrs on 08.08.2023.
6.	Detailed Tender Notice & Tender Document: The detailed e-tender notice and tender document is available on www.ireps.gov.in. Above tender document will be available for submission of offer on IREPS website i.e. www.ireps.gov.in from 25.07.2023 to 08.08.2023. All other terms and conditions in respect of above tenders are given in tender document. The detailed tender notice also can be seen on the Notice Board of the above office.

No. 10-DyceE/GSU/DLI/23-24 Dated: 07.07.2023 2170/23

Serving Customers with a Smile

KTR plans legal action against conman Sukesh for allegations

HANS NEWS SERVICE HYDERABAD

TELANGANA Industry and Information Technology Minister K T Rama Rao on Friday said he intended to pursue legal action against jailed conman Sukesh Chandrashekar for making certain allegations against him.

Reacting to media reports that Sukesh sent a letter to Telangana Governor Tamlisai Soundararajan, Union Home Minister Amit Shah and CBI director making some allegations against him, KTR said he never heard of this "rogue".

"Just learnt from media that a delusional fraudster and a noted criminal called Sukesh has made some ludicrous allegations about me I have never heard of this rogue and intend to pursue strong legal action against him for his nonsensical utterances," tweeted KTR, who is also working president of Bharat Rashtra Samithi (BRS).

KTR requested media also to be circumspect when publishing such wild comments/claims from fibsters.

Sukesh Chandrashekar, an under-trial prisoner lodged in Mandoli Jail, has reportedly sent a handwritten letter through lawyer Anant Malik to Telangana Governor, Union Home Minister and CBI director.

Sukesh, who is in jail in money laundering and extortion cases, wrote that his family received offers from associates of BRS MLC K. Kavitha and her brother KTR to retract statements given to the Enforcement Directo-



rate (ED) against them and also to give all the evidence like WhatsApp chat copies, screenshots and recordings which are in his possession. Sukesh claimed that he

was offered land worth Rs100 crore near Shamshabad Airport and ticket for upcoming Assembly elections in Telangana. Sukesh also wrote that he

was warned of a worse situation in case he refused to agree.

Alleging transactions worth Rs 2,000 crore in Delhi liquor policy case, Sukesh also claimed that he has 250 GB of data of WhatsApp chat and recordings with Kavitha and KTR.

He demanded a probe into the same. In April, he had written a letter to Delhi Lieutenant Governor, alleging that AAP leaders and Kavitha had contacts and business deals with him.

Sukesh is accused of extorting Rs 200 crore from a businessman's wife.

BJP leader goes missing in Hyderabad

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A BJP leader has gone missing in Hyderabad and police have formed special teams for the search operation.

M Tirupathi Reddy, a local leader of BJP in Alwal area on the city outskirts, was not seen since Thursday afternoon.

He is suspected to have been kidnapped by unidentified persons.

A resident of Kushaiguda, he had gone to the Tahsildar office for land related work. His mobile phone was also switched off since Thursday afternoon.

The family members of the BJP leader alleged involvement by local MLA and his henchmen. His wife Sujatha alleged that they were under extreme pressure to sell their land at Alwal at a low price.

She said that politicians who have lands abutting their property were pressuring them to sell it.



She was worried about his safety. Sujatha claimed that her husband was tense and worried for the last few days.

He had told her that he was facing threats to part with the land.

He also voiced apprehension that if he refused to sell the land, he might be harmed.

On a complaint by Sujatha, police registered a case and launched an investigation.

He was reportedly last spotted at Gachibowli, where he was seen getting off from an auto rickshaw.

A police officer said that they have no clue which indicates that he was kidnapped.

Telangana farmers are with CM KCR, says Talasani

HANS NEWS SERVICE HYDERABAD

THE farmers of Telangana are with Chief Minister K Chandrashekar Rao and they don't fall prey to lies of the Congress party, said Minister for Animal Husbandry Talasani Srinivas Yadav.

Speaking at a programme after laying foundation stone for various works in Bansilalpet of Sanath Nagar Assembly constituency here on Friday, the Minister said that after the forma-

tion of Telangana State, the farmers in the State were getting 24 hours power supply and the BRS was the only government that provides RythuBandu, crops insurance, seeds and fertilizers to the farmers timely.

The statement of TPCC president Revanth Reddy who said that three hours of power supply is enough for the agriculture sector exposes his ignorance and the farmers are not in position to support the Congress party, he said.

Money laundering case accused writes to Telangana Governor

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SUKHESH Chandrashekar, who is the main accused in the Rs 200 crore money laundering case, has written a letter to Telangana State Governor Tamlisai Soundararajan against the ruling BRS party MLC K Kavitha and State Minister KT Ramarao. He claimed that Kavitha and KTR's close friends were mounting pressure on him to give evidence he has against them. He also claimed that two leaders were asking him to give the evidence of the statements given to the ED against Kavitha. He also claimed that Kavitha and



KTR were offering Rs 100 crore cash, a piece of land at Shamshabad and an assembly seat if he gave evidence.

"I have evidence of transactions worth around Rs 200 crore. There is a recording of the entire WhatsApp chat between Kavitha and me. This evidence has al-

ready been given to the ED in the form of section of 65-B certificate. I took Rs 15 crore cash from Kavitha and handed it over to those, who are related to Delhi CM Arvind Kejriwal," he said in his letter. Sukhesh urged the Governor to seek a CBI inquiry into the issue.

NORTHERN RAILWAY **Tender Notice**

Invitation of Tender through E-Tendering (E-Procurement Systems)

N.I.T. No.	16A-23-24-W-2 Dated 10.07.2023	
1	Name of work with its location	
A)	Annual zone work for maintenance of staff quarters and service buildings in the section of SSE/WSMQL under ADEN/SMQL for P.E 30.06.2024	
2	Approx. cost of work NIT-16A-23-24-W-2	As per IREPS Notice
3	Earnest Money NIT-16A-23-24-W-2	As per IREPS Notice
4	Completion period of work NIT-16A-23-24-W-2	As per IREPS Notice
5	Cost of tender on cash/by post NIT-16A-23-24-W-2	As per IREPS Notice
6	Date and time for submission of tender and opening of tender	25.07.2023 to 08.08.2023 upto 15:00 hrs Opening of tender 08.08.2023 at 15:00 hrs.
7	Similar nature of work NIT-16A-23-24-W-2	As per IREPS Notice
8	Website particulars notice board location complete details of tender can be seen and address of the office from where the tender form can be seen etc.	Above tender available on IREPS site i.e. www.ireps.gov.in

NIT-16A-23-24-W-2 Dated:14.07.2023 2174/23

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Director Town & Country Planning, Haryana, Chandigarh has granted In-Principle Approval vide memo no. LC-1608-Vol-VJES/J/2023/19247 dated 14-04-2023 as per policy no. PF-51A2015/2708 dated 18-02-2015 for change of beneficial interest vis-a-vis Joint Development and change in Marketing Rights from M/s Ramprastha Promoters & Developers Private Limited & others to M/s Signatureglobal Homes Private Limited for part land of area measuring 2.303 acres out of Group Housing Colony of license no. 33 of 2008 dated 19.02.2008 (said license was originally granted in favour of S A Infratech Pvt Ltd which has merged into Ramprastha Promoters & Developers Private Limited) granted for land admeasuring 60.511 acres situated at village Gadauli Kalan, Sector-37D, Gurugram.

While according the said in-principle approval, the Director Town & Country Planning, Haryana, Chandigarh has directed the company to inform the general public about the proposed change in beneficial interest through public notice in the leading newspapers and accordingly the notice is hereby issued for their information and if any objection, the same may be sent to the office of STP Gurugram within 30 days from the date of publication of this notice. The said permission granted is also being uploaded/ hosted on our website <http://www.ramprastha.com/public-notice.asp>

Sd/-
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Place- Gurugram
Dated: 15 July 2023