Naidu orders release of water into Jeedipalli reservoir under HNSS Project from July 15

Chief Minister stresses the need to fully utilise the inflows coming through the HNSS and Pothireddypadu system for filling reservoirs across Rayalaseema, asks officials to implement a comprehensive plan for efficient water management, with particular attention to recharging groundwater

The Hindu Bureau
VIJAYAWADA

Andhra Pradesh Chief Minister N. Chandrababu Naidu has instructed the Water Resources Department (WRD) to release 3,850 cusecs of water into the Jeedipalli reservoir under the first phase of the Handri-Neeva Sujala Sravanthi (HNSS) Project from July 15. Water from Jeedipalli will then be used to fill the Gollapalli, Marala, and Cherlopalli reservoirs.

Addressing a review meeting on major irrigation projects at his camp office on Saturday, Mr. Naidu ordered that water be released through the Phase-II canal to Punganur and Kuppam branch canals by July 31.

He said the government's continuous efforts over the last one year to ensure the supply of irrigation water to Rayalaseema were yielding significant results, pointing out that ₹3,890 crore had been sanctioned for HNSS works.

With the completion of the canal extension and lining works, several areas in the Rayalaseema region would receive water to agricultural fields for the first time. Water from Jeedipalli would also be routed to the Penna Ahobilam


N. Chandrababu Naidu

Balancing Reservoir for 15 days starting July 15.

Mr. Naidu asked the officials to implement a comprehensive plan for efficient water management, with particular attention to recharging the groundwater.

Officials informed Mr. Naidu that all districts except Kadapa have received normal rainfall so far and the forecast for the coming days was optimistic.

As on date, reservoirs in the State are holding 419 tmc ft of water, which is a significant increase from the 182 tmc ft stored at the same time last year.

Mr. Naidu stressed on the need to fully utilise the inflows coming through the HNSS and Pothireddypadu system for filling reservoirs across Rayalaseema.

He noted that major projects in the Penna basin, including Somasila and Kandaleru, were well-positioned to store water, and irrigation should be prioritised before filling the reservoirs.

Mr. Naidu ordered the immediate commencement of Galeru-Nagari canal works to supply water to Kadapa and called for tenders to be issued without delay for Phase-II of the Handri-Neeva canal to supply water to the southernmost parts of Chittoor district

He instructed the officials to ensure the completion of Veligonda project in Prakasam district by June 2026, and Polavaram Left Canal works by July 31.

Due focus should be laid on expediting the construction of Uttarandhra irrigation projects, and all outstanding works in the Vamsadhara-Nagavali linkage project must be completed at the earliest. The Uttarandhra Sujala Sravanthi project should be integrated with those systems, the Chief Minister said.

Mr. Naidu stressed the need for comprehensive water auditing by Vassar Labs to ensure efficient planning and resource utilisation.

Water Resources Minister Nimmala Rama Naidu and senior officials took part in the meeting held in virtual mode.

INBRIEF



2 arrested, 25 gram cocaine seized in Visakhapatnam

The city police, in coordination with EAGLE, the anti-narcotic wing of the Andhra Pradesh government, arrested two persons, including a South African National, and seized 25 grams of cocaine from them on Saturday. The police said that it was the largest cocaine seizure reported from the city in the last one year. The police estimate that the market value of the seized contraband would be around ₹15 lakh. The accused have been identified as Ch. Akshay alias Munna (34), a resident of APSEB Colony in Seethammadhara, and Thomas Djimon (30), hailing from Pretoria in South African, currently residing in Delhi.

Six lakh people likely to take part in Simhachalam festival

With Sri Varaha Lakshmi Nrusimha Swamy's 'Giri Pradakshina' festival being round the corner, Collector M.N. Harendhira Prasad on Saturday conducted a review meeting on the arrangements being made along the 32-km trek route. People's representatives and officials from various departments attended the meeting. Mr. Harendhira Prasad said that the district administration is expecting the participation of around six lakh devotees. The Collector asked the Police Department to ensure bandobast for the festival.


Vehicles waiting for the traffic light to turn green at a busy junction near Asilmetta in Visakhapatnam on Saturday. K.R. DEEPAK

AI innovations to soon streamline traffic in Visakhapatnam

Harish Gilai
VISAKHAPATNAM

The city may soon see a major transformation of its traffic management system with Artificial Intelligence (AI) driven innovations aimed at easing congestion and improving road safety.

The Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation (GVMC) has initiated steps to implement AI-powered traffic management solutions. Several IT firms including Metafusion (Noida), NEC, Data Corp (Bengaluru), CMS Computers (Mumbai), and Brihaspati Technologies (Hyderabad) have already conducted pilot projects in the city.

The firms presented proposals to MP M. Sribharat, District Collector M. Harendhira Prasad, City Police Commissioner Shankhabratha Bagchi, and GVMC Commissioner Ketan Garg during a meeting held on July 4.

Speaking about the initiative, GVMC Commissioner Ketan Garg emphasised the need for advanced systems to effectively regulate growing traffic demands. The proposed system will automatically detect and penalise traffic violations such as over-speeding, riding without helmets, jumping red lights, illegal parking, and wrong-side driving. Violators will be issued challans in real time through automated monitoring, he said.

"Facial recognition technology is also expected to be introduced. This will enable law enforcement to identify individuals with criminal records and alert relevant police stations through the Command and Control Centre," he added. Another major component of the plan is the synchronisation of traffic signals at key junctions. The upgraded signal system will adapt dynamically to traffic volumes, minimising congestion during peak hours.

Srisailam temple to issue online tokens for free sparsha darshan

The Hindu Bureau
NANDYAL

The management of Sri Bhramarambha Mallikarjuna Swamy temple, Srisailam, has facilitated getting free sparsha darshan tokens online.

The management had recently commenced the free sparsha darshan facility for four days in a week for the convenience of the common devotees. The temple management started the facility starting July 1 from 1.45 p.m to 3.45 p.m on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays.

Executive Officer M. Srinivasa Rao reviewed the arrangements being made at the queue complexes and lines on Friday evening and got positive feedback from the devotees. For further convenience of the devotees, Mr Srinivasa Rao said it was decided to issue 1,000 tokens online and devotees can get them through www.srisailadevasthanam.org or www.aptemples.ap.gov.in.

These tokens can be had one day in advance and the devotees have to register their name, address, Aadhaar and phone numbers while getting the tokens. The tokens will be scanned and will be verified with the Aadhaar card of the devotee for having transparency and accountability, the EO said. The EO asked the devotees to utilise the token system for having hassle-free sparsha darshan.

Shed collapses

The Hindu Bureau
VISAKHAPATNAM

A major accident was averted as an under-construction shed built to provide shade for the devotees at 'Tholi Pavancha' for upcoming Giri Pradakshina festival to be held on July 9 at Simhachalam, collapsed on Saturday. Fortunately, no persons were nearby at the time. Temple executive officer (EO) V. Trinadh Rao said that the collapse occurred when the contractor was taking up works with an earthmover.

Pharmacy student missing

The Hindu Bureau
MADANAPALLE

A third-year pharmacy student is reportedly missing in Madanapalle after allegedly facing humiliation from the college management over clearance of dues with the hostel. The 20-year-old student from a remote village in Pedda Tippasamudram mandal is pursuing her studies at a private pharmacy college in Chinna Tippa Samudram area on the outskirts of Madanapalle. On Friday, the girl reportedly left behind a 'note' in her hostel room, which said she could not bear the public humiliation, sources said. *(Those having suicidal thoughts can dial 100).*

AMARAVATI DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION LIMITED (ADCL)
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E Procurement Tender Notice

NIT No.07/HOD/UG&F/ADCL/2025-26, Dt. 05.07.2025

Name of Work: Development of Softscape and Greenery maintenance at Airport Corridor i.e from Ramavarappadu to Gannavaram Airport from the year 2025-26. **ECV : Rs. 798.97 Lakh**
The above bid from can be downloaded on "ap e-procurement" portal from **07.07.2025 to 21.07.2025, 3.00 PM** and due date for submission of Bid on **21.07.2025 up to 3.30 PM,** bid opening is on **21.07.2025 @ 4.00 PM.** Please refer to **www.apeprocurement.gov.in** for details. For any further clarifications contact: Sri. V.S.Dharmaja, Joint Director (i/c), ADCL Limited, Vijayawada, Mobile Number:7095599512

Sd/- Chairperson and Managing Director, ADCL, Vijayawada.

Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike
Office of the Executive Engineer-3, Health and Sanitation, BBMP Head Office, # 408, Annex-3 Building, 4th Floor, N.R.Square, Bengaluru-560002.

No BBMP/EE-3/H&S/TEND/02/2025-26 Date: 05.07.2025

SHORT TERM INVITATION FOR TENDER (IFT)

(Two Cover System)
(Through GoK KPP Portal https://kppp.karnataka.gov.in only)

The Executive Engineer-3, Health and Sanitation on behalf of the Chief Commissioner, Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP), invites proposals (Technical and Financial) for appointing Contractor for "Construction of Animal Birth Control (ABC) Centre" detailed in the table below.

Sl. No.	Name of Assignment
1.	Construction of Animal Birth Control (ABC) Centre in Hosapalya, Bommanahalli Zone. **Amount put to tender :** Rs. 430.00 Lakhs. **EMD:** Rs. 4,30,000.00/-.
2	Construction of Animal Birth Control (ABC) Centre in Mahadevpura Zone. **Amount put to tender :** Rs. 430.00 Lakhs. **EMD:** Rs. 4,30,000.00/-.

Calendar of Events: 1) Availability of RFP Document from : 08.07.2025 onwards. 2) Last Date for Receipt of Queries 15.07.2025 up to 15:00 hours. 3) Date of Pre bid meeting at the office Special commissioner(H &S) on 15.07.2025 at 15.30 hours. 4) Last Date for receipt of Tenders is 23.07.2025 before 16:00 hours. 5) Date of Opening of Technical Proposals is 24.07.2025 on 16:30 hours. 6) Date of Opening of Financial Proposals after Approval of Technical Proposals through KPPP.

Sd/- Executive Engineer-3, Health and Sanitation

BEFORE THE HONOURABLE ANDHRA PRADESH ELECTRICITY REGULATORY COMMISSION (APERC)
Vidyut Niyantrana Bhavan, Adjacent to 220/132/33/11 KV AP Carbides SS, Dinnedevarapadu Road, Kurnool - 518 002, Andhra Pradesh.
Phones: 08518 - 294823,24,25,26

SOUTHERN POWER DISTRIBUTION COMPANY OF A.P LIMITED, TIRUPATI | ANDHRA PRADESH CENTRAL POWER DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION LIMITED, VIJAYAWADA | EASTERN POWER DISTRIBUTION COMPANY OF A.P LIMITED, VISAKHAPATNAM

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to all that the Distribution Licensees viz., Southern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Limited (APSPDCL), Andhra Pradesh Central Power Distribution Corporation Limited (APCPDCL) & Eastern Power Distribution Company of Andhra Pradesh Limited (APEPDCL) holding Distribution and Retail Supply License No.15 of 2000 (APSPDCL), Licence No.01 of 2020 (APCPDCL) &Licence No. 12 of 2000 (APEPDCL) have filed before the Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (APERC) Petitions seeking pass-through of True-Up/down of Fuel & Power Purchase Cost Adjustments (FPPCA) for FY 2024-25. The filings have been taken on the record by the Hon'ble Commission in O.P. No. 37 of 2025 (APSPDCL), O.P. No. 38 of 2025 (APCPDCL) & O.P. No. 39 of 2025 (APEPDCL).

2. The summary of True-Up/down of the FPPCA filings of the Licensee is given below:

Sl. No.	Particulars	Apr-24	May-24	Jun-24	Jul-24	Aug-24	Sep-24	Oct-24	Nov-24	Dec-24	Jan-25	Feb-25	Mar-25
APSPDCL	Actual Power Purchase Cost (Rs./Unit) (APPC)	6.0103	6.0214	6.7598	5.9622	5.7134	5.3570	5.3585	5.4874	5.6589	6.0126	5.4365	6.7164
	Approved Power Purchase Cost (Rs./Unit) (BPPC)	5.5170	5.5013	5.5505	5.4557	4.9833	5.1304	5.0856	5.2591	5.4115	5.1655	5.2070	5.0814
	Difference (Rs./Unit)	0.4934	0.5202	1.2093	0.5065	0.7301	0.2266	0.2730	0.2284	0.2473	0.8471	0.2295	1.6350
	T & D Loss in % (Lower of actual of previous year / approved for current year	10.01	10.01	10.01	10.01	10.01	10.01	10.01	10.01	10.01	10.01	10.01	10.01
	FPPCA (Rs./Unit)= ((APPC-BPPC)/(100-T&D Loss in %)) (Rs./Unit)	0.5482	0.5780	1.3438	0.5628	0.8113	0.2518	0.3033	0.2538	0.2749	0.9413	0.2551	1.8169
	FPPCA adjusted as per clause (G) of Regulation (Rs./Unit)	0.8448	0.7109	0.2202	0.6722	0.1259	0.3411	0.1868	-0.0779	-0.0134	0.6967	0.3636	2.2272
APCPDCL	Actual Power Purchase Cost (Rs./Unit) (APPC)	5.9735	6.0447	6.4830	6.0043	5.6381	5.3591	5.3505	5.4906	5.6624	6.0162	5.3810	6.6856
	Approved Power Purchase Cost (Rs./Unit) (BPPC)	5.4876	5.2632	5.3919	5.3761	5.0915	5.1024	5.0277	5.2637	5.3885	5.3343	5.4077	5.1448
	Difference (Rs./Unit)	0.4859	0.7815	1.0911	0.6282	0.5466	0.2567	0.3228	0.2269	0.2739	0.6819	-0.0267	1.5408
	T & D Loss in % (Lower of actual of previous year / approved for current year	10.68	10.68	10.68	10.68	10.68	10.68	10.68	10.68	10.68	10.68	10.68	10.68
	FPPCA (Rs./Unit)= ((APPC-BPPC)/(100-T&D Loss in %)) (Rs./Unit)	0.5440	0.8749	1.2216	0.7033	0.6120	0.2874	0.3614	0.2540	0.3067	0.7634	-0.0299	1.7250
	FPPCA adjusted as per clause (G) of Regulation (Rs./Unit)	0.9378	0.8585	0.7614	0.2778	0.3319	-0.4222	0.4652	0.3161	0.4294	0.6521	0.2129	2.1850
APEPDCL	Actual Power Purchase Cost (Rs. /Unit) (APPC)	5.9095	6.0542	6.4400	5.9200	5.6088	5.3591	5.3463	5.4897	5.6599	6.0168	5.3708	6.6070
	Approved Power Purchase Cost (Rs./Unit) (BPPC)	5.5768	5.3565	5.3875	5.2961	5.1759	5.0912	4.8911	5.1517	5.2879	5.3717	5.4300	5.2675
	Difference (Rs./Unit)	0.3327	0.6977	1.0525	0.6239	0.4329	0.2679	0.4552	0.3380	0.3720	0.6451	-0.0592	1.3395
	T & D Loss in % (Lower of actual of previous year / approved for current year	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95	8.95
	FPPCA (Rs./Unit)= ((APPC-BPPC)(100-T&D Loss in %)) (Rs./Unit)	0.3654	0.7662	1.1559	0.6853	0.4755	0.2942	0.4999	0.3711	0.4086	0.7086	-0.0650	1.4712
	FPPCA adjusted as per clause (G) of Regulation (Rs./Unit)	0.4437	0.6508	0.0858	-0.3136	-0.3812	-1.0133	-0.2676	-0.7433	-0.4485	-0.0917	-0.4808	1.3485

Note: (1) Carrying cost applicable as per the Clause 4 (C) of the Regulation No.2 of 2023 is additional. (2) FPPCA of Rs.0.40/Unit was collected provisionally as per Clause 4(A) of the Regulation No.2 of 2023.

These proposals are available on **www.apspdcl.in, www.apcpdcl.in** & **www.apeasternpower.com** and can be accessed at **www.aperc.gov.in**

3. The views/objections/suggestions, if any, on the True-Up/down of FPPCA filings made by the Distribution Company, together with supporting material, may be sent to the Commission Secretary, APERC, at the Commission's address mentioned above through post or **email commn-secy@aperc.in,** on or before 28.07.2025 with a copy marked to the Chief General Manager/RAC & IPC, APSPDCL, Vidyut Nilayam, 19-13-65/A, Srinivasapuram, Tirupati for APSPDCL or **email: cgm_rac@apspdcl.in,** the Chief General Manager/Projects & HRD, APCPDCL, Vidyut Nilayam, Corporate Office, Beside Govt.Polytechnic college, ITI Road, Vijayawada or **email: cgmproj.cpdcl@apcpdcl.in** for APCPDCL and the Chief General Manager/RA & PP, APEPDCL, Corporate Office, P&T Colony, Seethammadhara, Visakhapatnam or **email:cgm_rac@apeasternpower.com** for APEPDCL.

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AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provison to Rule 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002.

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described Immovable properties mortgaged to the Secured Creditor, the symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of branches mentioned below of the **Canara Bank,** will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is" on **28.07.2025,** for recovery of **amounts mentioned below** due to the **ARM Branch, Vijayawada** of **Canara Bank** from the below mentioned Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s). Description of the immovable properties with no encumbrances to the knowledge of the bank.

DATE & TIME OF E-AUCTION: 28.07.2025 at 02.00 PM TO 4.00 PM (With unlimited extension of 5 minutes duration each till the conclusion of the sale) **LAST DATE FOR SUBMISSION OF EMD: 25.07.2025 by 4.00 pm**

EMD amount of 10% of the Reserve Price is to be deposited in E-wallet of M/s PSB Alliance Private Limited (baanknet) portal directly or by generating the challan therein to deposit the EMD amount through RTGS/ NEFT in the account details as mentioned in the said challan on or before 25.07.2025 at 4.00 P.M.

Borrower/Guarantors & Branch Details (All Accounts Transfered to ARM, Vijayawada Branch)	Total Liability	DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTIES	Reserve Price (in Rs.)	EMD (10% of Reserve Price)
Satuluru Branch **M/s Sri Sujitha Enterprises** **Proprietor : Sriramulu Kosana**	**Rs. 41.73 lakhs**	**Property No.1:** Land and RCC Roof Ground Floor & Open Hall without walls First Floor Residential Building situated Door No 398, Door No 3-66/A, Ward No 4, Sankurathripadu, Nadendla Mandal, in an extent of 144 sq. yards. **Owned by Sri. Kosana Sri Ramulu.Boundaries as per deed.**	**Rs. 21.00 lakhs**	**Rs. 2.10 lakhs**
		Property No.2: Land and RCC Roof Ground Floor & Open Hall without walls First Floor Residential Building situated Door No 398, Door No 3-66/A, Ward No 4, Sankurathripadu, Nadendla Mandal, in an extent of 147 sq. yards. **Owned by Sri. Kosana Sri Ramulu. Boundaries as per deed.**		

Date & Time of Inspection of the Property: 23.07.2025 at 11.00 AM to 4.00 PM.

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Date : 05.07.2025, Place: Vijayawada Sd/- Authorized Officer, Canara Bank