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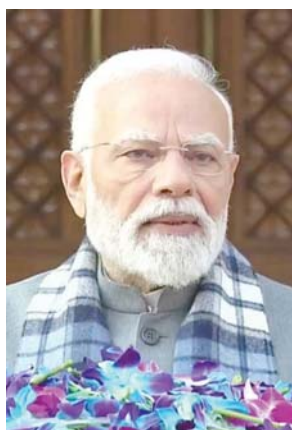
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PM Modi likely to call Parliament session before December 15



New Delhi, Nov 25 (Open Frame): Prime Minister Narendra Modi today advised ministers to make preparations to hold a Parliament session before December 15, with the issue figuring during discussions at the Union Cabinet meeting.

Sources said the PM advised all ministers to remain available and suggested they do not undertake any foreign travel in the run-up to the session.

The indication from the PM was to call the session before December 15, with the monsoon session yet to be prorogued. The monsoon session ended on August 13 and has remained without prorogation for 103 days now. The sources said it remains to be seen whether the government will call the forthcoming sitting as a special session or winter session. Non-prorogation of the monsoon session permits the government to call a fresh session at a short two- to three-day notice. Also there is no constitutional obligation to convene a full-fledged winter session. There have been four years in the past when no winter session has been held — 1975, 1979, 1984 and 2020. The government plans to pilot the delimitation and 33 per cent women's reservation Bills in the upcoming session and claims to have the special majority needed to pass these legislations. These Constitution amendment Bills require a two-thirds majority of the MPs present and voting to be passed. The Congress-led Opposition has been demanding an all-party meeting to discuss delimitation and has sought a 25-year freeze on the size of Lok Sabha, currently having 543 MPs. For this freeze to be extended also, a Constitution amendment will be needed to Article 82, which currently freezes the 543 Lok Sabha number until the publication of the first Census after 2026.

CM Revanth Reviews Khelo India Games Preparations



Hyderabad, 25 Nov (Patriotic Views): Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy has stated that the Khelo India Youth Games, being hosted by Telangana for the first time, will lay a strong foundation for the state's ambition to emerge as an international sports hub. The Chief Minister reviewed the progress of preparations for the Khelo India Youth Games, scheduled to be held from December 11 to 22, along with Sports Minister Vakiti Srihari and senior officials of the concerned departments.

During the review meeting, Revanth Reddy directed officials to organise a grand opening ceremony on December 11 to inspire enthusiasm among young people. He instructed that the inaugural ceremony be held at LB Stadium and the closing ceremony at Gachibowli Stadium. He emphasised that Hyderabad should reflect a vibrant sporting atmosphere throughout the event. The Chief Minister stressed that there should be no compromise on the quality of stadium renovation and other arrangements. He also directed officials to ensure strict vigilance over the development works. Ministers, MPs, MLAs and MLCs will be assigned responsibilities to supervise the opening and closing ceremonies.

As competitions will be held in Hyderabad as well as various districts, the Chief Minister directed that ministers be appointed as in-charges for different districts to monitor the arrangements. Accordingly, Ponnam Prabhakar will oversee Hyderabad, Duddilla Sridhar Babu will be responsible for Rangareddy, Jupally Krishna Rao for Mahabubnagar, Ponguleti Srinivasa Reddy for Warangal, Adluri Laxman Kumar for Karimnagar, Tummala Nageswara Rao for Khammam, and Government Advisor P. Sudarshan Reddy for Nizamabad district. On the Chief Minister's initiative, Telangana's traditional martial art, *Karra Samu*, will be introduced for the first time as a demonstration sport at the Khelo India Youth Games. Revanth Reddy unveiled a brochure related to the traditional art and expressed hope that its inclusion on a national platform would help promote and preserve the sport in Telangana. Officials informed the Chief Minister that all stadium development works and arrangements for equipment required for 27 sporting disciplines would be completed by the end of this month. Work has already been completed at 14 stadiums, while the remaining six venues are expected to be ready by the month-end.

US proposes up to 25% tariffs on Indian goods



New Delhi, Nov 25 (Open Frame): In a fresh trade challenge for India, the US has proposed additional tariffs of up to 25 per cent on Indian goods, accusing New Delhi of pursuing industrial and trade policies that contribute to excess manufacturing capacity and restrict American commercial interests. The proposal follows a determination by the US Trade Representative (USTR) that India's industrial policies, market access barriers, inadequate labour protections and financial policies were unreasonable and burdened or restricted US commerce under Section 301 of the Trade Act of 1974.

The proposed tariff of up to 25 per cent would apply to all Indian goods, net of existing Section 301 duties, with exemptions for certain products. However, Washington has indicated that the proposed rate could be lowered to 17 per cent if India reaches a reciprocal trade agreement with the US that addresses the concerns raised in the investigation. The move places India's manufacturing and trade policies under fresh scrutiny at a time when both countries are seeking to advance negotiations on a bilateral trade agreement. In its India-specific assessment, the USTR identified five areas of concern government plans to expand manufacturing. , inadequate labour protections, financial repression policies, sustained barriers to market access and India's failure to address global excess manufacturing capacity, including through imports and foreign direct investment from non-market economies.

The US argued that these policies reduced commercial opportunities for American producers and exporters in India as well as third-country markets, while contributing to losses in US manufacturing output, exports, jobs and investment. It also flagged concerns over US economic security, particularly India's reliance on inputs from non-market economies. The sectors specifically identified in the assessment include pharmaceuticals and medical devices, steel, solar energy and information and communications technology (ICT).

The determination is part of a wider US investigation into 16 economies, initiated on March 11, 2026, to examine what Washington describes as structural excess capacity and production in manufacturing. The USTR has now reached adverse determinations against 14 economies, including India, China, Japan, South Korea and the European Union. Mexico and Norway have not been included in the latest determinations.

SC Sets Aside Probe Directions Against Rahul Gandhi



New Delhi, Nov 25 (Open Frame): The Supreme Court on Wednesday set aside the Allahabad High Court's directions to the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI) and the Enforcement Directorate (ED) to verify allegations of disproportionate assets against the Leader of the Opposition in the Lok Sabha, Rahul Gandhi. A Bench of Chief Justice of India (CJI) Surya Kant and Justices Joymalya Bagchi and V. Mohana relegated the petition filed by Karnataka-based BJP worker S. Vignesh Shishir to the Allahabad High Court for fresh consideration.

The CJI Kant-led Bench directed the High Court to hear Rahul Gandhi afresh on all issues arising from the petition, including the question of its maintainability. The case stems from a criminal writ petition filed by Shishir, who alleged that Gandhi possessed assets disproportionate to his known sources of income and sought a probe by the central agencies. In May, the Allahabad High Court's Lucknow Bench had directed the CBI, ED, Serious Fraud Investigation Office (SFIO) and other authorities to file their responses to the allegations. During the proceedings, counsel appearing for the CBI informed the High Court that the probe agency had received the complaint and would file its response within eight weeks.

Similarly, the ED informed the Justice Chauhan-led Bench that it had received the complaint and "may verify the allegations". Recording the submissions, the High Court observed that if the complaint had been received by the agencies, "the allegations of the complaints may be verified as per law". It had further stated that the CBI and the ED could take appropriate steps permissible under the law. Rahul Gandhi subsequently approached the Supreme Court challenging the High Court's directions.

Rajnath Singh accuses Congress of undermining democracy



Kalaburagi, Nov 25 (Open Frame): Defence Minister Rajnath Singh on Wednesday accused the Congress of undermining democratic institutions and spreading political anarchy, alleging that the party was attempting to regain power by creating instability and making baseless allegations against constitutional bodies.

Addressing a gathering in Kalaburagi as part of the BJP's 'Save Democracy, Eradicate Anarchy' campaign, Singh said he had not come to attend a political rally but to participate in an important campaign to protect democracy and reaffirm the commitment to safeguarding the Constitution. Beginning his speech in Kannada, Singh said, "Kannada is a language I love immensely." He said the Constitution was adopted after Independence to protect democracy and ensure that democratic values were upheld. However, the Congress, which ruled the country for nearly 60 years, was now engaged in creating an atmosphere of anarchy, he alleged.

Recalling the Emergency imposed during former Prime Minister Indira Gandhi's tenure, Singh said she had strangled democracy in the country. He accused the Congress of now questioning constitutional institutions and running a campaign of misinformation against the Election Commission. "The strength of Indian democracy is not understood by Rahul Gandhi. The Congress is eager to come to power by creating anarchy in the country.

No power wants India to progress: Bhagwat



New Delhi, Nov 25 (Open Frame): Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh (RSS) chief Mohan Bhagwat on Wednesday said no power in the world wants India to progress, as global powers believe in the principle of the 'survival of the fittest', but India wants to help even those nations that hate it. He was speaking at the inauguration of the fifth Padmaa Festival in Maharashtra's Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar, where former Chief of Defence Staff (CDS) Gen Anil Chauhan (retd) was the chief guest.

Local organisation Gyanyajnah Foundation has organised the three-day Padmaa Festival, which brings together Padma awardees from diverse fields to interact with people. The RSS chief said the world was in a strange situation. "No power in the world wants India to progress because these powers seek to retain their dominance. They keep everyone under pressure. This is how they are considered powerful and able to boss people around. If India grows, these powerful people's 'shops' will shut because India wants to help everyone," he said.

He listed some of the countries to which India had extended a helping hand.

Bhagwat said, "India helps its neighbours when they are in need, even if they hate it.

Search on for seven missing Andhra fishermen

Amaravati, Nov 25 (Open Frame): Intensive search operations continued on Wednesday for seven fishermen from Subbampeta village of Andhra Pradesh's Kakinada district, while seven other fishermen from another village in the same district have been found safe. The Indian Coast Guard and the Navy are conducting a joint search operation. They have deployed naval vessels and helicopters for the operation. According to Kakinada District Collector M.N. Harendhira Prasad, the district administration received information on the evening of November 19 regarding seven fishermen from Subbampeta village, Uppada mandal, Kakinada district, who had gone missing at sea.

Upon receiving the report, the district administration immediately alerted the Coast Guard authorities. According to information received via the Coast Guard's toll-free number, the seven missing fishermen were last sighted near the Paradip Port in Odisha on November 18. Since then, there has been no communication from them via phone or transponder.

The Collector stated that the Kakinada Coast Guard responded promptly upon learning of the incident and intensified search efforts.

The authorities have coordinated with the Coast Guard centres in Odisha and Chennai, and have established synergy among the relevant departments to facilitate the search. He stated that the Coast Guard and the Navy are jointly conducting an extensive search operation to locate the missing fishermen.

'Partners, not beggars': Cong-SP chinks over UP seats out in open



New Delhi, Nov 25 (Open Frame): Differences between the Congress and the Samajwadi Party (SP) over seat-sharing for the 2027 Uttar Pradesh Assembly elections came out in the open on Wednesday, with SP chief Akhilesh Yadav insisting that his ally would get seats where it stood a chance of winning, while Congress MP Imran Masood said alliance partners were not beggars.

A day after the SP offered 26 seats to the Congress against its demand for over 100 constituencies, Akhilesh remained non-committal when asked whether his ally would get 100 seats.

"The Congress will get seats where it can win. The question is not about the number of seats but about victory," Akhilesh told reporters, adding that the two parties had conducted several studies to work out the electoral arithmetic to defeat the BJP. However, Masood questioned the SP's decision to announce five candidates even as negotiations between the two parties were underway. "There are partners in an alliance, not beggars. The SP is announcing candidates even from constituencies that the Congress has not sought. What kind of alliance is this," Masood said.

The Saharanpur MP said the Congress, too, had its list of candidates ready but was honouring its alliance commitments. Describing Rahul Gandhi as the guarantee of the fight against the BJP, Masood said the two parties should direct their criticism at the BJP rather tha each other. Amid the growing bitterness, Congress' Uttar Pradesh incharge Rajendra Pal Gautam urged leaders of both parties to respect each other's sentiments and maintain coordination, saying freeing the people of Uttar Pradesh from the present government should remain their priority.

India, Georgia Hold Talks to Expand Bilateral Ties



New Delhi, Nov 25 (Open Frame): India and Georgia held the ninth round of Foreign Office Consultations in New Delhi on Wednesday, with both sides reviewing bilateral ties, including cooperation in the areas of trade and investment, cultural, education and people-to-people exchanges.

During the meeting, the two sides discussed ways to further expand cooperation in areas like infrastructure, energy, connectivity and new areas of mutual interest. The officials of India and Georgia also exchanged views on regional and global developments, according to the statement released by the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA).

For the meeting, the Indian delegation was led by Secretary (West) in the MEA, Sibi George and the Georgian delegation was led by Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs Alexander Khvitisiashvili. "India and Georgia share warm and friendly ties. Both sides reaffirmed their commitment to strengthening India–Georgia partnership through high-level exchanges, sustained institutional dialogue and enhanced cooperation across diverse sectors," the MEA said in a statement. The two sides agreed to hold the next session of Foreign Office Consultations in Tbilisi at mutually convenient dates.

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Revanth assures support to Poultry Industry amid market challenges

CM Announces Faster Approvals, Rural Clearances and Land for a Dedicated Poultry Convention Centre in Bharat Future City

Hyderabad, Nov 25 (Open Frame): Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy has assured that the Telangana government will soon introduce a comprehensive policy and single-window clearance system for the poultry industry to ensure that permissions are granted without unnecessary delays. He also promised that the government would allocate suitable land in Bharat Future City for establishing a dedicated convention centre for the poultry industry, provided industry representatives submit appropriate proposals.



The Chief Minister was speaking after inaugurating the *18th Poultry India Expo 2026* at the HITEX Exhibition Centre in Hyderabad. The three-day expo, organised by the Indian Poultry Equipment Manufacturers Association (IPEMA), features products and technologies from various companies in the poultry sector. Addressing the gathering, Revanth Reddy said that poultry entrepreneurs had brought to his notice the difficulties and delays involved in obtaining permissions and land conversion approvals for setting up poultry farms in rural areas. He assured them that the single-window clearance system currently being implemented in urban areas through the BuildNow app would soon be extended to rural areas as well.

Referring to the Invest Telangana Global Summit 2026, scheduled from December 7 to 9, the Chief Minister invited poultry industry representatives to submit proposals for setting up a world-class convention centre in Bharat Future City. He said the government would consider allocating the required land based on their proposals. The Chief Minister acknowledged that the poultry industry sometimes faces financial difficulties and market fluctuations. He assured government support during challenging periods, particularly in ensuring the availability of essential poultry feed such as maize and soybean.

Referring to the impact of El Niño and drought conditions, Revanth Reddy said the state had sufficient foodgrain reserves and buffer stocks with the Civil Supplies Department. He said the government would examine the possibility of supplying maize and soybean directly to the poultry industry, instead of relying entirely on the open market.

He asked Minister Vakiti Srihari, who was present on the dais, to review the available buffer stocks, possible support measures and pricing in consultation with the Agriculture Minister and arrive at a favourable decision within 48 hours.

Highlighting the contribution of the poultry industry to the rural economy, the Chief Minister said it provides direct and indirect employment to farmers and agricultural labourers. He appreciated the industry's role in purchasing maize, soybean and agricultural by-products such as broken rice and rice bran, thereby supporting farmers.

Revanth Reddy said Telangana produces approximately *5.30 crore eggs every day*, making a significant contribution to meeting the nutritional needs of the population, particularly the younger generation. He also highlighted the importance of eggs and chicken in providing protein-rich food.

He said the state government was providing nutritious meals to students in government schools, including three eggs a week and chicken meals, with support from the poultry industry.

Congratulating the organisers and industry representatives for successfully conducting the Poultry and Meat Expo in Hyderabad for 18 years, the Chief Minister appreciated Telangana's position as a leading poultry production centre.

He said the state government recognises poultry as a priority sector alongside IT, pharmaceuticals, defence, Global Capability Centres (GCCs) and data centres. He added that a dedicated mechanism would be established to continuously address the concerns of the poultry industry.

The Chief Minister asserted that Telangana had no policy paralysis and was continuing the good policies introduced by previous governments over the past three decades while further improving their implementation. He said investors could expect policy continuity and strong government support in Telangana.

Revanth Reddy stated that although Telangana accounts for around 2.5 per cent of India's population, it contributes approximately 5 per cent to the country's GDP. The government's target is to increase this contribution to 10 per cent.

As part of its long-term economic vision, Telangana aims to become a *USD 1 trillion economy by 2034 and a USD 3 trillion economy by 2047*, in alignment with the broader vision of Viksit Bharat.

Sand Mafia Don Bal Reddy Threatens Truck Owners..!

- Illegal Sand Trade Operator Kesaram Bal Reddy Threatens Sand Lorry Owners at Vanasthalipuram Autonagar
- Bal Reddy Gang Allegedly Assaults Victims for Complaining Against Illegal Sand Trade
- Kesaram Bal Reddy, Manish Reddy and Venkat Reddy Accused of High-Handedness at Autonagar Sand Yard
- Victims Submit Written Complaint to Vanasthalipuram Police, Make Sensational Allegations
- Incident Under Vanasthalipuram Police Station Limits Comes to Light Belatedly

LB Nagar, Nov 25 (Open Frame): "We will kill you! Nobody can do anything to me. I already have several cases against me. Who are you? We pay the police Rs. 1 lakh every month. Nobody can touch us!"

Alleged threats made to a victim who complained to the authorities about illegal sand trading have raised serious concerns. An incident involving alleged threats and an assault on lorry owners at the Autonagar sand yard, within the limits of Vanasthalipuram Police Station, reportedly took place on the 16th of this month and came to light late on Wednesday.

Is lodging a complaint with mining officials against illegal sand trading being met with harassment and intimidation? Sensational allegations made by a victim in connection with a dispute at the Autonagar sand lorry yard have become a major talking point.





According to the details provided by the victim and information gathered from reliable sources, Ramaswamy Mallareddy (48), a businessman residing in Shardhanagar, Vanasthalipuram, stated that he was present at the sand yard in Autonagar on the morning of the 16th of this month, as usual, when Kesaram Bal Reddy, Kesaram Manish Reddy, Kesaram Venkat Reddy and a few others allegedly arrived in a car and verbally abused him using obscene language and issued threats.

The victim alleged that the group assaulted him and threatened to kill him. He expressed his anguish while narrating the incident to the media.

Questioning the justification for such threats merely because he had lodged a complaint with mining officials against illegal sand trading, the victim said that a dispute over the sand business had escalated to the extent of creating a serious threat to a businessman's family.

He further alleged that the individuals involved had referred to his complaint to mining officials and assaulted him, abused him in filthy language and threatened to kill not only him but also his family members, particularly his grandson. Another serious allegation mentioned in the complaint is that the accused reportedly claimed that they paid money to the police every month and that nobody could take action against them. The incident reportedly occurred near the sand lorry yard in Autonagar, Vanasthalipuram. Along with the victim's individual complaint, a complaint submitted by the Autonagar New Sand Lorry Owners Association has also come into focus.

The victim stated that ordinary lorry owners were facing severe difficulties due to illegal sand trading and that they had approached mining officials seeking action to curb the illegal business.

Although no individual's name was specifically mentioned in the complaint submitted to the authorities, the victim alleged that Bal Reddy and some others questioned him over why he was approaching officials and putting pressure on him out of personal vengeance. He further alleged that the group subsequently came to his sand dump, picked a quarrel with him, verbally abused him in obscene language and assaulted him.

"We Pay Bribe to Police Every Month... Nobody Can Touch Us!"

Another allegation attracting widespread attention in this dispute is the claim that the accused stated that they paid money to the police every month.

According to the victim's complaint, the accused allegedly claimed that they were paying money to the police and would therefore face no trouble, adding that nobody could take action against them.

The victim expressed concern that the accused were allegedly behaving as though no action could be taken against them, even if complaints were lodged with mining officials or the police.

Meanwhile, members of the association have reportedly expressed dissatisfaction over the police registering cases against both parties.

The victims questioned how a case could be registered based on the complaint of individuals who had allegedly trespassed into their yard, verbally abused them and assaulted them. They also claimed to possess video evidence relating to the incident.

There is now considerable interest in the action that the police will take in connection with the allegations and the evidence reportedly submitted by the victims.

Three-Day 'Nasha Mukt Bharat' Walk Begins in Hyderabad



Hyderabad, Nov 25 (Open Frame): A three-day anti-drug awareness walk led by Union Minister for Coal and Mines G. Kishan Reddy began in Hyderabad on Wednesday as part of 'Nasha Mukt Bharat Abhiyan'.

A large number of youth and students participated in the walk titled 'Hyderabad Walks for Nasha Mukt Bharat', which began at Amberpet, one of the segments of the Secunderabad Parliamentary constituency represented by Kishan Reddy.

Popular Tollywood actor Daggubati Venkatesh flagged off the walk at Amberpet Municipal Grounds.

The inaugural programme also featured a pledge led by Kishan Reddy, with students and other participants taking a collective resolve to work towards a drug-free India. Students from several educational institutions were participating in the walk. They were carrying placards with the slogan 'Say No to Drugs'. The participants raised slogans against substance abuse. Former Governor Bandaru Dattatreya, Rajya Sabha MP Dr K. Laxman and Telangana BJP president N. Ramchander Rao participated in the inaugural programme.

Kishan Reddy called on students, educational institutions, political leaders and citizens to join a nationwide movement against drug abuse. On the first day, the walk will conclude at Gandhi Hospital after passing through various areas like Government Fever Hospital, Osmania University, Arts College and EFLU.

Different parts of the city will be covered by the walk over the next two days. It will conclude on Friday in Jubilee Hills. Kishan Reddy said that protecting the younger generation from drug addiction was essential to achieving the vision of Viksit Bharat by 2047 under Prime Minister Narendra Modi's leadership.

He said the campaign was not a political or government programme but a people's movement requiring the participation of all citizens. The Central minister expressed concern over attempts by drug suppliers to introduce narcotic substances among students near schools, colleges and residential areas.

He said more than 25 per cent of India's population comprised students and protecting their future was a collective responsibility. He appealed to parents, teachers, educational institutions, voluntary organisations and political parties to participate in the campaign.

He alleged that external forces were trying to destroy the young generation with drugs. The minister said he would lead the three-day padayatra to spread awareness about drug abuse. He also warned that those involved in manufacturing, supplying, and selling narcotic substances would be brought to justice. Actor Daggubati Venkatesh appealed to young people to stay away from drug addiction. Addressing the gathering, he highlighted the responsibility of families, friends and educational institutions in protecting the younger generation.

The actor said that drugs destroy health, education and future. "Life is precious. Don't destroy it by becoming a drug addict," he said and called for moving ahead with the slogan 'say no to drugs, yes to life'. Former Governor Bandaru Dattatreya said drug addiction threatened the future of young people and the country's development.

Panjagutta to Get India's First AI Police Station

Hyderabad, Nov 25 (Open Frame): As Panjagutta Police Station is taking shape as the country's first Artificial Intelligence (AI)-based police station, Telangana Director General of Police (DGP) Sri C.V. Anand, IPS, and Hyderabad City Police Commissioner Dr. Mahesh Muralidhar Bhagwat, IPS, conducted a surprise inspection of Panjagutta Police Station on Wednesday (25.11.2026) and thoroughly reviewed the ongoing technical works.



Under a pilot project, all policing services at the Panjagutta Police Station will be integrated with state-of-the-art AI technology. On this occasion, the senior officials interacted directly with complainants visiting the station and inquired how the staff were receiving and resolving their issues through the AI system. Subsequently, they personally monitored the performance of every staff member at the station and observed how they were discharging their duties with the assistance of AI technology. Along with Khairatabad Zone DCP, ACP Murali Krishna, and Inspector Jahangir Yadav, they inspected the AI technical infrastructure being established at the station at the field level. The senior officials stated that this AI-based police station will be officially inaugurated soon as a pilot project.

Additional DGP (Law & Order) Sri Akun Sabharwal, IPS, Hyderabad Additional CP (Crimes & SIT) Sri M. Srinivasulu, IPS, Intelligence DIG Sri Bhaskaran, IPS, Khairatabad Zone DCP Smt. Shilpavalli, IPS, SP TSPARK Sri Rupesh, IPS , DCP Sri Aravind Babu (SMIT), and other senior police officials participated in this inspection program.

The AI-enabled system is expected to streamline police operations by integrating complaint registration, grievance monitoring, investigation support and other essential services on a single technology platform. It is also aimed at improving response times, ensuring transparency and reducing delays in addressing public grievances. The pilot project is expected to serve as a model for introducing AI-driven policing across other police stations in Telangana.

Hyderabad's Harmony Strengthens Its Global Appeal: Uttam Kumar Reddy

Hyderabad, Nov 25 (Open Frame): Hyderabad's extraordinary ability to embrace people irrespective of caste, religion, region or nationality has emerged as one of its greatest economic strengths, making the city a preferred global investment destination, Minister for Irrigation and Civil Supplies Capt. N. Uttam Kumar Reddy said on Wednesday, asserting that the Congress government was committed to transforming minorities from beneficiaries of welfare into stakeholders and leaders in Telangana's growth story.



Addressing the Deccan Icons Awards ceremony organised by Zee Salaam and Zee Network, the Minister said Hyderabad's cosmopolitan character, world-class infrastructure, favourable climate and centuries-old tradition of communal harmony had given the city a distinct competitive advantage on the global stage.

"Hyderabad is the very embodiment of Ganga-Jamuni Tehzeeb. People from any part of the country or the world find themselves at home here. This remarkable inclusiveness is one of the reasons why Hyderabad is emerging as a favourite destination for global investors," he said.

Reaffirming the Congress government's commitment to minority welfare, Uttam said the objective was not merely to extend financial assistance but to enable minorities to emerge as entrepreneurs, professionals, administrators and leaders in society. He said the government headed by Chief Minister A. Revanth Reddy had made unprecedented budgetary allocations for minority welfare, earmarking approximately Rs. 3,585 crore during the 2025-26 financial year.

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India Develops Digital Platform for Post-Mining Development

New Delhi, Nov 25 (Open Frame): Mine closure is an integral part of the mining lifecycle. However, the responsibility towards a mining region does not end with the completion of mining operations. Ensuring productive utilisation of post-mining land, environmental restoration and sustainable socio-economic development requires a structured approach to mine repurposing. Recognising this need, the Coal Controller Organisation (CCO), under the Ministry of Coal, Government of India, has developed SUVIKALP – Mine Repurposing Tool, a digital decision-support platform aligned with the Mining Plan Guidelines for Coal and Lignite Mine, 2025. SUVIKALP aims to establish a scientific, transparent and standardised framework for identifying suitable post-mining land-use opportunities. It addresses the challenges associated with fragmented assessments, independent evaluation of multiple parameters and limited integration of community priorities in conventional mine repurposing decisions.

SUVIKALP brings together geo-mining characteristics, environmental conditions, infrastructure availability, resource constraints, financial considerations and socio-economic factors within a unified digital platform. Users can create a comprehensive site profile by entering relevant mine-specific information, enabling systematic assessment of potential repurposing alternatives against the characteristics and constraints of individual mine sites. The platform employs a Multi-Criteria Decision-Making (MCDM) methodology based on TOPSIS (Technique for Order Preference by Similarity to Ideal Solution) to evaluate and rank potential repurposing options. This approach facilitates objective comparison of alternatives against multiple parameters, providing stakeholders with transparent, consistent and evidence-based recommendations. The assessment process follows a structured sequence comprising factor selection, generation of potential options, integration of community priorities, suitability assessment and final ranking. This enables mine owners, project proponents and government agencies to make informed decisions based on site-specific conditions rather than relying exclusively on subjective assessments.



Sustainable mine repurposing must address the aspirations of communities residing in mining regions. Accordingly, SUVIKALP integrates RECLAIM – Community Engagement and Development Framework to incorporate local priorities into the project evaluation process. The framework facilitates systematic consideration of community preferences alongside technical feasibility, environmental suitability and economic considerations. This helps ensure that proposed redevelopment initiatives are aligned with local development needs, employment generation, livelihood opportunities, infrastructure development and long-term community benefits. By bringing community perspectives into the decision-making process, SUVIKALP promotes a participatory approach to post-mining development, strengthening the linkage between mine closure, regional development and inclusive growth. From Project Identification to Implementation: PRISM

A distinguishing feature of SUVIKALP is its PRISM (Post-Mining Repurposing Implementation Strategic Model), which extends the platform beyond the identification and ranking of potential projects.

PRISM provides a structured approach to exploring implementation pathways, including project vision, repurposing strategies, investment dynamics, strategic structuring and monitoring. It is supported by an integrated knowledge repository comprising project concept notes, national and international case studies, sample tender documents, details of implementation agencies and best-practice resources.

SEBI Proposes 8-Year Tenure Cap for Exchange MDs

Mumbai, Nov 25 (Open Frame): The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has proposed sweeping changes to the governance framework of stock exchanges, depositories and clearing corporations, including shorter tenures for managing directors and senior executives, as part of efforts to reduce concentration of authority and strengthen institutional independence.



In a consultation paper, the market regulator proposed reducing the maximum tenure of a managing director (MD) at a single market infrastructure institution (MII) to eight years from the current 10 years, while introducing, for the first time, a cumulative cap on service across multiple MIIs. Under the proposal, an MD would be allowed to serve a maximum of 12 years across market infrastructure institutions, subject to a limit of three terms. Executives already holding office when the revised framework comes into effect would be permitted a higher cumulative cap of 15 years and would be allowed to complete their current terms. SEBI said the proposals are aimed at addressing "key man risk" arising from prolonged dependence on individual executives at institutions that play a critical role in market regulation and oversight.

According to the regulator, lengthy tenures can result in concentration of institutional knowledge, decision-making authority and industry relationships, potentially weakening board oversight and governance standards. The consultation paper also proposes tenure restrictions for executive directors. An executive director would be permitted to serve a maximum of eight years at one institution and up to 16 years across multiple MIIs. For individuals who serve as both executive director and managing director during their careers, SEBI has suggested combined limits of 12 years at a single institution and 20 years across market infrastructure institutions. In a separate governance-related proposal, the regulator has recommended reducing the maximum age limit for public interest directors from 75 years to 70 years and lowering their permissible tenure from three terms to two three-year terms.

SEBI said public interest directors increasingly require expertise in areas such as cybersecurity, operational resilience, technology risk and investor protection, making periodic board refreshment important for effective oversight. The regulator has additionally proposed extending restrictions on simultaneous directorships to associate entities of market infrastructure institutions and reducing the number of statutory committees on which public interest directors can serve.

Two-Wheeler Sales Jump 19.4% in November

Mumbai, Nov 25 (Open Frame): India's automobile retail market maintained strong momentum during the first 25 days of November, with overall vehicle registrations rising 13.3 per cent year-on-year, driven primarily by robust demand for two-wheelers and passenger vehicles amid the festive season, according to a report released on Wednesday. Total vehicle retail registrations rose to 33.36 lakh units during November 1-25, compared with 29.45 lakh units in the corresponding period last year, as per analysis of Choice Institutional Equities.



Two-wheelers emerged as the strongest contributor to growth, with registrations increasing 19.4 per cent year-on-year to 27.33 lakh units, while passenger vehicle sales rose 6.8 per cent to 3.61 lakh units. The brokerage attributed the improvement to festive buying, GST-led affordability benefits and improving consumer sentiment. However, demand remained uneven across segments. Commercial vehicle registrations declined 5.8 per cent to 74,548 units, while three-wheeler sales fell 14.7 per cent to 96,190 units during the period. The sharpest decline was recorded in the tractor segment, where retail sales dropped 47.4 per cent year-on-year to 56,213 units.

According to the report, tractor demand remained under pressure due to below-normal monsoon rainfall, weaker kharif sowing activity and stress on rural incomes. Delayed agricultural cash flows also weighed on purchase decisions in rural markets.

Despite the softness in rural-related segments, the brokerage said demand conditions in the broader automotive market remain favourable. Choice Institutional expects the industry's outlook for the second half of FY27 to remain positive, supported by continued affordability benefits, healthy financing availability, replacement demand, new product launches and rising premiumisation trends.

The report also highlighted growing electric vehicle adoption, infrastructure spending, freight activity and fleet expansion as additional factors that could support industry volumes in the coming quarters.

Exports are also expected to contribute positively to growth, although rural demand recovery and inventory management remain key factors to monitor, the brokerage said. The brokerage nted that the final week's registrations typically account for around 20-25 per cent of total monthly vehicle retail volumes, indicating that November sales figures could see further upward revisions.

Gukesh Faces In-Form Sindarov in World Chess Championship Showdown



Bhopal, Nov 25 (Open Frame): A 4-0 victory over Japan in the ongoing Women's Asian Champions Trophy 2026 helped the Indian women's hockey team reach unprecedented heights, climbing to World No. 4 in the latest FIH World Rankings. With this, the Indian women's hockey team improved on its highest-ever ranking with 24 hours of setting a record for achieving its best-ever FIH Ranking of No. 5 with a win over China at the International Sports Complex in Nathu Barkheda. The latest achievement comes just a day after India had broken into the top five for the first time in its history, reaching World No. 5 following an emphatic 6-2 win over China.

The back-to-back victories against two of Asia's strongest teams propelled the team to its highest-ever position in the international rankings. The 4-0 win over Japan also extended India's unbeaten run in the tournament to five consecutive victories, ensuring a perfect league-stage record and a place in the semi-finals.

India's 6-2 triumph over China was particularly significant, marking its biggest victory against the Chinese side in the history of the Women's Asian Champions Trophy since the 4-2 win in the 2013 edition. The subsequent victory over Japan further underlined the team's growing confidence, consistency and ability to deliver.

With victories over Malaysia, Thailand, South Korea, China and Japan, the Indian team has been in outstanding form throughout the tournament. Led by captain Salima Tete, the defending champions are now firmly focused on securing a record-extending fourth Women's Asian Champions Trophy title and their third consecutive crown.

India's rise to World No. 4 is also a significant moment for women's hockey in the country. Since the introduction of the FIH World Rankings in October 2003, the team's previous best positions included World No. 9 in 2018 following its quarterfinal appearance at the World Cup, World No. 8 after finishing fourth at the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games, and World No. 6 in May-June 2022 following an impressive FIH Pro League campaign, a position it also achieved in 2023. The latest achievement caps what has been a phenomenal 2026 for Indian hockey. The team won the FIH Nations Cup, secured a historic fifth-place finish at the FIH Hockey World Cup (its best-ever performance since 1974) and claimed the Asian Games gold medal after a gap of 44 years. Its latest ascent to World No. 4 adds another landmark to a year that has firmly established India among the leading forces in international women's hockey.

Congratulating the team on its historic achievement, Hockey India Secretary General Bhola Nath Singh said, "Reaching World No. 4 is a proud moment for Indian hockey and a testament to the hard work, discipline and determination of our players and support staff. Achieving this milestone within 24 hours of reaching World No. 5 makes it even more special. The team has made the nation proud, and we are confident they will continue this momentum and bring home another Asian Champions Trophy title." India's remarkable

Gukesh, Sindarov Draw Second World Championship Game

Geneva, Nov 25 (Open Frame): Defending champion Dommaraju Gukesh continued to play solidly but failed to get any advantage against Javokhir Sindarov in the second game of the 14-game FIDE Clasical World Chess Championship Final Match 2026 as the players remained tied 1-1 in Geneva. For the second game in succession, Gukesh surprised his opponent with his tactics, opting for the London System with white pieces. While the first game was a complicated tactical battle, the second ended in a quick draw in just 02 moves as both players failed to gain any advantage. It was quite a boring game and was over well before the first time control.



The London System is a solid, flexible chess opening with white pieces which helps build a sturdy pawn pyramid that helps in tackling anything played by black. However, Uzbek Grandmaster Sindarov played precise moves and did not allow Gukesh to gain much advantage. The game remained equal throughout, and the players agreed to the draw in just 20 moves. The players agreed to share the point after threefold repetition in the second game.

In this game, Gukesh lost a bit of the psychological advantage he gained by using the Berlin Defence and drawing the opening game.

The third game will be played on Thursday with Sindarov having white pieces. It will be interesting to see whether Gukesh continues to opt for the Berlin Defence despite knowing that his opponent's trainers might have looked for some tactical surprises following the first game. The 14-game match, which will end on December 12 with the closing ceremony, has a total prize fund of $2.5 million. Each decisive victory will be worth USD 200,000, while the remaining prize money will be divided equally. If the match goes into tiebreaks, the winner will take home USD 1.3 million and the runner-up USD 1.2 million.

Winning a game earns one point, while a draw gets both players 1/2 of the point. In case the score is tied after completion of 14 games, the two players will engage in tie-break games with shorter durations rapid followed by blitz if needed. Gukesh became the World Champion in Singapore in 2024 by defeating China's Ding Liren. He is the second Indian after five-time winner Viswanathan Anand to win the World Championship.

BIMSTEC Under-23 Athletics: India, Sri Lanka Share 100m Sprint Honours On Day 1

Bhubaneswar, Nov 25 (Open Frame): India's Mrithika T and Sri Lanka's Dineth Induwara Weeraratna ran away with the women's and men's 100m sprint gold medals, respectively, on Day 1 of the BIMSTEC Under-23 athletics meet at the Kalinga Stadium in Bhubaneswar. Of the eight gold medals decided on Wednesday, hosts India won six and Sri Lanka two.



In the women's 100m, Mrithika clocked 12.02 seconds to relegate Sri Lankan K. Risansa Hirupama (12.07) to the silver. Bangladesh's Dewan Sumaya (12.24) won bronze.

In the men's section, Weeraratna (10.35) was a convincing winner. He opened up a handy lead from the very start and did not look back. India's Rushiprasad Desai (10.46s) was left chasing the winner while Saad Jamaldeen of Sri Lanka also finished on the podium with a time of 10.57. Neil Samraj of India, a favourite to finish among the top three, finished fourth, clocking 10.67.

India's other gold medals came from men's shot put (Anurag Singh Kaler, 18.34 m), men's triple jump (Daksh Bishnoi, 15.58m) and 1500 metres (Hitesh – 3:56.72 sec). Priya (52.03 metres) and Nikita Kumari (50.02 metres) led an Indian one-two in the women's discus throw. In the final race of the day, the women's 5000m, India's Sonam Parmar (17.31.12 sec) and Sunita Devi (17.31.66) fought a tight race to win gold and silver, respectively.

Sri Lanka's K. Niduki Prarthana (17.47.07) was third.

Earlier in the day, the inaugural edition of the BIMSTEC Under-23 athletics championships was declared open by Bhupendra Singh Poonia, commissioner-cum-secretary of Sports and Youth Services Department, Odisha government.

Among those present at the opening ceremony were Adille Sumariwalla, a former Olympian and ex-president of the Athletics Federation of India, and Colonel Nachhatar Singh Johal, the Chief Executive Officer of the Target Olympic Podium Scheme, Sports Authority of India. Poonia welcomed the athletes and officials at the opening ceremony. Saying Odisha was a hub of global sports activity in India, Poonia said. "Hosting the BIMSTEC meet was a significant occasion, and it was not only about winning medals. It is about building lasting friendship and exchanging experiences." Shri Poonia wanted all athletes to enjoy Odisha's hospitality and take back happy memories.

Naga Chaitanya Calls Director Karthik Dandu the Real Hero of 'Vrushakarma'

"I am not the hero of the movie Vrushakarma.. The real first hero of this movie is our director Karthik Dandu," Yuvasamrat Naga Chaitanya clarified. He participated as the chief guest and spoke at the 'Vrushakarma' film festival organized in Nellore with great pomp. He expressed confidence that many great directors from the Telugu film industry have shown their mettle across the country, and Karthik Dandu will definitely join the list of those great directors very soon.



Sharing his experiences from the beginning of this project.. "When Karthik first told me the story, there was no reference to compare it to. He wrote a completely original story with a very new idea and never-before-seen visuals. If anyone asked me about the story, I would not even understand where to start and where to end. But I believed that everyone would understand the hard work we put in for this movie after watching the trailer. Now, I am very happy to see the response from the audience," said Naga Chaitanya.

Chaitanya revealed that director Karthik could not come to the event due to the intensity of the film's post-production work. "If the film is 2 hours and 50 minutes long, there is amazing VFX work in every frame for about 2 hours and 40 minutes.

The director, editor Naveen Nooli and the visual effects team are working tirelessly to bring such a huge visual wonder to the screen," he explained. Referring to the talent of the co-stars, Naga Chaitanya said that Sparsh Srivastava's role in the film will impress the audience. "Sparsh played a monster-like role. For that character's appearance, he would wear makeup for six hours every day, sleep with the same makeup and come to the shooting early in the morning. Similarly, the heroine Meenakshi Chowdhury also came out of her comfort zone and chose this different role without any routine love track or songs, which is a great thing," he congratulated.

He expressed special gratitude to BVSN Prasad for producing such a huge concept-based film with great courage. He praised him for patting him on the back and encouraging him with a smile no matter how difficult it was. This mythological spectacle, which is taking the level of Telugu cinema to another level, will be released in front of audiences worldwide on December 4. Cinematography by Rahul D. Herion and music by B. Ajaneesh Loknath, this film is jointly produced by Sri Venkateswara Cine Chitra and Sukumar Writings. Naga Chaitanya assured that this film will not fall short of the expectations of the audience and will provide a new experience in theaters.

The actor also highlighted the film's ambitious scale, saying that projects with fresh concepts and innovative storytelling are essential for the growth of Telugu cinema. He expressed hope that Vrushakarma would connect with audiences across different regions and earn appreciation for its technical excellence, performances and visual presentation.

Malavika Mohanan Begins Dubbing for Vijay Sethupathi's 'Pocket Novel'

Actress Malavika Mohanan, who plays the lead along with Vijay Sethupathi in director Thiagarajan Kumararaja's eagerly-awaited film, 'Pocket Novel', has now begun dubbing for her portions in the film. TDKF, the production house producing the film, took to its social media timelines to put out a video clip that showed the actress dubbing for the film and wrote, "A little laughter, a little drama, and a whole lot of emotion. Here's @malavikamohanan_ dubbing for Thiagarajan Kumararaja's #PocketNovel, releasing worldwide on January 14th #PocketNovelTheFilm." In the video put out by the production house, Malavika said, "As an actor, dubbing is not one of my favourite parts of the process but this time around, its been surprisingly fun because of TK (Thiagarajan Kumararaja)," and laughingly adds, "No, no, don't take all this!" The film is set to hit screens worldwide on January 14 for the harvest festival of Pongal next year. Music director and actor G V Prakash, who had only recently come on board as the music director of the film, shared the release date announcement poster put out by the makers that confirmed that the film would hit screens on January 14. It may be recalled that the makers had originally announced Isaignani Ilaiyaraaja as the music director of the film. Rumours about Ilaiyaraaja opting out of the film had emerged last month. What strengthened the rumours was the fact that Ilaiyaraaja's name was missing from the list of technicians' names in the wrap up announcement put out by the makers on October 9 this year. Although rumours had been doing the rounds that G V Prakash had come on board in place of Ilaiyaraaja, the makers, for the first time, officially confirmed the news only recently. The unit of the film had wrapped up filming only recently.

The makers of the film had announced the completion of shooting by putting out a video that had BTS clips from the sets on different days of shooting. Last month, actress Malavika Mohanan, who plays the female lead in the film, had penned a heart touching post of gratitude to the entire team of 'Pocket Novel'. Taking to her Instagram page to pen the post, the actress had said, "Some films become a little world of their own while you're making them, and I feel incredibly lucky to have been a part of this one." The actress said that she had learned that the people one made films with were more important than simply making films. "You spend months with an entire team, sharing so many hours every day, getting to know each other, eating together, talking for hours, having good days and bad days, and going through emotional highs and lows together. Before you know it, they become your home away from home," she explained. Thanking Vijay Sethupathi, she wrote, "@actorvijaysethupathi thank you for being the most caring and giving co-actor. Having been through this journey with you, I cannot imagine having been a part of this process with anybody else. You have been so encouraging, sweet and yet have always created such a comfortable space for me to explore and get it right no matter how long it took or how hard it was." She went on to add, "We've been a part of two films together- 'Petta' and 'Master', but never got to share screen space with each other so this one has been long due. And what a beautiful one it's been."

To her director Thiagarajan Kumararaja, she said, "TK you absolute absolute cool cat. You have such a rare way of looking at people and the world, and it's been the experience of a lifetime working with you, but more importantly getting to know you as a person and a friend. As a maker, you are such a beautiful combination of strong and kind completely amazing and I am forever in awe of how you do what you do." She then ended the note saying, "@ezhilmadhi16 thank you for being the sweetest anchor through it all, holding the fort down for everyone with so much love and genuineness and care and for being the loveliest friend. Oh, and also for sharing the same taste in clothes, textiles and all things pretty which makes pottering around with each other so much more fun. Pocket Novel- you've been so much more than just a film. See you in cinemas soon."

Pooja Hegde Joins GTA VI Fever, Shares Workout Joke

Seems like the GTA fever has gripped actress Pooja Hegde as well. On Wednesday, Pooja uploaded a candid photo of herself posing in a breezy orange dress. "Does working out in GTA count as a workout for the day? Asking for a friend...(sic)," the 'Beast' actress went on to ask. It must be noted that Pooja is known to be a fitness enthusiast and often also uploads glimpses from her intense workout sessions on her social media, motivating other fitness junkies. For those who do not know, GTA VI (Grand Theft Auto VI) was launched on 19 November 2026 after Rockstar Games' official announcement. Rockstar Games had reportedly planned an earlier release for GTA VI, however, it got delayed to November 2026 to incorporate some additional developments. On the professional front, Pooja was seen sharing screen space with Varun Dhawan and Mrunal Thakur in the laughter ride, 'Hai Jawani Toh Ishq Hona Hai'. As Pooja turned a year older on October 13, her co-star Varun took to the Stories section of his official handle and dropped a photo of himself posing with Pooja.



Shruti Haasan to Lead Tarun Teja's Next Film



Actress, singer and song writer Shruti Haasan, who is also the elder daughter of renowned Tamil actor and producer Kamal Haasan, is to play the lead in director Tarun Teja's upcoming film, its makers announced. The film is to be produced by Arun Viswa for Shanthi Talkies, the production house known for making superhit films like 'Maaveeran', starring Sivakarthikeyan and directed by Madonne Ashwin, and '3BHK', starring Siddharth and directed by Sri Ganesh. The production house took to its social media timelines to make the announcement. In a statement that began with Banksy's quote - 'Art should comfort the disturbed, disturb the comfortable', producer Arun Viswa said, "As we embark on our next film, we are delighted to announce our association with the multi-faceted artist Shruti Haasan, whose versatility spans across various creative fields."

The producer further said, "Written and directed by Tarun Teja, the film brings together his distinctive writing sensibilities and imagery to create a unique and compelling cinematic experience."

Stating that from fantasy to family drama to rural rom-coms, each of his films had taken him on a different creative journey, the producer said that with this upcoming project, they were excited to explore yet another genre and a story that would appeal to audiences globally. "We look forward to this exciting association and sharing more de- tails about the film with you in the days to come," he signed off. For the unaware, the yet-to-be-titled film is to be written and directed by Tarun Teja, who made his mark with the critically acclaimed horror thriller 'Asvins'. Shruti Haasan, who has established herself as one of the most versatile performers across Tamil, Telugu and Hindi cinema, is recognised for her talents as an actress, singer and musician. Sources close to the unit said that further details about the film's cast, technical crew, storyline and shooting schedule will be revealed by the team in the near future.

'Inji Vellam': Mani Ratnam Unveils First Single 'Aachi Aachi'

The makers of ace director Mani Ratnam's eagerly awaited Tamil entertainer 'Inji Vellam', featuring actors Vijay Sethupathi and Sai Pallavi in the lead, on Wednesday released the foot tapping first single 'Aachi Aachi' from the film, much to the delight of fans and filmbuffs. The film is slated to hit screens worldwide on January 29 next year. Madras Talkies, the production house of Mani Ratnam and one of the production houses producing the film, took to its social media timelines to share the link to the first single. It wrote, "#AachiAachi is Out Now. Puyal fans assemble." The song that has been set to tune by A R Rahman has lyrics by Ilango Krishnan and rendered by Vaishali Samant and Sharanya Srinivas. The Malayalam lyrics have been penned by Vinayak Sasikumar. The song has been picturised on actress Sai Pallavi, who sports cropped hair in the number. The song shows women, all of whom are in the family way, dancing to the number. Jointly produced by Lyca Productions and Madras Talkies, the film has music by Oscar winner A R Rahman. In March this year, Madras Talkies had confirmed that A R Rahman was composing the music for the film.



The film has cinematography by well known cinematographer Avik Mukhopadhayay and editing by Mani Ratnam's trusted editor Sreekar Prasad. Costumes for the breezy entertainer have been designed by Eka Lakhani. Art direction for the film is being handled by Sharmishta Roy.

While the stunts in the film have been choreographed by Dhilip Subbarayan, dances in the film have been choreographed by Brinda Gopal. Make-up is by Ranjith Ambady. The makers had announced the title of the film in September this year, with a cute clip that only had voiceovers. The brief clip featured a conversation between Sai Pallavi and Vijay Sethupathi. Sai Pallavi says that he (Vijay Sethupathi) is the inji (ginger) and that she is the vellam (jaggery) in the title. She then changes it to she being the inji and he being the vellam. Eventually, Vijay Sethupathi ends the confusion saying that he is the ginger and she is the jaggery.

Mahesh Babu's Nephew Siddharth Galla Marries Hyein Kim



Superstar Mahesh Babu's nephew and former MP Galla Jayadev's second son Siddharth Galla has become a household name. He has been in love with South Korean Hyein Kim for some time now and today he entered into married life with her. Their destination wedding ceremony was held on Wednesday in a grand manner. Their engagement took place recently, and the pre-wedding photos released at that time were particularly impressive.

The wedding ceremony was attended by only the Ghattamaneni and Galla families, as well as the bride's family members and close friends. They blessed the newlyweds and wished them well. Mahesh Babu's sister Manjula Ghattamaneni shared the photos of the ceremony with her fans on social media. The bride and groom looked very beautiful in traditional and modern attire at the wedding. As these photos have come out, fans and netizens are showering their best wishes on social media for the newlyweds. However, it is noteworthy that superstar Mahesh Babu is not seen in the photos that have come out so far. He is currently busy shooting for his big adventure film 'Varanasi', which is being directed by his director SS Rajamouli. There is a discussion among fans that Mahesh Babu could not attend the ceremony due to the shooting schedules of this international project, which stars Priyanka Chopra and Prithviraj Sukumaran in key roles. MM Keeravani is composing the music for this film.

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