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Prez Murmu visits Army Training Command in Shimla, appreciates role in fostering innovation

Friday, lauding its role in the operational preparedness of the Indian Army.
She was received by Himachal Pradesh Governor Kavinder Gupta and Lieutenant General Devendra Sharma, GOC-in-C, ARTRAC, on her arrival at the training command headquarters.
The President was briefed by GOC-in-C on the evolution of ARTRAC, its role in providing quality training to Indian Army personnel to enhance operational efficiency, as well as on salient initiatives of ARTRAC, said a statement.
Elaborating on the novel initiatives of ARTRAC, the GOC-in-C highlighted the impetus provided for drone training, steps taken to absorb niche technologies, introduction of the concept of 'Red Teaming' and initiatives towards Digitisation and Automation in the Army.
The President acknowledged the fact that ARTRAC has an all-encompassing role of designing concepts of warfare, resource development for the Indian Army and widespread engagements with Friendly Foreign Countries and Sister Services.
It is a critical gear in the path to Military Glory, Atmanirbharta and Viksit Bharat. The ARTRAC, through its 32 premier training establishments, vitalises the domain of professionalism in the Indian Army, which gives it a unique perspective on the art and science of warfighting.
The President also exchanged views with Lieutenant General Devendra Sharma, in the presence of Governor Kavinder Gupta, on training in the Army, in order to make the nation secure and strong.
The President exhorted ARTRAC to continue to work with fervour to enhance the operational preparedness of the Indian Army. She complimented all ranks of ARTRAC and Defence Civilians for the stellar work being done and urged them to continue working with enhanced zeal and fervour.
The President appreciated the significant role of the Army Training Command in fostering innovation and strengthening institutional training and thereby shaping future-ready leaders.
The visit to ARTRAC marked the culmination of the President's five-day summer sojourn to her official residence in Mashobra, Shimla.
Earlier on Tuesday, President Murmu attended a banquet hosted by the Himachal Pradesh Governor Kavinder Gupta at Lok Bhavan in Shimla.
The Rashtrapati Niwas at Mashobra opened its doors to the public in April 2023. At present, the authorities provide a free bus service to tourists to the President's summer retreat.
The Shimla to Mashobra service was started to celebrate President Murmu's two years in office on July 25, 2024.

Allahabad HC dismisses plea seeking FIR against Rahul Gandhi over 'fighting Indian state' remark

the inauguration of the All India Congress Committee's new headquarters in New Delhi in January last year, where he said: "We are now fighting the BJP, the RSS, and the Indian State itself."
Gupta contended that Gandhi's remarks were not merely political criticism but a deliberate attempt to destabilise the country by portraying the Indian state as an adversarial force.
The matter reached the Allahabad High Court after a local court in Sambhal dismissed the petitioner's application seeking registration of an FIR against the Congress leader.
A revision plea filed thereafter was also dismissed, following which the petitioner moved the Allahabad High Court.
Gandhi had made the remarks while attacking the BJP and the Rashtriya Swayamsevak Sangh (RSS), alleging that they had captured institutions of the country and that the Congress was fighting to defend the Constitution and the idea of India. "Do not think we are fighting a fair fight. If you believe this is merely against a political organisation like the BJP or RSS, understand that they have captured almost every institution in our country. We are now up against the Indian state itself," Gandhi had said.
The remarks had triggered a political storm, with BJP leaders accusing Gandhi of undermining India's sovereignty and constitutional framework.
Former BJP president J.P. Nadda had then said that Gandhi's statement exposed Congress' "ugly truth," alleging that his words reflected an ideological battle against the nation itself.
Earlier, an FIR was also registered against Gandhi at Pan Bazar Police Station in Guwahati, Assam, under Sections 152 and 197(1)(d) of the Bharatiya Nyaya Sanhita based on a complaint alleging that his remarks incited disaffection against the State and threatened national unity.
Separately, the Allahabad High Court had recently dealt with another plea concerning Gandhi, in which Justice Subhash Vidyarthi recused himself from hearing a petition seeking registration of an FIR over allegations of dual citizenship after controversy surrounding social media posts by the petitioner.

Bengal polls: Re-polling in 15 booths in South 24 Parganas on May 2

constituencies was conducted in the second phase of the two-phase Assembly elections in West Bengal on April 29. According to a statement issued by the Election Commission of India on Friday afternoon, the decision for re-polling for these 15 polling booths under these two Assembly constituencies had been taken based on reports from the returning officers for the said polling stations and the general observers following complaints of large-scale electoral malpractices on the polling day.
Meanwhile, insiders from the office of the Chief Electoral Officer said there is a possibility of re-polling in as many as 30 polling booths under the Falta Assembly constituency, in the Diamond Harbour subdivision, also in the South 24 Parganas district.
"Following complaints of the Electronic Voting Machine button besides the name and symbol of the Bharatiya Janata Party candidate from Falta, the Election Commission of India ordered a thorough investigation into the matter. Instead of the returning officers of the polling booth and the general observer for Falta, the investigation was conducted at the ground level by the Election Commission of India-appointed special observer, Subrat Gupta, himsel. He reached Falta on Thursday morning from Kolkata and, after a day-long ground-level inspection in the matter on Thursday, Gupta finally recorded re-polling for 30 polling booths in Falta," said the Chief Electoral Officer's office insider. Earlier, the West Bengal unit of the Bharatiya Janata Party demanded re-polling for the entire Falta Assembly constituency.
Even before the elections at Falta on April 29, the situation in the entire constituency was quite tense over the battle of dialogues involving the Election Commission of India-appointed special police observer for Diamond Harbour subdivision, Ajay Paul Sharma, an Indian Police Service officer of the Uttar Pradesh cadre, and the Trinamool Congress candidate from Falta, Jahangir Khan. Reports of scattered electoral violence also surfaced on the polling day. Even on Friday, the situation there became tense over clashes between Trinamool Congress and the Bharatiya Janata Party supporters.

Construction work of Shankar Vilas Bridge to be expedited in a few days: Union Minister Pemmasani

expedite the work of Inner Ring Road Phase-3.
Union Minister Pemmasani Chandrasekhar held a review meeting with top officials on the ongoing development works in Guntur on Friday. He said that the bidding for the development of Narla Venkateswara Rao Auditorium has been completed. He said that cooling centers have been set up for the people during the summer. He explained that 220 new autos are coming to the Guntur Municipal Corporation. He said that this will make garbage collection in the city easier. He said that the construction of drains in the city will be completed by the end of May.
Union Minister Pemmasani Chandrasekhar explained that Rs. 7.2 crore has been allocated for the development of 22 parks in the city. He said that sports equipment and gym equipment will be installed in the parks for children. He expressed concern about the high problem of stray dogs in the city. The Union Minister said that steps are being taken to operate on 125 stray dogs per month.

AP CM promises to set up labour 'addas' to help workers

Naidu on Friday announced that labour 'addas' will be set up across the state to support workers by upgrading their skills. In the first phase, 15 such centres will be established in major cities and towns. The Chief Minister made the announcement after distributing Shramashakti awards to outstanding workers and employers at Pamidimukkala village in Krishna district on International Workers' Day. Chandrababu Naidu stated that these labour addas would be developed into skill development centres where workers can upgrade their skills. New ESI hospitals will also be set up in places like Achyutapuram, Guntur, Kurnool, Sri City and Amaravati to improve workers' healthcare. The Chief Minister emphasised that just as workers work tirelessly, the government is equally committed to the development of the state. He highlighted that the Telugu Desam Party symbol reflects workers and farmers and reaffirmed commitment to uplift poor families, including enabling their children to become entrepreneurs. Naidu said the welfare measures for workers include Rs 25,000 financial assistance for the marriage of construction workers (also applicable to their daughters), Rs 20,000 support for child-birth, Rs 60,000 assistance in case of natural death, and Rs 20,000 for funeral expenses. In addition, four labour courts are also available for dispute resolution. The Chief Minister said the government derives satisfaction from people's happiness and considers welfare spending a responsibility, not a burden.Regarding Machilipatnam Port, he said land acquisition was done in 2014, but the previous government cancelled tenders in 2019, causing delays. At present, breakwater, dredging and offshore works are progressing rapidly. He stated that the target is to complete the port by December this year. The Chief Minister stated that major investments are coming into the state, including a large data centre investment by Reliance, following interest from companies like Google. He praised reforms in Panchayati Raj led by Deputy Chief Minister Pawan Kalyan and education reforms by Education Minister Nara Lokesh. He said the reforms in the education sector led to improved Class 10 results. The Chief Minister criticised the opposition, alleging destructive governance in the past and stating that the current government has been rebuilding systems over the last 22 months.

AP Tenth Results... Pawan Kalyan praises Nara Lokesh

coalition government led by Chief Minister Chandrababu Naidu. Pawan Kalyan reminded that the pass percentage this year has improved by about 4 percent. He praised the plans being implemented by Nara Lokesh as the Education Minister as commendable. He explained that programs like the mega parent-teacher meet and the 100-day plan introduced before the exams have yielded good results. Pawan said that the pass percentage has increased significantly, especially in government schools. He said that the pass percentage, which was 72.8 percent last year and increased to 78.39 percent this year, is a testament to the sincerity of the government. He expressed special congratulations to the teachers and education officials who worked tirelessly behind this success.

CM Naidu inaugurates LV Prasad Eye care center in Gudlavalleru

cost of about Rs. 7 crore with the help of donors. The center was set up on Penjendra Road near Gudlavalleru Engineering College. After unveiling the inaugural plaque, Chief Minister Chandrababu Naidu along with the ministers inspected various departments of the hospital. He inquired about the facilities and medical equipment there.
erdscÿThe one acre of land required for the construction of this hospital and the construction costs were provided by the families of donors Jasti Subba Rao and Polavarapu Satyanarayana Rao. The hospital was established with the aim of providing quality eye care at a low cost to the people of Krishna district and surrounding areas. With the opening of this center, locals feel that the need to travel to cities like Hyderabad for better treatment will be reduced.

YSRCP chief has mental problem: CM Chandrababu

that for the past 22 months, their coalition government has been working to restore glory to AP by rebuilding the systems destroyed during the previous regime. He once again clarified that they are reducing electricity charges as per the election promise and will not increase charges under any circumstances in the future. He reminded that the previous government had imposed the burden of electricity charges on the people 9 times. He said that his people's government is working very transparently and the cooperation of the people is their biggest strength.
The CM appreciated the performance of the partners in the coalition government. He praised the changes brought by Jana Sena chief Pawan Kalyan in Panchayat Raj and the reforms implemented by Minister Nara Lokesh in the education system and ensured that students achieved excellent results in class 10. He made a key announcement that from now on, he would take information directly from the people on the performance of the MLAs in every meeting. He said that he was a team leader and that the government would get a good name only if the public representatives and officials work together.
Earlier, the Chief Minister presented Shramshakti awards to the workers and best managements who provided the best services. Ministers Kollu Ravindra, Vasamsetty Subhash, MP Balashouri and others participated in the program.

Health check-up for RTC employees every six months

priority in the RTC.
As part of this, medical tests have been started in all districts. About 300 employees die in APSRTC every year. RTC hospitals and dispensaries have found that heart disease symptoms are increasing among drivers. In this context, there is serious concern among the employees of the company.
With this, a health awareness program has been started in APSRTC. On this occasion, employees were advised to take SBI health/life insurance. A proposal to include blood tests in periodic checkups is being considered. Officials believe that early tests can save lives.

Four employees suspended at food safety headquarters

suspended for reasons such as going on unauthorized leave and not responding to the payment of financial benefits to retired employees. Similarly, the rest were suspended for not following the orders of their superiors in the performance of their duties and for not showing any change despite repeated warnings. This was clarified in the order.
Complaints against these four employees were previously received by the State Medical and Health Minister Y. Satyakumar. The minister ordered an inquiry into this. Based on the inquiry report, the government has taken action against these four employees. Commissioner Veera Pandian warned the employees on this occasion that strict action will be taken against those who are negligent in the performance of their duties.

NTR Bharosa pension distribution in full swing across AP

Chandrababu Naidu will participate in the 'Pedala Sevalo' program in Krishna district. The CM will visit the homes of beneficiaries in NTR Colony in Pamidimukkala and provide them with NTR Bharosa pensions. Pamidimukkala village has been beautifully decorated for the CM's visit. The village streets are decorated with yellow arches and welcome flexi. The public platform and the meeting premises of the activists are ready. The villagers and Telugu brothers are waiting for the arrival of the Chief Minister.

Jagan has no right to speak on the people's capital: MA Sharif

every day about the cost of construction of the capital. He described Amaravati as not just a city, but a center that provides job opportunities to the youth of the state.
MA Sharif said that the capital Amaravati is a 'growth engine' that will bring revenue to the government. He said that the opposition leader is lying about the cost of the new Parliament building built by the central government. He expressed anger that while only Rs.6,980 per square foot is being spent in the construction of Amaravati, YS Jagan is making false calculations that it will cost Rs.12,000 to Rs.14,000. MA Sharif has slammed Jagan Reddy, who spent Rs 35,714 per square foot on his own residence in Rushikonda with public funds of Rs 700 crore, saying that he has no right to talk about the public capital. He said that the current expenditure in Amaravati is more reasonable than the cost of the secretariat built by the Telangana government (Rs 6,500 per square foot). Government advisor MA Sharif said that Amaravati will become the focal point for the development of 175 constituencies and will pave the way for the progress of panchayats and municipalities.
The value of the land reserve allocated by the government for the capital is in lakhs of crores, he said, adding that the construction will be completed with the income generated from it and bank loans. He reminded that the central government is also providing financial support for the construction of the state capital.

AP is the state that provides the highest pensions in the country: H M

working brothers and sisters who are leading the society forward with dedication and hard work. She said that workers and farmers are the foundation of the country's economy. She expressed special thanks to CM Chandrababu and Nara Lokesh for giving him the opportunity to be a member of the Politburo for the second time. She said that he was very happy to unveil the statue of NTR after taking oath as a member of the Politburo for the second time. The Home Minister revealed that villages are developing in all ways under the NDA government. He criticized that no development took place in villages p[;'\under the previous government. She said that various works have been done in Payakaraopet constituency with Rs 40 crore from NREGS and Rs 40 crore from R&B. She said that a large number of job opportunities will come with the arrival of industries in Payakaraopet constituency. Home Minister Anita said that the shape of this area will change with the arrival of the steel plant and industries will also be brought in Kotavuratla mandal.

Andhra Pradesh govt notifies five E-Mobility cities

The Municipal Administration & Urban Development Department approved the Operational Framework and Strategic Roadmap for implementation of the policy in Urban Local Bodies (ULBs).
The framework provides for a phased and integrated implementation approach covering EV charging stations, battery swapping infrastructure, green freight corridors, electric public transport systems, renewable energy integration, smart urban mobility planning, Zero Emission Zones (ZEZs) and Dedicated City E-Mobility Cells (CEMCs). As part of the implementation strategy, city-specific interventions have also been proposed. Green tourism mobility, electric BRTS corridors, and green freight corridors have been proposed for Visakhapatnam. Model Green Routes along BRTS corridors and logistics-focused EV infrastructure are proposed for Vijayawada. Electrification of river transport systems and green goods corridors are proposed for Rajahmundry. EV logistics systems for fisheries and coastal transport infrastructure are mooted for Nellore and Full electrification of Tirumala shuttle systems and Zero Emission pilgrim mobility zones for Tirupati.

"Not a Single Paisa increase in Current Charges, Says Chandrababu"

has decided not to impose any increase.He reiterated that the coalition government is focused on fulfilling every promise made to the people and is taking all necessary steps to avoid additional pressure on households. According to him, ensuring affordable electricity while maintaining quality supply remains a top priority.At the same time, Chandrababu strongly criticized the previous YSR Congress Party government, alleging that it had increased electricity charges multiple times, placing a heavy burden on consumers. He stated that people were relieved from "true-up" charges through corrective measures taken by the current administration.The Chief Minister further noted that reforms would be introduced in the power sector to address financial losses faced by electricity companies. He assured citizens that there is no need for concern regarding power tariffs in the near future.Meanwhile, Power Minister Gottipati Ravikumar stated that the government has already reduced electricity charges by 13 paise per unit and hinted at further reductions going forward. He also alleged that tariff hikes during the previous regime had imposed a burden of around Rs 18,000 crore on consumers and caused significant losses to the power sector.

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APPENDIX-IV-A [SEE PROVISION TO RULE 8(6)] SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitization and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with provision 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/ charged to Truhome Finance Limited (formerly M/s Shriram Housing Finance Limited), the Physical Possession of which have been taken by the Authorized Officer of Truhome Finance Limited, will be sold on "As is where is", "As is what is" and "Whatever there is" basis in e-auction on 24.06.2026 between 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. for recovery of the balance due to Truhome Finance Limited from the Borrowers And Guarantors, as mentioned in the table.
Details of Borrowers and Guarantors, amount due, Short Description of the immovable property, reserve price and earnest money deposit and date of Inspection are also given as:

Name of Borrowers/ Co-Borrowers/ Guarantors/Mortgagers	Amount of Recovery and date of Demand Notice	Reserve Price (Rs.) & Bid Increment	Date & Time of Auction	Contact Person Details – (AO and Disposal team)
MR.PARAMKUSHAM ARAVIND KUMAR S/O MR. Sathyanarayana 2.MRS.PARAMKUSHAM RAMADEVI W/O PARAMKUSHAM ARAVIND KUMAR Both are R/O DOOR NO H NO 7/173/2A NA NEAR RAMALAYAM RAZAKA BAZAR RAMALAYAM ,NUZVID KRISHNA DIST Andhra Pradesh INDIA 521201 Loan Account No. SHLHVIWA0001188 **Date of Possession & Type** 31th Dec , 2025 , Physical Possession **Encumbranches known** Not Known	DATE OF DEMAND NOTICE 11-08-2025 Rs.4718838/-(Forty Seven Lakhs Eighteen Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Eight Only) as on 31-07-2025 under reference of Loan Account No. SHLHVIWA0001188	Rs.25,00,000/- (Twenty Five Lakhs Only) **Bid Increment:** Rs. 10,000/- and in such multiples. **Earnest Money Deposit (EMD)(Rs.)** Rs.250000/- (Rupees Two Lakhs Fifty Thousand Only) **Last date for submission of EMD : 23- Jun , 2026 Time 10.00 a.m. to 05.00 p.m.**	24-JUNE-2026 & Auction Time: 11.00 A.M. to 01.00 p.m.	Mr. SATISH & Anjibabu 9849225412 (M) &9966365296 **Property Inspection Date : 22.05.2026 11 Am to 06 PM**

Description of Property
An extent of Undivided and Unspecified Site of an extent of 63 Sq.Yds or 52.67 Sq.Mtrs of Site out of total extent of 3512.5Sq.Yds. or 2936.9 Sq.Mtrs of site in R.S.No.185/1B,185/2B,, Situated at Bapulapadu village, Bapulapadu Mandal,, kanumolu Sub Registrar's area, krishna District and the Site is bounded on the:
East: 33 FT WIDE ROAD, South: 40 FT WIDE ROAD, West: OTHERS PROPERTY, North OTHERS PROPERTY
SCHEDULE – B: In the entire A Schedule Property constructed the RCC Roofed DHARANI RESIDENCY Building and in that FOURTH Floor, Flat No.506 With Plinth area of 1390 Sft with common area and car parking 90sqft (including all amenities) Being Bounded by -East: common corridor, South: open to sky, West: common corridor, North: open to sky.

1) **For detailed terms and conditions of the sale, please refer the website of Truhome Finance Limited (Formerly Shriram Housing Finance Limited) website.**
2) **The intending bidders have to submit their EMD amount to be deposited by way of RTGS/NEFT to the account details mentioned herein below: BANK NAME: AXIS BANK LIMITED BRANCH: BANDRA KURLA COMPLEX, MUMBAI BANK ACCOUNT NO. Current Account No. 911020045677633 IFSC CODE: UTIB0000230.**

Place : Hanuman Junction /Eluru/Vijayawada
Date : 02-05-2026
Sd/- Authorised Officer- Truhome Finance Limited (Formerly Shriram Housing Finance Limited)